

PBB Implementation Project Charter

This document serves as a **communication tool** to help you articulate your organization's PBB goals. It also provides a place to plan and mitigate for challenges and outline a communications and engagement plan.

Goals	
Short Term (1 Year or less) PBB Goal(s):	 Establish communication and educate project stakeholders (internal, elected, public); Develop citywide support and understanding of the PBBi process; 100% participation and utilization from all departments Identify all programs and services that the City provides; Understand where the City is allocating its resources and how that aligns with the City's strategic plan; Develop program insights Take initial steps to realign resources to support City Council's priorities
Long Term (3-5 Years) PBBi Goal:	 Council's priorities; Change the way people think about budgeting; shift mindset to make decisions based on priorities of entire City, not just one department. Achieve a clear understanding and documentation of the City's programs and related resources; Fully align funding priorities with programs and services that further the City Council's strategic priorities; Create partnerships to provide programs more effectively and efficiently; Be adept at realigning resources in times of fiscal challenge; Assess the program effectiveness through performance measures; Develop department/division level KPIs to track program success Consider inclusion of CIP budget
Success Looks Like:	 Transparency on allocation of resources based on the who, what, where, and why; We know what we do, why we do it, and how much it costs; We know how to fiscally adjust as needed while minimizing the impact on the most critical programs and services; We are effective at communicating these aspects; Improved efficiencies in city operations; cross-departmental functions; elimination of duplicate



programs and services; partnerships in program delivery;
 Strategic goals and performance targets are achieved.
Culture that embraces the interconnectivity of
strategic planning, organizational performance and resource alignment
City Manager guides strategic planning and PBBi processes prior to each budget development

Desired Action to Achieve Goal(s)	
Vision for Taking Action on the Data:	 Communicating each step of the way Celebrating success throughout the process Plan for partnerships; new/revamped programs; budget direction; PBB is a plan to financially manage provision of services to the community; PBB helps the City Council determine priorities for funding; PBB provides greater transparency in the allocation of financial resources to programs; PBB identifies areas for cost savings, and where additional funding is needed to ensure successful performance of programs; PBB provides accountability by staff to electeds and the community; Inclusion in KPI/metrics for strategic plan
Area(s) to Apply PBBi Data:	 Performance measures Budget ROI/Program value

Scope & Deliverables	
Scope of Project:	 Citywide, all funds; Assignment of FY 2020/21 operating revenues, expenditures and positions to programs Develop insights for FY 2021/22 budget planning; use insights for budget development
Expected Final Deliverable:	 PBBi Present site; PBBi blueprint: action items for FY 2021/22 budget development



Challenges and Mitigation Plan	
Potential Challenges:	 Lack of stamina Lack of interest Department silos Fear of losing funding Unwillingness to recognize programs that aren't consistent with Council priorities This could take substantial staff time to develop the program budget and determine financial costs associated. Are there sufficient staff resources to take this on during the COVID pandemic? How do we confirm accuracy of program budget in order to avoid potential increased program costs later? Public disclaimer? How to evaluate program performance to facilitate data-based decision-making How to ensure all programs are accounted for and properly defined to ensure clear understanding. How to address funding for "special project" requests
Plan to Mitigate Challenges:	 from City Council and CMO. Choose enthusiastic team members Well-defined structure for progress Hold team members and departments accountable for their success Escalate issues as needed to department heads and/or CMO team as needed Training Ongoing Communication Incremental change



Engagement and Communication	
Outline how you plan to engage with and communicate PBBi to the following audiences:	
Internal Organization:	 PBBi Executive Team: As needed ELT Team: Standard meeting update Super Users Team: Standing weekly meetings Department Users Teams: Standing weekly meetings Hold Dept users accountable for regular updates to and engagement with their dept heads. All Employees Overview video Digital distribution via exchange, intranet Communication to Field Crews Q&A submission form
Elected Officials:	 Financial Performance & Budget Committee Forward to Council as directed Standing update at Council meeting Overview Video Do we present alongside strategic plan?
Citizens:	 Budget Engagement Commission Tie public engagement to budget process; strategic planning process. What is a priority-based budget? What does that mean for me? Overview Video; website Celebrate small milestones, little wins

Roles and Responsibilities for Project	
Team Members Responsible for Each Project Milestone:	 Identify Department Users – ELT Project Charter – Core Team Budget Upload – Kristie Thomas Peer Review Team Selection? User Groups Assigned? Strategic Plan approved – Donna Finch Program Inventory – Department Users Cost Allocation Complete – All Program Scoring Complete – All Peer Review Complete – Super Users/Peer Review Team Insights for Action – Department Users PBBi Blueprint Workshop – ResourceX
How will the team make decisions?	 Core Team is primary decision-making body Core Team will make recommendations to Executive Team as needed

