2010 Budget Update All Other Service Areas

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Service Areas Covered

- Strategic Policy
- Arts & Culture
- Legislative Services
- Business Services & Corporate Assets
- Council
- Financial Transactions

Major Initiatives

- 2011-2012 Business Plan 2010
- Implementation of Culture Master Plan
- 2010 Municipal Election
- Management of ISF Projects
- HST Implementation
- Economic Development Master Plan

2010 Operating Budget Increase for "All Other Services"

SERVICE (\$'000's)	2009 Budget (\$000's)	2010 Budget (\$000's)	Change \$ (\$000's)	City Tax Impact %
ARTS & CULTURE	2,630	2,684	55	0.0%
BUSINESS SERVICES	41,958	43,520	1,562	0.5%
CORPORATE ASSETS	17,838	18,337	500	0.2%
FINANCIAL TRANSACTIONS	29,806-	33,010-	-3,204	-1.1%
LEGISLATIVE SERVICES	1,450-	1,696-	-245	-0.1%
COUNCIL	3,955	4,074	119	0.0%
STRATEGIC POLICY	4,660	4,755	95	0.0%
TOTAL SERVICE REQUEST	39,783	38,665	-1,118	-0.4%
Impact on Total Tax Bill - Residential				-0.1%

Summary of Proposed Program Changes

SERVICE (\$'000's)	Program Additions (\$000's)	New Revenues (\$000's)	Program Reductions (\$000's)	Efficiencies (\$000's)
ARTS & CULTURE			-6	
BUSINESS SERVICES	25	-430	-605	-7
CORPORATE ASSETS	0	-18	-55	-13
FINANCIAL TRANSACTIONS	20	50	0	-852
LEGISLATIVE SERVICES	0	-17	-135	0
COUNCIL	0	0	-27	0
STRATEGIC POLICY	105	0	-171	0
TOTAL SERVICE REQUEST	150	-414	-998	-872

Highlights of 2010 Budget Adjustments

		(millions)		
•	Labour Adjustment	\$2.5		
•	Net Taxation Program	(\$1.0)		
	 Assessment & tax appeals, vacancy rebates 			
	 Tax interest and Penalty Revenue 			
	 Net reduction in transfer to Assessment Appeal 			
•	Payments In Lieu of Taxes	(\$0.5)		
•	New Mortgage Administration Fee	(\$0.4)		
•	Enersource Dividend	(\$0.3)		
•	21 smaller reductions	(\$0.8)		

Highlights of 2010 Budget

No Tax Impacts

- Elections Costs of \$1.8 million funded from Reserve for Election
- Increase to arts grants of \$0.2 million offset by reduced transfers to Reserve for Arts
- Funding for ISF Project Delivery Costs recovered from Capital
- Investment income maintained with new investment strategy
- Establishment of the Project Management Support Office including 2 staff recovered from Capital

Capital Spending

Service	2010 Request (\$000's)	2010-2019 Request (\$000's)
Business Services Corporate Assets	10,031 14,973	92,583 134,029
Total Request	25,004	226,612

Business Services:

Focus on maintaining and developing the City's Information Technology infrastructure and related applications to support service delivery

Corporate Assets:

Focus on maintenance and rehabilitation of the City's building stock to support service delivery

2010 Capital Budget Highlights

Business Services

New Initiatives

New applications and technology solutions to enhance City business operations, administrative processes and improving and updating financial systems

Maintain IT Infrastructure and Growth

8.3

(\$ Million)

Network infrastructure and Service Management

- Plan, design and build an IT disaster readiness site
- Wireless internet access within City facilities and City outdoor
- WIFI mesh network for municipal use
- Replacement of IT hardware, phones, PC's and various applications
- sustainable program to maintain security, stability and vendor support for all business systems

2010 Capital Budget Highlights

Corporate Assets

(\$ Million)

Lifecycle Maintenance

9.0

Maintenance of existing infrastructure to maintain current service levels

-Heating, ventilation and air conditioning; and electrical, mechanical, roofing and structural systems

Corporate Asset Initiatives

6.0

Enhance city capacity to meet increasing community needs and changing legislative and economic climate

-Accessibility updates, energy management and space planning

Questions