INTRODUCTION AND OVERVIEW

This section of the budget outlines in summary form projected revenues and costs for the five fiscal years beyond 2024-25 for the Town's General Fund, Transit Fund, and Debt Service Fund. A summary schedule is provided for each fund identifying differences between the projected revenues and costs.

The Projections section of the budget is an important tool in developing long-range financial strategies for the Town's major operations and in maintaining sound financial condition. We believe our projections include all the major elements and principal drivers of revenue and costs. In short, we have included in the projections the elements that are "big enough to matter," on both the revenue and cost sides of the budget. Our presentation includes projections for operations and for additions and adjustments to ongoing operations. The largest additions relate to capital programs and related debt service.

Capital Programs and Related Debt Service

In November 2018, the Town held a general obligation bond referendum. There was one bond order that appeared on the ballot, and it was approved by the voters. The full amount of the referendum authority has been issued.

Bond Order	Authority	May 2021 Issuance	Mar 2023 Issuance	Balance
Affordable Housing	\$ 10,000,000	\$ 4,755,000	\$ 5,245,000	\$ -
Total	\$ 10,000,000	\$ 4,755,000	\$ 5,245,000	\$ -

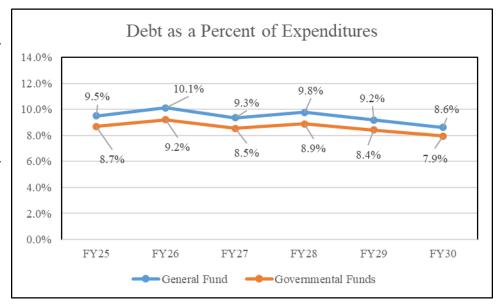
In November 2015, the Town held a general obligation bond referendum consisting of five bond orders totaling \$40.3 million. All five bond orders were approved by the voters. There have been three issuances from the 2015 GO Bond authority. In February of 2017, \$9.0 million of bonds were issued, then in April of 2018, \$12.5 million of bonds were issued, and in March 2023 an additional \$7.7 million of bonds were issued. The bond orders and amounts issued to date are shown in the table below:

Bond Order	Authority	Feb 2017 Issuance	Apr 2018 Issuance	Mar 2023 Issuance	Balance
Streets & Sidewalks	\$ 16,200,000	\$ 3,000,000	\$ 5,500,000	\$ 7,700,000	\$ -
Trails & Greenways	5,000,000	5,000,000	-	-	-
Recreation Facilities	8,000,000	1,000,000	4,300,000	-	2,700,000
Solid Waste Facilities	5,200,000	-	-	-	5,200,000
Stormwater	5,900,000	-	2,700,000	-	3,200,000
Total	\$ 40,300,000	\$ 9,000,000	\$ 12,500,000	\$ 7,700,000	\$ 11,100,000

The Town will have a \$40.3 million referendum on the November 2024 ballot for the public to vote on the following five bond orders: (1) Affordable Housing \$15 million, (2) Public Buildings \$15 million, (3) Streets and Sidewalks \$7.5 million, (4) Parks and Recreation Facilities \$4.5 million, and (5) Open Space and Greenways \$2 million.

The Town is currently working on negotiating a 15-year lease for the Town's Police Headquarters, Emergency Operations Center, and Technology Solutions department. The goal would be for lease commencement in late spring/early summer 2025.

While the Town historically had low debt percentage expenditures, budgeted recent borrowings have increased the Town's debt load. The Town's measures of debt capacity, including debt per capita and debt as a percent of assessed value. slightly below the average of our peer group (Triple A rated Municipalities in North Carolina). The Town has traditionally kept debt service below 10% of budgeted general



fund expenditures. With the recent investment in public facilities (East Rosemary Parking Deck), the Debt Fund absorbed the debt service costs until the Parking Deck was operational. With the opening of the deck in August 2024, the intent is for the revenues generated to repay the Debt Fund and to move existing debt service to the Parking Fund. Debt service as a percentage of expenditures is expected to rise slightly in the next few years as the Town continues to invest in public facilities and infrastructure.

In response to the added debt burden, a Debt Management Plan was adopted for the FY2008-09 budget that includes dedicating a portion of the property tax rate to pay debt service instead of transferring funds for debt service needs from the General Fund. Previously, debt service costs competed with other priorities for General Fund revenues, but now have a dedicated revenue source, which also provides for future debt as existing debt is paid off. Maintaining affordable levels of debt is an important factor in retaining the Town's current AAA ratings.

Some of the other key factors affecting revenues and costs are outside the Town's control, such as State-shared revenues affected by State legislation, and numerous State and federal regulations which affect funding for the Transit system and the Housing Department, primarily. We project no significant withholding of State-shared revenues. The county has the option each year to change the sales tax distribution formula from the current per capita basis to an ad-valorem basis. Changing from a per capita basis to an ad-valorem distribution would reduce the Town's Sales Tax revenues by approximately \$2.5 million. The County has indicated that they will not make a change to the distribution for 2024-25, but they may revisit this option in subsequent fiscal years.

The main points included in the revenue and cost projections for the General Fund, Transit Fund, and the Debt Service Fund are summarized on the following pages. The differences between revenues and expenditures are expressed as tax rate equivalents.

As the budget increases, the total reserved fund balance needs to increase proportionally to maintain fund balance reserves at the target 22% of expenditures. The gap between revenues and costs could be closed by service reductions, revenue enhancements, tax rate adjustments, or any combination of these options.

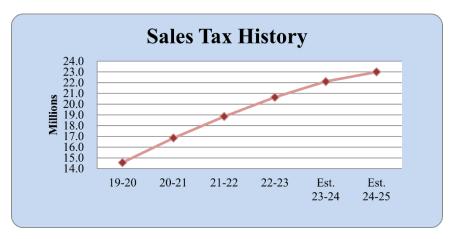
GENERAL FUND

Revenues

The most important revenue sources for General Fund operations continue to be property taxes and sales tax revenues that, combined, comprise about 74% of total General Fund revenues. The estimate of assessed valuation for the tax base in 2024-25 is about \$9.79 billion. The Council adopted a tax rate of 59.2 cents after a 1.5 cent increase to the General Fund tax rate from the FY2023-24 budget and a 0.5 increase to the Transit Fund tax rate.

The tax levy projections assume that the General Fund tax rate will continue to be split with the Debt Service Fund. The rate adopted in FY12 moved \$1.8 cents of the tax rate from the Debt Fund to the General Fund.

Estimated additions to the tax base through growth yield increases in property tax revenues of about \$760,000 each year. This is based on 1.5% annual growth, which is slightly lower than the historical average, and a tax rate for 2024-25 of \$43.7 cents for the General Fund.



The second largest source of Town revenue, sales tax, is more volatile than property tax. Revenues from sales tax tend to increase when the economy is strong and slow or decline when the economy weakens. Based on sales tax revenues to date, we estimate FY24 receipts at \$22.1 million, an increase from what was originally budgeted. Based on local trends and state forecasts, we anticipate an increase of 4% for FY24-25.

Based on legislation adopted in 2002-03 by the North Carolina General Assembly (providing greater but not absolute protection for certain State-shared revenues withheld in past years), we believe it is reasonable to include full State-shared revenues in our five-year projections for the General Fund. These State-shared revenues include revenue from utility sales taxes (estimated at about \$4.4 million in 2023-24 and \$4.5 million in 2024-25) and Video Programming Tax, estimated to remain relatively flat in FY24 and FY25.

State-shared revenues also include revenue from fuel tax funds for street maintenance (about \$1.62 million in 2024-25), with no projected growth over the next five years, and Beer and Wine Taxes. The State withheld two-thirds of its distribution of beer and wine tax to municipalities in 2009-10, but indications are that we will receive the full share in FY25 and thereafter.

State Fire Protection Funds have not changed significantly in the past few years, and we anticipate they will remain stable. We do however recommend that the Council continue to seek additional fire protection funding consistent with the costs associated with providing fire protection for state owned property located in the Town.

The most important revenue sources for the General Fund are shown in the two tables which follow this section, titled Projected Tax Base and Projected State-Shared Revenues.

Operating and Capital Improvement Costs

Projected costs for general operations are based on a continuation of most service levels and programs for 2024-25. Personnel and operating costs are based on assumptions as noted in the attached tables. The projections also include estimated contributions required to provide needed capital maintenance for future years. To date, the Town has issued \$29.2 million of 2015 referendum bonds to pay for streets and sidewalks, trails and greenways, stormwater improvements, and recreation facilities.

Personnel costs for FY 2024-25 include a decrease in medical insurance costs of 1% based on the contract agreement with Blue Cross Blue Shield. Projections include the following assumptions:

- Annual pay increases of 5%
- 5% annual increases in medical insurance
- An increase of 0.75% for 3 years after FY25 for the employer's retirement system contribution rate.
- Operating costs increase of about 4.5% annually

Our analysis indicates projected costs for basic operations and the proposed additions to operations would exceed revenues in FY2024-25 and beyond. As we come closer to the actual projected years, we will need to update assumptions. Under the current projection assumptions, the Council would need to increase revenues or decrease costs for each of the next five years.

TRANSIT FUND

The budget for 2024-25 assumes the continuation of fare-free transit services as well as the continuation of the cost-sharing arrangement with the University of North Carolina and Carrboro. Due to the occasional unknown nature of the State operating assistance, we are conservatively budgeting \$3.4 million for this revenue source. Federal assistance is estimated to continue at \$2.3 million next year, which is a decrease from FY24.

The 2024-25 Adopted Budget represents a 14% increase from the previous year largely due to an increase in revenue generated from the increased tax rate, more funding from the Orange County Transit Plan, and subsequent increases to UNC and Carrboro contracts. The Transit budget also includes \$1,686,308 for debt payments on the purchase of new buses that began in 2016-17. The projections assume continuation of the 6.7 cent rate in the next five years. Subsequent years show the need for a tax increase from 0.4 to 2.6 cents through 2029-30.

Adopted Tax Rate	Cents per \$100 valuation									
	FY23-24	FY24-25	\$ Change							
General Fund	42.2	43.7	1.5							
Debt Fund	8.8	8.8	0.0							
Transit Fund	6.2	6.7	0.5							
Total Tax Rate	57.2	59.2	2.0							

DEBT SERVICE FUND

The projections for the Debt Service Fund include maintaining the adopted tax rate of 8.8 cents. This tax rate will generate about \$8.59 million in revenues in 2024-25 which will provide for projected debt service costs. Cost projections include debt service on the borrowings noted above. Our projections include issuances from a successful referendum on the November 2024 ballot and the commencement of a 15-year lease for our police headquarters, emergency operations center, and technology solutions staff.

CONCLUSION

Based on the assumptions contained in the analysis of projected revenues and costs for the Town's tax-funded operating funds for the next five years, differences between revenues and costs for future years could require cost or service reductions, revenue enhancements, or tax rate adjustments. The differences expressed as tax rate equivalents are summarized as follows:

Tax Rate Equivalents of Needed Revenue (in cents)

	2024-25	2025-26	2026-27	2027-28	2028-29	2029-30
	Adopted	Estimated	Estimated	Estimated	Estimated	Estimated
_	Increase	Increase	Increase	Increase	Increase	Increase
General Fund	1.5	2.8	2.5	2.6	2.5	2.6
Debt Service	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Transit Fund	0.5	2.6	(1.4)	0.4	0.4	0.5
Total	2.0	5.4	1.1	3.0	2.9	3.1

The largest concern in the budget projection is the expected imbalance between revenues and expenditures in the General Fund. In past years, fund balance has been available to supplement revenues and eliminate or reduce the need to increase taxes. We will need to more closely balance spending with available revenues in future budget years due to the diminishing availability of fund balance available for appropriation.

GENERAL FUND PROJECTED TAX BASE 2024/2025- 2029/2030

Category	2024-25 Adopted	2025-26 Estimated	2026-27 Estimated	2027-28 Estimated	2028-29 Estimated	2029-30 Estimated
Assessed Valuation (Real & Personal Property)	\$ 9,787,420,000	\$ 9,934,230,000	\$10,083,240,000	\$10,234,490,000	\$10,388,010,000	\$10,543,830,000
Tax Levy - General Fund Only*	42,771,000	43,413,000	44,064,000	44,725,000	45,396,000	46,077,000
Estimated Collections at 99%	42,650,000	43,290,000	43,940,000	44,600,000	45,270,000	45,950,000
Estimated Prior Year Collections	95,000	95,000	95,000	95,000	95,000	95,000
TOTALS	\$ 42,745,000	\$ 43,385,000	\$ 44,035,000	\$ 44,695,000	\$ 45,365,000	\$ 46,045,000
Tax rate	43.7	43.7	43.7	43.7	43.7	43.7

1¢ on the tax rate = \$ 976,000

^{*} Based on continuing the General Fund tax rate of \$43.7 cents/\$100, with estimated growth as follows:

2026	1.5%
2027	1.5%
2028	1.5%
2029	1.5%
2030	1.5%

GENERAL FUND PROJECTED STATE-SHARED REVENUES 2024/2025 - 2029/2030

Category	2024-25 Adopted	2025-26 Estimated	2026-27 Estimated	2027-28 Estimated	2028-29 Estimated	2029-30 Estimated	
Utility Sales Tax ¹ Video Programming Tax Supplemental PEG support	\$ 4,500,000 600,000 80,000	\$ 4,523,000 600,000 80,000	\$ 4,546,000 600,000 80,000	\$ 4,569,000 600,000 80,000	\$ 4,592,000 600,000 80,000	\$ 4,615,000 600,000 80,000	
Beer, Wine Tax ²	275,000	275,000	275,000	275,000	275,000	275,000	
1% Local Option Sales Tax (Article 39) ³	8,115,000	8,602,000	9,118,000	9,665,000	10,245,000	10,860,000	
1/2% Local Option Sales Tax (Article 40) ³	5,257,000	5,572,000	5,906,000	6,260,000	6,636,000	7,034,000	
1/2% Local Option Sales Tax (Article 42) ³	4,065,000	4,309,000	4,568,000	4,842,000	5,133,000	5,441,000	
1/2% Local Option Sales Tax (Article 44 Hold Harmless) ³	126,000	134,000	142,000	151,000	160,000	170,000	
City Hold Harmless ³	5,430,000	5,756,000	6,101,000	6,467,000	6,855,000	7,266,000	
Total Local Option Sales Taxes	22,993,000	24,373,000	25,835,000	27,385,000	29,029,000	30,771,000	
Fuel Tax (Powell Bill) ⁴	1,787,000	1,787,000	1,787,000	1,787,000	1,787,000	1,787,000	
State Fire Protection ⁵	1,025,000	1,025,000	1,025,000	1,025,000	1,025,000	1,025,000	
Solid Waste Disposal Tax	47,000	47,000	47,000	47,000	47,000	47,000	
TOTAL	\$ 31,307,000	\$ 32,710,000	\$ 34,195,000	\$ 35,768,000	\$ 37,435,000	\$ 39,200,000	

¹ Utility sales tax distribution has been changed in recent years and is now distributed to municipalities based on the application of the 7% combined general sales tax rate of sales of electricity and natural gas to public utility providers.

² Except when withheld by the state in recent years, beer and wine taxes have been stable. Distributed based on population, they are expected to remain flat in the future.

³ Estimating a normal growth of 6% in FY25 and thereafter.

⁴ Powell Bill revenues are distributed by a formula that is based on both street miles and population.

⁵ State Fire Protection funding is subject to annual appropriation.

GENERAL FUND REVENUE PROJECTIONS 2024/2025 - 2029/2030

Category	2024-25 Adopted	2025-26 Estimated	2026-27 Estimated	2027-28 Estimated	2028-29 Estimated	2029-30 Estimated		
Property Taxes*	\$ 42,834,000	\$ 43,385,000	\$ 44,035,000	\$ 44,695,000	\$ 45,365,000	\$ 46,045,000		
Sales Taxes	22,993,000	24,373,000	25,835,000	27,385,000	29,029,000	30,771,000		
Other Taxes & Licenses	1,800,000	1,800,000	1,800,000	1,800,000	1,800,000	1,800,000		
Licenses/Permits/Fines/ Forfeitures	3,463,000	3,463,000	3,463,000	3,463,000	3,463,000	3,463,000		
State-Shared Revenues	8,314,000	8,337,000	8,360,000	8,383,000	8,406,000	8,429,000		
Grants	750,000	759,000	768,000	777,000	786,000	795,000		
Service Charges	5,617,000	5,627,000	5,637,000	5,647,000	5,657,000	5,667,000		
Interest on Investments	750,000	750,000	750,000	750,000	750,000	750,000		
Other Revenues	421,000	421,000	421,000	421,000	421,000	421,000		
Interfund Transfers	45,000	45,000	45,000	45,000	45,000	45,000		
TOTAL	\$ 86,987,000	\$ 88,960,000	\$ 91,114,000	\$ 93,366,000	\$ 95,722,000	\$ 98,186,000		

^{*} Based on continuing the current General Fund tax rate of \$43.7 cents/\$100, with estimated growth as follows:

2026	1.50%
2027	1.50%
2028	1.50%
2029	1.50%
2030	1.50%

*GENERAL FUND PROJECTED COSTS*2024/2025 - 2029/2030

	2024-25 Adopted	2025-26 Estimated	2026-27 Estimated	2027-28 Estimated	2028-29 Estimated	2029-30 Estimated
Personnel Services ¹	\$ 63,062,000	\$ 66,119,000	\$ 69,275,000	\$ 72,588,000	\$ 76,066,000	\$ 79,718,000
Operations Operating & Maintenance ²	21,253,000	22,171,000	23,085,000	24,072,000	25,038,000	26,080,000
Capital Equipment ³	330,000	330,000	330,000	330,000	330,000	330,000
Transfer to Capital Improvements Program ⁴	2,558,000	3,076,000	3,594,000	4,112,000	4,427,000	4,695,000
Other Human Service contracts, hotel/ motel allocations and grants to						
other agencies	2,020,000	2,020,000	2,020,000	2,020,000	2,020,000	2,020,000
Other Post Employment Benefits	250,000	500,000	500,000	500,000	500,000	500,000
TOTAL COSTS OF CURRENT PROGRAMS AND ADDITIONS/						
TOTALS	\$ 89,473,000	\$ 94,216,000	\$ 98,804,000	\$ 103,622,000	\$ 108,381,000	\$ 113,343,000

Assumptions for years after 2025, reflected on base cost estimates for 2024-25:

¹ Assumptions include:

[·] Annual increase of 5%.

 $[\]cdot$ 5% increase in medical insurance each year

[•] Increase of 0.75% of the Retirement rate per year after 2024-25.

 $^{^{2}}$ Increase in most operating costs of 4.5% each year.

³ Estimated cost of routine replacement of miscellaneous non-vehicular capital equipment.

⁴ General Fund contribution for Capital Improvements Program.

GENERAL FUND ANALYSIS OF REVENUE AND COST PROJECTIONS 2024/2025 - 2029/2030

	2024-25 Adopted	2025-26 Estimated			2026-27 Estimated	2027-28 Estimated		2028-29 Estimated		2029-30 Estimated	
Estimated Total Costs	\$ 89,473,000	\$	94,216,000	\$	98,804,000	\$	103,622,000	\$ 1	108,381,000	\$	113,343,000
Estimated Total Revenues	86,987,000		88,960,000		91,114,000		93,366,000		95,722,000		98,186,000
Revenues Needed	2,486,000		5,256,000		7,690,000		10,256,000		12,659,000		15,157,000
Fund Balance Available	-		2,500,000		2,500,000		2,500,000		2,500,000		2,500,000
One-time use of Fund Balance	2,486,000		-		-		-		-		-
Additional Revenue Needed/ (Available)	\$ -	\$	2,756,000	\$	5,190,000	\$	7,756,000	\$	10,159,000	\$	12,657,000
Change in Tax Rate in cents in Specific Years*	-		2.8		2.5		2.6		2.5		2.6

^{*}Value of a cent = \$976,000

TRANSIT FUND REVENUE PROJECTIONS 2024/2025 - 2029/2030

	2024-25 Adopted	2025-26 Estimated	2026-27 Estimated	2027-28 Estimated	2028-29 Estimated	2029-30 Estimated
Taxes ¹	\$ 6,557,255	\$ 6,657,000	\$ 6,757,000	\$ 6,857,000	\$ 6,957,000	\$ 7,057,000
Vehicle Taxes ²	450,000	452,000	454,000	456,000	458,000	460,000
Orange County Transit Plan	7,069,936	7,141,000	7,212,000	7,284,000	7,357,000	7,431,000
Federal Operating Assistance ³	5,700,000	5,700,000	5,700,000	5,700,000	5,700,000	5,700,000
UNC Contract (Net) ⁴	11,211,816	11,380,000	11,551,000	11,724,000	11,900,000	12,079,000
Carrboro Contract (Net) ⁴	2,366,281	2,402,000	2,438,000	2,475,000	2,512,000	2,550,000
Service Charges ⁵	1,765,238	1,801,000	1,837,000	1,874,000	1,911,000	1,949,000
Advertising	184,000	184,000	184,000	184,000	184,000	184,000
Grants	52,000	-	-	-	-	-
Other	8,000	8,000	8,000	8,000	8,000	8,000
Appropriated Fund Balance	1,291,912	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	\$ 36,656,438	\$ 35,725,000	\$ 36,141,000	\$ 36,562,000	\$ 36,987,000	\$ 37,418,000

Revenue Notes:

¹ Based on the adopted tax rate of 6.7 cents through 2029-30.

² Assumes continuing levy of \$15 vehicle tax for Transit

³ Assumes continuing level of State and Federal Operating Assistance.

⁴ Assumes continued participation by the University and Carrboro, including assumptions on cost sharing for adopted fare-free services, assuming 1.5% growth each year.

⁵ Based on continuing fare-free services, with remaining service charge revenue generated primarily by Tarheel Express and GoTriangle routes, assuming 2% growth each year.

*TRANSIT FUND COST PROJECTIONS*2024/2025 - 2029/2030

	2024-25 Adopted	2025-26 Estimated	2026-27 Estimated	2027-28 Estimated	2028-29 Estimated	2029-30 Estimated
Personnel Services ¹	\$ 20,378,95	59 \$ 21,443,000	\$ 22,464,000	\$ 23,537,000	\$ 24,663,000	\$ 25,845,000
Operations ²	16,277,47	79 16,867,000	17,387,000	17,926,000	18,483,000	19,060,000
Capital Reserve Fund ³			-	-	-	-
TOTAL	\$ 36,656,43	8 \$ 38,310,000	\$ 39,851,000	\$ 41,463,000	\$ 43,146,000	\$ 44,905,000

Assumptions for years after 2024-25

¹ Assumptions include:

[·] Annual increase of 5%.

^{· 5%} increase in medical insurance each year

[•] Increase of 0.75% of the Retirement rate per year after 2024-25.

² Increase in operating costs of 2.5% annually for most operating costs and 5% for fuel and tires.

³ Amounts allocated for Capital Equipment Reserve Fund for replacement of buses, purchase of capital equipment, and local cost of Transit facilities.

TRANSIT FUND REVENUE AND COST PROJECTIONS 2024/2025 - 2029/2030

	 2024-25 Adopted	2025-26 Estimated	2026-27 Estimated	2027-28 Estimated	2028-29 Estimated	2029-30 Estimated
Estimated Costs	\$ 36,656,438	\$ 38,310,000	\$ 39,851,000	\$ 41,463,000	\$ 43,146,000	\$ 44,905,000
Estimated Revenues	36,656,438	35,725,000	36,141,000	36,562,000	36,987,000	37,418,000
Revenue Needed/(Excess)	-	2,585,000	3,710,000	4,901,000	6,159,000	7,487,000
Additional Revenue Needed	\$ -	\$ 2,585,000	\$ 3,710,000	\$ 4,901,000	\$ 6,159,000	\$ 7,487,000
Change in Tax Rate in Specific Years	-	2.6	(1.4)	0.4	0.4	0.5

1 cent on the tax rate = \$976,000

Assumptions on future revenues and costs:

- Same revenue sources as available in 2023-24 (assumes current level of State funding for operating assistance).
- Assumes constant level of federal operating assistance.
- Includes estimated adjustments of 5% in salaries and most operating costs after FY25.
- Includes estimated adjustments of 5% in fuel and tire costs after FY25.

DEBT SERVICE FUND PROJECTED TAX BASE AND OTHER REVENUES 2024/2025 - 2029/2030

Category	2024-25 Adopted	2025-26 Estimated	2026-27 Estimated	2027-28 Estimated	2028-29 Estimated	2029-30 Estimated
Assessed Valuation (Real & Personal Property)	\$ 9,787,420,000	\$ 9,934,230,000	\$ 10,083,240,000	\$ 10,234,490,000	\$ 10,388,010,000	\$ 10,543,830,000
Tax Levy - Debt Service Fund Only*	8,613,000	8,742,000	8,873,000	9,006,000	9,141,000	9,279,000
Estimated Collections at 99%	8,590,000	8,720,000	8,850,000	8,980,000	9,110,000	9,250,000
Estimated Prior Year Collections	 19,000	19,000	19,000	19,000	19,000	19,000
TOTAL TAXES	\$ 8,609,000	\$ 8,739,000	\$ 8,869,000	\$ 8,999,000	\$ 9,129,000	\$ 9,269,000
Interest Income	600,000	381,000	298,000	226,000	165,000	81,000
Transfer from General Fund	445,000	445,000	445,000	445,000	445,000	445,000
TOTAL REVENUES	\$ 9,654,000	\$ 9,565,000	\$ 9,612,000	\$ 9,670,000	\$ 9,739,000	\$ 9,795,000

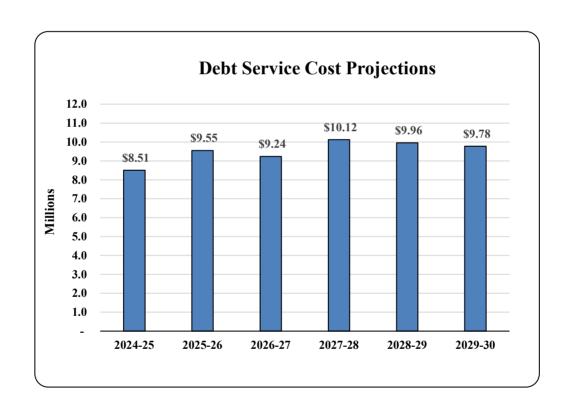
^{*} Based on a continued tax rate of \$8.8 cents for the Debt Fund through 2029-30, with estimated growth as follows:

2026	1.50%
2027	1.50%
2028	1.50%
2029	1.50%
2030	1.50%

DEBT SERVICE FUND PROJECTED COSTS 2024/2025 - 2029/2030

	2024-25 Adopted	2025-26 Estimated	2026-27 Estimated	2027-28 Estimated	2028-29 Estimated	2029-30 Estimated
Existing Debt Future Issuance	\$ 8,510,000	\$ 6,809,000 2,737,000	\$ 6,479,000 2,758,000	\$ 5,973,000 4,151,000	\$ 5,815,000 4,141,000	\$ 5,644,000 4,134,000

TOTALS \$ 8,510,000 \$ 9,546,000 \$ 9,237,000 \$ 10,124,000 \$ 9,956,000 \$ 9,778,000



DEBT SERVICE FUND ANALYSIS OF REVENUE AND COST PROJECTIONS 2024/2025 - 2029/2030

	2024-25 Adopted	2025-26 Estimated	2026-27 Estimated	2027-28 Estimated	2028-29 Estimated	2029-30 Estimated	
Estimated Total Costs	\$ 8,510,000	\$ 9,546,000	\$ 9,237,000	\$ 10,124,000	\$ 9,956,000	\$ 9,778,000	
Estimated Total Revenues	9,654,000	9,565,000	9,612,000	9,670,000	9,739,000	9,795,000	
Revenue (Needed)/Available	1,144,000	19,000	375,000	(454,000)	(217,000)	17,000	
Fund Balance Available	-	-	-	454,000	217,000	-	
Reserved for future debt	1,144,000	19,000	375,000	-	-	17,000	
Additional Revenue (Needed)/Available	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Change in Tax Rate in Specific Years*	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	

^{*}Value of a cent = \$976,000