#### **2022 Mayor's Proposed Budget**

City Council Budget Public Hearing Stephanie K. Adams, Budget and Management Director October 25, 2021



Coronavirus Relief Funds 2020 - 2021

Colorado Recovery Plan 2021 - 2024

#### Denver's Financial Plan for Economic Recovery

Leveraging multiple financial resources to galvanize a long-term economic recovery

American Rescue Plan Act 2021 - 2024

Elevate Denver Bond 2017 – 2027

2021 GO Bond 2021 - ~2031

Annual City Budget



# **2022 Proposed General Fund Budget** \$1.49 billion

The proposed budget primarily focuses on restoration and represents an increase over recent years:

**12.6%** increase over the 2021

budget, and a 3.8% increase over

2019 actual expenditures

**14.1%** 2022 Fund Balance

The City has a goal of a 15% fund

balance, and a minimum is 10%. The

Fund Balance for 2020 was 12.4%



## **2022 Budget Priorities**





## **Economic Recovery**



# Housing and Homelessness Resolution

## **Keeping People and Neighborhoods Safe**



## An Inclusive, Sustainable Recovery

- Supports thousands of new jobs
  - \$200 million in Infrastructure Investment
- Job training programs
  - \$6.5 million for construction careers program and training for new green jobs
- Stimulates the economy
  - \$5.7 million in marijuana revenue to establish a new business development program for small, minority- and women-owned businesses
- Protects vulnerable neighborhoods
  - Implements an Impact Investment Fund which provides 1% match for bond projects greater than \$10 million









#### **Housing Stability & Homelessness Resolution**

- General Fund and New Homelessness Resolution Fund dollars (2B) will support:
  - \$31.9 million in revenues to Affordable Housing Fund
  - \$1.7 million New Multi-Agency Affordable Housing Team
  - \$40.9 million from new Homelessness Resolution Fund:
    - Help 585 households regain housing stability
    - Create 180 additional supportive housing units
    - Fund Catalytic Developments that combine multiple uses on one site
    - Other housing supports and services, and 24-hour shelter and services
  - \$3 million to improve services for shelter guests at the 48<sup>th</sup> Avenue campus (\$8 million total)
  - \$2.8 million for 19 outreach workers for the Early Intervention Team
  - \$3.9 million for 370 new and existing units of Supportive Housing



#### **Keeping People and Neighborhoods Safe**

STAR Expansion = \$1 million (\$3.8 million total)

DSD Crisis Response Team = \$1 million

Assessment Intake Diversion Center = \$947,000 (Caring for Denver Partnership) Hire First Responder Vacancies in Sheriff, Fire, Police & 911 = \$13.6 million

Addressing Hot Spots = \$1.3 million

2 Street Enforcement Teams = \$1.4 million



## **City Council Budget Priorities** \$104.8 million in Additional 2022 Budget Investments Reflecting City Council Priorities

- **1.** Focus on evolving our community engagement and customer service to support residents navigating City services, resources and accessibility including language access.
- 2. Increase affordable housing options and support for those experiencing homelessness throughout our city. Mitigate and reduce involuntary displacement of community members and businesses.
- 3. Reframe safety in a public health, evidence-based and anti-racist approach with community investment to ensure healthy neighborhoods.
- 4. Prioritize and support the recovery, resilience and encourage innovation of our workforce, local businesses, and community organizations.
- 5. Protect our natural environment through policy and invest in communities to combat climate change.
- 6. Increase complete multimodal transportation connections throughout the city.



#### **\$2.7 Million in Additions from City Council**

Council Request	Amount Funded	Funding Source
Digital navigators	\$150,000	American Rescue Plan Act funds
Assistant City Attorney Associate	\$132,038	2022 Fund Balance
Stage for Denver Municipal Band	\$35,000	2022 DPR Budget and 2022 Fund Balance
Community Engagement Consultant	\$35,000	2022 Fund Balance
Safe Routes to School	\$1,500,000	2021 DOTI general fund savings
Office of Aging Services and Supplies	\$50,000	2022 Fund Balance
Denver Immigrant Legal Services Fund	\$250,000	2022 Fund Balance
Dedicated attorney to specialize in affordable housing	\$189,000	2022 Fund Balance
Railroad Safety Consultant	\$150,000	2022 Fund Balance
Employee assistance following traumatic events	\$250,000	2022 Fund Balance
Total	\$2,741,038	\$150,000 - ARPA \$1,066,038 - 2022 Fund Balance \$25,000 - DPR 2022 Budget \$1,5000,000 - DOTI 2021 Budget Savings



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