



CITY OF DOVER, NEW HAMPSHIRE FY2020 PROPOSED BUDGET



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THE BUDGET BOOK

- Budget Analysis
- Economic & Financial Condition
- Budget and Rate Summaries
- Appropriation Detail
- Debt & CIP Information
- Finance & Accounting Policies



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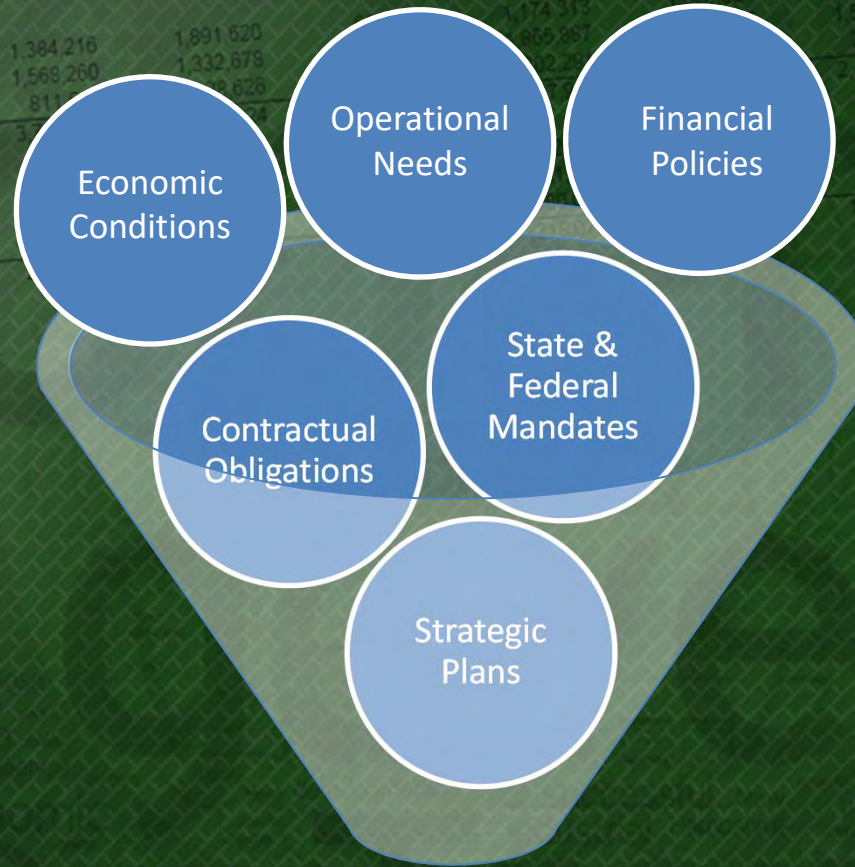
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Budget Considerations



Proposed Budget



FY2020 Proposed Budget

All Funds	Proposed	\$ Change	% Change
General Fund	\$120,693,964	\$5,165,417	4.5%
Special Revenue Funds	13,491,299	219,160	1.7%
Proprietary Funds	17,130,417	555,811	3.4%
Total	\$151,315,680	\$5,940,388	4.1%



Tax Cap

Analysis of Tax Cap - FY 2020 Budget

City of Dover, NH

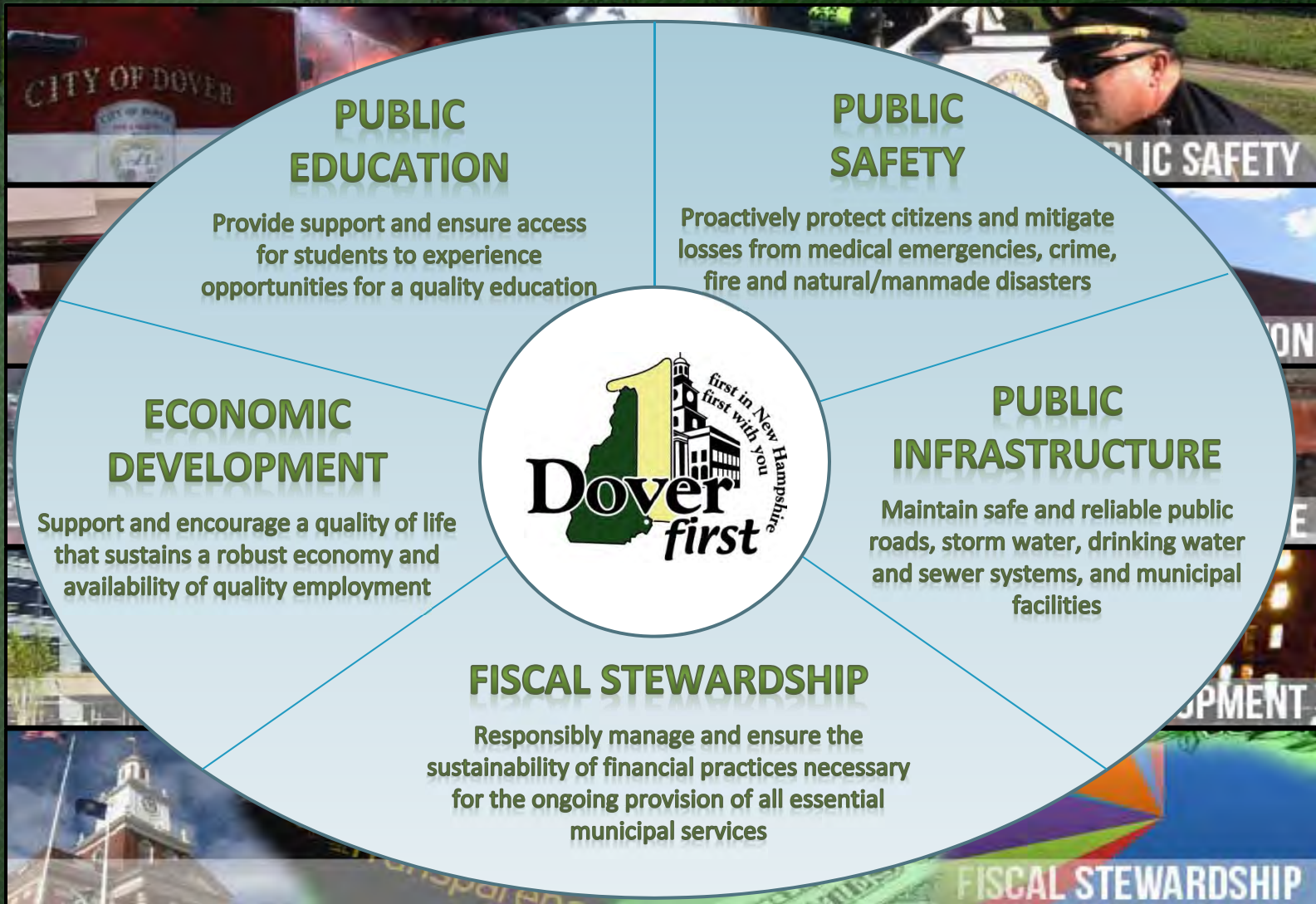
Calculated as of 1/28/2019

Property Tax Related Components
of General Fund Budget

		City Portion	School Portion	State Portion	County Portion	Total
A.	Prior Fiscal Year Net Amount Raised by Taxes (Certified FY2019 Tax Levy):	\$31,699,832	\$37,509,751	\$6,945,209	\$8,997,362	\$85,152,154
B.	Multiplied by INCREASE in Boston CPI Urban - CPI-U (Average of 2016, 2017 and 2018 Calendar Year 12 month percent change, not seasonally adjusted, 1982-84 base year)	2.43%	2.43%			
C.	Subtotal (A x B =)	\$770,306	\$911,487			
D.	Prior April 1 to March 31 Net Construction/Demolition Permit Value:	\$30,000,000	\$30,000,000			
E.	Multiplied by Prior Fiscal Year Tax Rate (Actual):	\$9.37	\$10.88			
F.	Subtotal (D x E =)	\$281,100	\$326,400			
G.	Increase Allowed for FY2020 Tax Levy (C + F =):	\$1,051,406	\$1,237,887			
H.	FY2020 Amount allowed to be Raised by Taxes (Capped Tax Levy) (A + G =):	\$32,751,238	\$38,747,638			
I.	FY2020 Amount to be Raised by Taxes (Estimated Tax Levy):	\$32,751,238	\$38,747,638	\$7,036,198	\$9,297,806	\$87,832,880
M.	Budget Increase Allowed per Estimated Capped Tax Levy (H-A):	\$1,051,406	\$1,237,887	\$90,989	\$300,444	\$2,680,726



Strategic Priorities





Core Municipal Services



General Government

- City Council
- Executive
- Finance
- Planning & Community Development



Public Safety

- Police
- Fire & Rescue



Public Works

- Community Services



Culture and Recreation

- Recreation
- Public Library



Human Services

- Public Welfare



Education

- SAU Office
- High School
- Career Tech
- Bellamy Acad.
- Middle School
- Garrison
- Horne Street
- Woodman Park

Strategic Priorities Are Integrated Across All Functional Service Areas



Budgeting Priorities

- Mandated to provide program
- Cost recovery of program/activity
- Change in demand for service
- Reliance on municipal government for service



Contract Services

- Road and Utility Construction
- Solid Waste & Recycling
- Turf Management
- HVAC Facility Repairs
- Specialized Legal Services
- Technical and Other Consulting



Significant Adjustments

- Public Education
- Public Safety
- Environmental Concerns
- Pavement Management
- Public Transit Funding
- Staffing Needs/Labor Market Conditions
- Public Welfare and Homeless Services



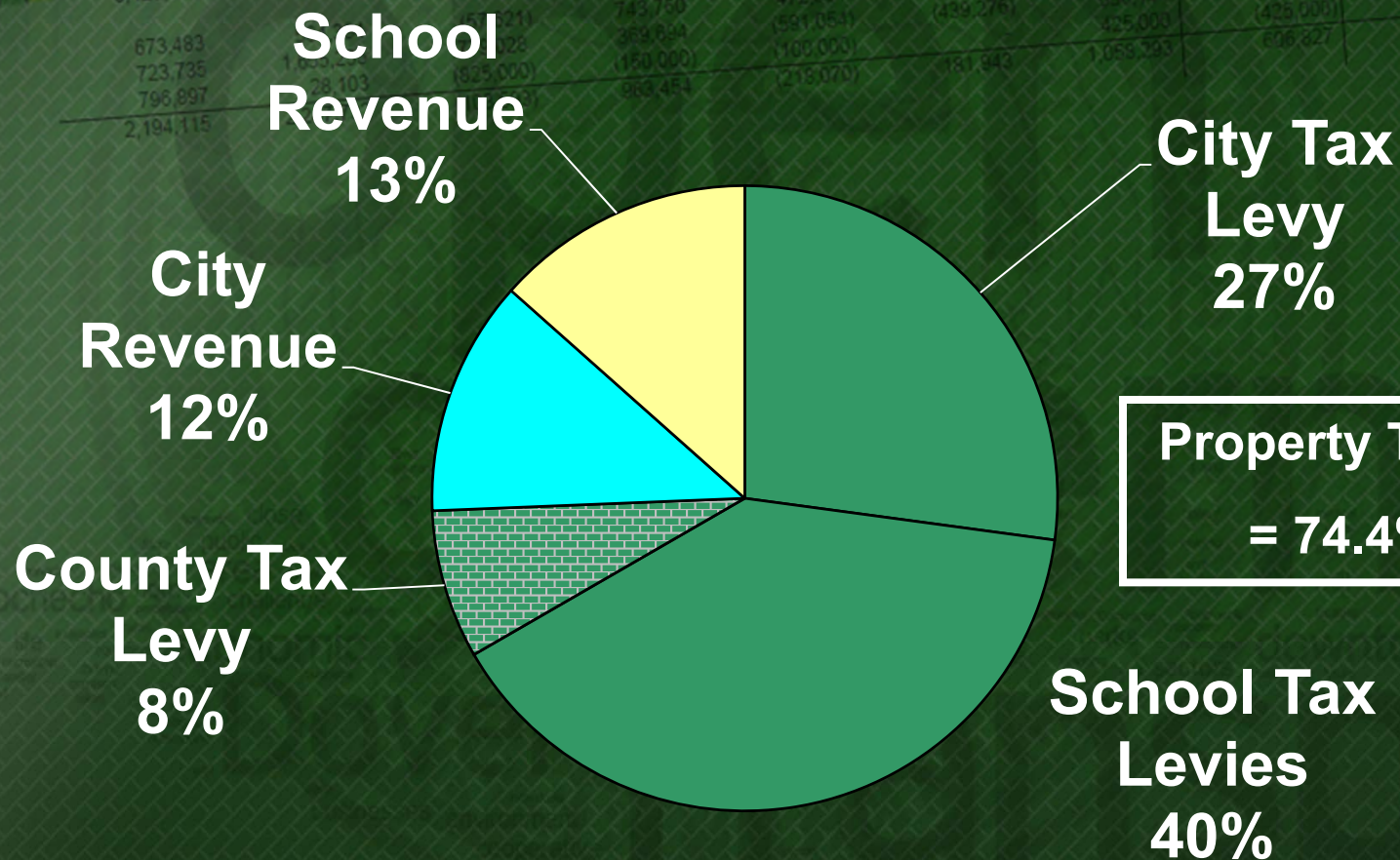
Other Adjustments

- Continued non-tax revenue growth
- Education non-tax revenue increase
- Water/Sewer utility rate increase
- Activity/program fee adjustments



General Fund

Total Estimated Revenue \$120,693,964





General Fund

Total Proposed Expense \$120,693,964

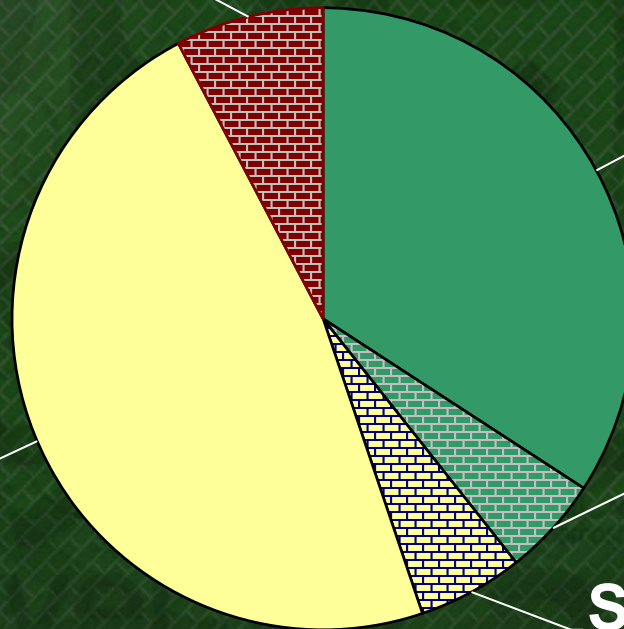
**County Tax
8%**

**City
Departments
34%**

**School
Department
47%**

**City Debt
Service
5%**

**School
Debt
Service
6%**





Property Tax Rates

FY2020	Estimated Rate
City	\$9.59
School - Local	11.70
School - State	2.06
County	2.67
Total	\$26.02



Property Tax Bill

Avg. Residential = \$286,680	FY20 Estimate	\$ Change	% Change
City	\$2,749	\$63	2.4%
School	\$3,945	\$235	6.4%
County	\$765	\$17	2.4%
Total Property Tax Bill	\$7,459	\$315	4.4%

Anticipated Garrison Debt Obligation Net Tax Levy Impact = \$66 of School tax bill increase
 Proposed School Operations/Other Net Tax Levy Impact = \$169 of School tax bill increase

