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2024 Budget

November 27, 2023

City of Colorado Springs

City Council Work Session





- 2023 Overview
- As of October 31, 2023:
 - 2,343 new single-family home permits; a decrease of 28% over the same time period in 2022.
 - 380 new commercial building permits; a decrease of 23% over the same time period in 2022.
 - \$3,035,542,499 total construction valuation; a decrease of 10% over the same time period in 2022.
 - 12,005 plans have been submitted for review in 2023; a decrease of 10% over the same time period in 2022.
 - 275,759 inspections have been preformed; a decrease of 18% over the same time period in 2022.

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Accomplishments

- Code Development:
 - Primary focus on code requirements that promote and maintain affordable construction, logical code requirements and increased code flexibility.
 - The 2023 Pikes Peak Regional Building Code went into effect June 30, 2023.
 - The Department offered approximately 15 publicly available training classes.
 - More than 500 contractors and design professionals participated in the training.
- Technology enhancements:
 - Finished implementation on a web-based GIS application.
 - In June 2023, the first phase of the publicly available, enhanced GIS portal went live.

















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Strategic Goals

- Focus on employees and our commitment to excellence:
 - Emphasis on staff retention.
 - Administrative staff worked to reduce benefit cost by approximatly 6% without benefit reduction.
- Online Services:
 - Continue to develop and implement a robust, factually accurate, up-to-date interactive, intuitive website.
 - This information is used by the construction industry, the jurisdictions served by Pikes Peak Regional Building as well as the public.

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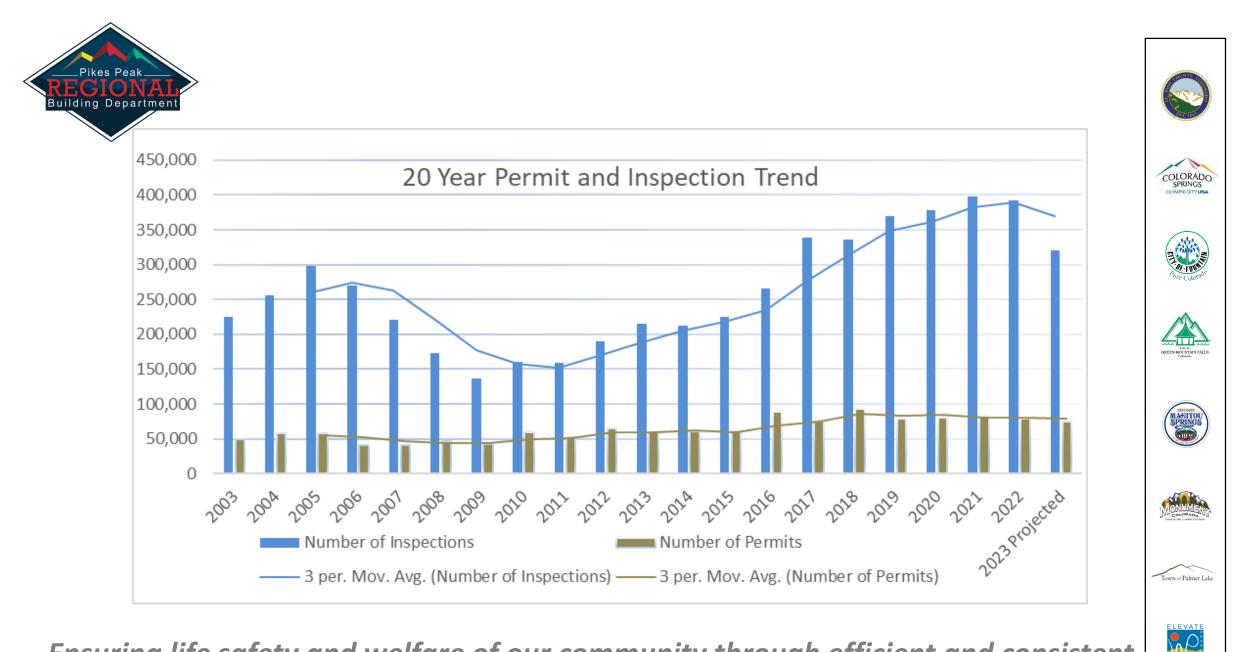






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June 1

July 1

August 31

September 20

September 28

October 18

October 24

October 26

November 7

November 27

November 28

Budget Process

and goals.

















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Present Budget to El Paso County for approval

Work with Building Official to determine priorities for the following year

Review proposed budget with Building Official and finalize

Present Budget to Advisory Board for recommendation of approval

Present Budget to City of Colorado Springs budget committee

Present Budget to Building Commission for final approval

Present Budget to City of Colorado Springs work session

Present Budget to City of Colorado Springs for approval

Present Budget to Advisory Board for comments

Present Budget to Building Commission for comments

Work with Department managers in developing a detailed budget consistent with priorities





2024 Budget Highlights

- No Fee Increase.
- Continue Licensing Reward program.
 - As of October 31, 2023, 1,434 licenses and registrations have been renewed at no cost.
- Decrease in various expenditures.
 - A decrease in staff due to attrition .
 - Partnered with new credit card processor to reduce fees.
 - 25% decrease in fleet budget for 2024.

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Summary of Revenue and Expenditures

	2021 Actual	2022 Actual	2023 Budget	2024 Budget	% Change	
Revenue						
Permit Revenue	\$ 16,975,528	\$ 15,434,187	\$ 17,060,661	\$ 15,525,202	-9.0%	
Fee Revenue	4,907,238	4,852,246	5,065,410	4,582,523	-9.5%	
Other Revenue	704,746	877,788	525,128	511,423	-2.6%	
Total Revenue	22,587,512	21,164,221	22,651,199	20,619,148	-9.0%	
Expenses						
Salary & Benefits	14,760,699	12,309,526	17,045,010	16,342,800	-4.1%	
Operating Expenses	2,780,251	3,583,603	4,436,189	4,007,669	-9.7%	
Cost of Sales	797,228	884,719	1,170,000	950,000	-18.8%	
Total Expenses	18,338,178	16,777,848	22,651,199	21,300,469	-6.0%	
Net Income	4,249,334	4,386,373	-	(681,321)		
Beginning Fund Balance	17,763,143	22,012,477	26,398,850	26,398,850		
Ending Fund Balance	\$ 22,012,477	\$ 26,398,850	\$ 26,398,850	\$ 25,717,529		









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ELEVATE



					2023 Budget -	
	2021 Actual	2022 Actual	2023 Budget	2024 Budget	2024 Budget	% Change
Permit Revenue						
Building Permits	\$ 12,452,801	\$ 10,740,721	\$ 12,422,286	\$ 11,304,278	\$ (1,118,008)	-9.0%
Mechanical/Plumbing Permits	2,453,492	2,419,856	2,503,725	2,278,390	(225,335)	-9.0%
Electrical Permits	1,983,613	2,173,594	2,047,868	1,863,560	(184,308)	-9.0%
Elevator Permits	66,842	80,666	66,833	60,818	(6,014)	-9.0%
Floodplain Permits	5,840	2,910	6,983	6,355	(628)	-9.0%
Mobile Home Permits	12,940	16,440	12,968	11,801	(1,167)	-9.0%
Total Permit Revenue	16,975,528	15,434,187	17,060,661	15,525,202	(1,535,459)	-9.0%
Fee Revenue						
Plan Check Fees	3,186,213	3,284,075	3,412,305	3,105,198	(307,107)	-9.0%
Contractor Licensing Fees	567,219	565,513	575,558	523,758	(51,800)	-9.0%
Licensing Reward Program	(209,400)	(205,725)	(300,000)	(300,000)	-	0.0%
Elevator Inspections	331,020	353,202	326,183	296,827	(29,356)	-9.0%
Address Assignment Fees	196,365	144,570	201,495	183,360	(18,135)	-9.0%
Mechanical Licenses	14,182	14,945	13,965	12,708	(1,257)	-9.0%
Re-Inspections	238,550	222,810	231,420	210,592	(20,828)	-9.0%
Floodplain Plan Review	111,600	54,000	126,683	115,282	(11,401)	-9.0%
Variance Requests	6,450	6,110	6,983	6,355	(628)	-9.0%
Utility Fees	15,852	17,320	17,955	16,339	(1,616)	-9.0%
Collection & Other Fees	449,188	395,426	452,865	412,105	(40,760)	-9.0%
Total Fee Revenue	4,907,238	4,852,246	5,065,410	4,582,523	(482,887)	-9.5%
Other Revenue						
Code Sales	41,766	30,691	44,888	40,848	(4,039)	-9.0%
Rental Income	-	-	19,740	-	(19,740)	-100.0%
Misc. Revenue	243,123	237,258	190,000	72,900	(117,100)	-61.6%
Gain On Sale Of Assets	387,879	390,673	142,500	129,675	(12,825)	-9.0%
Interest Earnings	3,184	122,216	60,000	200,000	140,000	233.3%
EPC CAM Back Bill	28,794	96,950	68,000	68,000	-	0.0%
Total Other Revenue	704,746	877,788	525,128	511,423	(13,704)	-2.6%
Draw from fund balance	-			681,321	681,321	
	\$ 22,587,512	\$ 21,164,221	\$ 22,651,199	\$ 21,300,469	\$ (1,350,730)	-6.0%

Revenue

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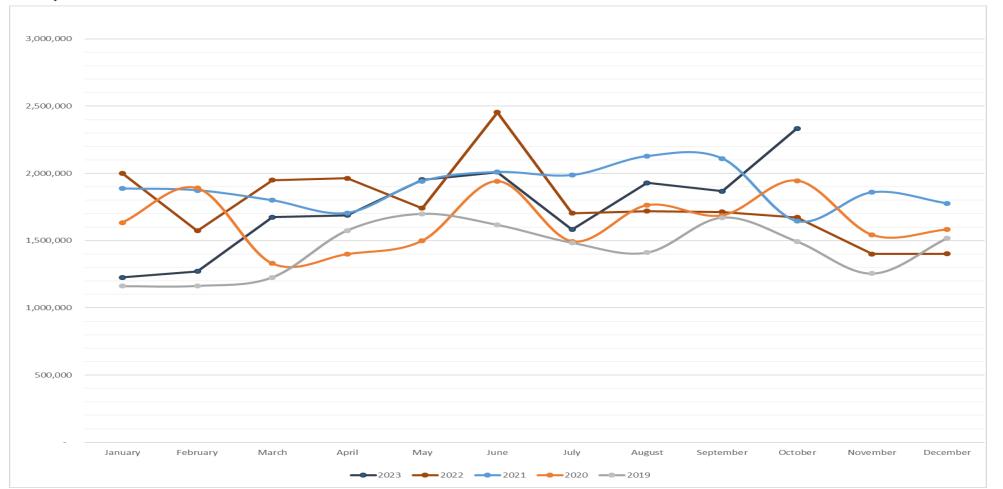


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Revenue Trend



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Expenses											
									20	23 Budget -	
	2	021 Actual	2	022 Actual	2	023 Budget	2	024 Budget	20	024 Budget	% Change
Salaries & Benefits	\$	14,760,699	\$	12,309,526	\$	17,095,010	\$	16,352,800	\$	(742,210)	-4.3%
Rent		579,332		581,183		580,800		800		(580,000)	-99.9%
Supplies		372,212		540,639		472,600		407,600		(65,000)	-13.8%
Maintenance		8,485		13,962		32,000		32,000		-	0.0%
Fleet		279,982		383,996		1,005,000		825,000		(180,000)	-17.9%
Insurance		294,858		347,796		470,000		445,000		(25,000)	-5.3%
Services		633,910		1,112,235		1,192,632		1,189,112		(3,520)	-0.3%
Common Area Maintenance		357,706		357,706		407,707		937,707		530,000	130.0%
Community Engagement & Education		164,255		132,000		225,000		160,000		(65,000)	-28.9%
Depreciation		797,228		884,719		900,000		900,000		-	0.0%
Cost Of Sales		89,512		114,087		270,450		50,450		(220,000)	-81.3%
Total Expenditures	\$	18,338,178	\$	16,777,848	\$	22,651,199	\$	21,300,469	\$	(1,350,730)	-6.0%

Expenses











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Questions?

