

Wylie City Council AGENDA REPORT

Department:

Finance

Account Code:

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Subject

Consider, and act upon, approval of the FY 2022-2023 4B Budget and authorize expenditures for the FY 2022-2023 Community Services Facilities Capital Improvement Plan.

Recommendation

Motion to approve Item as presented.

Discussion

The Parks and Recreation Facilities Development Corporation was established in accordance with State law as a result of the January 15, 1994 election approving the ½ cent sales tax for parks and recreation projects. The Board of Directors for the Corporation are:

CouncilmemberDavid R. DukeCouncilmemberScott WilliamsCouncilmemberToby WallisMayorMatthew PorterPark Board MemberBrian WillefordBoard MemberEmmett JonesBoard MemberScott Hevel

As set out in the Articles of Incorporation, the Board has the power to authorize the expenditures of sales tax receipts for projects approved by the City Council. Further, the Bylaws state that "It shall be the duty and obligation of the Board to finance and implement the Community Services Facilities Capital Improvement Plan as adopted by the Wylie City Council." Bylaws further state that "The President shall submit the budget to the City Council for approval prior to submission to the Board for final adoption."

The activities of the 4B Corporation are accounted for in two fund types: 4B Sales Tax Revenue Fund and the 4B Debt Service Fund. The 4B Sales Tax Revenue Fund includes departments for the Brown House, Senior Activities, Recreation Center, Stonehaven House, and a portion of Parks and Combined Services. The proposed revenues for the FY 2022-2023 budget year are \$5,091,346 which includes an 8.8 % increase in sales tax revenue from FY 21-22. Proposed expenditures of \$4,361,637 include one irrigation technician, Pour and Play surfacing for Olde City Park, replacement of Birmingham Farms playground, drainage flume areas for Founders Park, Parks building HVAC replacement, holiday yard decorations at Olde City Park, a zero-turn mower, and two sets of soccer goals for Dodd Park. A very healthy fund balance of \$5,748,334 is projected and the fund balance policy requirement is 25% of budgeted sales tax revenue which is equal to \$1,031,037.

The 4B Debt Service Fund will make bond payments of principal and interest for FY 2022-2023 totaling \$388,050 which is supported by a transfer from the 4B Sales Tax Revenue Fund. The current outstanding debt for the 4B fund is \$1,115,000 which will be completely paid off in FY 2025.