

## **Finance Committee**

# Briefing on the 2021 Preliminary Operating Budget

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#### **Title**

Briefing on the 2021 Preliminary Operating Budget

# Recommended Action

## **Committee Recommendation:**

Not referred to a committee.

#### **City Manager Recommendation:**

Receive a briefing on the 2021 Preliminary Operating Budget. Briefing only; No action requested.

# Report

#### Issue:

Whether to receive a briefing on the Preliminary 2021 Preliminary Operating Budget including revenues, expenses and highlights.

#### **Staff Contact:**

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#### Presenter(s):

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#### **Background and Analysis:**

The 2021 Preliminary Operating Budget was presented to City Council at the October 20 meeting. The COVID-19 global pandemic has brought unprecedented challenges to our community, neighborhood, businesses and economy. Staff will review how the pandemic changed this year's budget process and the steps taken to present a balanced preliminary budget.

### Neighborhood/Community Interests (if known):

N/A

#### Options:

1. Receive a briefing on the 2021 Preliminary Operating Budget. Accept information without

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further action.

2. Request additional information for staff to bring back to Finance Committee for further discussion.

# **Attachments:**

None