

# 2018-2019 Budget in Brief

# A Message from City of Detroit Mayor Mike Duggan

I am pleased to note that in 2018 the Financial Review Commission (FRC) voted to end active oversight of the City of Detroit. The FRC didn't go away completely, but it went into a dormancy, which means it only will still review our finances instead of having authority to approve our budgets and large contracts.



This is an important step forward for our city that would not have been possible without strong fiscal management on the part of our Office of Chief Financial Officer, department heads and our partners on City Council. Now, it is up to us all to continue this discipline to keep the FRC in dormancy.

The FY 2018 – 2019 Budget is \$2 Billion and includes \$1 Billion in the General Fund. Forty percent

(40%) of this fund supports Public Health and Safety.

The Police Department's **CeaseFire Program** has been expanded from six (6) Precincts to all twelve (12) precincts. This initiative uses prevention, intervention and community-mobilization strategies to reduce crime. The capacity of the **Project Greenlight** has been increased with the addition of crime and intelligence positions at the Real Time Crime Center. Today, we have more than 400 Green Light partner businesses across our city. Just recently Chief Craig and I were pleased to announce another round of raises for our dedicated men & women in blue.

Our general fund Blight Remediation efforts continue with \$50M from unassigned fund balance. These funds will be used to enhance lead abatement, education and outreach programs; double commercial demolitions; remove debris, dead and dangerous trees and continue our graffiti removal efforts.

Our children will benefit from having more locations for recreational activities as twelve schools have become After School Fun Centers through a partnership with the City and the Detroit Public Schools Community District. Detroit youth in grades K-8 can attend and take part in activities, such as chess, board games, art-n-crafts and various athletic and educational activities.

Our jobs initiatives include providing year-round employment readiness programming for high school students connected to Grow Detroit's Young Talent program and expanded outreach for our Detroit at Work program. To help remove barriers to employment that too many face, we also are expanding our prison-based training and reentry programs, as well as our Project Clean Slate expungement initiative.

Each of these initiatives supports our guiding principle that we are building one Detroit, for all of us.

# A Message from Councilmember Janeé Ayers

It is my pleasure to serve as chair of the Budget Finance and Audit Committee. The most important role of this committee is to provide proper legislative oversight while crafting policy that best exemplifies our dedication to fiscal responsibility.

In my first year as chair, many eventful moments have arisen. Specifically, our city's emergence from direct financial



oversight. While this indicates we are on the pathway to success it does not mean that we are out of the woods.

Though sometimes challenging, with navigating post-bankruptcy and complete financial oversight we have been successful on many plains.

Raising the wages of the city's

first responders, continued upgrades to informational technology, reinvestment in city employees through ongoing training, enhancements to public transportation and utilizing creative techniques to provide capital improvements to Rec Centers, parks and city buildings.

I believe that as our finances continue to grow and stabilize we will begin to regrow city departments, advance our delivery of city services, continue on the upward trend in response times and most importantly attract and retain the very best city employees!

Detroit's uncanny ability to handle whatever comes our way is what makes us the greatest. That is the true Spirit of Detroit!

### **The Budget Development Process**

The development of the Fiscal Year (FY) 2019 Budget is the first step to ensure that funding is provided to continue investment in improved service delivery, improved operating and control systems, updated vehicle fleets, more uniform officers and neighborhood stabilization. Both the Executive and the Legislative branches of government take part in the process. The governing principle for this budget is to provide well managed services which will ensure that the City's programs are effective, efficient, and customer focused. We went out to the community and asked residents about their priorities. The budget strives to address those priorities while helping the City continue to grow and thrive. This Budget in Brief provides a snapshot.

For an in-depth look at the City's budget, visit www.detroitmi.gov

#### **BUDGET DEVELOPMENT PROCESS**

#### SEPTEMBER/ OCTOBER

Revenue Estimating Conference

Budget Instructions
Distributed
Public Budget Hearing

#### **NOVEMBER**

Budget Requests Submitted to the Office of Budget

## DECEMBER The Office of Budget

The Office of Budget begins to review the requests

Preliminary Budget Review with CFO and Mayor

#### **JANUARY**

CFO / Budget Director holds Budget Hearings with Departments

Budget Director Submits Recommendation to the CFO

#### **FEBRUARY**

Revenue Estimates Finalized

The Office of Budget Submits Budget Recommendation to Mayor

Mayor Reviews Budget Recommendation

Mayor Returns Budget with Revisions

#### **MARCH**

Mayor, CFO and Budget Director Finalize Budget

Mayor Presents Annual Budget and 4-Year Financial Plan to City Council

#### **APRIL**

City Council Budget Hearings Held

City Council Votes on Budget

City Clerk Transmits Budget to Mayor

Mayor May Veto City Council Changes

City Council Veto Override (if applicable)

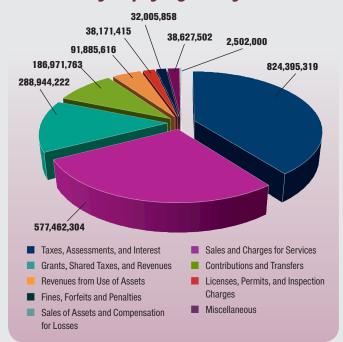
The Office of Budget Transmits Annual Budget and 4-Year Financial Plan to the FRC

#### MAY

The Office of Budget Loads the Budget JUNE
City Council Approves
Tax and Bond
Statements

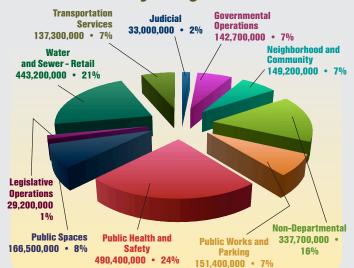
The Fiscal Year Begins (July 1st)

### How are you paying for my services?



Revenue Source	Examples	\$
Taxes, Assessments and Interest	Income Taxes Property Taxes Wagering Taxes / Payments Gas & Weight Taxes	824.4M
Sales and Charges for Services	Solid Waste Fees Municipal Service Fees Transportation Revenue Other Reimbursements	577.5M
Grants, Shared Taxes and Revenues	Revenue Sharing Grant Reimbursements	288.9M
Contributions and Transfers	General Fund Contributions	186.9M
Miscellaneous	Miscellaneous Receipts	38.6M
Licenses, Permits and Inspection Charges	Safety Inspection Fees Business License Fees Permit Charges Construction Inspection Fees	38.2M
Fines, Forfeits and Penalties	Parking Fines Ordinance Fines Forfeits	32.0M
Sales of Assets and Compensation for Losses	Sales of Real Property Sale of Equipment	2.5M
Revenues from Use of Assets	Parking Facility Revenues Golf Course Concessions Airport Hangar Rental	91.9M
Tot	tal Revenues: \$2.1B	

### What is the money being used for? (Rounded)



#### **SERVICES PROVIDED BY CATEGORY**

#### Public Health & Safety - \$490,400,000 • 24%

Police Fire

Enforcement of Laws Fire Suppression

Criminal Investigation Emergency Medical Services (EMS)

Community Policing Fire Investigation
Crime Prevention Arson Investigation
Emergency Call Center Fire Dispatch

#### **Board of Police Commissioners**

Supervisory Control & Oversight of the Police Department

Establishment of Policies, Rules and Regulations

(In Consultation w/ the Chief of Police & Approval of the Mayor)

Review and Approval of the Police Department Budget

Receive and Resolve Citizens' Complaints

#### Health

Maternal - Child Health

Immunizations, Lead, Vision and Hearing Testing

HIV - Aids Program / Sexually Transmitted Disease Clinic

Promotion of Health Nutrition

Food & Environmental Health and Safety

#### Judicial Operations - \$33,000,000 • 2%

#### **36th District Court**

Has Jurisdiction Over:

General Civil Matters

Landlord / Tenant Matters

Civil Infractions (Incl. Traffic and some Parking Violations)

Preliminary Examinations (Misdemeanor and Felony Offenses)

#### Non-Departmental - \$337,700,000 • 16%

#### **Department Neutral Activities**

**Board of Ethics** 

**Detroit Building Authority** 

Debt Service

#### Neighborhood and Community - \$149,200,000 • 7%

#### **Blight Remediation**

Returning vacant, abandoned and foreclosed property to productive use

Maximize the use of funds by concentrating on neighborhood demolitions

Administering the Dangerous Building process

Issuing tickets for blighted properties

Demolishing Residential & Commercial properties

Securing vacant properties

#### **Housing and Revitalization**

Identify / Promote Development

Target Neighborhood Investment

Allocation of HOME funds to create affordable housing

Allocation of CDBG funds to neighborhood result driven organizations

#### **Planning**

Provides project management for the creation of citywide plans by engaging local communities in participatory planning

#### **Buildings, Safety Engineering and Environmental**

**Business Licenses** 

Construction Permits

Zoning Permits

Inspection Services

Coordinates License Approvals

Compliance Enforcement

Field Investigations

Show Cause Hearings

#### **Environmental Affairs**

Develop programs that improve and protect the City's water, air and land resources.

#### Appeals & Hearings

Resolve Blight Violations

Adjudication of Municipal Violations

**Fine Collections** 

#### Library

Provides access to collections of books, periodicals, journals, photographs, government documents and DVDs

Provides free community information and referral service

Provides literacy, workforce development, technology and learning support

#### Water & Sewer - Retail - \$443,200,000 • 21%

Management of the City of Detroit's Local System

#### Public Spaces - \$166,500,000 • 8%

#### Recreation

**Recreation Centers** 

Parks

Recreational Programs

Cemetery Management

#### **General Services**

Ground Maintenance for City-owned grounds, parks, vacant lots

Procurement, Maintenance and Disposal of City vehicles

Building Management and Custodial Services for City-owned facilities

Maintaining vacant lots, removal of graffiti and corridor clean-up

#### **Public Lighting**

Support the Public Lighting Authority (PLA) as it upgrades the City's street light system

Provide reliable power to customers and assist with converting customers to DTE's system

#### Governmental Operations - \$142,700,000 · 7%

#### Mayor's Office

**Chief Executive Officer** 

Development of Key Initiatives for the City of Detroit

Office of Homeland Security

Executive and Administrative authority for the implementation of programs, services and activities

### Department of Innovation & Technology (DoIT)

IT and Consulting Services

Information Management

**Application Development** 

System Maintenance

**Data Security** 

Technology Acquisition

Telecommunications

#### **Law Department**

Legal Counsel for the City of Detroit

Ordinance Preparation

Preparation of Legal Opinions

Charter Compliance Enforcement

Contract Review

Advise on Liability Reduction Strategies

#### **Human Resources**

**Employee Services** 

Recruitment Planning

**Employee Development** 

Job Classification / Compensation

Labor Relations

Benefits Administration

#### Office of the CFO

Property Assessment

**Budget Development & Execution** 

Contracting and Procurement

Financial Reporting

Departmental Financial Services

Financial Planning & Analysis

Grants Management

Tax Collection & Recording

## Civil Rights, Inclusion & Opportunity

Inv. of Discriminatory Complaints

**Business Certification:** 

Detroit Headquartered

Detroit Based

**Small Business** 

Women and Minority Owned

#### Public Works/Parking - \$151,400,000 • 7%

#### **Public Works**

Waste Collection & Disposal

Street:

Construction

Maintenance

Resurfacing

Cleaning

Snow Removal

Street Signs, Markings and Signals

General Inspection

#### **Municipal Parking**

Parking Enforcement

Parking Ticket Processing

Parking Fine Collections

Operation & Maintenance of On- and Off-Street Parking

#### Legislative Operations - \$29,200,000 • 1%

#### **City Council**

Accountable for the Legislative Branch of Government

**Enactment & Amendment of Laws** 

**Budget Approval & Monitoring** 

Contract Approval & Monitoring

Approval of Settlements

#### **City Clerk**

Chairs the Election Commission

Maintains Public Records

Certifies Official Documents

Administers Oaths of Office

#### **Elections**

Administer Elections / Maintain Voter Registration Records

Maintain Voting Equipment / Voter Education

Poll Worker Recruitment

#### **Auditor General**

Conducts Independent Financial, Performance & Operational Audits

Analysis of the Mayor's Proposed Budget.

#### **Inspector General**

Conducts investigations to detect and prevent waste, abuse, fraud and corruption by any public servant, city agency, program or official act, contractor and subcontractor, business entity seeking contracts and persons seeking certification of eligibility for participation in any City program

#### **Ombudsman**

Receive, investigate, mediate and resolve citizen complaints against city government Review investigations and hearings conducted by other city departments Provide information, referrals, assistance and recommendations

#### **Zoning Appeals**

Conducts investigations and hearings regarding variances, exceptions or medications of approved regulated uses of land

#### Transportation Services - \$137,300,000 • 7%

#### **Department of Transportation**

**Public Transit Services** 

#### **Airport**

Airport Operations

Terminal & Hangar Management

### **Budget Overview**

The development of the City's budget includes the analysis of historical data, current financial & budgetary data and the use of economic data to develop forecasts for future years.

#### **2018-2019 BUDGET BY CATEGORY**

<b>Budget Category</b>	Budgeted Amount
Salaries and Wages	\$586.7M
Employee Benefits	249.6M
Professional and Contractual Services	147.9M
Operating Supplies	98.7M
Operating Services	157.2M
Equipment Acquisition	10.1M
Capital Outlays	26.7M
Fixed Charges	131.5M
Other Expenses	572.7M
Sub-Total Expenditures	\$2.0B
Surplus Funded Expenditures:	
Blight Reduction	45.2M
Capital Projects	52.2M
Other One-Time Projects	2.6M
Total Surplus Funded Expenditures	100.0M
Total Expenditures	\$2.1B

## BUDGETED POSITIONS BY DEPARTMENT (As Adopted 7/01/18)

### Public Health & Safety

Department	Pos.#
Police	3,287
Fire	1,274
Board of Police Commissioners	35
Health	119

#### **Judicial Operations**

Department	Pos. #
36th District Court	326

#### Non-Departmental

Department	Pos. #
Various	103

#### **Neighborhood and Community**

Department	Pos. #
Housing & Revitalization	85
Planning	41
Buildings, Safety Eng. and Environmental	242
Environmental Affairs & Enforcement	38
Appeals & Hearings	7
Library	322

#### Water & Sewerage Retail

Department	Pos. #
DWSD - Retail	618

#### **Public Spaces**

Department	Pos. #
General Services	876
Public Lighting	5

#### **Governmental Operations**

Department	Pos. #
Mayor's Office	79
Dept. of Innovation & Technology	136
Law Department	120
Human Resources	106
Office of the CFO	479
Civil Rights, Inclusion and Opportunity	18

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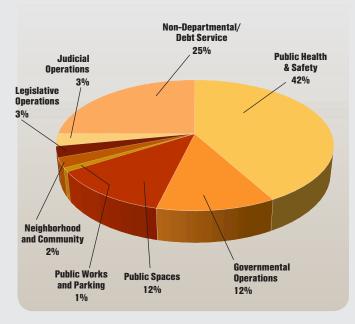
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Department	Pos. #
City Council	73
City Clerk	20
Elections	108
Auditor General	15
Inspector General	10
Ombudsman	8
Zoning Appeals	5

Transportation Services	
Department	Pos. #
Transportation	927
Airport	4

## City of Detroit: 2018-2019 General Fund Budget

Where does it go?
Total Expenditures: \$1.07B



#### **DID YOU KNOW THAT...?**

September 2018 marked the 60th anniversary of the **Spirit of Detroit**? The 26 foot tall bronze sculpture was dedicated in September in 1958.

The administration and functions of the former Recreation Department have been transferred to the **General Services Department**. Recreation is now a division of GSD.

Sunday hours are back at your **Detroit Public Library**. The Main Library and two (2) branches, the Redford Branch and the Wilder Branch, will open on Sundays between October and May.

### **DETROIT CITY COUNCIL**

Brenda Jones, President Mary Sheffield, President Pro Tem

> Janeé Ayers Scott Benson Raquel Castañeda-López Gabe Leland Roy McCalister Andre L. Spivey James Tate



# I've heard Detroit is "doing development differently"... What does that mean?

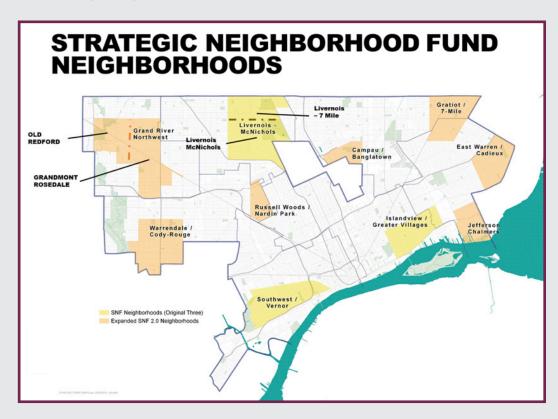
# THE FUTURE OF DETROIT NEIGHBORHOODS: ONE DETROIT. FOR ALL OF US.

The City of Detroit and partners are bringing a proven model of economic growth and affordable housing preservation and development to support Detroit's neighborhoods. This work is built off of the approach and lessons learned in Greater Downtown, as well as a pilot of three initial neighborhoods, and has two arms: the Strategic Neighborhood Fund, and the Affordable Housing Leverage Fund.

**STRATEGIC NEIGHBORHOOD FUND** – Starting in three neighborhoods, we developed a comprehensive investment model that achieves growth through a combination of infrastructure investments and support for catalytic real estate projects. The fund will now expand into an additional seven neighborhoods with \$130M for five types of investments:

- 1. Community engagement and planning with the neighborhoods: \$3M total, fully funded
- 2. Streetscapes: \$49M total, fully funded
- 3. Park improvements: \$21M total, \$14M philanthropic need
- 4. Single-family home rehabilitation: \$7M total, \$7M philanthropic need
- 5. Mixed-use / Multifamily: \$50M total, \$35M philanthropic need

The \$130M fund is expected to leverage an additional \$113M in developer equity and debt for a total of \$243M in investment across the target neighborhoods.



# What is the AFFORDABLE HOUSING LEVERAGE FUND (AHLF)?

Preserving and creating affordable housing is essential to achieving inclusive growth. The Affordable Housing Leverage Fund is a tool to protect existing residents and ensures mixed-income neighborhoods for all Detroiters. AHLF's goals over the next five years are:

- 1. Preserve the affordability of 10,000 units that are currently at risk
- 2. Produce 2,000 new affordable units, or 20% of the overall development pipeline

The \$250M fund is expected to leverage \$515M in equity, debt and Tax Credits – for a total of \$765M in projects across the whole city, not just in target neighborhoods.

