

### City of Evansville

2018 Proposed Budget

Monday, August 15

### 2018 Budget Process



Balanced Budget

Solid Financial Position

Collaborative
Budget Process
with City Council

### 2018 Budget Goals





costs while also addressing health care that will meet the needs of our City, **Propose Balanced Budget** 



### Invest in Our Transportation Infrastructure:

- Repair our roads
- Fix drainage problems
- Improve accessibility



### 2018 Budget Goals



emergencies residents and respond to tools needed to protect our Provide public safety with



status with the American Zoo and Aquarium Association (AZA) **Botanic Garden accreditation** Protect Mesker Park Zoo &



## 2018 Budget Goals con't

Continue success of the Land Bank Blight Elimination program

Make continued progress with federally mandated Combined Sewer Integrated Overflow Control Plan (IOCP):

\$ 729 million over the next24 1/2 years







### Budget Summary



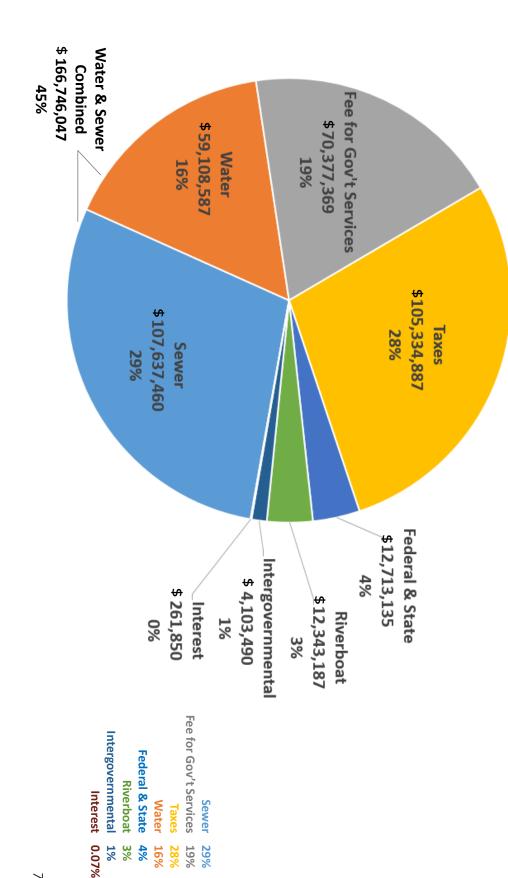
\$82,581,102	\$84,429,902	Expenses
\$82,726,002	\$84,684,598	Revenue
2017	2018	
nd	General Fund	

\$140,439,909	\$164,101,180	Expenses
\$143,870,435	\$166,746,047	Revenue
2017	2018	
	Utility	

C	<b>Combined Total Budget</b>	Budget
	2018	2017
Revenue	\$371,879,965	\$345,520,963
Expenses	\$368,411,696	\$345,066,966

## 2018 Proposed Budget REVENUES

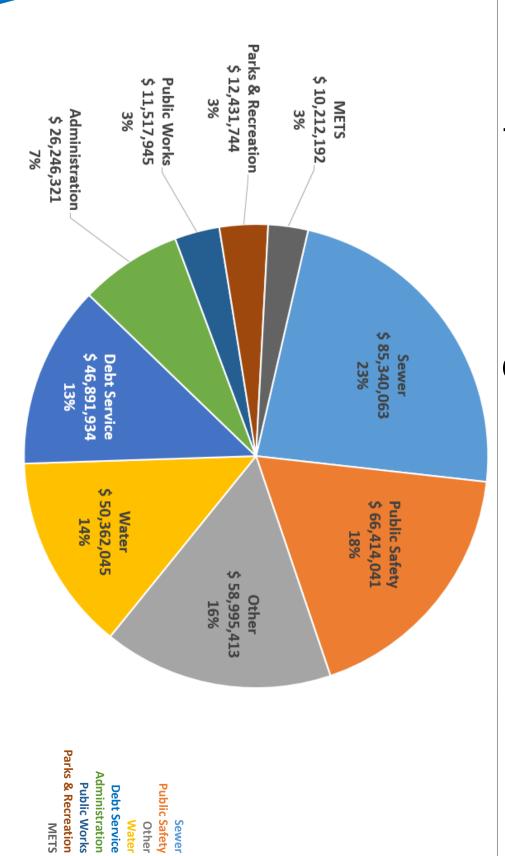




3% 4% 16% 19%

# 2018 Proposed Budget EXPENDITURES





METS

3%

**Debt Service** 

13% 7%

Water Other

14% 16% **Public Safety** 

Sewer

### **Budget Cost Drivers**





## Status of Health Coverage



## Actions taken in 2017 to reduce cost include:

Changes to Plan design.

resulted in change in Rx vendors, which provided discounted pricing below current costs and increased manufacturers' prescription drug rebates to the City.

Implemented prescription drug clinical programs that ensures appropriateness of drugs at a lower cost.

prescription drug program that provides prescription drugs at discounted rates that are lower than traditional pharmacy distribution channels.

Negotiated a rate hold on City's reinsurance and fixed cost.

## Status of Health Coverage con't



## Actions taken in 2017 to reduce cost include:

company, which has lowered dental claims cost.

#### **Currently:**

Conducting a medical plan RFP (evaluating self-funded and fully insured options) for an effective date of Jan 1, 2018, to further efforts of cost reduction while providing high-quality medical, dental and vision benefits for City associates.

#### **Currently:**

Evaluating clinic operations to identify cost reduction opportunities.

### General Fund Notes



Reduction of pay to Boards & Commissions members

Savings through Attrition

Cross-training between EPA and Building Commission

Rate increase from Evansville-Vanderburgh County Building Authority

> 1%-2% Pay Increases

Bosse Field Investment

## 2018 Key Capital Projects



### **Public Safety**

• \$373,300

10 New Police Vehicles

**\$54,800** 

Evansville Fire Department Quartermaster System for inventory and issuance of new firefighter protective gear

• \$400,000

Finalize the Central Dispatch communications system upgrade





## 2018 Key Capital Projects con't



### Infrastructure

### • \$1.6 million

Blight Elimination and Trash/Debris Removal through coordination between Evansville-Vanderburgh Building Commission and Land Bank's acquisition and demolition programs

#### • \$2 million

Street Resurfacing and Drainage

#### • \$175,000

Purchase new Road Grader for Street Maintenance Department





## 2018 Key Capital Projects con't



### Water & Sewer Utility

### \$ 2.4 million

Design of the East Plant (Sewer)

### \$3.7 million

Stations throughout the City (Sewer) Replacement and rehabilitation of Lift

### \$ 2.8 million

improvements to the Distribution System (Water) Line rehabilitation and annual





## 2018 Key Capital Projects con't



### **Quality of Life**

#### \* \$650,000

Pigeon Creek Greenway Indiana HI-rail acquisition for trail expansion

#### **\$570,000**

1 transit bus and 1 mobility bus leveraged with state and federal funds

#### • \$460,000

Initial construction of the new Humboldt Penguin exhibit at Mesker Park Zoo and Botanic Garden





## Goals - 2018 & Beyond







### Next Steps



Departments
Present then
Answer
Questions

Continued
Dialogue
is
Important

Budget
Amendments
September 11

Final
Budget
Vote
October 9