City of Salinas

FY 2011-12 Budget Update and Request for Authorization to Issue Layoff Notices

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FY 2011-12 Budget Update

Background

Past three years, declining revenues, budget reductions and revenue alternatives have been in constant discussion

City Council has implemented many strategic budget balancing solutions

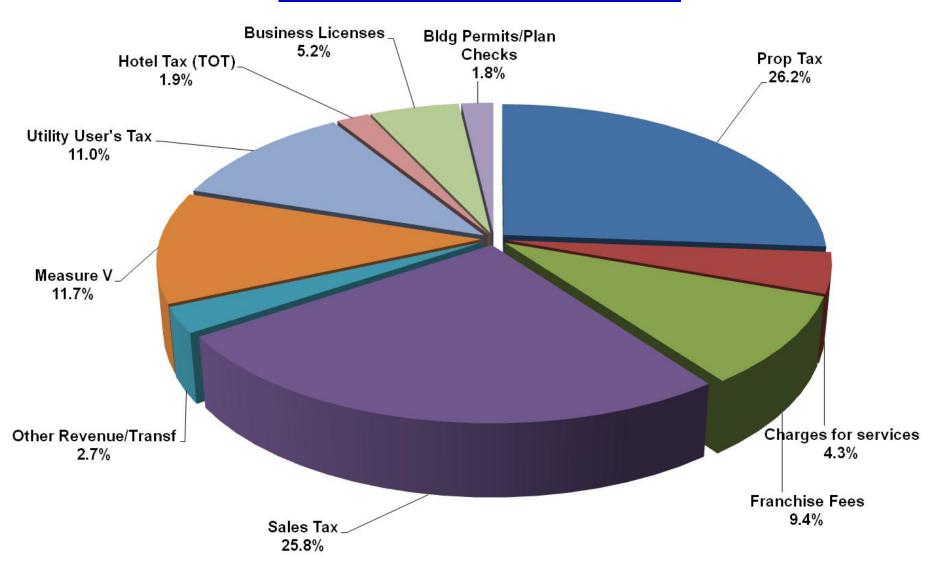
Past two budget cycles;

- 21% of the City's workforce has been eliminated (137 positions)
- Employees agreed to concessions ranging from 7.5% to 18%

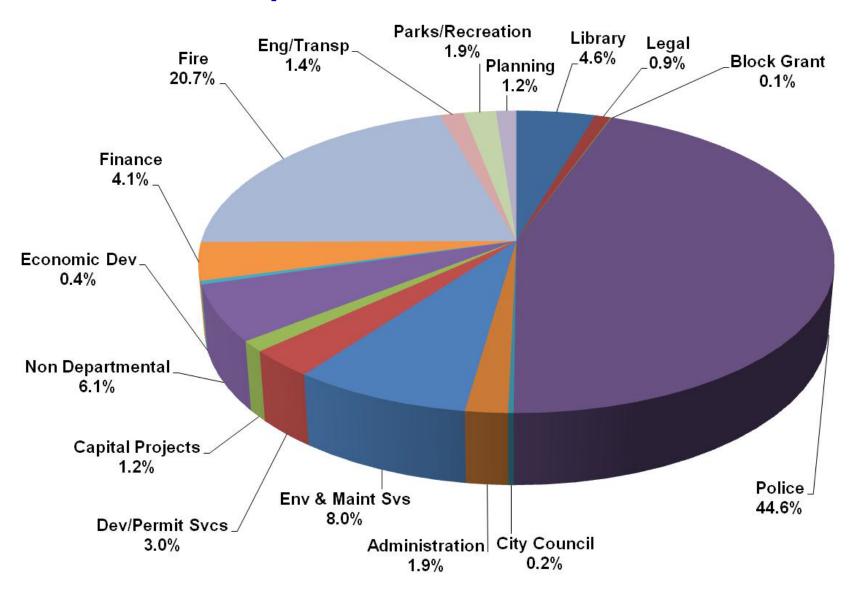
FY 2011-12, three months from now, the City faces a \$7.1 million budget shortfall

FY 2011-12 General Fund & Measure V

Revenue \$79.2 million



FY 2011-12 General Fund/Measure V Budget By Department \$86.3 million



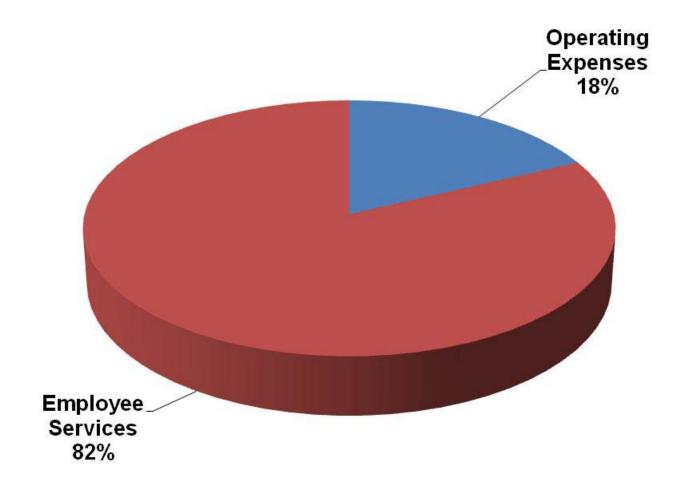
General Fund/Measure V

Next Year's FY 2011-12 Budget

Projected Budget shortfall - \$7.1 million

- Concessions/deferred salary increases \$2.9 million
- CalPERS retirement costs \$1.3 million
- Worker's Compensation \$1.7 million
- Health Insurance \$900,000
- Unemployment Insurance \$500,000
- NGEN Radio System \$600,000

FY 2011-12 General Fund & Measure V Employee Services/Operating Expenses \$86.3 million

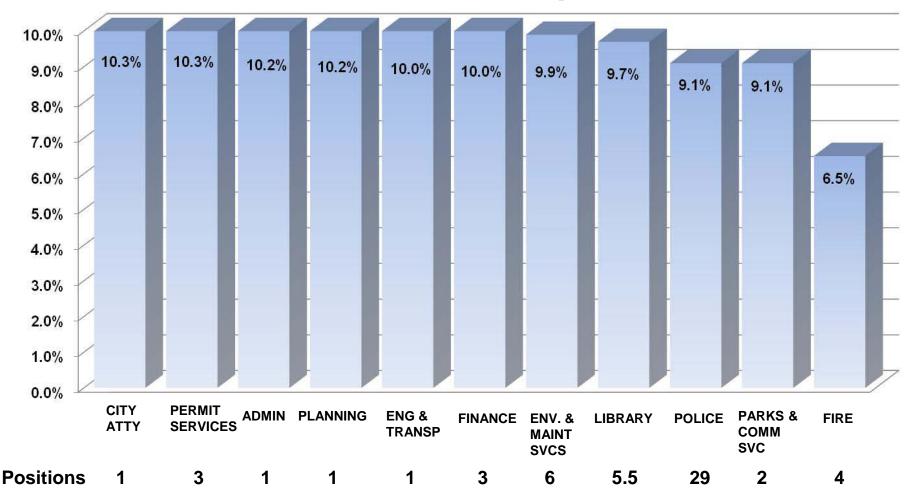


Budget reductions Past Two Years (FY 2009-10 & 2010-11)



General Fund/Measure V FY 2011-12 Possible Budget Reductions by Department/Divisions

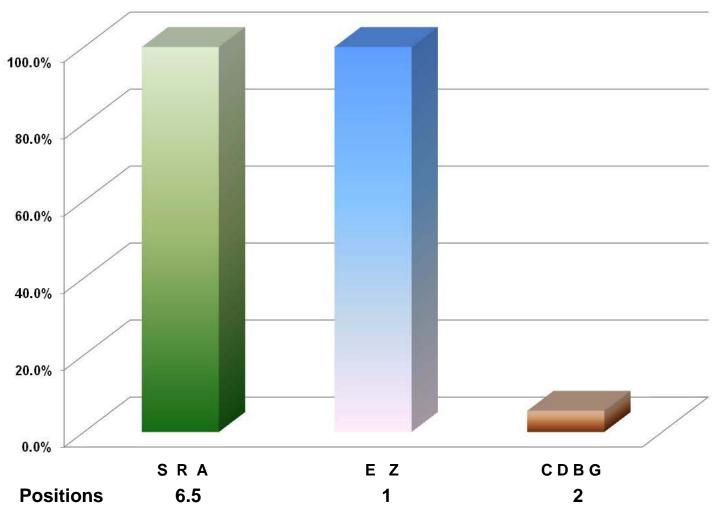
- \$ 6.9 million (56.5 positions)



FY 2011-12 Additional Possible Budget Reductions

Salinas Redevelopment Agency
Salinas Valley Enterprise Zone
Community Development Block Grant & HOME





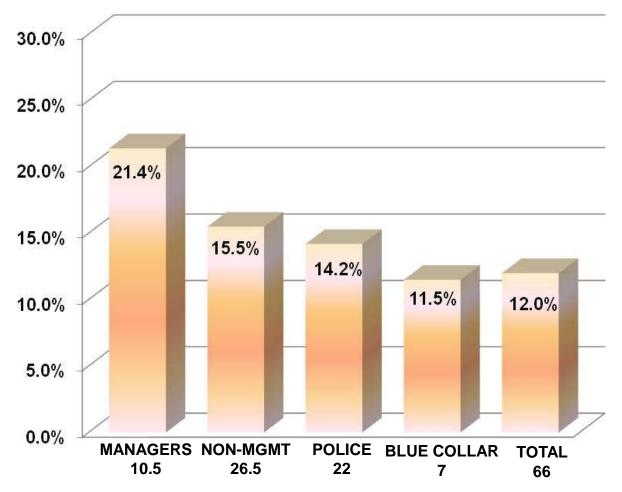
FY 2011-12 Summary of List of Positions to Receive Layoff Notices

Bargaining Group	Number of Positions	Percent of Positions in Group	Dollar Value
SEIU Crew Supervisors	2	25.0%	228,923
Association of Management Personnel	9.5	23.3%	1,131,320
Salinas Police Officers Association	20	16.0%	3,043,086
Salinas Municipal Employees Association	25.5	15.6%	1,924,014
Confidential Management	1	12.5%	167,500
Confidential Miscellaneous Employees	1	12.5%	81,061
SEIU - Blue Collar	5	9.4%	391,191
Salinas Police Management Association	2	6.5%	411,783
Fire Supervisors Association			
International Association of Firefighters (Paramedic Premium Pay 12.5%)			377,500
Total	66		7,756,378

Note: Two Dept Directors have been reclassified to lower level manager positions.

Positions to Receive Layoff Notices

Summary by Employee Class - FY 2011-12



Note: Two Department Directors have been reclassified to lower level manager positions Firefighters (27) will be notified that paramedic premium pay (12.5%) could be eliminated

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Conclusion

Budget shortfalls of \$7.1 million are projected in FY 2011-12 and \$8.5 million in FY 2012-13

Avery Report recommends; "In the short-term, the City will need to negotiate salary and benefit reductions as one of the few remaining areas for cost reduction."

Concessions and additional equally distributed pay reductions that are currently being discussed with employee bargaining groups would resolve the shortfalls projected in both FY 2011-12 and FY 2012-13.

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Recommendation

The City Council and Agency Board are asked to;

- 1) Approve the Resolution adopting the FY 2011-12 List of Positions to Receive Layoff Notices, and authorize staff to begin the layoff process, and
- 2) Direct staff to continue appropriate concession bargaining negotiations with employee labor groups in an amount sufficient to eliminate the requirement to lay off employees.