# 2016-2018 BUDGET WORKSHOP

### Treasurer-Tax Collector-Public Administrator

Administration & Support

Treasury Tax & Collections

Public Assistance

### **Overarching Business Trends**

- New property tax system and subsidiary systems primary project
- Staffing has remained flat
- Maintaining high level of property tax collections
- Veterans Services needs are increasing

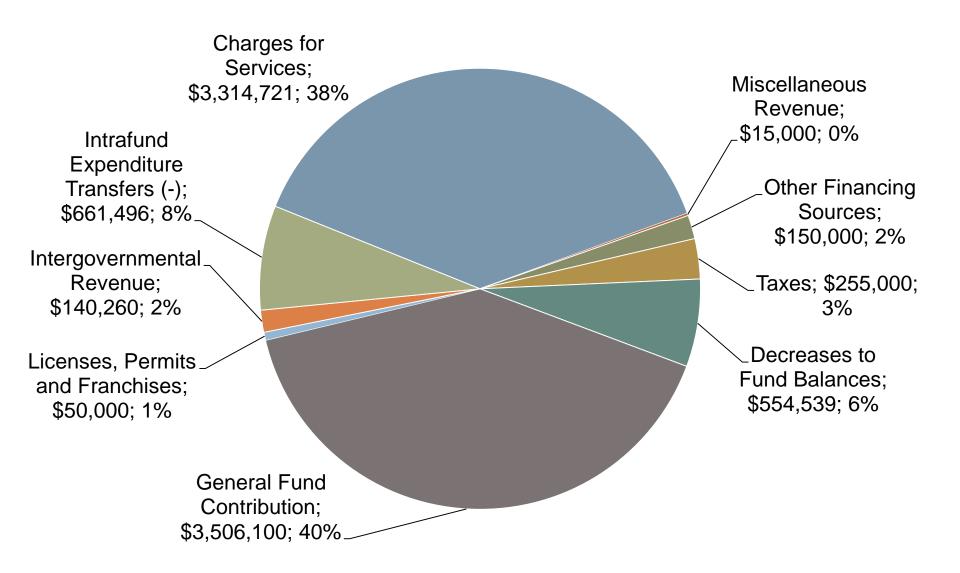
# **Summary**

- Operating \$7,448,001
- Capital \$468,487
- General Fund \$3,506,100
- FTE's 44.0
- Use of One Time For Ongoing Operations \$40,000
- Service Level Reductions \$0
- Expansion Requests \$0

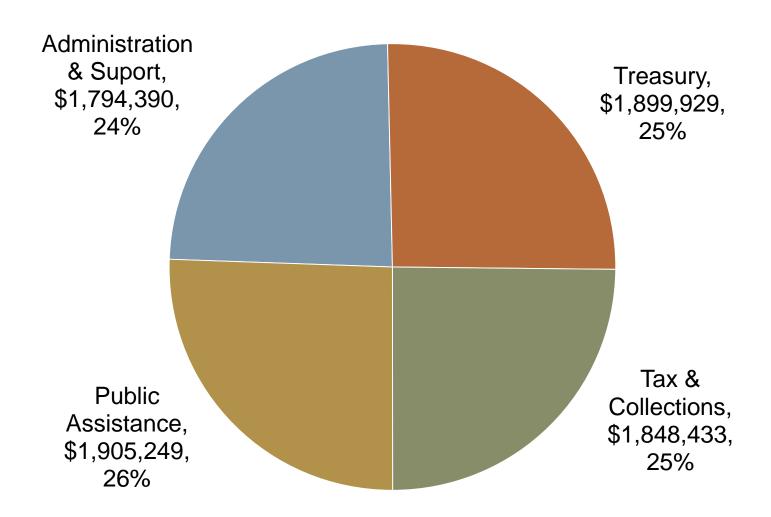
# Summary

- Major Capital Projects
  - Aumentum Property Tax System
    - \$438,487 cost for FY 16-17
    - Joint Treasurer-Tax Collector/Auditor-Controller project replaces the antiquated mainframe system

#### **FY 16-17 Source of Funds**

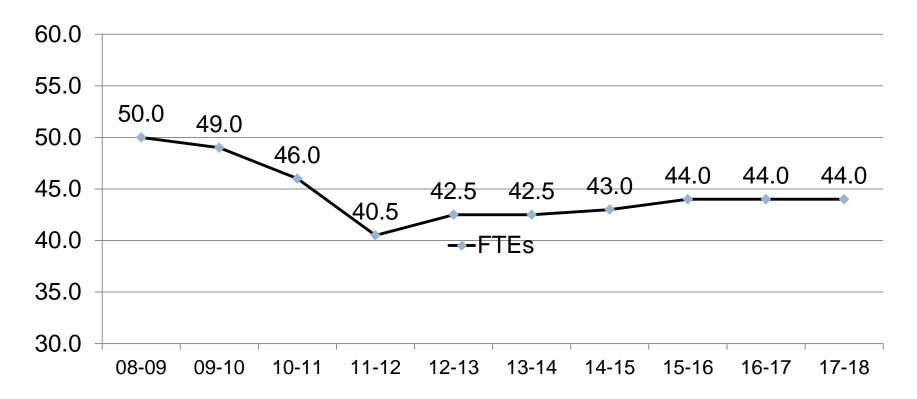


#### **FY 16-17 Use of Operating Funds**

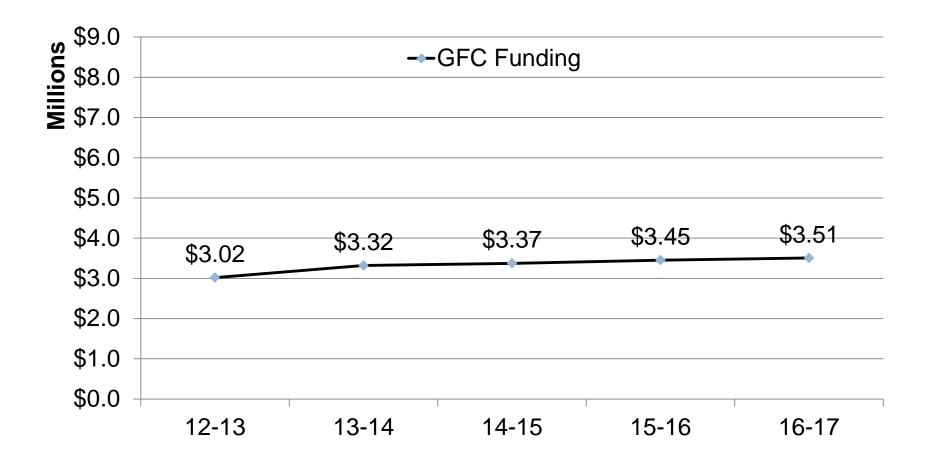


# **Staffing Summary**

- 44.0 FTE FY 15-16 Adopted
- 44.0 FTE FY 16-17 Recommended; FY 17-18 Proposed



# **GFC 5 Year Summary**



# FY 2015-16 Anticipated Accomplishments

- Continued to integrate subsidiary systems with the new property tax system.
- Secured tax collections were in the top 3 for the State.
- County veterans received approximately \$10.5 million in new and retroactive benefits.
- Veterans Services satellite office opened at the Santa Barbara Veterans Memorial building.

### FY 2016-18 Objectives

 Continue to develop and integrate subsidiary systems into the new property tax system.

### **Performance Measures**

Description	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
	Actual	Actual	Est. Act	Rec.	Prop
Percent & amount of annual secured taxes collected	99.3%	99.2%	99.2%	99.1%	99.1%
	\$704MM	\$741MM	\$777MM	\$783MM	\$792MM
Percent & amount of annual unsecured taxes collected	98.0%	97.1%	96.7%	97.0%	97.1%
	\$33.5MM	\$34MM	\$36MM	\$36.5MM	\$37MM
Amount of TOT collected – non vacation rental	\$6.5MM	\$7.2MM	\$7.5MM	\$7.5MM	\$7.5MM
Amount of TOT collected – vacation rental	\$1.1MM	\$1.4MM	\$1.6MM	\$1.6MM	\$1.6MM
Number of veterans benefit claims filed	1,824	1,601	1,886	1,900	1,900

### **Service Level Reductions**

### NONE

# **Key Challenges and Emerging Issues**

- New Property tax system
  - Continue to work with the Auditor-Controller's office for full system implementation.
  - Responsible for billing, collecting and enforcement on behalf of the County, cities, schools and special districts.

# **Budget Enhancement Requests**

NONE

# Summary

- New property tax system
- Veteran's Services program enhancements
- Ranked in the top 3 statewide for secured property tax collections