



CITY OF SANTA BARBARA

COUNCIL AGENDA REPORT

AGENDA DATE: May 23, 2011
TO: Mayor and Councilmembers
FROM: Administration Division, Finance Department
SUBJECT: Proposed Two-Year Financial Plan For Fiscal Years 2012 And 2013

RECOMMENDATION:

That Council hear a presentation from the Fire Department on its recommended budget as contained in the Proposed Two-Year Financial Plan for Fiscal Years 2012 and 2013.

DISCUSSION:

In connection with City Council's review of the Proposed Two-Year Financial Plan for Fiscal Years 2012 And 2013, eleven public hearing dates have been scheduled during which City departments will present their respective budgets and City Council make final decisions prior to adoption. All eleven meetings have been publicly noticed and are special budget work sessions scheduled separately from the regularly scheduled City Council meetings held on Tuesdays. At the work sessions, members of the public are encouraged to attend and will have the opportunity to make comment and provide feedback on any aspect of the Proposed Plan.

At the special budget work sessions and public hearings held to date, Council heard presentations from General Fund administrative departments, Community Development, including the Redevelopment Agency, Library, Public Works, Parks and Recreation, Airport, Waterfront, Finance's Solid Waste division, and Police.

At today's budget work session, scheduled from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., Council will hear a budget presentation from the Fire Department.

The next scheduled budget work session is scheduled on Thursday, June 2, 2011 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. when Council will receive the Finance Committee budget adjustments and begin its own budget deliberations.

The Schedule of Council Budget Review Meetings and Public Hearings is included as an attachment to this report.

ATTACHMENT: Schedule of Council Budget Review Meetings and Public Hearings

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APPROVED BY: City Administrator's Office

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Two-Year Financial Plan for Fiscal Years 2012 and 2013

**Schedule of Council Budget Review Meetings
and Public Hearings**

MEETING	DATE	BUDGET AGENDA ITEM(S)
SPECIAL WORKSESSION AND PUBLIC HEARING #1	Thurs, April 21, 2011 1:30 – 4:30 pm Council Chambers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Open Budget Public Hearing ➤ <u>Department Budget Presentations for:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Finance - Non-Departmental - Administrative Services - City Attorney - City Administrator's Office - Mayor & Council
SPECIAL WORKSESSION AND PUBLIC HEARING #2	Mon, May 2, 2011 1:30 – 4:30 pm Council Chambers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ <u>Department Budget Presentations for:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Community Development / Redevelopment Agency - Library
SPECIAL WORKSESSION AND PUBLIC HEARING #3	Thurs, May 5, 2011 10:00 am – 1:00 pm Council Chambers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ <u>Department Budget Presentation for:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Public Works
SPECIAL WORKSESSION AND PUBLIC HEARING #4	Mon, May 9, 2011 6:00 – 9:00 pm Council Chambers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ <u>Department Budget Presentation for:</u> Parks & Recreation (including Creeks and Golf Funds)
SPECIAL WORKSESSION AND PUBLIC HEARING #5	Thurs, May 12, 2011 9:00 am – 12:00 pm Council Chambers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ <u>Department Budget Presentations for:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Airport - Waterfront - Solid Waste Fund (Finance)
SPECIAL WORKSESSION AND PUBLIC HEARING #6	Mon, May 16, 2011 6:00 – 8:00 pm Council Chambers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ <u>Department Budget Presentation for:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Police

<p>SPECIAL BUDGET WORKSESSION AND PUBLIC HEARING #7</p>	<p>Mon, May 23, 2011 6:00 – 8:00 pm Council Chambers</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ <u>Department Budget Presentation for:</u> - Fire
<p>SPECIAL BUDGET WORKSESSION AND PUBLIC HEARING #9</p>	<p>Thurs, June 2, 2011 9:00 am – 12:00 pm Council Chambers</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Finance Committee Budget Recommendations to Council ➤ Council Budget Deliberations
<p>SPECIAL BUDGET WORKSESSION AND PUBLIC HEARING #10</p>	<p>Mon, June 6, 2011 2:00 – 5:00 pm Council Chambers</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Continue Council Budget Deliberations (if needed)
<p>SPECIAL BUDGET WORKSESSION AND PUBLIC HEARING #11</p>	<p>Thurs, June 9, 2011 9:00 am – 12:00 pm Council Chambers</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Final Council Budget Deliberations ➤ Close Budget Public Hearing ➤ Final Council Budget Direction to Staff
<p>REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING</p>	<p>Tues, June 14, 2011 Afternoon session Council Chambers</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Prop. 218 Hearing on Proposed Increases to Water, Wastewater and Solid Waste Rates
<p>REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING</p>	<p>Tues, June 21, 2011 Afternoon session Council Chambers</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Budget Adoption