



Clackamas Fire District #1

Board Meeting Briefing Packet

August 21, 2023



CLACKAMAS FIRE DISTRICT #1

Here for you

Board of Directors Meeting

AUGUST 21, 2023

Meeting Location: Hybrid: Station 5/Remote Video Conferencing

5:00 pm

AGENDA

REGULAR SESSION

- I. CALL TO ORDER PER ORS 192.610 TO 192.690
ORS 192.650 – The meeting is being recorded.
- II. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
- III. CHANGES TO AGENDA
- IV. APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF THE BUDGET COMMITTEE MEETING ON
MAY 25, 2023 AND THE REGULAR BOARD MEETING ON JULY 17, 2023.
(Packet Pg. 4 & Packet Pg. 8)
- V. PUBLIC COMMENT *(The President will call for statements from citizens regarding
District business, not to exceed three minutes per person.)*
- VI. PRESENTATION – BOARD TRAINING – Jeff Griffin from Wilson- Heirgood Assoc.
- VII. BUSINESS – Action required
 - B-1 Request Board Approval for purchase of (2) Quick Response Vehicles, (1)
Type 6 Brush Truck, and (1) Fleet Services Pickup– Support Services Officer
Bill Bischoff (Packet Pg. 13)
- VIII. OTHER BUSINESS – No action required
 - OB-1 Board Committee/Liaison Reports
 - Civil Service Commission – Director Hawes
 - EMS Committee – Director Cross/Director Joseph
 - Executive Committee – President Wall/Director Syring
 - Foundation Liaison – Director Cross
 - Interagency Committee – Director Joseph/Director Syring
 - Volunteer Association Liaison – Director Syring
 - OB-2 Board Informational Updates/Comments

IX. INFORMATIONAL ONLY

A. Division/Department Reports

R-1a Office of the Fire Chief – Fire Chief Nick Browne **(Packet Pg. 14)**

R-1b Office of Strategic Services – Assistant Chief Brian Stewart

R-1c Office of Business Services – Assistant Chief Steve Deters

R-1d Office of Financial Services – Chief Financial Officer Mark Whitaker**(Packet Pg. 17)**

R-1e Office of Emergency Services – Division Chief Dan Mulick

R-1f Professional Firefighters of Clackamas County Local 1159 – Shop Steward Andrew Gordian

R-1g Volunteer Association Report – Volunteer Coordinator Ryan Kragero and President Michael Morden

B. Correspondence **(Packet Pg. 20)**

C. Informational Items **(Packet Pg. 23)**

D. Next Meeting

The next Board of Directors' meeting will be on Monday, September 18, at 5:00 pm. The meeting will be hybrid, with the public invited to attend either by remote video conferencing or in person at Station 5 (9339 SE Causey Ave, Happy Valley, OR 97086).

X. ADJOURNMENT



Here for you

BUDGET COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES
Thursday, May 25, 2023
Meeting Location: Station 5 and Remote
Video Conferencing

I. CALL TO ORDER PER ORS 192.610 to 192.690
ORS 192.650 – The meeting is being recorded.

President Marilyn Wall called the meeting to order at 5:00 pm.

II. INTRODUCTIONS AND ROLL CALL

Board President Marilyn Wall introduced the budget committee members.

Present:

Budget Committee Members: Marilyn Wall, Jay Cross (Zoom), Chris Hawes, Thomas Joseph, Jim Syring (Zoom)

Citizen Members: Erin Anderson (Zoom), Charles Gallia (Zoom), William Gifford, Julie Kennedy, and Tim Powell

Clackamas Fire District: Nick Browne, Mark Whitaker, Tracey Grisham

III. ELECTION OF BUDGET COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSON

President Wall opened nominations for Budget Committee Chairperson. William Gifford nominated Tim Powell for Budget Committee Chairperson. Thomas Joseph seconded the nomination. No other nominations.

Tim Powell was unanimously voted to be the Budget Committee Chairperson.

Timestamp 01:59 – 02:31

IV. ELECTION OF BUDGET COMMITTEE RECORDING SECRETARY

Tim Powell opened the nominations for Budget Committee Recording Secretary. President Wall nominated William Gifford. The motion was seconded. No other nominations.

William Gifford was unanimously voted to be the Budget Committee Recording Secretary.

Timestamp 02:31 – 03:33

V. OPENING REMARKS ON FY 2023-24 PROPOSED BUDGET

Fire Chief Nick Browne thanked everyone for volunteering their time.

Timestamp 03:33-04:06

VI. BUDGET MESSAGE AND OVERVIEW

Chief Financial Officer (CFO) Mark Whitaker presented the FY 2023-24 proposed budget overview with a PowerPoint presentation. A copy of the PowerPoint is available electronically.

FY 2023-24 budget talking Points:

Responsible, Sustainable Growth; Enhanced levy/Sandy IGA

Investing in our people

Investing in our capital assets

Establishing a resilient budget

General Fund Revenue

General Fund Expense Summary

Personnel Expense Breakdown

Operational Replacement

General Obligation Bond Debt

Loan Payoff

Capital Plan Outlook

Timestamp 04:07 - 01:21:13

VII. PUBLIC COMMENT

One public written comment was received. [Read public comment from Paul Ellison]
Conversation ensued.

Timestamp 01:21:47 – 01:28:34

VIII. GENERAL DISCUSSION

A question was asked from Director Jim Syring regarding the proposed budget. Discussion followed. Tim Powell asked question about Sandy Fire contract. Conversation ensued. Julie Kennedy asked a question about Sandy Fire Contract. Discussion followed. Tim Powell asked a question about regular pay and specialty pay for firefighters. President Marilyn commented.

Timestamp 01:28:34 – 01:48:46

IX. APPROVAL OF THE CLACKAMAS FIRE DISTRICT #1's PERMANENT TAX RATE AT \$2.4012 PER \$1,000 OF ASSESSED VALUATION FOR FY 2023-24

Director Hawes made a motion and Charles Gallia seconded to approve Clackamas Fire District #1's permanent tax rate at \$2.4012 per \$1,000 of assessed valuation for FY 2023-24. The motion passed unanimously.

Timestamp 1:48:50 – 1:50:03

X. APPROVAL OF THE CLACKAMAS FIRE DISTRICT #1's VOTER-APPROVED LOCAL OPTION TAX LEVY RATE AT \$0.52 PER \$1,000 OF ASSESSED VALUATION FOR FY 2023-24.

Erin Anderson made a motion and William Gifford seconded to approve Clackamas Fire District #1's voter-approved local option tax levy rate at \$0.52 per \$1,000 of assessed valuation for FY 2023-24. The motion passed unanimously.

Timestamp 1:50:03 – 1:51:04

XI. APPROVAL OF CLACKAMAS FIRE DISTRICT #1's LEVY FOR BONDED DEBT AT \$2,330,300 FOR FY 2023-24.

President Wall made a motion and Director Thomas seconded to approve Clackamas Fire District #1's levy for Bonded debt at \$2,330,300 for FY 2023-24. The motion passed unanimously.

Timestamp 1:51:04 – 1:52:10

XII. APPROVAL OF THE FY 2023-24 PROPOSED BUDGET FOR CLACKAMAS FIRE DISTRICT #1.

William Gifford made a motion and Erin Anderson seconded to approve Clackamas Fire District #1's proposed budget for FY 2023-24. The motion passed unanimously.

Charles Gallia made an inquiry that the proposed budget include the proposal amendment regarding the debt payment and the change made to the narrative. CFO Whitaker stated he would make the update to the online version of the document and new binders made for the committee members.

Timestamp 1:52:10 – 1:53:50

XIII. ADJOURNMENT

The Budget Committee meeting adjourned at 6:54 pm.

Minutes were recorded by Program Specialist Tracey Grisham and prepared by Administrative Technician Kelly Franzen.

Approved by:

Recording Secretary, Tim Powell

Accepted by:

President Marilyn Wall

Secretary Chris Hawes



CLACKAMAS FIRE DISTRICT #1

Here for you

REGULAR BOARD OF DIRECTORS' MEETING MINUTES

July 17, 2023

ATTENDANCE

Board of Directors: Jay Cross, Chris Hawes, Thomas Joseph, Jim Syring, and Marilyn Wall.

Others present: Nick Browne, Heather Goodrich, Andrew Gordian, Shelby Hopkins, Jerry Kearney, Ryan Kragero, Michael Morden, Dan Mulick, Shawn Olson, Station 1, Phil Schneider, Mark Whitaker, Doug Whiteley,

Other community members and citizens were in attendance. The full video conferencing attendance can be provided upon request.

REGULAR SESSION

I. CALL TO ORDER PER ORS 192.610 TO 192.690 ORS 192.650 – The meeting is being recorded.

President Wall called the meeting to order at 5:00 pm.

II. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

III. CHANGES TO AGENDA

Chief Nick Browne shared that he will give the report for Section VIII, Section R-1b for Assistant Chief (AC) Brian Stewart in his absence. It will be included in the Office of the Fire Chief's report. Chief Browne added Division Chief (DC) Phil Schneider will give the report update under Section VIII, R-1c Business Services for Assistant Chief (AC) Steve Deters in his absence.

Timestamp: 17:01:25– 17:01:56

IV. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The minutes were revised and approved.

Timestamp: 17:01:58 – 17:02:18

V. PUBLIC COMMENT *(The President will call for statements from citizens regarding District business, not to exceed three minutes per person.)*

A written comment was received from a gentleman from Nigeria commending the District.

Timestamp: 17:02:18 – 17:03:20

VI. BUSINESS – Action required

**B-1 Request Board Approval of Clackamas Emergency Services Foundation
Trustee Replacement – President Jerry Kearney**

Volunteer President Jerry Kearney asked the Board to approve the replacement of Chief Browne as trustee and appoint Division Chief (DC) Doug Whiteley as Trustee under the amended bylaws of the Clackamas Emergency Services Foundation.

Director Chris Hawes made a motion and Director Jay Cross seconded for Board Approval of Clackamas Emergency Services Foundation Trustee Replacement. The motion passed unanimously.

Timestamp: 17:03:45– 17:08:04

**B-2 Request Board Approval of an update to the Clackamas Emergency Services
Foundation account holders and signers as set forth in the memorandum
dated July 5, 2023. – President Jerry Kearney**

President Kearney asked the Board to approve the replacement of Nick Browne, Fred Charlton, Kyle Gorman and James Rhoads as account holders and authorized signers on the Clackamas Federal Credit Union account and adding Don Trotter, Jerry Kearney, and Rachel Trotman on the account.

President Kearney asked the Board to approve the replacement of Fred Charlton, Kyle Gorman and Karen Strejc as account holders and authorized signers on the Merrill Lynch account for the Clackamas Emergency Services Foundation and adding Jerry Kearney, Rachel Trotman, and Doug Whiteley on the account. Sherrie Rosenbaum and Don Trotter are already signers on the account.

Director Joseph made a motion and Director Cross seconded for Board approval of an update to the Clackamas Emergency Services Foundation account holders and signers as set forth in the memorandum dated July 5, 2023. The motion passed unanimously.

Timestamp: 17:08:04– 17:13:16

VII. OTHER BUSINESS – No action required

OB-1 Board Committee/Liaison Reports

Civil Service Commission – Director Hawes

No report.

Executive Committee – President Wall/Director Syring

No report.

Interagency Committee – Director Joseph/Director Syring

No report.

OB-2 Board Informational Updates/Comments

No updates or comments.

Timestamp: 17:13:27– 17:15:29

VIII. INFORMATIONAL ONLY

A. Division/Department Reports

R-1a Office of the Fire Chief – Fire Chief Nick Browne

Chief Browne reported on the Human Resource Officer (HRO) process. CFD received a total of 43 applicants, which has been narrowed down to 10 applicants for the interview process. The panel interviews will be July 25, 2023. HR Manager Trish Noble has transferred over to Benefits Coordinator position and is managing both HR and Benefits until the HRO position is filled.

Chief Browne commended Public Education Specialist Tammy Owen in Community Services for teaching hands-only CPR to 3,905 students.

CFD interviewed and offered 24 firefighter and four alternate positions for the Fall 2023 and Spring 2024 academies fulfilling levy promises to the public for year one. A swearing-in ceremony was held on June 28, 2023, which included Sandy Fire personnel, promotional employees, and new members to CFD.

Timestamp: 17:15:29– 17:20:34

R-1b Office of Strategic Services – Assistant Chief Brian Stewart

See above report from Chief Browne.

R-1c Office of Business Services – Assistant Chief Steve Deters

DC Schneider reported in AC Deters absence. DC Schneider reported on the Sandy contract.

Timestamp: 17:20:42– 17:22:46

R-1d Office of Financial Services – Chief Financial Officer Mark Whitaker

Chief Financial Officer (CFO) Mark Whitaker shared the preliminary report for FY 2022-23. Hard copies were handed out. The general fund will end in a surplus of over 1 million dollars. Tax revenue was the biggest part of that. May and June totaled \$1 million in tax receipts and the yearly collection was \$2.3 million.

CFD had a lot of large health claims at year end that was offset with stop loss payments. Ops replacement came in at \$6.6 million, less than budgeted for. The District spent \$500,000 in capital replacement in FY 2022-23. \$755,000 was transferred from the general fund to the capital replacement fund.

President Wall asked about the capital replacement fund interest being more than the general fund interest. CFO Whitaker answered that the general fund operates on higher interest rates, so the general fund's budget was adjusted numerous

times, with a two percent at the beginning of the fiscal year rising to between three and a half percent to four percent at the end of the fiscal year.

President Wall asked about the Fund 80 IGA revenue being less than expected, and CFO Whitaker explained that in the end, most of the funding came through an extension of the community college and a grant with OSFM to fund wildland mitigation.

Timestamp: 17:22:46– 17:31:08

R-1e Office of Emergency Services – Division Chief Dan Mulick

Division Chief (DC) Dan Mulick reported on the rescue apparatus at the Sandy station that was placed there for quick response. Upstaffing in Sandy was utilized twice using the \$35,000 grant awarded through the OSFM wildfire grant. He reported on the June fire calls. DC Mulick discussed wildland fires across the state and how mobilizations work. He reported that there was a wildfire in Estacada currently.

Timestamp: 17:31:08– 17:41:19

R-1f Professional Firefighters of Clackamas County Local 1159 – Shop Steward Andrew Gordian

Shop Steward Gordian reported the State of Oregon passed an additional \$5 million in funding for apprentices. Local 1159 will be lobbying for some of that money. The 1159 Foundation awarded three scholarships to members' children at \$500 each for college or trade schools. Local 1159 had their annual family picnic at Oaks Park. They welcomed 12 members to the D1 shop from Sandy Fire and added one to the BC Unit. Local 1159 continues to be engaged with the EMS Council as they work through the end of the service agreement with the County. He reported that Local 1159 is involved with the ASA labor subcommittee.

Timestamp: 17:41:19 – 17:43:46

R-1g Volunteer Association Report – Volunteer Coordinator Ryan Kragero and President Michael Morden

Volunteer Coordinator (VC) Ryan Kragero reported on the onboarding of Sandy volunteers. He reported on station coverage and training. Volunteer Academy Class 23-01 graduated on June 29, 2023, with one water tender and 15 suppression volunteers. Michael Morden was elected as the new President of the Volunteer Association. Director Hawes commended VC Kragero for all his hard work.

President Michael Morden reported on the onboarding of Sandy.

Timestamp: 17:43:46 – 17:48:12

B. Correspondence

Noted.

C. Informational Items

Chief Browne mentioned that Fastech was the company chosen for IT services.

D. Next Meeting

The next Board of Directors' meeting will be on Monday, August 21, at 5:00 pm. The meeting will be hybrid with the public invited to attend either by remote video conferencing or in person at Station 5 (9339 SE Causey Ave, Happy Valley, OR 97086).

IX. ADJOURNMENT

The regular Board of Directors' meeting adjourned at 5:49 pm.

Minutes recorded by Executive Manager Shelby Hopkins and prepared by Administrative Technician Kelly Franzen.

President Marilyn Wall

Secretary Chris Hawes



Memo

To | Board of Directors
From | Support Services Officer Bill Bischoff on behalf of Fire Chief Nick Browne
CC: | CFO Mark Whitaker
Date | August 21, 2023
Subject | Apparatus/Vehicle Purchases

Action Requested

Request Board approval to purchase the following vehicles:

(3) 2024 Ford F550 4x4 Crew Cab Chassis	\$205,700
(1) 2024 Ford F350 4x4 Super Cab Pickup	\$52,777

Total cost: **\$258,477.00**

Background

The Fire District recently passed an operational levy, which will help provide funding for recommended quick response vehicles (QRV) as well as some much-needed other capital purchases that have been deferred. Two of the listed vehicles will be built and placed into service strategically around the fire district as QRVs and the third will be built as an additional Brush Rig for Type 6 response. The second vehicle will replace an aging pick up in Facilities that is under rated for the towing and work that it does, but it will remain in the fleet to be reassigned so another older vehicle can be rotated out for surplus. The district replaces vehicles periodically, but also has a need to add appropriate vehicles to our fleet as we continue to grow. The Support Services Officer will continue to evaluate the condition and service life of staff/pool vehicles and will periodically recommend surplus of identified vehicles beginning with Board approval and following District policy.

Board Policy Implications

These vehicles will be purchased following adopted Fire District purchasing policies. All these Ford vehicles are priced through cooperative procurement from the State of Oregon bid, Contract 1660 pricing and will be purchased through Landmark Ford.

Budget Implications

Funding for this purchase is identified in the Equipment Replacement Fund, 301150-8805 and 8850. The FY24 capital purchasing layout has already been approved and this is just a part of one of the pricing breakouts. This purchase represents less than the overall allocated amount in the adopted budget due to the need also to add bodies and set up expenses. In total, the purchase and set up of these vehicles will be within approved budget parameters.

Recommendation

Staff recommends the Board of Directors approve the purchase of the identified four (4) vehicles in the amount of \$258,477.

FIRE CHIEF'S REPORT

JULY 2023



Harrison Steet Fire



Touch a Truck in Oregon City



Summer Camp



Day in Damascus

Highlights

- The Fire District has been very busy with community events this summer as the communities we serve continue to grow. These include the Sandy Mountain Festival, Touch a Truck, Day in Damascus, National Night Out and the Gladstone Community Festival.
- There were 285 hydrants maintained throughout the Fire District this year.
- Staff have worked diligently to increase social media presence over the past month and are planning to continue the added activity.
- Human Resource Officer resume reviews and panel interviews were completed.
- Fire Investigators conducted 24 investigations in the month of July.

Notable Events/Calls

July 1 – Deputy involved shooting off Springwater Trail & Johnson Creek Blvd. Two Deputies shot, one to the abdomen and the other in the arm. Crews treated officers on scene and AMR transported to OHSU. Both deputies are recovering.

July 6 - Crews were dispatched to reported fire in a 4-story apartment building that was still under construction. The fire was started by welding in an elevator shaft. 2nd alarm resources located, contained fire to the attic space.

July 8 – Water rescue MR2 dispatched for overturned kayakers near Rock Island. Crews located and assisted 6 individuals to safety. No injuries reported.

July 12 – Murder/Suicide/Officer involved shooting call. Crews responded and assisted CCSO. Chief Browne responded for crew support.

July 12-13 – Early morning mutual aid to Hoodland for Rope rescue of pickup over 350' embankment off Hwy 26. Crews worked together to recover two patients who were Life Flighted to Emmanuel. Extremely technical. Crews did an outstanding job.

July 17 – 2 Alarm Residential Fire on Harrison St. with exposures.

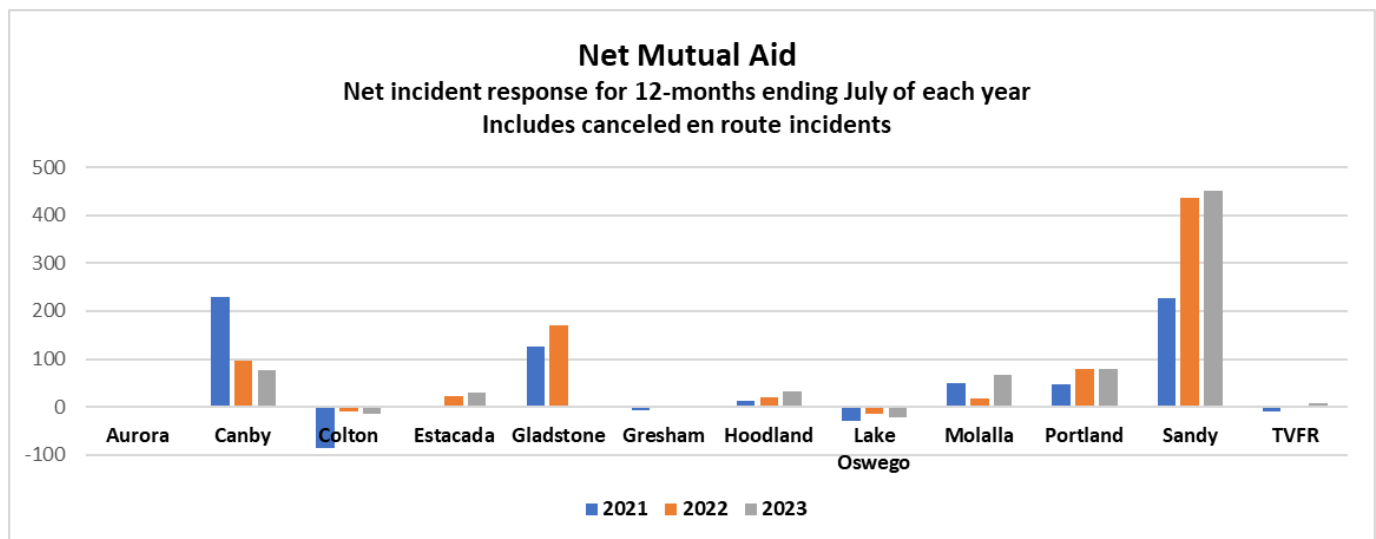
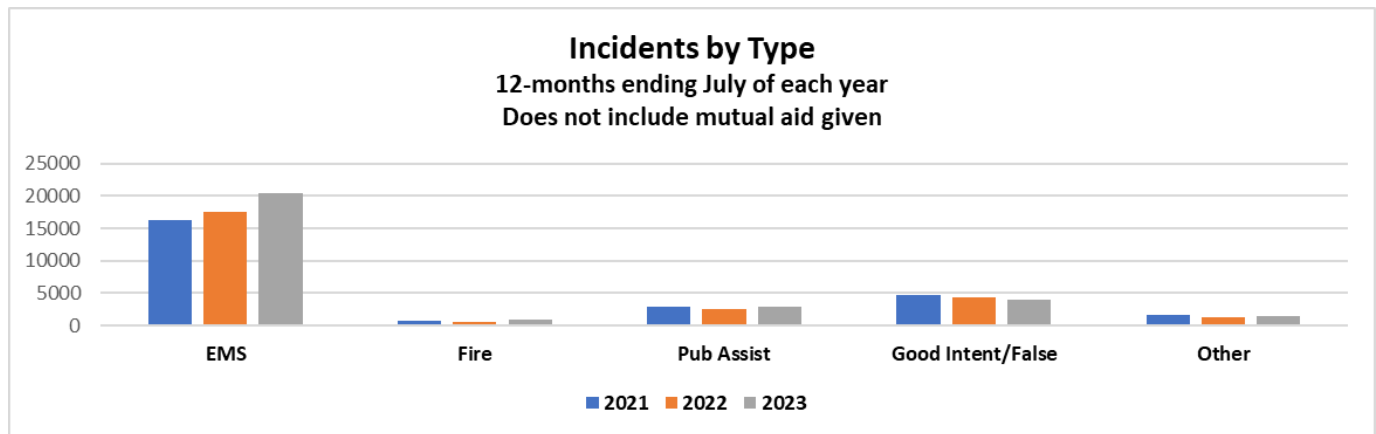
July 19 – 2 story commercial fire with 3 separate apartments in Milwaukie. Crews did an incredible job with control and containment of fire.

July 21 – Commercial fire Lot Whitcomb Elementary. Dumpster Fire extending into structure.

FIRE CHIEF'S REPORT

JULY 2023

Organizational Data



Average Company Time Committed	
Time: 246 hours and 47 minutes	Percent of Month: 35.93%
Includes Preparation and Response: Incidents, Apparatus/Equipment Checks, Physical Fitness, Training	

Staffing

FIRE CHIEF'S REPORT

JULY 2023

	Response	Risk Reduction	Crew 30	Staff	FF Vols	Support Vols
Allocated	277	12	20	58		
Filled	265	8	20	54	39	19
Academy	14	0			0	0

Volunteers

Training		Events	Duty Shifts	Station 12	Station 13	Station 21	Station 74	Support
# of Drills	4	6	Nights	19/31	0/31	8/31	17/31	9/31

Promotions

- Bryan Shaw
- Tyler Bieker
- James Nisbet
- Tracy Harris
- Jared Hanna

Retirements/Resignations

- Jeff Knapp
- Carrie Szabo
- Harold Chaves
- Trevor Stratton

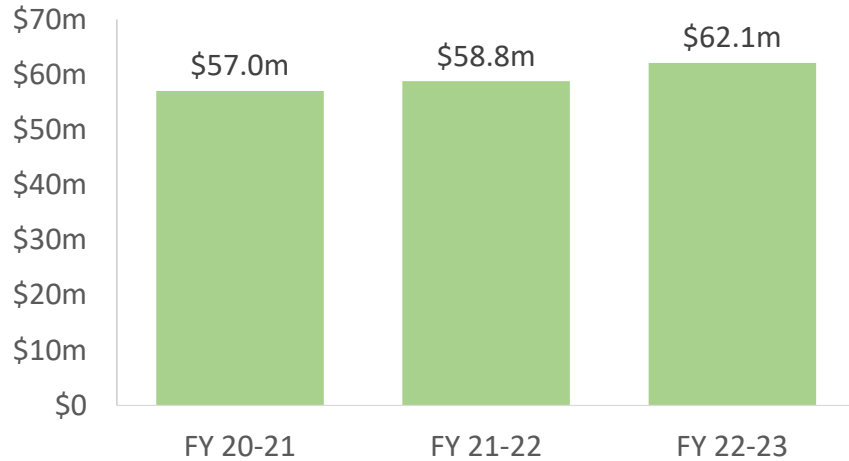


FINANCIAL REPORT

Period Ending June 30, 2023

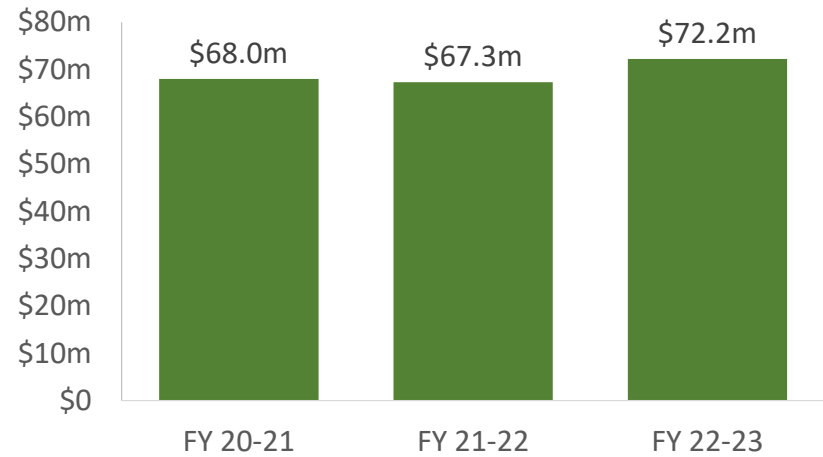
General Fund Property Tax Revenues

Through June



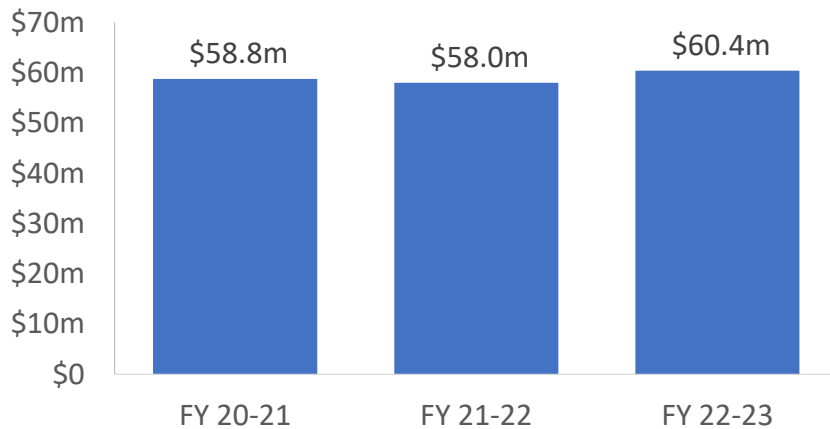
General Fund Total Revenue

Through June



General Fund Salary & Benefits

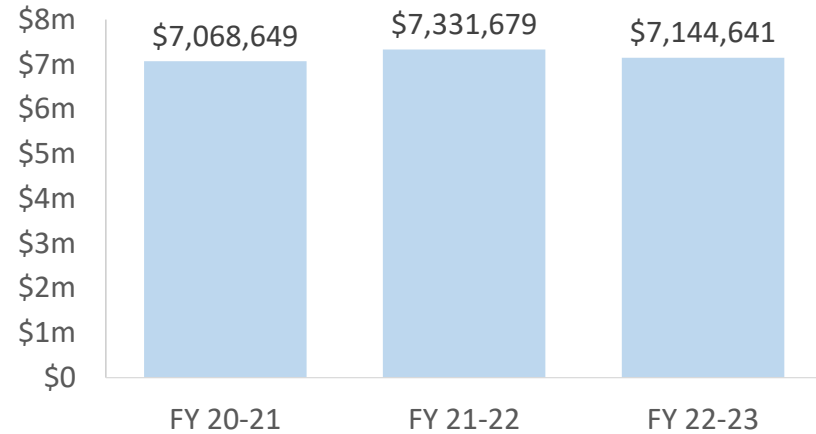
Through June



99.8% of FY budget spent

General Fund Overtime

Through June



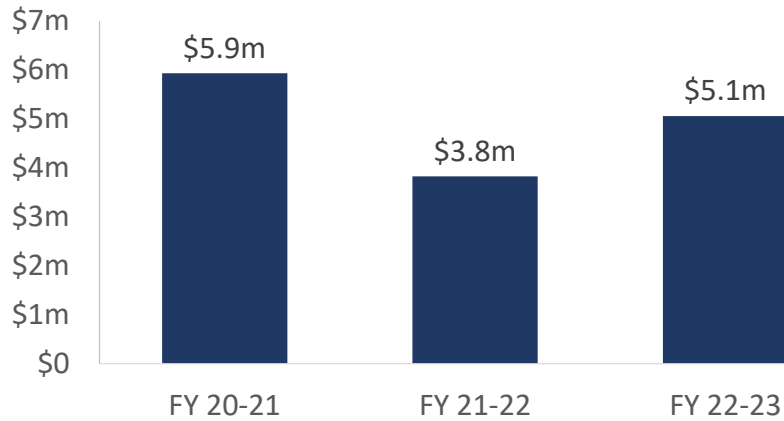
98.8% of FY budget spent



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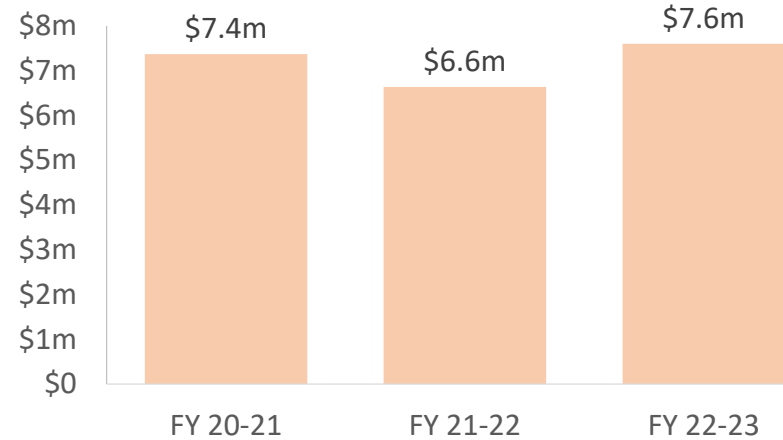
Period Ending June 30, 2023

General Fund Health Claim Expenses
Through June



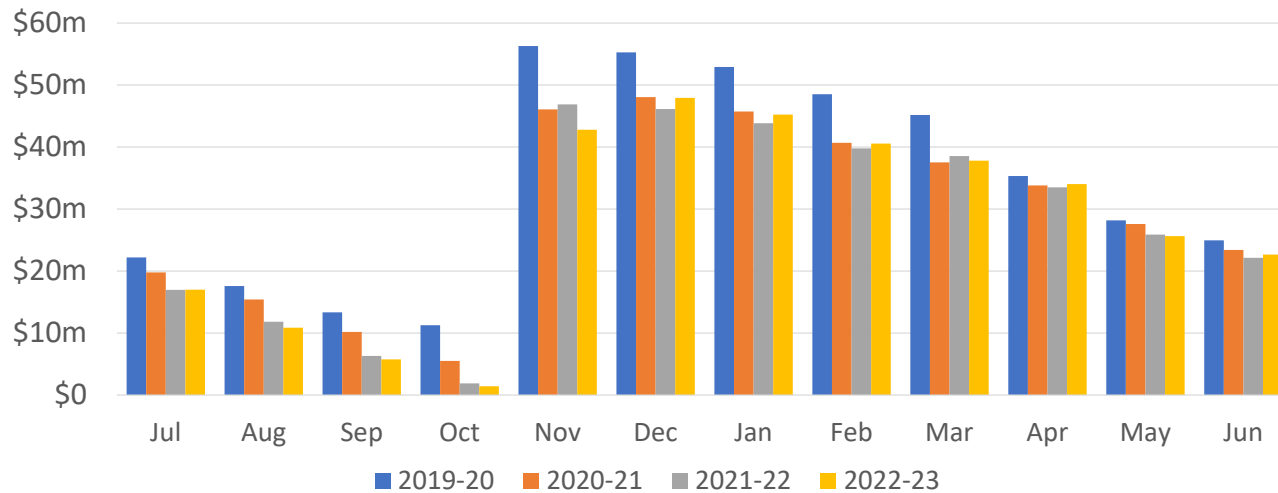
101.2% of FY budget spent

General Fund Materials and Services
Through June



99.7% of FY budget spent

Month-End Cash Balance, All Funds





10 - GENERAL FUND

Budget to Actual Report for Period Ending
June 30, 2023

Clackamas Fire District #1

	Adopted Budget	Revised Budget	Actual YTD	% of Budget
Beginning Fund Balance	\$15,135,000	\$15,135,000	\$15,599,606	103.1%
<i>Revenues</i>				
Tax Revenue	\$61,216,000	\$61,371,000	\$62,100,886	101.2%
Interest	\$310,000	\$730,000	\$815,376	111.7%
EMS Revenue	\$1,990,000	\$2,275,000	\$2,921,053	128.4%
Contract Revenue	\$3,231,475	\$3,256,475	\$3,318,673	101.9%
Conflagration Revenue	\$0	\$975,000	\$981,960	100.7%
Grants	\$75,000	\$95,000	\$21,753	22.9%
Other Revenue	\$1,402,380	\$1,464,880	\$2,008,743	137.1%
Transfers In	\$70,600	\$70,600	\$70,600	100.0%
Total Revenues	\$68,295,455	\$70,237,955	\$72,239,044	102.8%
<i>Expenditures</i>				
Fire Chief's Office	\$487,527	\$587,527	\$533,310	90.8%
Emergency Services	\$47,553,333	\$50,701,223	\$50,634,154	99.9%
Business Services	\$17,261,295	\$16,830,905	\$16,827,583	100.0%
Debt Service	\$2,801,300	\$2,801,300	\$2,801,300	100.0%
Transfers Out	\$192,000	\$679,600	\$679,600	100.0%
Contingency	\$2,702,580	\$2,289,980	\$0	-
Total Expenditures	\$70,998,035	\$73,890,535	\$71,475,947	96.7%

CORRESPONDENCE


C – 1 Social Media Compilation for July



C – 2 Thank you from Oregon City Library for CFD support at Tough-A-Truck event July 11, 2023. Attendees were Community Services' Pub Ed Specialist Tammy Owen and DFM Kari Shanklin, crews from E315 and T316 attended.

CORRESPONDENCE


C-1 Social Media Comments


Thankful that Sandy Fire District's Dover Station 74 has an increase in staffing, July 1:





 [Redacted]
Welcome!
As a local, it is encouraging that the contract will result in more time the station will be manned!

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Thankful to the crews who rescued ducklings stuck in a storm drain, July 3:


 [Redacted]
Thank you! Your team is amazing!!

[Like](#) [Reply](#) [Hide](#) 4w 


 [Redacted]
WONDERFUL Humans!!!!   


Thankful for CFD's participation at the annual Police and Fire 4th of July party in Gladstone, July 4:

  Top fan
[Redacted]
It was really fun. Thank you to you all. My wife got to sit in the fire engine she thought that was so awesome. Thanks again. Stay safe out there you all.


[Like](#) [Reply](#) [Hide](#) 4w Edited  2


Thankful for CFD's participation in the Touch-a-Truck event in Oregon City, July 10:

 [Redacted]
Thank you for participating in this event! It was so cool to bring my 2 year old son.


[Like](#) [Reply](#) [Hide](#) 3w 




Thankful for the Apprentice Firefighter Academy for their hard work, July 13:

 [Redacted]
I honestly don't know how they do it, in full equipment and the heat...MUCH RESPECT!!!



[Like](#) [Reply](#) [Hide](#) 2w 



Thankful to crews who responded to a technical rescue, July 15:


 [Redacted]
Thank you so much to all that helped. The one that was trapped is my nephew. He broke his back, neck, skull fracture, femur and arm but because of all you guys and gals and the speedy response he is alive. I thank you all from the bottom of my heart. Not all heros wear capes.

[Like](#) [Reply](#) [Hide](#) 2w    14

Thankful to Crew 30 for their assistance at the Kimiwan Complex Fire in Canada, July 17:

  Top fan
[Redacted]
Way to go jumping in and helping our neighbors to the North! Thank you very much!

[Like](#) [Reply](#) [Hide](#) 2w 

Subject: FW: Thank you!

Hello!

I wanted to send out a huge thank you to those who helped make Touch-A-Truck another successful event! We had over 600 people this year and it looked like every kiddo had a wonderful time! None of it would be possible without you and your staff taking time out of your busy day to support this community event. Thank you again and the Library looks forward to doing it again next year!

Best,
Sabrina



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Teen Librarian
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INFORMATIONAL ITEMS

- I – 1 KOIN NEWS July 4, 2023, “Fireworks melt roof of Sandy Bi-Mart, start fire in store” <https://www.koin.com/local/clackamas-county/fireworks-melt-roof-of-sandy-bi-mart-start-fire-in-store/>
- I – 2 KATU NEWS, July 5, 2023 “Clackamas Fire crews rescue baby ducklings from storm drain” <https://katu.com/news/local/clackamas-fire-crews-rescue-baby-ducklings-from-storm-drain>
- I – 3 KATU NEWS, July 19, 2023 “Early morning fire displaces two families in Milwaukie, no injuries reported” <https://katu.com/news/local/early-morning-fire-displaces-two-families-in-milwaukie-no-injuries-reported>
- I – 4 Flash Alert, July 20, 2023 “Recent Contract Between Clackamas Fire and Sandy Fire Proves Fruitful” (In Board Packet)
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RECENT CONTRACT BETWEEN CLACKAMAS FIRE DISTRICT AND SANDY FIRE PROVES FRUITFUL (PHOTO)

News Release from **Clackamas Fire District**

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On Wednesday, July 19, 2023, at approximately 5:30 p.m., fire crews from Sandy Station 71 responded to a report of a fire in a local business on Proctor Blvd. The two crews from the recently upstaffed station were able to arrive and get an effective initial knockdown on the fire. Immediately following their arrival, they were joined by nine additional apparatus, which brought an impressive 17 firefighters, two battalion chiefs, one rehab member, one fire investigator and one public information officer. A citizen observed the response and mentioned the peace of mind it brought to know that their community was being protected so aggressively.

In 2019, Sandy Fire was faced with a decision to either continue their current staffing model, which posed some financial hurdles and would have forced leadership to reach out to the community for additional funding, or reach out for collaboration with their closest neighbor, Clackamas Fire District. The two agencies signed an Intergovernmental Agreement for Clackamas Fire District to provide training, command and control of a fire scene, and fleet maintenance for a fee that proved to be cost effective for Sandy Fire. In 2021, after the completion of a feasibility study, the two agencies agreed to joint 24-hour staffing at Clackamas Fire District's Station 18 in Eagle Creek, which was previously staffed part-time. With the success of these moves, along with the growth in Sandy, led to a full operational contract with Clackamas Fire District to provide suppression and emergency medical services to Sandy Fire's response area. Through this contract for service, Sandy Fire's employees and volunteers have joined with Clackamas Fire District to serve the Sandy community together.

The response to yesterday's fire is proof that, for no extra cost to the community, the response increase and effectiveness has brought a sense of safety and protection to Sandy. In addition, it is assuring that when there are multiple calls in the area, first responders will be there to provide the much-needed calm to chaotic situations.

Thank you to the Sandy Police Department and Gresham Fire for their assistance during yesterday's incident.

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