

## **Staff Report**

**TO:** City Council

**FROM:** Claudia Shedd, Budget Specialist

**DATE** May 7, 2024

**SUBJECT:** FY2023-2024 3rd Quarter Budget to Actuals Report

**Description** Receive and file the 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter budget to actuals report.

#### **Background and Analysis:**

The Fiscal Year 2023-2024 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter financials provide an update to the City's current financials and estimates for year end.

#### **Budget Control and Monitoring**

The City of Beaumont Budget Policy provides that the Finance Department will maintain a system of tools for departments to manage their budgets and for financial monitoring and control of the City's budget during the fiscal year. This system will provide the departments and City Council with information on revenue, expenditures, and budget performance at both the department and fund level.

#### General Fund Revenues

The majority of General Fund revenue budget is from taxes. Property tax is usually recorded in December and May. Sales tax is received in monthly advanced estimated payments and then a quarterly actual clean-up payment. Other taxes include Motor Vehicle In-Lieu, which is received in February and June, as well as Utility Users tax which is received monthly.

As of March 31, 2024, the City has collected 68% of the Fiscal Year (FY) 2024 budgeted revenues. The miscellaneous revenue line is higher than budget because the 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter interest allocation to other funds has not been completed yet. Also, there is an audit entry on unrecognized interest that will most likely be reduced for the current FY. It is anticipated that this revenue line will still be higher than budget by year-end as interest income has been coming in higher than anticipated. Below is a table for general fund revenues as of March 31, 2024.

	GENERAL FUND						
	ORIGINAL	CURRENT					
	BUDGET	BUDGET	ACTUAL	ESTIMATED			
	FY2023/24	FY2023/24	FY2023/24	ACTUALS	%		
Taxes	48,020,578.00	48,020,578.00	29,380,733.39	47,706,228.00	61%		
Licenses	375,000.00	375,000.00	163,640.29	376,880.00	44%		
Permits	2,479,689.00	2,479,689.00	2,458,443.06	3,262,325.00	99%		
Franchise Fees	3,299,914.00	3,299,914.00	3,171,450.35	3,438,166.00	96%		
Charges for Services	2,543,775.00	2,543,775.00	1,487,402.53	2,487,662.00	58%		
Fines and Forfeitures	115,000.00	115,000.00	130,075.83	173,424.00	113%		
Cost Recovery	866,920.00	866,920.00	474,795.78	632,658.00	55%		
Miscellaneous	1,120,860.00	1,120,860.00	4,125,877.04	1,855,772.00	368%		
Other Financing Sources	750,000.00	750,000.00	400,810.21	750,000.00	53%		
Transfers	8,218,067.00	8,281,367.00	4,619,772.71	8,218,067.00	56%		
TOTAL REVENUES	67,789,803.00	67,853,103.00	46,413,001.19	68,901,182.00	68%		

## General Fund Departments

The table below provides an overview of the general fund department budgets through March 31, 2024. 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter expenses for each department should range from 65% to 85%.

General Fund Expenditures							
		CURRENT					
	FY 2024 ORIGINAL	FY 2024	FY 2024				
DEPARTMENT	BUDGET	BUDGET	ACTUAL	%			
Non-Departmental	10,935,086.00	12,697,257.00	114,331.12	0.9%			
City Council	202,143.00	202,143.00	58,982.00	29.2%			
City Clerk	459,449.00	570,908.82	358,762.49	62.8%			
Administration	1,545,057.00	2,632,694.37	790,363.26	30.0%			
Communications	390,477.00	393,783.09	171,058.76	43.4%			
Finance	1,942,334.00	1,962,455.95	1,275,731.44	65.0%			
IT	1,798,922.00	1,950,150.51	1,411,092.34	72.4%			
Economic Development	1,207,540.00	1,942,357.75	514,071.79	26.5%			
Risk and HR	3,625,354.00	3,637,673.12	2,572,921.11	70.7%			
Legal	1,500,000.00	1,500,000.00	1,041,487.37	69.4%			
Community Development	812,062.00	824,517.23	554,658.95	67.3%			
Community Services	1,899,199.00	1,929,035.45	1,214,134.35	62.9%			
Animal Control	385,923.00	389,859.50	265,495.83	68.1%			
Community Enhancement	362,525.00	366,185.08	232,762.65	63.6%			
OES	15,000.00	15,000.00	-	0.0%			
Police	16,486,010.00	16,833,188.51	11,889,169.54	70.6%			
K-9	14,214.00	14,214.00	11,063.55	77.8%			
Police Support	2,928,561.00	2,970,921.44	1,824,819.90	61.4%			
Fire	6,820,202.00	6,820,202.00	2,672,317.88	39.2%			
Building and Safety	1,554,947.00	1,606,944.81	823,320.50	51.2%			
Public Works	3,606,165.00	3,677,732.11	1,798,585.58	48.9%			
Street Maintenance	2,720,618.00	2,793,353.52	1,639,562.76	58.7%			
Building Maintenance	1,118,910.00	1,186,167.13	781,580.32	65.9%			
Parks and Grounds	5,459,105.00	5,906,383.79	3,353,112.69	56.8%			
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	67,789,803.00	72,823,128.18	35,369,386.18	48.6%			

Internal Service Fund for 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter total \$453K and are not included in Department Expenses therefore charges will reflect in April 2024. Economic Development and Fire have a significantly lower percentage in 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter than other departments. Economic Development has a program budget line of \$550,000 to create a Downtown Incentive Program and downtown market night assistance. This program is in progress and funds continue to be expended. The Fire Department budget is below average since only two quarters of the fire services have been processed through the County of Riverside.

The table below provides for expenditures by type. Personnel costs make up 66% of the actual total to date. Operating costs are 47% of actuals followed by capital at 67%. Currently, there are no categories over budget, however, estimated actuals are putting fleet costs and other (insurance and equipment leasing and rentals) at risk of exceeding budget. Overall, estimated actuals have revenues coming in \$1.1M above budget and expenditures 8% below budget for an overall estimated surplus of \$1.8M.

			FY 2024			
		FY 2024 ORIGINAL	CURRENT		ESTIMATED	
	EXPENSE TYPE	BUDGET	BUDGET	FY 2024 ACTUAL	ACTUALS	%
Personnel						
	Salaries and Wages	20,877,413.00	21,125,630.00	14,420,417.43	19,996,312.00	68%
	Benefits	8,927,668.00	8,927,668.00	5,486,425.19	7,607,842.00	61%
	Other	541,573.00	547,530.00	331,732.75	541,417.73	61%
	TOTAL PERSONNEL	30,346,654.00	30,600,828.00	20,238,575.37	28,145,571.73	66%
Operating						
	Utilities	2,057,770.00	2,057,770.00	1,376,539.29	2,018,923.52	67%
	Administration	1,212,541.00	1,358,867.00	773,137.48	1,210,475.76	57%
	Fleet Costs	793,125.00	797,625.00	544,027.76	832,075.00	68%
	Program Costs	1,944,870.00	2,470,112.00	579,350.45	934,829.00	23%
	Repairs & Maintenance	1,272,433.00	1,410,275.00	953,064.71	1,397,827.47	68%
	Supplies	1,564,176.00	1,637,384.00	611,992.99	1,271,624.00	37%
	Special Services	533,000.00	542,471.00	57,762.76	428,023.00	11%
	Contractual Services	11,174,441.00	12,940,389.00	5,183,191.39	11,432,190.00	40%
	Other	2,847,678.00	2,847,678.00	2,203,079.36	3,231,182.29	77%
	TOTAL OPERATING	23,400,034.00	26,062,571.00	12,282,146.19	22,757,150.04	47%
Capital						
	Equipment	1,176,142.00	1,176,142.00	832,833.82	1,176,142.00	71%
	Vehicle	1,974,043.00	2,328,486.00	1,460,166.32	2,328,486.00	63%
	Structure	465,057.00	465,057.00	348,792.75	465,057.00	75%
	TOTAL CAPITAL	3,615,242.00	3,969,685.00	2,641,792.89	3,969,685.00	67%
Contingenc	у					
	CONTINGENCY	150,000.00	150,000.00	32,429.22	150,000.00	22%
Transfers						
	TRANSFERS	5,562,079.00	12,040,044.00	52,687.12	12,040,044.00	0%
Total Expen	ditures	63,074,009.00	72,823,128.00	35,247,630.79	67,062,450.78	48%

Wastewater Fund Summary

#### Revenues

Wastewater revenues are collected in arrears. The July billing is accrued back to prior FY 2023 and the first billing for FY 2024 was collected in September. Billing is completed bi-monthly and there have been four billings to date. As of March 31, 2024,

the Wastewater Fund has collected 72% of its budgeted revenues. The Cost Recovery line has collected more than budget due to a PH water level violation with Perricone Juice invoiced and collected in February 2024. The Miscellaneous revenues category has collected lease revenue from the Terra Gen Development Company which was not included in the budget. This lease revenue is shared with Transit.

	WASTEWATER REVENUES						
	FY 2024	FY 2024					
	ORIGINAL	CURRENT	ACTUAL	ESTIMATED			
	BUDGET	BUDGET	FY2023/24	ACTUALS	%		
Permits	-	-	-		0%		
Fines and Forfeitures	-	-	-	-	0%		
Cost Recovery	3,500.00	3,500.00	8,604.44	8,605.00	246%		
Miscellaneous	120,000.00	120,000.00	227,239.41	332,978.00	189%		
Proprietary Revenues	13,299,301.00	13,299,301.00	9,453,402.49	14,190,103.00	71%		
Other Financing Sources			1,030.00	1,030.00	0%		
Transfers	-	38,864.00	-	-	0%		
TOTAL REVENUES	13,422,801.00	13,461,665.00	9,690,276.34	14,532,716.00	72%		

#### Expenses

Wastewater expenses as of March 31, 2024, total \$8.6M which is 63% of the FY 2024 budget. Personnel costs are 20% of the actual total to date, operating costs make up 36%, capital costs 36% and contingency is 3%, and transfers out for debt service paid and capital project funding is 41%.

Currently, the overall budget is on target for FY 2024. Contingency is over budget due to emergency rental at Marshall Lift station plus an additional encumbrance of \$16,668.21 for any future traffic collisions near the Marshall Lift Station. Estimated actuals have utilities potentially going over budget by year-end. Overall, estimated actuals have revenues coming in \$1.0M above budget and expenses coming in \$731K below budget for an overall estimated surplus of \$1.4M.

		Wastewa	ater Expenses			
		FY 2024	FY 2024			
		ORIGINAL	CURRENT	FY 2024	ESTIMATED	
	EXPENSE TYPE	BUDGET	BUDGET	ACTUAL	ACTUALS	%
Personnel						
	Salaries and Wages	1,757,933.00	1,746,241.00	1,277,507.93	1,703,343.00	73%
	Benefits	692,866.00	692,866.00	415,968.08	584,623.00	60%
	Other	38,577.00	39,132.00	24,214.70	37,692.00	62%
	TOTAL PERSONNEL	2,489,376.00	2,478,239.00	1,717,690.71	2,325,657.99	69%
Operating						
	Utilities	955,648.00	955,648.00	883,068.77	1,177,424.00	92%
	Administration	293,429.00	293,429.00	177,141.40	236,188.00	60%
	Fleet Costs	99,080.00	99,080.00	54,584.01	87,334.00	55%
	Repairs & Maintenance	127,468.00	239,482.00	141,280.36	188,373.00	59%
	Supplies	920,700.00	920,700.00	498,474.33	777,619.00	54%
	Contractual Services	1,741,853.00	1,788,921.00	870,890.38	1,458,588.00	49%
	Admin Overhead	650,000.00	650,000.00	325,000.00	650,000.00	50%
	Other	682,270.00	682,270.00	177,672.65	419,810.00	26%
Capital	TOTAL OPERATING	5,470,448.00	5,629,530.00	3,128,111.90	4,995,336.01	56%
	Equipment	87,400.00	101,300.00	36,410.38	101,300.00	36%
	TOTAL CAPITAL	87,400.00	101,300.00	36,410.38	101,300.00	36%
Contingency	CONTINGENCY	200,000.00	200,000.00	254,861.35	274,862.00	127%
Transfers	TRANSFERS	5,356,153.00	5,356,153.00	3,547,608.75	5,356,153.00	66%
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Total Exper	nses	13,603,377.00	13,765,222.00	8,684,683.09	13,053,309.00	63%

Transit Fund Summary

#### Revenues

Transit revenues are collected daily and reported weekly. Miscellaneous revenue includes interest, EV charging stations and lease revenue. Each of these revenues have exceeded the current budget and anticipate \$177K above budget.

	TRANSIT REVENUES							
	FY 2024 ORIGINAL BUDGET	FY 2024 CURRENT BUDGET	ACTUAL FY2023/24	ESTIMATED ACTUALS	%			
Taxes	169,000.00	169,000.00	126,750.00	169,000.00	0%			
Intergovernmental	2,785,644.00	2,785,644.00	2,374,310.63	2,785,644.00	85%			
Miscellaneous	18,000.00	18,000.00	132,215.96	167,520.67	735%			
Proprietary Revenues	21,025.00	21,025.00	44,190.69	88,380.62	210%			
Other Financing Sources	-	-	3.75	-	0%			
Transfers	-	39,101.00	-		0%			
TOTAL REVENUES	2,993,669.00	3,032,770.00	2,677,471.03	3,210,545.29	88.3%			

## Expenses

Transit expenses for the 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter total \$2.0M, which is 65% of the budget. Estimated actuals expect utilities, repair & maintenance and other to go over budget by year-end. Overall Transit expenses are on target and estimated year-end actuals expect to come in below budget by \$251K.

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		Irans	it Expenses			
		FY 2024	FY 2024			
		ORIGINAL	CURRENT		ESTIMATED	
	EXPENSE TYPE	BUDGET	BUDGET	FY 2024 ACTUAL	ACTUALS	%
Personnel						
	Salaries and Wages	1,663,500.00	1,702,041.00	1,174,870.76	1,629,154.00	69%
	Benefits	572,166.00	572,166.00	410,377.45	569,056.00	72%
	Other	47,481.00	185,740.00	23,154.06	32,107.00	12%
	TOTAL PERSONNEL	2,283,147.00	2,459,947.00	1,608,402.27	2,230,317.00	65%
Operating						
	Utilities	61,229.00	61,229.00	49,495.40	72,594.00	81%
	Administration	56,305.00	56,305.00	27,576.69	45,501.00	49%
	Fleet Costs	400,800.00	400,800.00	226,235.09	373,288.00	56%
	Repairs & Maintenance	23,362.00	23,362.00	19,152.17	28,089.00	82%
	Supplies	9,500.00	9,500.00	6,901.57	10,122.00	73%
	Contractual Services	46,100.00	46,100.00	24,392.50	35,775.00	53%
	Other	107,020.00	107,020.00	79,633.26	116,795.40	74%
	TOTAL OPERATING	704,316.00	704,316.00	433,386.68	682,164.40	62%
Capital						
-	Structure	6,206.00	6,206.00	4,654.50	6,206.00	0%
	TOTAL CAPITAL	6,206.00	6,206.00	4,654.50	6,206.00	75%
Transfers	TRANSFERS					
Total Expe	nses	2,993,669.00	3,170,469.00	2,046,443.45	2,918,687.41	65%

# **Fiscal Impact:**

The estimated cost to prepare this report is \$375.

## **Recommended Action:**

Receive and file report.

### **Attachments:**

A. Budget to Actuals Report