

# Council President's Budget Amendments

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### Affordable Housing & Homeless Solutions

- 1. Leverage **state and other funding for affordable housing** for
  - a. Community land trusts and housing cooperatives,
  - b. Transitional aged youth ages 16-24,
  - c. Motels/hotels for housing, and
  - d. Support homeless interventions on public land, including the former Oakland Army Base.
- 2. Create a **rental registry** to support compliance with the City's renter protection laws.
- 3. Provide **sanitation to over 100 encampments** while expediting affordable housing for the unhoused.
- 4. Establish a Homelessness and Encampment Management Response Task Force
  - a. 4 new FTE positions focused on homelessness and case management to serve and transition unhoused people into housing.

#### **Public Safety & Violence Prevention**

- Invest \$17.3M in the Department of Violence Prevention
  - A community-centered workforce of violence interrupters and community ambassadors.
  - Deeper investment in gender-based violence interventions.
- Stand up MACRO alternative responders with additional \$3.6M.
- **Independent Audit** of Police Department to ensure public dollars are being effectively spent.
- Shift \$18M from Police Department to Department of Violence Prevention & MACRO.
  - Year 1: Maintain 2 police academies; transition period for alternative responses
  - Year 2: Maintain traffic enforcement through existing squad and overtime, freeze new and vacant sworn officer positions
  - Focus & improve 911 response to serious & violent crime through existing Beat Officers,
     Community Resource Officers & Crime Reduction Teams, along with 4 existing TAC Teams.
  - Prioritize filling officer positions focused on serious and violent crime, including CEASEFIRE and investigative positions

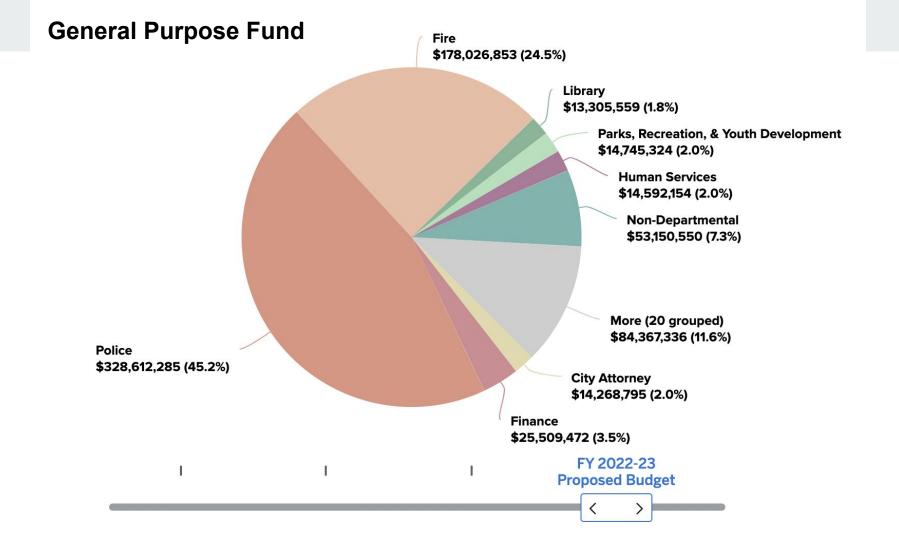
### **Good Jobs & Vibrant Economy**

- \$300,000 in **small business** support for facade improvements, repairs, flex streets support, including parklets.
- \$1.5M in **cultural affairs** grants, festival support
  - Add 1 FTE position to the Cultural Affairs Division.
- \$1.5M in workforce development, training and placement
- \$250,000 in the **Black Arts Movement and Business District** (BAMBD).
  - \$500,000 for a feasibility study for renovations of the Malonga Center
  - \$30,000 for the Fire Alarm Building (proposed site for the Museum of Jazz and Art).
- 4 FTE **Workplace & Employment Officers** in the Department of Workplace and Enforcement Standards to enforce existing worker protections in Oakland.

### Clean, Healthy & Sustainable Neighborhoods

- Restore 13.5 FTE crossing guards at our schools.
- Restore 4 environmental enforcement officers to address illegal dumping.
- Restore dozens of part-time workers to ensure our parks return to pre-COVID levels of operations.
- Pilot a 25 member Parks Ambassadors program of part-time staff to serve parks citywide.
- Expand hours of operation at the Chavez Branch Library to Sundays, 9am to 5pm.
- Reopen San Antonio Park Recreation Center with two staff and park repairs.
- Invest Measure Q in parks maintenance and services across the city.
  - \$1.2 million remains for the Council to allocate through this budget process.
- Invest \$500,000 through Measure HH in community food cards.
- Invest \$250,000 in emergency preparedness + \$1M in wildfire prevention.

## **State and Federal Budget Updates**



### Measures of Safety / Police Dept. Success

 How strong is our community safety infrastructure of violence prevention, youth programs, housing, jobs, arts & culture, etc.?

#### 2. OPD:

- Goal focus on response to 911 calls and solving serious and violent crime
- How well are we responding to priority calls for service (911)?
- How well are we solving serious and violent crimes / What are our clearance rates?
- What are the outcomes of our academies, and what is our attrition rate?

### Indicators of Safety / Police Dept. Success

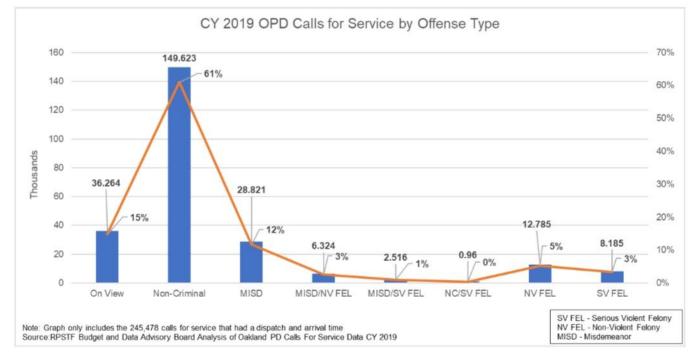
- 1. Focused 911 response to serious & violent calls for service (non-violent, non-criminal calls diverted to MACRO alternative crisis responders or 311)
- 2. Increased response times (911)
- 3. Higher clearance rates (for solving serious & violent crime)
- 4. Higher officer retention and academy graduation rates

### Indicators of Safety: How are we doing?

Half of our police resources are spent on Patrol (responding to 911 calls) where 75% of those calls are non-criminal.

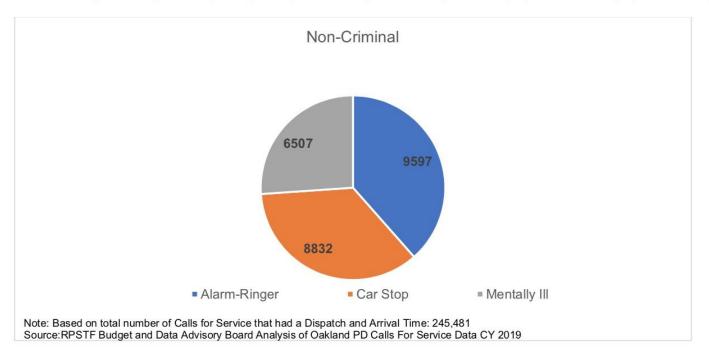
#### CALENDAR YEAR 2019 OPD CALLS FOR SERVICE BY OFFENSE TYPE

(Only Calls w/Dispatch and Arrival Time)



#### Indicators of Safety: How are we doing?

#### TOP THREE OPD CALLS FOR SERVICE BY CATEGORY DESCRIPTION



#### Indicators of Safety: How are we doing?

2019 OPD Clearance Rate for Homicide: 53%, Rape: 16%, Aggravated Assault: 11%, Robbery: 6%, Burglary: 2.2%

UCR Part 1 Crimes	Incidents Reported to UCR in 2019		Count of Calls (Officer Arrived On-scene)	Lower Bound Overall Officer Time (Sum of Δ Dispatch to Close)	Upper Bound Overall Officer Time (# of units x Sum of Δ Dispatch to Close)	Lower Bound Average Officer Time (Avg \Dispatch to Close)	Upper Bound Average Officer Time (# of units x Avg Δ Dispatch to Close)	11 Year Clearance Average	5 Year Clearance Average	2019 Clearance Rate
Violent - Homicide	78	41	21	375 hrs	6830 hrs	17 hr 52 min	325 hr 16 min	47%	49%	53%
Violent - Rape	372	61	390	2065 hrs	5097 hrs	5 hr 17 min	13 hr 04 min	47%	49%	16%
Violent - Aggravated Assault	2211	249	2106	10586 hrs	50330 hrs	4 hr 53 min	23 hr 53 min	33%	31%	11%
Violent - Robbery	2859	160	3991	14737 hrs	47291 hrs	3 hr 41 min	11 hr 50 min	11%	11%	6%
Property - Arson	167	3	263	785 hrs	1571 hrs	2 hr 59 min	5 hr 58 min	5.3%	5.4%	1.8%
Property - Burglary	2599	56	4400	9498 hrs	21083 hrs	2 hr 09 min	4 hr 47 min	3.0%	3.0%	2.2%
Property - Larceny	20228	85	4829	8929 hrs	11867 hrs	1 hr 50 min	2 hr 27 min	2.5%	2.1%	0.4%
Property - Motor Vehicle Theft	5041	9	6579	16621 hrs	23312 hrs	2 hr 31 min	3 hr 32 min	1.5%	1.5%	0.2%
Other CFS	N/A	N/A	222899	326518 hrs	623722 hrs	1 hr 28 min	2 hr 47 min	N/A	N/A	N/A
	<b>Grand Total</b>		245478	390119 hrs	791107 hrs					

Note: FBI reported crimes and clearance rates for the past 11 years are located on the FBI website here:

https://crime-data-explorer.fr.cloud.gov/explorer/agency/CA0010900/crime

Source: RPSTF Budget & Data Advisory Board Analysis of OPD Clearance Rates







## **Reimagining Public Safety**

Operationalizing the Oakland City Council's commitment to enhancing public safety through more appropriate, efficient & equitable allocation of resources.