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## **Staff Report**

To: Mayor and City Council

**Through:** Danny Roberts, City Manager

From: Natalie Warnack, Finance Director

Date: November 13, 2025

**Subject:** Audit Required Budget Amendments Fiscal Year 2025

## **RECOMMENDATION:**

We respectfully request that the Mayor and City Council authorize the required budget amendments for General Fund department 1535 (IT) and Hotel/Motel Fund.

## **FISCAL IMPLICATION:**

The fiscal impact of this will be an increase to General Fund 100-1535-542100 (Machinery & Equipment) of \$54,596.00, and Hotel/Motel Fund 275-7540-572010 (Events – Tourism) of \$68,935.59. These increases will cause these department budgets to exceed their appropriations.

## **BACKGROUND:**

Based on the preliminary draft audit of FY 6-30-2025, these audit journal entries will be required. The General Fund entry is due to a new accounting rule to record large leases on small equipment. Our copier leases exceed our threshold of \$20,000 and therefore, now have to be recorded as assets instead of general expenses. The Hotel/Motel Fund entry is at the auditor's proposal to expense events and tourism directly from the Hotel/ Motel fund.