

# FY 2021/22 PRELIMINARY BUDGET OVERVIEW

### **Finance Department**

City Council Special Meeting April 19, 2021

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## **DEPARTMENT FUNCTIONS**



Administration 4 FTE



Treasury and
Debt Management
9 FTE



General Accounting 19 FTE



Business Tax 10 FTE



Purchasing 8 FTE



Risk Management 2 FTE



Central Stores 8 FTE



Budget Office 5 FTE

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### **ALIGNMENT WITH CITY COUNCIL STRATEGIC PRIORITIES**

#### HIGH PERFORMING GOVERNMENT

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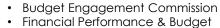
#### **Technology**





#### Communication

Committee



• Budget Transparency Portal



#### Fiscal Health



- Pension Obligation Bond
- Section 115 Trust
- Priority Based Budgeting
- Debt Refinancing Opportunities



#### **Diversity & Inclusion**



· Equity in Budgeting



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## **BUDGET SCENARIOS – GENERAL FUND**

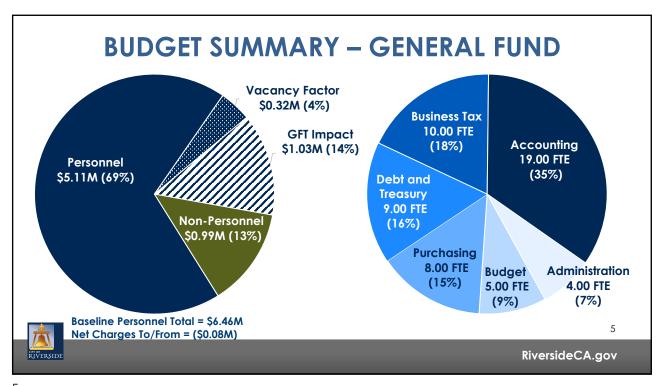
	FY 2021/22 Baseline	Structural Deficit Balanced	Conceptual Contingency Scenario to Operations Regarding Potential Loss of GFT
Personnel	\$6,460,811	\$6,460,811	\$6,460,811
Non-Personnel	991,498	991,498	eptual 991,498
Net Charges To/From*	(75,513)	(75,513)	concernge only (75,513)
<b>Balancing Measure</b>	-	(322,060)	Conceptual 991,498 Contingency (75,513) Scenario (1,352,651)
TOTAL BUDGET	\$7,376,796	\$7,054,736	\$6,024,145
% Adjustment (Balancing Measure		4.4%	18.3%



\* Charges To another department and/or fund

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# GENERAL FUND BUDGET: ADDRESSING THE STRUCTURAL DEFICIT

- Impact: 4.4% of total department budget
- Impact to Alignment with Strategic Priorities
  - Timeliness in financial reporting, utility bill processing, and collection efforts, and ad-hoc financial analysis
  - Delay in technological enhancements and business process improvements
- Realignment of Resources / Strategies
  - Business Tax Outsourcing
  - Robotics Process Automation

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# GENERAL FUND BUDGET: CONCEPTUAL CONTINGENCY SCENARIO

- Potential Impact: 18.3% of total department budget
- Impact to Alignment with Strategic Priorities
  - Significant delays to financial processes and reporting
  - Collection efforts significantly reduced
  - Insufficient resources to perform ad-hoc analysis for strategic financial planning, labor negotiations, etc.
  - Delays in utility bill processing
  - Insufficient resources to research and implement business
     process improvements and new technologies

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### PRIORITY BASED BUDGETING INSIGHTS

- Revenue Increase Opportunities
  - Comprehensive Fees & Charges study
  - Cost allocation to grants
  - Online payment expansion
- Efficiencies and Reallocation of Resources:
  - Reporting enhancements using existing technology
  - Financial report development software
  - Central Stores vending machines
  - Central Stores barcoding

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