# <u>City of Saint Paul Financial Analysis</u> <u>Template Instructions</u>

Purpose of the Fiscal Analysis Template:

• The purpose of this template is to standardize the information accompanying financial resolutions that come before the Mayor and City Council. This form will be **required** to be submitted as an attachment to **all resolutions and administrative orders that contain budget changes, are related to grants or donations, or otherwise impact the city's finances.** 

• Resolutions and administrative orders without this information will not be approved by OFS, and will be returned to the drafter.

Fiscal Analysis Template Tab

• Fill out all of the information in <u>Financial Analysis Template (green tab)</u> of this file. Pop-up windows will appear throughout the file to provide more details on what information is required.

• The top portion of the file, including the fiscal analysis, will need to be filled out for any finance related action, including:

- Grants: applying for, accepting and budgeting
- Donations: soliciting, accepting, and budgeting
- Budget amendments (both resolutions and administrative orders)
- Other action with a financial impact

• If the action includes either a CIB or Operating Budget Amendment, the detail accounting codes section must also be filled out.

• If you have further questions, please contact your budget analyst.

## Budget Reference Tabs

• The <u>Operating Budget Reference</u> and <u>CIB Budget Reference pages (blue tabs)</u> are read-only tabs. They contain guidance on what kind of mayoral and/or council action is required for budget adjustments in both the operating and CIB budgets, and include charter and administrative code citations for these actions.

• If you have questions about what is required to accomplish a particular finance related action, please contact your budget analyst.

## Drop Down Menus Tab

• The <u>Drop Down Menus tab (grey tab)</u> is used by OFS only to manage the drop down lists contained in the Financial Analysis template.

• Department staff filling out this form should not attempt to edit this page.

#### City of Saint Paul Financial Analysis

1	File ID Number:		RES PH 13-125	i					
2 3	Budget Affected:		Operating Budg	et	PED		Special Fund		
4 5	Total Amount of Trans	saction:	65,000						
6 7	Funding Source:		Grant						
8 9	Charter Citation:		10.7.1						
10 11 12 13 14	Fiscal Analysis Autorizing acceptance	of DEED F	Funds in the amou	nt of \$65,000.	00 for the Central	Exchange Project so the	ptroject can n	nove forward	
15 16 17 18									
19 20 21 22									
23 24 25									
26 27	Detail Accounting Cod	les:							
28 29				Project	<b>N</b> 1.1		CURRENT		AMENDED
30 31	Fund	Activity	Object	(if applicable)	Description		BUDGET	CHANGES	BUDGET
31 32 33 34	Spending Changes (Action Accomplished)								
35 35 36	101	36303	0549	61844	Central Exchange		- 110,000	65,000	175,000
37 38	Financing Changes					TOTAL:	110,000	65,000	175,000
39	(Action Accomplished)								
40	101	36303	3490	61844	Central Exchange		-	65,000	65,000
41							-	-	-
42						TOTAL:	0	65,000	65,000
43									
44 45									

## **Operating Budget Changes Procedures Guide**

	In order to:	Resolution, A.O., or Other Documentation Required?	Resolution/AO Action	Charter/Code Citation	Template	Agenda Section
1.)	Recognize additional/unanticipated revenues (Ex. Outperforming revenues, outside donations, etc)	Budget Amendment Resolution and Public Hearing	- Mayor certifies that there are available for appropriation total revenues in excess of those estimated in the budget	C.C. 10.07.1	Budget Amendment or Gifts and Donations	Public Hearing
			- Amend spending and financing to recognize new revenue in the appropriate company and activity			
2.)	Accept a Grant					
	a.) No Budget Previously Establish for the Grant	Award Letter and/or Grant Agreement	- Mayor certifies that there are available for	C.C. 10.07.1	Grants	Public Hearing
		Budget Amendment Resolution and Public Hearing	appropriation total revenues in excess of those estimated in the budget	Admin 41.03		
		-	- Amend spending and financing to recognize the grant in the appropriate company and activity			
	b.) Previously Established Grant Budget	Award Letter and/or Grant Agreement	- Accept the awarded grant funds		Grants	Consent
		Resolution Accepting the Grant Funds (No public hearing needed)	- Include in the resolution that the grant funds were anticipated in the current year's budget			
3.)	Transfer Appropriations within Departments:					
	a.) Within the same Fund (Lawson Company)	A.O.	- Mayor may transfer any unencumbered appropriation balances within a department	C.C. 10.07.4	Budget Amendment	Consent
			- Administrative order is prepared to execute the transfer			
	b.) Between Funds (Lawson Companies)	Budget Amendment Resolution	- Mayor recommends and council approves through resolution to transfer appropriations between companies	C.C. 10.07.4	Budget Amendment	Consent
			- Amend spending and financing to recognize transfer			

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	In order to:	Resolution, A.O., or Other Documentation Required?	Resolution/AO Action	Charter/Code Citation	Template	Agenda Section
4.)	Transfer Appropriations between Departments					
,	a.) Within the same Fund (Lawson Company)	Budget Amendment Resolution	- Mayor recommends and council approves through resolution to transfer appropriations between departments	C.C. 10.07.4	Budget Amendment	Consent
			- Amend spending and financing to recognize transfer			
	b.) Between Funds (Lawson Companies)	Budget Amendment Resolution	- Mayor recommends and council approves through resolution to transfer appropriations between departments	C.C. 10.07.4	Budget Amendment	Consent
			- Amend spending and financing to recognize transfer			
6.)	Allow appropriations to lapse (non-capital improvement dollars)	None	- No action required.	C.C. 10.08	N/A	N/A
	For Lapse of appropriations - Capital improvements see City Charter 10.09.		-All non-encumbered appropriations will fall to fund balance at the end of the fiscal year.			
	For guidance on budget change procedures for accomplished or abandoned projects, see the CIB Project and Budget Changes Procedures Guide, numbers 1, 2, and 6.		- All encumbered appropriations will be re- appropriated in the following fiscal year's budget for the same purposes			
7.)	Enact Emergency Appropriation	Emergency is defined as "a sudden or unforeseen situation affecting life, health,	- Resolution to appropriate emergency funds is adopted by unanimous affirmative vote by the	C.C. 10.07.2	Budget Amendment	Consent
		property, or the public peace or welfare that requires immediate council action", C.C. 6.06 Emergency Ordinances	council	C.C. 6.06		
		Budget Amendment Resolution				
8.)	Reduction of Appropriations	Report by the mayor of the estimated amount of the deficit	- Resolution or other actions deemed necessary by council to prevent or minimize any deficit	C.C. 10.07.3	Budget Amendment	Consent
		Recommendation by the mayor to the city council of steps to be taken				

#### CIB Project and Budget Changes Procedures Guide

	In order to:	Resolution and/or AO Required? CIB Approval?	Resolution/AO Action	Charter/Code Citation	Template	Agenda Section
1)	Close a completed project with excess balances	Administrative Order (Completed by OFS) Periodic Review by CIB Committee	<ul> <li>Amend project financing and spending</li> <li>Transfer excess appropriation to contingency</li> </ul>	Administrative Code 57.09 (2) City Charter 10.09 - Accomplished projects	Budget Amendment	Consent
2)	Close a completed project with no excess balances (but excess spending authority)	Administrative Order (Completed by OFS) Periodic Review by CIB Committee	- Amend project financing and spending	City Charter 10.09 - Accomplished projects	Budget Amendment	Consent
3)	Close a completed project with no excess balances and no excess spending authority	None	<ul> <li>Contact OFS with project budget codes to have the project inactivated in the finance system</li> </ul>		N/A	N/A
4)	Adding new spending to an existing project (w	vithout changing the scope of the project):		•		
	Financing source is new money	CIB Committee Review and Recommendation Mayor recommends via resolution Compliance with the City Comprehensive Plan Public Hearing	- Amend spending and financing to recognize new revenue	Administrative Code 57.09 (1) City Charter 10.07.1	Budget Amendment or Grants or Gifts and Donations	Public Hearing
	Financing source is contingency (less that \$25,000)	All proposed uses of contingency must first be reviewed by OFS Transfers within a department require an Administrative Order (Completed by departments. Verified and approved by OFS) A.O.s require Periodic Review by CIB Committee Transfers between departments require a Resolution (Completed by departments. Verified and approved by OFS)	<ul> <li>Reduce amount in appropriate contingency fund</li> <li>Amend project spending and financing to recognize use of contingency</li> </ul>	Administrative Code 57.09 (3) a City Charter 10.07.4	Budget Amendment	Consent

	Financing source is contingency (more that \$25,000)	All proposed uses of contingency must first be reviewed by OFS CIB Committee Review and recommendation Mayor recommends via resolution Public Hearing	<ul> <li>Reduce amount in contingency fund ("<i>unallocated reserve account</i>")</li> <li>Amend project spending and financing to recognize use of contingency</li> </ul>	Administrative Code 57.09 (3) b City Charter 10.07.4	Budget Amendment	Public Hearing
	Add a new project					
5)	OR					
	Expand the scope of an existing project:					
	Financing source is new money	CIB Committee Review and Recommendation Mayor recommends via resolution Compliance with the City Comprehensive Plan Public Hearing	- Amend spending and financing to recognize new revenue	Administrative Code 57.09 (1) City Charter 10.07.1	Budget Amendment or Grants or Gifts and Donations	Public Hearing
	Financing source is contingency	All proposed uses of contingency must first be reviewed by OFS CIB Committee Review and recommendation Mayor recommends via resolution Public Hearing	<ul> <li>Transfer dollars from contingency to new project</li> <li>Amend spending and financing to recognize new revenue</li> </ul>	City Charter 10.07.4 Administrative Code 57.09 (1)	Budget Amendment	Public Hearing
6)	Declare a project abandoned	Council Resolution	<ul> <li>Identify project as abandoned</li> <li>Transfer appropriation for the abandoned project to a separate contingency fund ("unallocated reserve account")</li> <li>Re-appropriation of the funds needs CIB review, mayor recommendation, and council approval (see either of the "Add dollars to a project" scenarios above)</li> </ul>	City Charter 10.09 Administrative Code 57.09 (4)	Budget Amendment	Consent
7)	Replace an approved project with a new project	<ol> <li>Declare an approved project abandoned or completed with excess balances (see process above)</li> <li>Add new project after capital improvement budget is adopted (see process above)</li> </ol>	- Can accomplish both steps in one resolution		Budget Amendment	Consent or Public Hearing

Departments (Select Department)	<u>Affected Budgets</u> (Chaose CIP or Operating)	<u>General vs. Special Fund</u>	<u>Funding Source</u>
(Select Department) Multiple Departments	(Choose CIB of Operating)	(Choose General, Special or C	Transfer of Appropriations
City Attorney's Office	Both Operating and CIB Bu	General Fund	Grant
City Council	Operating Budget	Special Fund	Donation
Emergency Management	CIB Budget	Capital	Multiple
<b>Financial Services</b>		Multiple Funds	Other
Fire and Safety Services			
General Government Acc	counts		
HRA			
Human Resources			
HREEO			
Mayor's Office			
Parks and Recreation			
PED			
Police Department			
Public Health			
Public Library Agency			
Public Works			
RiverCentre			
Safety and Inspections			
Technology and Commun	nications		
Water Department			