# 2018 Proposed Operating Budget

Department

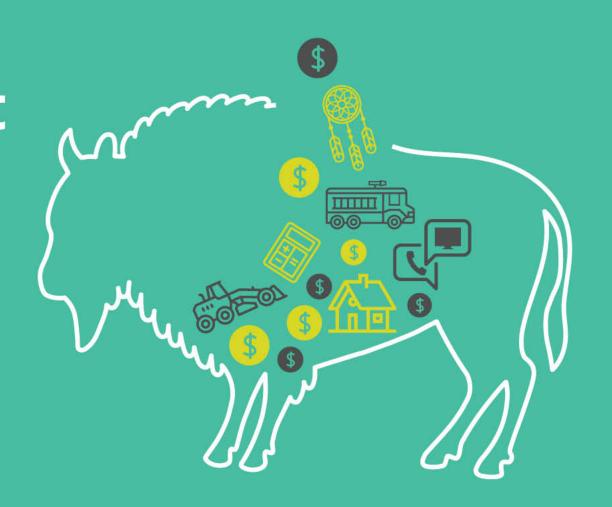
Office of CFO and Financial Services

Presenter

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## Mandate

#### Office of CFO:

The Office of the Chief Financial Officer:

- Ensures fiscal stewardship in a collaborative, innovative and responsive manner;
- Ensures fair and equitable assessment for all properties in the region;
- Demonstrates accountability in financial reporting, budgeting and procurement activities utilizing open and transparent processes.

Office of CFO





## Mandate

#### **Financial Services:**

The Financial Services department provides financial stewardship through a commitment to leading practices aligned with the Municipality's goals and values. Financial Services discharges its duties and responsibilities in a collaborative, innovative and responsive manner guided by the principles of accountability and transparency.

Accounting Services

Financial Planning

**Procurement** 





## Department Operations at a Glance

#### What We Do:

#### **Accounting Services**

- Billing Services Oversees the transactional processing of accounts receivable, utility billing, collections and front counter services.
- Accounts Payable Responsible for processing all goods and services invoices for the Municipality, which is ~25,000 invoices a year for ~\$800M spend annually.
- Inventory Oversee inventory of ~ 1,200 items in the Stores branch, ranging from a variety of consumables to underground services supplies as well inventory for the repair and maintenance of fleet vehicles which includes the solid waste and transit services fleet.
- Insurance Services Obtains insurance products to adequately protect the assets of the Municipality as well as risk minimization.





## Department Operations at a Glance

#### **Financial Planning**

- Budgeting Responsible for the establishment, implementation and monitoring of municipal budgets.
- Treasury Accountable for investment management, debt and reserve management, banking relations and cash flow management.
- Financial Reporting Produces and distributes internal and external audited financial reports. Oversees the external financial audit function to ensure the Municipality's financial position is accountable and transparent and meets all legislated principles.





## Department Operations at a Glance

#### **Procurement**

- Responsible for the purchase of goods and services in a cost effective manner, in a publicly accountable, open and transparent process.
- Reduces risk to the Municipality by providing a consistent bid evaluation process that is consistent, fair, and thorough.
- Assists departments in ensuring their compliance with tendering and competitive bidding processes.
- Follows all procurement standards to be compliant with the regulations outlined by Canadian Free Trade Agreement (CFTA); New West Partnership Agreement (NWPTA) and Comprehensive Economic Free Trade Agreement (CETA).



## **Operating Budget**

	2017 Budget (\$M)
Revenue	0.6
Expenses	18.9
Net	(18.3)

2017 Projections * (\$M)	2018 Proposed Budget (\$M)	Net Change (\$M)
0.3	0.4	0.1
20.4	18.4	(2.0)
(20.1)	(18.0)	(2.1)





<sup>\*</sup> As at September 30, 2017

## Net Revenue Change

2017 Projection v. 2018 Proposed Budget \$117K

#### Revenue Highlights:

Penalties (Penalties on overdue accounts)
 \$139K

• Sales & User Charges (\$ 16K)





## Net Expense Change

2017 Projection v. 2018 Proposed Budget

(\$ 2.0M)

#### **Expense Highlights:**

 In 2018, we budgeted lower salaries, wages and benefits than 2017

(\$ 0.6M)

Contracted & General Services

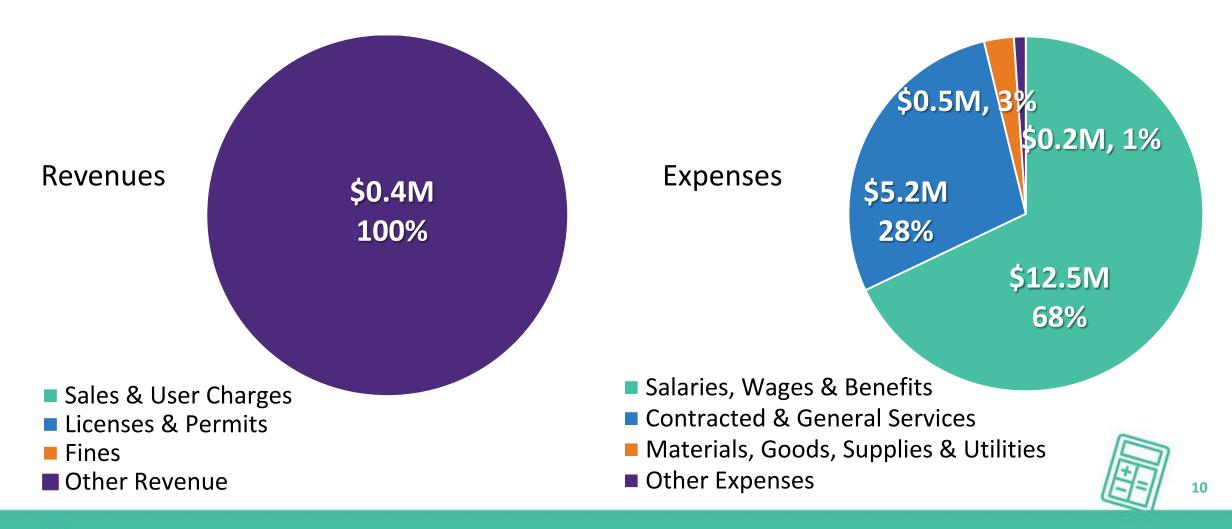
\$ 0.5M

Provision for Allowances

(\$ 1.7M)



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## Branch and Services Highlights \*

<ul> <li>Office of CFO</li> </ul>	(\$ 0.5M)
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- Office of Finance Administration (\$ 0.7M)
- Accounting Services (\$10.0M)
- Financial Planning (\$ 4.9M)
- Procurement (\$ 1.9M)



<sup>\*</sup> Cost Net of Revenue

## Questions?