

## **SFMTA Budget Overview**

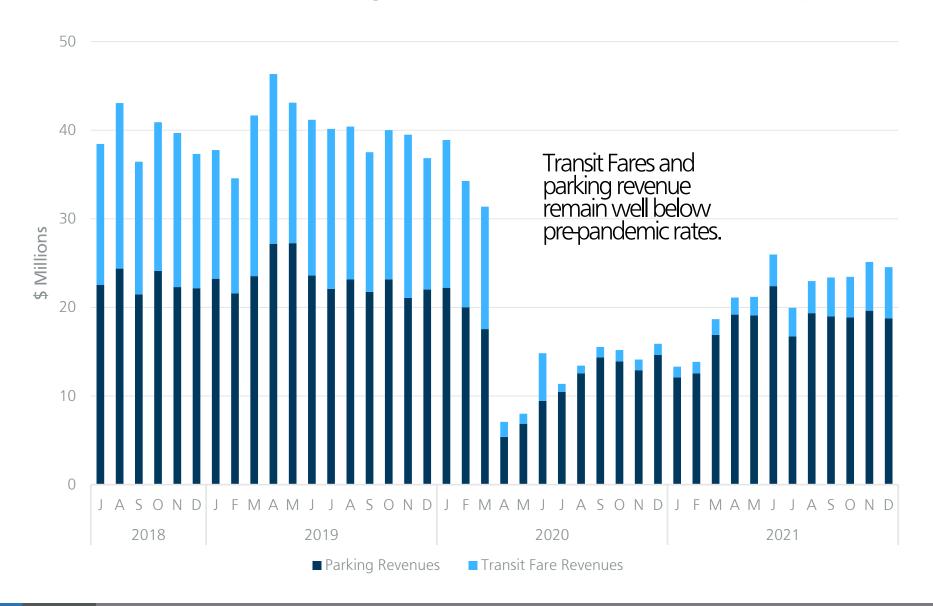
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# Before the pandemic, the SFMTA was facing serious and systemic budget challenges ...

**COVID** made things worse

#### Transit Fare and Parking Revenue Trend: FY 2019 to present



### Federal relief funding

Source of funds	Amount
CARES (Coronavirus Aid, Relief & Economic Security) Act	\$373,782,759
CRSSA, Consolidated Appropriations Act (HR 133)	\$340,918,537
ARPA (American Rescue Plan Act)	\$536,524,629
TOTAL	\$1,251,235,935

Fiscal year	Annual operations spending	Percentage of total relief funds	
FY20	\$199.6 million (actual)	16%	
FY21	\$449.4 million (actual)	35.9%	
FY22	\$261.7 million (projected)	20.9%	
FY23	\$165.6 million (projected)	13.2%	
FY24	\$103.3 million (projected)	8.3%	
FY25	\$47 million (projected)	3.8%	
TOTAL	<b>\$1,226.6 billion</b> (projected)	98%*	

<sup>\*\$24.4</sup> million of the funding was for capital projects.



## This brings us to the current FY23/24 Budget Development Process.

#### FY23/24 Budget Development

Agency finances have yet to fully recover and are not expected to do so during the upcoming 2-Year Operating Budget period 18 – 24 months. That and significant unknowns, such as pace of recovery require a **resilient budget design**.

## Manage to the Pace of Recovery

Prepare based on optimism but have stopgaps in place.

## Work toward restoration of full Agency Operations

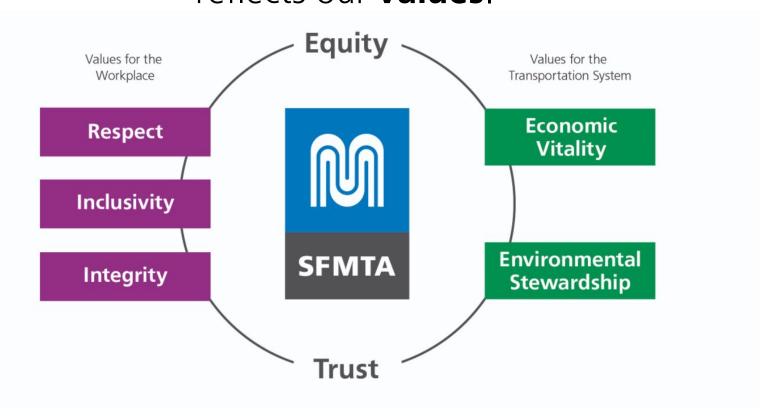
Service restoration, street management, agency internal ops.

## Consider what is not known.

Impact of inflation and new labor contracts.

#### **Agency Values**

Most importantly, the **SFMTA budget** reflects our **values**.



#### **Budget Timeline**

## The typical schedule for **budget development** is the following.

#### **Summer/Fall** Fall Jan/Feb March/April Constraints & Risks MTAB Hearings & **Develop Operating** Divisions develop Analyzed Report Backs – Policy Revenue Estimate operating and program City Charter Issues proposals requires MTA Board Workshop **Develop Capital** submission Revised budget for Revenue Estimate **CIP Program Managers** Public Outreach and to the Mayor MTAB Review, develop capital project feedback on priorities Update 5-Year by May 1st. 5-Year CIP for Review proposals and proposals Financial Plan Mayor Public Hearings, Budget Baseline budget is MTAB Hearings & submits to & 5-Year CIP Adoption developed Report Backs – Policy the Board of Issues Supervisors on June 1st. Action/No Action by July or

August.

#### **Budget Deliverables**

By May 1<sup>st</sup> we must complete the development of two products.

### 2-Year Consolidated Budget

- 2-Year Operating Budget
- 2-Year Capital Budget
- Budget Resolution
- Budget Appropriation
- Fees, Fares and Fines Policy
- Other policies as directed
- FY 2023 & FY 2024

## 5-Year Capital Improvement Program

- Capital Projects by Program by Phase
- Funding Plans for all Capital Projects
- Capital Funding Priority Areas
- Analysis of Capital Investment Gaps
- First 2-Years as Capital Budget
- Other policies as directed
- FY 2023 FY 2027

#### 2 Year Consolidated Budget

The **2-Year Consolidated budget** lays out the operations, programs and projects the agency will take on between adopted budgets.

#### 2-Year Consolidated Budget **Operating Capital** Revenue (Sources) Revenue (Sources) Expenditure (Uses) **Funding Plans** Operations (On-Going) **Capital Programs** Programs (On-Going) Capital Projects (One-Time) Programs (One-Time) Phases (One-Time)

#### **Operating Budget Base**

Item	FY 23, \$M	FY 24, \$M
Revenue – Projection	1,323	1,348
Expenditures – Base	1,323	1,348
Base Operating Gap	(0)	(0)

<sup>\*</sup> Assumes no use of one-time revenues

**FY 23 Operating Budget**Revenue Projection

Federal Relief, \$165M, 13%

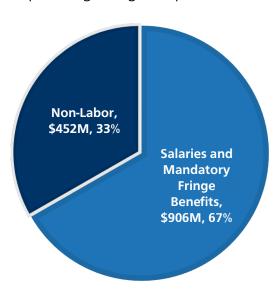
Fransit Fares, \$165M, 13%

General Fund Transfers, \$417M, 33%

Parking and Traffic Fees, Fines, In-Lieu Tax, \$262M, 21%

Other (Advertising, Interest), \$96M, 8%

**FY 23 Base**Operating Budget Expenditures



#### **Baseline Revenue**

The **revenue base** was completed in partnership with the **City Controller** includes the following before adjustments:

#### Included:

- \$418 million in City General Fund Transfers: this figure represents 32% of projected operating revenues in FY23, increasing to \$448 million and 33% in FY24
- **115**% growth in Transit Fare Revenues, an increase of \$65 million from FY 2022; a further increase of \$31 million in FY24
- **\$10 million Transit Fares** from the Automatic Indexing Implementation Plan (AIIP) in FY23, \$12 million in FY24
- **6% growth in Parking Revenues** an increase of \$15 million from FY 2022; a further increase of \$16 million in FY24
- \$166 million in Federal Relief: this figure represents 13% of projected operating revenues in FY23; decreasing to \$103 million and 8% of revenues in FY24

#### Excluded

\$15.8 million from Extended Meter Hours (Sunday and Evenings)

#### **Baseline Expenditure**

The **expenditure base** was completed in partnership with the City Controller includes the following before adjustments:

#### Included:

- **Salary and Benefits** projects salary increases equal to the change in CPI using Moody's SF Metropolitan Statistical Area CPI as well as reductions in pension contributions starting in FY 24. Same formula will apply to **City Workorders**.
- Funding levels to return to baseline of agency operations positions and nonlabor budgets that were frozen in the prior 2-years due to pandemic revenue losses are restored.
- Makes permanent \$3 million for HR Division for enhanced and expanded hiring, and employee relations

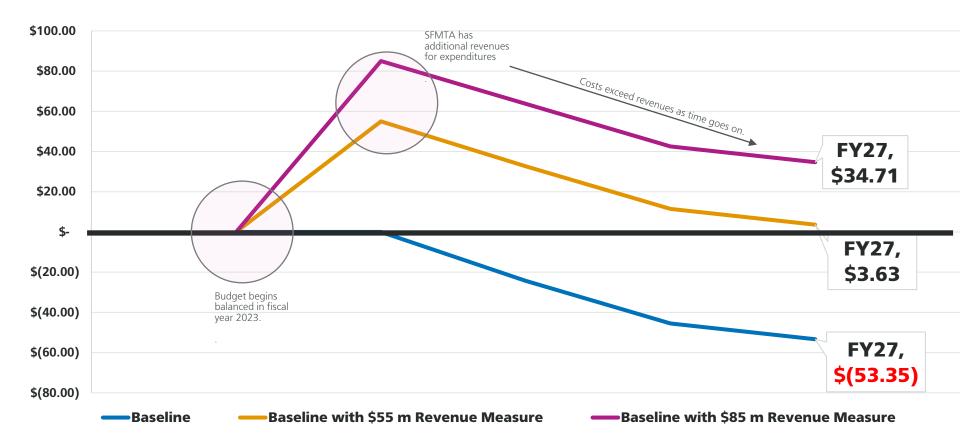
#### Excluded

- \$0 wage increase for all labor contracts
- \$0 for additional fringe costs for all labor contracts
- \$0 Augmentation Requests from Divisions (pending MTAB Discussion)

#### **Budget Baseline Over Time**

#### **Scenario 1: Baseline Budget**

This scenario models the baseline budget with no expenditure augmentations and projected jointly with the SFMTA and the San Francisco Controller's Office. Revenues come in as expected.



Scenario also assumes new sources of revenues if they were to begin some time during fiscal year 2023. The result is the projected deficit at the end of the 5-year financial plan or fiscal year 2027.

The SFMTA has prepared numerous shovel ready projects, that simply need cash/revenue. The **General Obligation Bond** is the best opportunity to fund these projects. (\$400 million)

In addition, the **Reauthorization**of the current transportation sales tax would infuse capital dollars that have been exhausted for facilities, guideways and the Muni Fleet.

(est. \$140 million)

SFMTA needs ongoing sources of revenue to support rising costs and requests for increased services.

#### These potential new revenue sources are:

Source	Benefits	<b>Short</b> <b>Term</b> \$/yr	<b>Long Term</b> \$/yr
Transportation Special Tax	Dedicated tax for transportation, providing a predictable stable source for transit service and maintenance. May be bonded against for near-term capital infrastructure investment, reducing long term maintenance.	<b>\$50</b> m/yr	<b>\$60-70</b> m/yr
Parking Tax	Increase existing San Francisco Parking Tax with opportunities to reform or modify for transportation infrastructure, transit service and maintenance.	<b>\$20</b> m/yr	Declining
CCSF General Obligation Bond Program	The SFMTA as part of the City GO Bond Program has allowed for critical infrastructure investment, safety improvements and transit reliability investments – reducing the cost of operations and long-term maintenance.	<b>\$40</b> m/yr	<b>\$50</b> m/yr
Federal Grants	The current proposed bi-partisan Infrastructure Bill provides opportunities for increased Federal support for up to 5-years for transportation infrastructure and maintenance campaigns.	<b>\$35</b> m/yr	<b>\$40</b> m/yr
State Grants	The current State budget designates significant additional dollars to transportation available through grants for transportation infrastructure.	<b>\$7</b> m/yr	Unknown
Development Revenue	Development of SFMTA properties provide significant long-term opportunities to produce revenues that can go directly toward transportation infrastructure, transit service and maintenance.	<b>\$5</b> m/yr	<b>\$25-35</b> m/yr



#### **Budget Timeline / Next Steps**

The SFMTA Board Workshop began the public process to develop the SFMTA budget for the next 2-years.

- February Public Outreach and Budget "listening sessions" will occur; we will report back on what we hear
- **February** report backs to the SFMTA Board of Directors
  - CIP Development, Prioritization and Advocacy Strategy
  - Building Progress Program + Potrero Yard Development
  - Board Workshop Follow-ups
- **March** public hearings on Fares, Fees and Fines
- Late-March we will provide a budget that revises the baseline, after 6month financial review
- April final budget & 5-Year CIP modifications and adoption.



Now we want to hear from YOU