Marina Fund / DBW Loan Update

Budget & Finance Committee June 22, 2023

- Marina Fund: FY 24 Fund Balance Gap
- Additional DBW Loan Conditions

Marina Fund- FY24 Gap

- 1. ARPA Funds in FY22 and FY23
- 2. June 22 projection of \$1.4M gap in FY24
- 3. Current projection of \$800K in FY24





Council Action in May of 2022

Recommendations:

- 1. Cover trash pick-up in 218 process not possible
- 2. Exclude costs of street repairs minimal
- 3. \$1.5M from GF to MF for FY24 gap



Possible MF Reductions / Cost Shifts

1. Deferral of South Cove West Parking Project \$450K

- Loss of \$900K project
- 2. Deferral of South Cove Dredging Planning (Council Referral and Priority) \$350K
- 3. Reduction in Vacant FTEs (\$275K, \$137.5K each)
 - Waterfront office staff already down 1 career employee, cut MA in 2014
 - Closure of the marina office and service implications

4. External Options

- Using CIP fund for staff- \$310K
- Using CIP project funds- Cost shifting \$350k
- Parks Tax Cost shift 2 Landscape Gardeners (\$267K, \$133.5K each). Only sustainable for 1 year.

DBW Loan History

4 Previous Loans:

- 1. 1964 New docks, roads, parking and building
- 2. 1971- New docks, restrooms and parking
- 3. 1985 Docks, road realignment, utilities
- 4. 2001 B&C docks, restroom, dredging



Current DBW Loan

- 1. Summary of process
 - Application in 2019 for D&E dock replacement
 - DBW approves in 2020
 - City approves agreement in March 2021
- 2. Status of project and process
 - Ready to access loan (90% design)
 - DBW staff requiring additional loan conditions, given status of Marina Fund

New Loan Conditions: 6 Options

- 1. DBW Option A \$2M Marina Subaccount
- 2. DBW Option B Restructure Marina Fund
- 3. DBW Option C \$2M Escrow Account
- 4. DBW Option D Surety Bond on \$5.5M (\$250k-\$375k)
- 5. DBW Option E Loan Cancellation
- 6. City Option Possible Internal Loan: Marina Fund to pay back



DBW Loan Next Steps

DBW <u>virtual Commission Meeting</u>

1pm on Friday, June 23rd

DBW staff to make final decision in several weeks



Conclusion

- 1. Marina Fund is improving
- 2. Need to fill budget gap for FY24
- 3. Need direction on DBW loan options

