Metropolitan Council

State Budget/Forecast Briefing



Council Budget Development

Unified Budget

Operating Budget

Operations
Pass-through
Debt Service
OPEB

Capital Program

Authorized Projects
Planned (6-year)
Annual Spending

| May-July | Staff - Budget Development Activities | | | | |
|---------------------------|--|--|--|--|--|
| Aug 26 (before Sept1) | Council - Adopt Preliminary Budget/Levies | | | | |
| Oct 14 | Council - Capital Program Presentation | | | | |
| Oct 28 | Council - Adopt Public Comment Draft Budget | | | | |
| Dec 09 (before Dec 20) | Council - Adopt Final Budget/Levies | | | | |



Changes From Public Comment to Final Budget Proposal

- Public Comment
 - Steps Taken to Receive Public Comment
 - Public Comment Received
- Changes to Final Budget
 - Updated MMB November MVST Forecast
 - Increase in MVST revenues for Bus Operations
 - Reduced use of reserves for Bus Operations
 - Increase to Suburban Transit Providers
 - Added federal revenue and expenses to HRA pass-through program
 - Added expenses for Livable Communities pass-through grants
 - Added expenses for Community Development for consulting services and pass-through grants
 - Slight modifications to fare revenue and expenses in Transit
 - Slight changes in fuel and technology expenses for Metropolitan Transportation Services

Motor Vehicle Sales Tax (MVST) Forecasts

State Fiscal Years

| MVST Forecast | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | 2025 |
|------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Nov 19 | \$303.4 | \$316.5 | \$332.6 | \$346.5 | | |
| Feb 20 | \$307.9 | \$317.6 | \$332.7 | \$348.0 | | |
| May/Aug 20 | \$265.2 | \$263.4 | \$328.0 | \$341.2 | | |
| Nov 20 | | \$317.2 | \$328.6 | \$339.5 | \$356.8 | \$377.6 |

Next Steps in Budget Process

- December 9 Council meeting
 - Budget will be taken up at 6:00 p.m.
 - Short presentation by Acting CFO
 - Public testimony
 - Council consideration/adoption

