FINANCE

MISSION:

To provide fiscal and financial support and service to City Council, City departments, customers, and citizens. The Department is committed to providing timely, accurate, and complete information.

CORE SERVICES DESCRIPTION:

Adminstrative Division: Provides oversight and attention to the City's overall finances and budget process. Safegards the City's assests and executes its financial affairs. Monitors the receipt and disbursement City funds and oversees the City's investment portfolio. Oversee the debt management and revenue tracking functions. Division also works with the City Manager Office in preparing the Annual Budget. Responsible for submitting Annual Budget Document to FGFOA for certification.

Accounting Division: Maintains an accurate and reliable accounting and reporting system. Ensures that financial transactions are properly recorded in accordance of Generally accepted Accounting Prinicipals. Disburses payment to employee, customers and citizens. Responsible for maintaing fixed asset records and preparation of the Comprehensive Annual Financial Report.

Revenue Division: Provides customer service, billing and collection service to customers and citizens in the areas of Alarms, Business Tax Receipts and Passports, along with revenue processing for the City.

FY 17 ACHIEVEMENTS:

ACHIEVEMENTS	STRATEGIC INITIATIVES
Issued two Series 2016 revenue funding issues, resulting in net present value saving	
totalling \$602,143. Peformed a partial redemption of Special Assessment Note	
resulting in net present value saving of \$257,702 and shorter payoff period	Basic Municipal Service Delivery
Ratingfor Utility Bonds and Special Assessment Bonds were raised by by Standard &	
Poor's from AA- and A+ respectively, and affirmed a stable outlook. Moody's	
affirms City's Aa3 long term issuer rating. Fitch upgraded ratings to AA for long-	
term issuer Default Rating and For Serices 2010 and 2013 Bonds.	Basic Municipal Service Delivery
Lead FEMA Public Assistance/PA grant reimbursement process for Hurricane	
Matthew, resulting in pre-cost share total eligible funding exceeding \$1.9 million.	Basic Municipal Service Delivery
Increased Budget awareness and efficiency through staff-focused workshops, hands-	
on training, and streamlined communication via centralized e-mail accounts and	
calendar meetings.	Working Smarter - E Government
Establish grant and federal award documentation management system, resulting in	
centralized oversight of compliance documents and requirements.	Working Smarter - E Government
Streamlined Lien Search and False Alarm Processing by fully crosstraining two	
positions and having them alternate roles each month, so that staff remains fully	
trained on all functions and insuring continuity in operations at all times.	Basic Municipal Service Delivery
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Received GFOA Distinguished Budget Presentation Award for Budget Document	Communicating, Messaging and Identity
Received GFOA Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting	Communicating, Messaging and Identity

FY 18 OBJECTIVES:

OBJECTIVES	STRATEGIC INITIATIVES		
Continue to inform public of the City's budget and financial status year round	Communicating, Messaging and Identity		
Issue debt to fund construction of road to new I-95 interchange to open in Palm Bay	Basic Municipal Service Delivery		
Continue building on increased Budget and Financial awareness and efficiency through documenting processes/procedures and improving staff-training manuals. Focusing on increased electronic communication and data sharing.	Working Smarter - E Government		
Continue reinforcement of Customer Service Excellence through staff training	City's Relationship with Citizens		

Strategic			FY 16	FY 16	FY 17	FY 17	FY 18
Initiative	Goal	Measure	Target	Actual	Target	Actual	Target
		Workload					
Strategic Commercial and Industrial Corridors	City Government, Financially Sound, Top Quality Services	Work with Financial Advisors, Procurement, and others to obtain best terms on funding road to I-95 interchange	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Yes
Communicating, Messaging and Identity	City Government, Financially Sound, Top Quality Services	Include budget and financial update in monthly reports & quarterly presentations.		Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Working Smarter - E Government	Quality Development and Redevelopment	Budget Program improvements impacting internal staff and citizens → documentation of processes/procedures; improved hands-on training; focus on e-communication.	N/A	N/A	Yes	Yes	Yes
Communicating, Messaging and Identity	City Government, Financially Sound, Top Quality Services	Acceptance of annual Budget by Council	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Communicating, Messaging and Identity	City Government, Financially Sound, Top Quality Services	Update Accounting manual to include changes in procesess, procedures from last revision dated 9/2014	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Yes
Communicating, Messaging and Identity	City Government, Financially Sound, Top Quality Services	Complete RFP for new external audit firm per City ordinance	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Yes
Communicating, Messaging and Identity	City Government, Financially Sound, Top Quality Services	Provide access to monthly reports by 15th business day of the following month.	N/A	N/A	12	9	12
Communicating, Messaging and Identity	Quality Development and Redevelopment	Cross-train accounting staff and facilitate continued growth & learning opportunitities.	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
		Efficiency					
Basic Municipal Service Delivery	City Government, Financially Sound, Top Quality Services	Cross-train Fiscal Anaylst in functions as a backup to the Assistance Finance Director	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Yes
Basic Municipal Service Delivery	City Government, Financially Sound, Top Quality Services	Finance Department's Expenditures as a % of total of City expenses/budget	3.25%	3.19%	2.58%	2.30%	2.31%
		Effectiveness					
Basic Municipal Service Delivery	City Government, Financially Sound, Top Quality Services	Update Investment Policy where necessary and Update Cash & Investments Internal Contols and Operating Procedures	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Yes
Basic Municipal Service Delivery	City Government, Financially Sound, Top Quality Services	On-time Budget submissions from Departments	100%	83%	100%	96%	100%
City's Relationship with Citizens	City Government, Financially Sound, Top Quality Services	Compliance with all Federal, State and City laws pertaining to Passports, Business Tax Receipts, and False Alarms	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

Comparison of Fiscal Year 2018 Approved to Prior Fiscal Years:

Expenditures/Funding/Position Summaries:							
		Approved	Amended	Estimated	Approved	Approved	Approved
Department:	Actual	Budget	Budget	Year-End	Budget	to Amended	to Amended
Finance	FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2017	FY 2017	FY 2018	\$ Change	% Change
Divisions:							
Administration	442,752	499,949	503,482	499,949	522,463	18,981	3.8%
Accounting	560,134	583,130	490,261	492,761	508,318	18,057	3.7%
Purchasing and Contracts	326,046	-	-	-	-	-	
Revenue	353,703	366,142	370,157	372,136	374,001	3,844	1.0%
Total Expenditures	1,682,635	1,449,221	1,363,900	1,364,846	1,404,782	40,882	3.0%
Category							
Personnel	1,560,187	1,340,672	1,256,253	1,257,199	1,304,786	48,533	3.9%
Operating	122,448	108,549	107,647	107,647	99,996	(7,651)	-7.1%
Total Expenditures	1,682,635	1,449,221	1,363,900	1,364,846	1,404,782	40,882	3.0%
Funding Source							
General Fund	1,682,635	1,449,221	1,363,900	1,364,846	1,404,782	40,882	3.0%
Positions	22.00	17.00	16.00	16.00	16.00	-	0.0%

	Amended	Approved		
Actual	Budget	Budget	\$ Change	% Change
FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018	FY 18 to FY 17	FY 18 to FY 17
1,682,635	1,363,900	1,404,782	40,882	3.0%
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Explanation of Expenditure Changes of 10% or more

• Change from FY 17 Amended to FY 18 Approved less than 10%

Authorized Personnel	FY 16 Actual	FY 17 Approved	FY 17 Amended	FY 18 Approved
Administration Division-FT	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00
Administration Division-PT	-	=	=	-
Accounting Division-FT	7.00	7.00	6.00	6.00
Accounting Division-PT	=	=	=	-
Purchasing and Contracts Division-FT	5.00	=	=	-
Purchasing and Contracts Division-PT			-	-
Revenue Division-FT	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00
Revenue Division-PT	-	-	-	-
Finance Total	22.00	17.00	16.00	16.00

Personnel Changes

- Purchasing Division moved to stand alone Procurement department starting FY 2017
- There have not been any changes in staffing levels from FY 17 Amended to FY 18 Approved.

