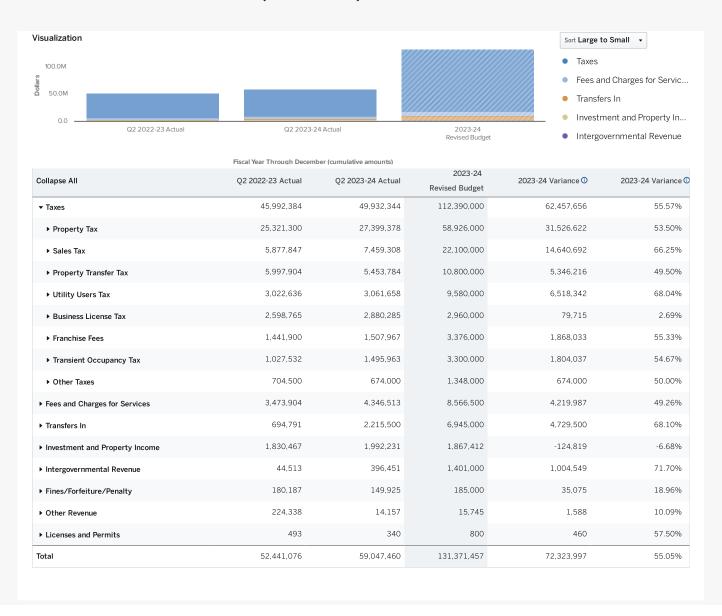


This second quarter financial report summarizes the City of Alameda's (City) financial position for the period between July 1, 2023 and December 31, 2023, unaudited, for all City Funds, with a focus on the General Fund. The purpose is to provide City Council, City Management, and the Alameda community an update on the City's fiscal status based on the most recent financial information available.

### **General Fund Revenues (unaudited)**

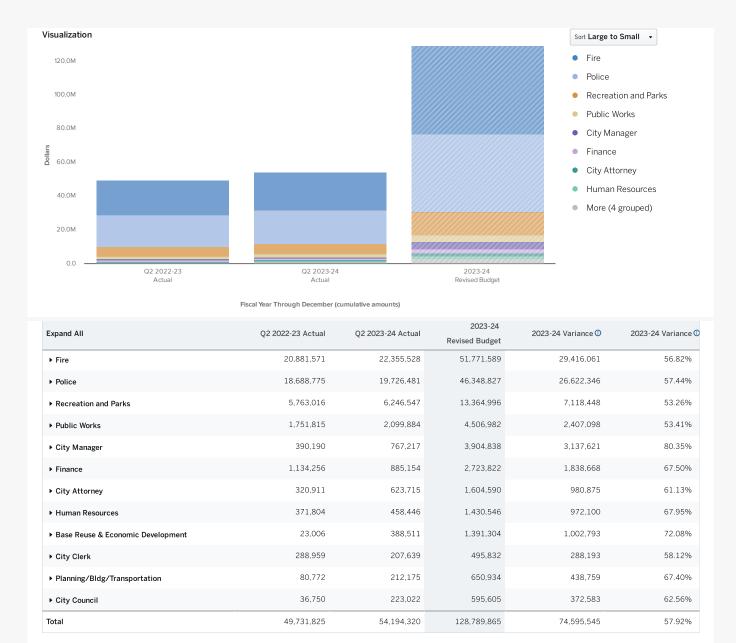


Property tax, sales tax, property transfer tax, and utility user tax are the City's major tax revenues, accounting for approximately 78% of total General Fund budgeted revenues in FY 2023-24.

General Fund revenues through the second quarter of FY 2023-24 increased by 12.6% when compared to the same period last year.

- **Property taxes** increased by 8.2% year-over-year.
- Sales taxes increased 26.9%. It should be noted that sales tax receipts are recorded about two to three months after the transaction occurred. In FY 2022-23 sales transactions through the end of September had been recorded at the end of the second quarter, whereas transactions through the end of October had been recorded at the end of the second quarter in FY 2023-24.
- **Property transfer tax** decreased by 9.0% due to lower volume of private real estate transactions.
- **Utility user tax** increased by 1.3%.

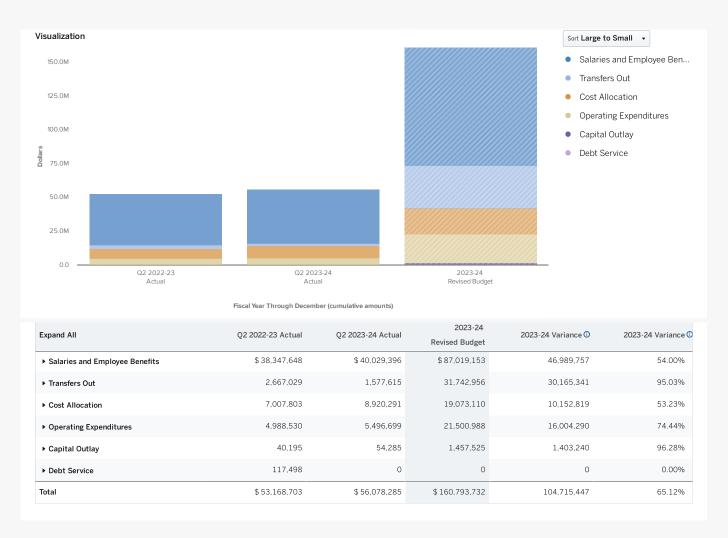
# General Fund Expenditures by Department, excluding Non-Department (unaudited)



**General Fund expenditures** through the second quarter for all departments came in below 50% of authorized budget appropriations. General Fund expenditures increased substantially year-over-year in the City Manager, Base Reuse & Economic Development, and the Planning, Building & Transportation departments due to the following program re-organizations:

- The re-organized Housing and Human Services Division transferred from the Base Reuse & Economic Development Department to the City Manager's Office in FY 2023-24.
- Economic development activity previously covered by Fleet Industrial Service Center income transitioned to the General Fund in FY 2023-24.
- The Climate Action and Resiliency program transferred from the City Manager's Office to the Planning, Building & Transportation department in FY 2023-24.

## **General Fund Expenditures by Category (unaudited)**



The largest spending category in the General Fund is employee salaries and benefits. Of the \$160.5 million budgeted in the General Fund in FY 2023-24, employee salaries and benefits represent \$87.0 million, or 54.2%. Salaries and benefits increased by 4.4% through the second quarter year-over-year.

**Transfers Out** involve a transfer of funds from the General Fund to another City fund. The largest budgeted transfer out is \$20.3 million to the Capital Improvement Program, which includes \$15 million for the new Aquatic Center. The transfers out are completed after the capital expenses are incurred.

**Cost Allocation** involves the interdepartmental charges for services provided by City departments to other departments, such as the general liability and workers' compensation programs, fleet and facilities

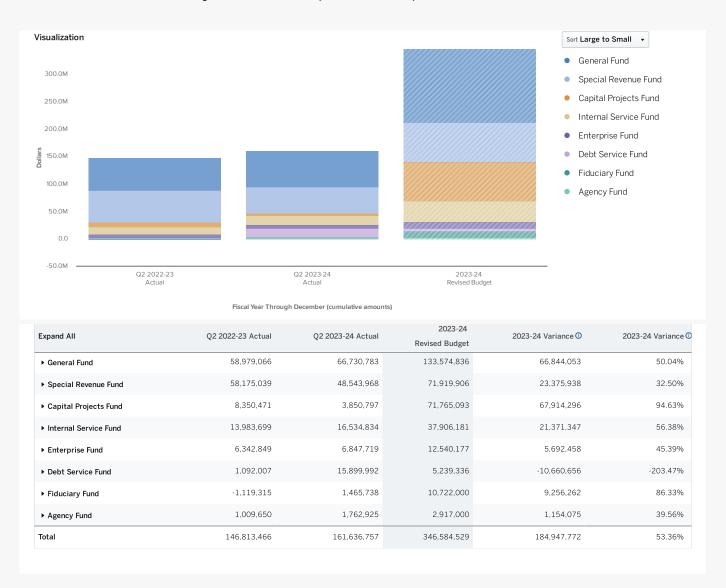
maintenance and replacement, and information technology operations and equipment.

**Operating Expenditures** covers contracts for services, materials and supplies for day-to-day operations, utilities, professional development, equipment leases, and fees and charges. Operating expenditures through the second quarter increased from FY 2022-23 to FY 2023-24 by 10.2%, from \$5.0 million to \$5.5 million.

**Capital Outlay** involves acquisition of furniture, fixtures, equipment, or property with a value over \$10,000 per unit.

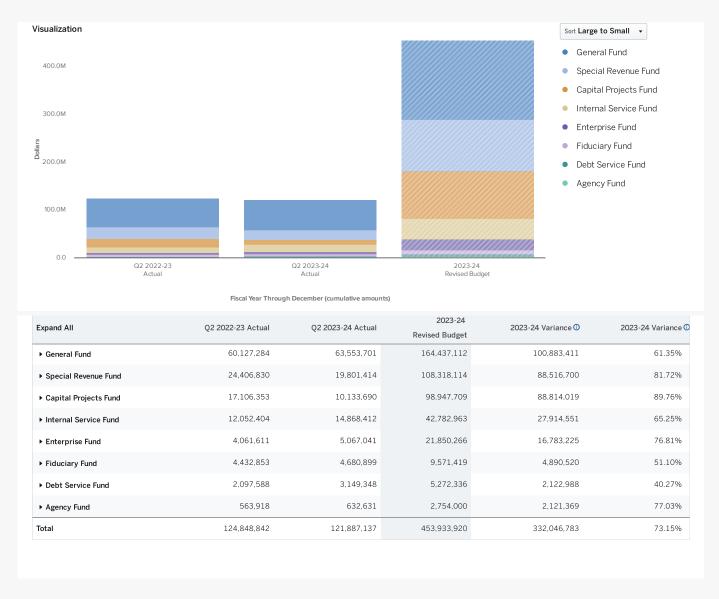
**Debt Service** covers the principal and interest payments on leased equipment. Starting in FY 2023-24, the Fire Department's leased equipment is tracked in a Debt Service Fund rather than the General Fund.

#### Revenue Summary - All Funds (unaudited)



**Revenues received across all funds** through the second quarter of FY 2023-24 are up by \$14.8 million, or 10.0%, year-over-year.

# **Expenditure Summary - All Funds (unaudited)**



**Expenditures incurred across all funds** through the second quarter of FY 2023-24 are down by \$3.0 million, or 2.4%, year-over-year.

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