

**ORDINANCE NO. 26-1318**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAKE FOREST PARK, WASHINGTON, AMENDING THE ADOPTED BIENNIAL BUDGET OF THE CITY OF LAKE FOREST PARK FOR THE YEARS 2025-2026, PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY, AND ESTABLISHING AN EFFECTIVE DATE**

**WHEREAS**, State law, Chapter 35A.34 RCW, provides for the biennial adoption of the City of Lake Forest Park’s budget and provides procedures for the filing of the proposed budget, deliberations, public hearings, and final fixing of the budget; and

**WHEREAS**, a budget for fiscal years 2025-2026 was adopted by Ordinance No. 24-1299; and

**WHEREAS**, the budget maintains levels of service for most City services and makes strategic investments in areas aligned with the City Council’s strategic plan goal areas; and

**WHEREAS**, the City is required by Chapter 35A.34 RCW to review all revenues and expenditures for each fund in the adopted budget; and

**WHEREAS**, the budget for fiscal years 2025-2026 is being amended for the mid-biennial budget adjustment.

**NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAKE FOREST PARK, WASHINGTON, DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:**

**Section 1. AMENDMENT.** The 2025-2026 budget is hereby amended as follows:

Fund No.	Fund Name	January 2025 Actual Beginning Fund Balance	Original Adopted 2025-2026 Budget		Proposed 2025-2026 Amended Budget		Projected 2026 Ending Fund Balance
			Adopted Revenue	Expenditure	Revenue	Expenditure	
001	General Fund	\$ 10,316,028.28	\$ 26,110,786.57	\$ 26,992,986.49	\$ 26,797,143.71	\$ 29,591,589.75	\$ 5,921,582.24
002	Traffic Safety Fund	\$ 42,682.46	\$ 8,000,000.00	\$ 3,360,500.00	\$ 8,000,000.00	\$ 3,952,386.00	\$ 4,090,296.46
101	Street Fund	\$ 908,991.97	\$ 1,409,893.03	\$ 2,048,751.26	\$ 1,409,893.03	\$ 2,179,751.26	\$ 139,133.74
102	Council Contingency Fund	\$ 811,257.21	\$ 44,000.00	\$ -	\$ 44,000.00	\$ -	\$ 855,257.21
104	Transportation Benefit District	\$ 1,514,458.06	\$ 1,515,327.93	\$ 804,809.07	\$ 1,515,327.93	\$ 804,809.07	\$ 2,224,976.92
105	Budget Stabilization Fund	\$ 354,761.40	\$ 18,500.00	\$ -	\$ 18,500.00	\$ -	\$ 373,261.40
106	Strategic Opportunity Fund	\$ 786,353.55	\$ 554,500.00	\$ 530,000.00	\$ 1,054,500.00	\$ 1,030,000.00	\$ 2,410,853.55
301	Capital Improvement Fund	\$ 817,024.53	\$ 1,368,000.00	\$ 951,431.00	\$ 2,677,551.00	\$ 1,871,431.00	\$ 1,623,144.53
302	Transportation Capital Fund	\$ 2,912,476.83	\$ 7,562,392.62	\$ 8,720,311.00	\$ 7,562,392.62	\$ 9,167,311.00	\$ 1,307,558.45
303	Facilities Maintenance Fund	\$ 1,246,253.10	\$ 309,000.00	\$ 945,000.00	\$ 309,000.00	\$ 945,000.00	\$ 610,253.10
401	Sewer Utility Fund	\$ 1,231,461.57	\$ 8,948,058.38	\$ 8,901,291.00	\$ 9,053,058.38	\$ 9,503,366.00	\$ 781,153.95
402	Sewer Capital Fund	\$ 4,186,507.32	\$ 451,000.00	\$ 3,074,000.00	\$ 451,000.00	\$ 3,074,000.00	\$ 1,563,507.32
403	Surface Water Utility Fund	\$ 1,548,379.82	\$ 3,813,070.60	\$ 3,838,615.00	\$ 3,940,906.60	\$ 4,154,639.00	\$ 1,334,647.42
404	Surface Water Capital Fund	\$ 1,316,374.31	\$ 3,640,000.00	\$ 3,160,000.00	\$ 3,773,506.00	\$ 3,464,600.00	\$ 1,625,280.31
406	Sewer Bond Reserve	\$ 118,244.33	\$ 6,000.00	\$ -	\$ 6,000.00	\$ -	\$ 124,244.33
407	PW Trust Fund Repayment Fund	\$ 564,171.88	\$ 308,500.00	\$ 242,805.00	\$ 308,500.00	\$ 242,805.00	\$ 629,866.88
501	Replacement Fund	\$ 1,386,227.82	\$ 972,562.00	\$ 356,105.00	\$ 1,192,448.00	\$ 1,299,023.00	\$ 1,279,652.82
502	Information Technology Fund	\$ 241,337.23	\$ 450,198.00	\$ 393,500.00	\$ 450,198.00	\$ 508,500.00	\$ 183,035.23

Section 2. AMENDMENT. The 2026 Amended Budgeted Positions and Salary Schedules and full-time employee authorization are attached as Exhibit A.

Section 3. SEVERABILITY. Should any portion of this ordinance, or its application to any person or circumstance, be declared unconstitutional or otherwise invalid for any reason, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this ordinance or its application to other persons or circumstances.

Section 4. CORRECTIONS. The City Clerk is authorized to make necessary corrections to this ordinance including, but not limited to, the correction of scrivener's/clerical errors, references, ordinance numbering, section/subsection numbers and any references thereto.

Section 5. EFFECTIVE DATE. This ordinance shall take effect five (5) days after passage and publication.

**APPROVED BY A MAJORITY** of the Lake Forest Park City Council this \_\_\_ day of June 2026.

APPROVED:

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Tom French  
Mayor

ATTEST/AUTHENTICATED:

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Matt McLean  
City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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Kim Adams Pratt  
City Attorney

Introduced: \_\_\_\_\_  
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