#### **TOWN OF CORNELIUS**



## BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

**Graylyn International Conference Center,** 

Winston-Salem March 7, 2018 Agenda

#### **TOWN BOARD SPECIAL MEETING - 9:00 AM**

- 1. CALL TO ORDER
- 2. DETERMINATION OF QUORUM
- 3. BUDGET RETREAT DAY 1
  - A. 9:00AM Opening Remarks, Mayor & Manager
  - B. 9:15AM CMP Update
  - C. 9:45AM Planning Updates
  - D. 10:45AM Financial Condition
  - E. 11:30PM Personnel/Operating Goals
  - F. 12:30PM LUNCH
  - G. 1:30PM CIP
  - H. 2:30PM FY19 Fixed vs. Discretionary ("80/20")
  - 1. 3:30PM Five Year Financial Forecast
- 4. BUDGET RETREAT DAY 2
  - A. 9:00AM Budget Directives
- 5. ADJOURNMENT
  - A. 12:00PM Adjourn

#### **REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION**

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Date of Meeting: March 7, 2018

To: Mayor and Board of Commissioners

From: Andrew Grant, Asst. Town Manager

Action Requested:

Hear an update on the Comprehensive Master Plan strategies.

Manager's Recommendation:

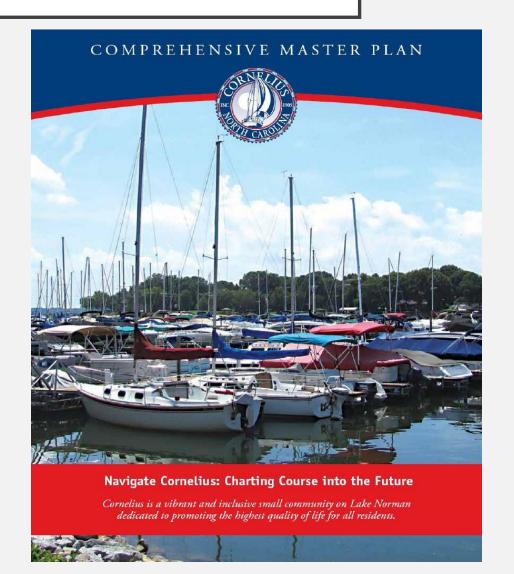
Hear presentation.

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Comprehensive Master Plan Update - _FY19_Budget_Workshop.pptx	CMP Update	Presentation

# COMPREHENSIVE MASTER PLAN UPDATE

FY19 Budget Workshop

- Citizen driven/Public process
- Adopted 2012
- Posted on Website: <a href="http://cornelius.org/cmp">http://cornelius.org/cmp</a>



- Confirmed & Recommended Guiding Principles and Strategies
  - Promote Economic Development
    - Update Land Use Plan Adopted and Ongoing
    - Revise Land Development Code Adopted in sections and Ongoing
    - Pursue Historic Preservation HPC designations/tours, Mecklenburg Historic Landmarks
       Commission
    - Implement Arts Plan/Develop Arts Center Improved Arts programming, Plan under development/CAC
    - Improve Development Review Process Improved/Customer-service driven

- Confirmed & Recommended Guiding Principles and Strategies
  - Develop Key Community Shopping/Activity Centers and Development Nodes
    - Waterfront Development Land Use designation
    - Nantz Rd. Area Plan Adopted
    - Exit 28 Small Area Plan Adopted
    - Cultural and Community Arts Center Plan under development

- Confirmed & Recommended Guiding Principles and Strategies
  - Improve Mobility
    - Prioritize Road Improvements Ongoing
    - Develop Pedestrian Plan Adopted
    - Develop Bike Plan Adopted
    - Implement DDI Complete
    - Widen I-77 Managed Lanes Project, GP Lanes Ranking
    - Construct sidewalks, multi-purpose paths, greenways Ongoing
    - Implement Innovative Intersection Improvements, Bookends Improvements Underway
    - Widen New Roads Underway
    - Build New Roads Underway

- Confirmed & Recommended Guiding Principles and Strategies
  - Engage Citizens
    - Improve online presence and social media Ongoing
    - Allow for Volunteer Opportunities Ongoing
      - 7 citizen standing advisory boards/committees
        - 53 appointed members/residents
      - Tansportation stakeholder committees
      - CPD (Police Station, Animal Shelter) and PARC volunteers
    - Speaking & Presentation Opportunities Ongoing
      - Coffee Chats/Cornelius Connection morning and evenings
      - Neighborhood meetings
      - Service Organizations, Chamber, VLN, and Media Events

- Confirmed & Recommended Guiding Principles and Strategies
  - Excellent Town Services
    - Improve residents' quality of life with new or expanded Town services while being good stewards of Town finances – Ongoing
      - New greenways, expanded park programming, improved PARC facilities
      - Town participation in NCDOT transportation projects
      - Lake Patrol, Dispatch Center, Camera System, Traffic Unit
      - Budget Optimization 5-Year Budget Planning, AAA Bond Rating, Various Funding Vehicles
      - Comprehensive Town planning and development process/approvals LDCAB, PDRC, ARB, HPC, TAB, Planning Board
      - Cornelius-Lemley VFD Town's continued investment in Apparatuses, Equipment, and Staffing [Response, Low ISO Rating in Town]
      - Leaf Vacuuming, Snow Plows, Brine Treatment
      - LKN EDC, NMA
      - Funding Victim's Advocate, Ada Jenkins, ASC, Sailing Center, 'Tawba Walk

- Major Tasks to complete/consider
  - Update Land Use Plan
    - Planning Board and staff will be reviewing certain areas
  - Update Land Development Code LDCAB will continue to meet at least quarterly
  - Update Comprehensive Transportation Plan (2005)
  - Augustalee Site 100 acres plus Westmoreland Interchange (IAR)
  - Arts District Planning ongoing, Festival Street
  - Transportation Projects Construction
  - Plan Recommendations Bike Plan, Ped Plan, PARC Master Plan
  - Police & Fire Maintain and/or Improve Levels of Service
  - Maintain Excellent Services (All Town departments & partnerships with entities that provide services to our Town)

#### **REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION**

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To: Mayor and Board of Commissioners

From: Anthony Roberts, Town Manager

Action Requested:

Wayne Herron presentations on Planning:

• Commercial Projects Update

• Land Use Plan Update

#### Manager's Recommendation:

Hear presentations.

ATTACHMENTS:		
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Projects Update.pdf	Planning Projects	Presentation
Planning - Land Use Plan Update.pdf	Land Use Plan Update	Presentation

# Planning Project Overview

Town Board Budget Retreat March, 2018

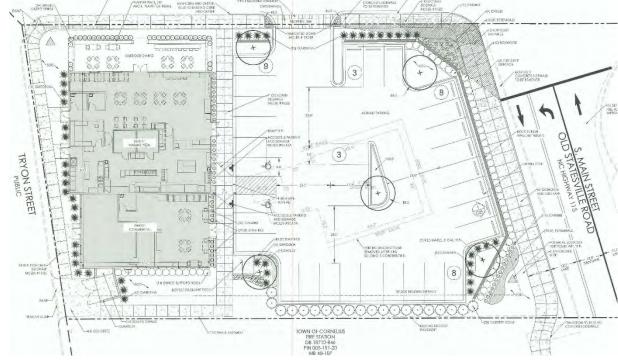
#### MAMA'S PIZZA (SOUTH MAIN/HICKORY ST)

- Approved August 7, 2017
- 0.887 Acres
- Restaurant + Commercial (5,250 sf)





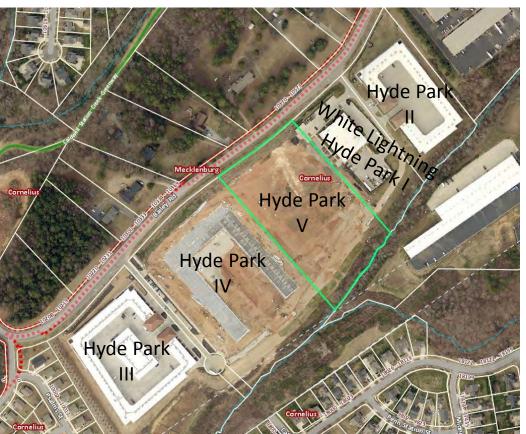




#### **HYDE PARK (BAILEY ROAD)**

- +/- 33 Acres total (5 parcels)
- Zoning: IC
- Storage and flex space





#### **SWEET MAGNOLIA ESTATE (BAILEY ROAD)**

- Approved July 18, 2016
- Opened late 2017
- Wedding & Events Facility
- +/- 3.25 Acres
- +/- 9,000 square foot bldg. w/ outdoor assembly





#### **OAKHURST II**

- Approved November 21, 2016
- +/- 3.05 Acres
- +/- 33,000 square feet in three buildings for Restaurant, Office, and Commercial use



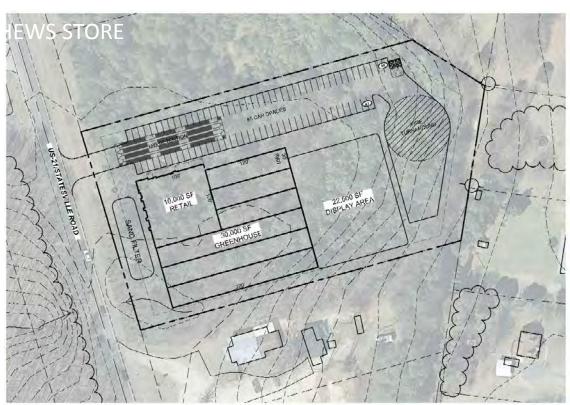




## PIKE'S NURSERY (STATESVILLE RD-HWY 21)

- 3.68 Acres
- Zoning: HC
- Nursery Center w/Greenhouse
- +/- 10,000 sf building, 30,000 sf greenhouse, 22,500 sf display area





SCALE: 1"=60"

#### **ARBY'S (STATESVILLE RD-HWY 21)**

- Opened Summer/Fall 2017
- 1.82 Acres
- Zoning: HC
- +/- 2,500 square foot building



## **BOATYARD EATS (HWY 21 & WESTMORELAND)**

- Approved April 3, 2017
- 3.6 Acres
- Restaurant & Events Venue









#### **QUICK TRIP (CATAWBA/HOLIDAY LN)**

- Approved May 1, 2017
- +/- 3.16 Acres
- 5,773 square feet convenience store



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#### **WENDY'S RESTAURANT**

- Opened February 2018
- +/- 0.95 Acres
- 2,550 square feet





#### **CATS PARK & RIDE LOT**

- Opened Summer 2017
- 4.285 acres
- Zoning: HC
- +/- 250 sq. ft. shelter bldg. w/355 parking spaces













PERSPECTIVE VIEWS - IVAN DEPEN

#### **DYNAMIC BALLROOM**

- Opened Fall 2017
- 0.47 Acres
- Zoning: VC
- 3,800 square feet



## **HELLO SAILOR**

- Opened late 2017
- 4.66 Acres
- Zoning: NMX
- 6,796 square feet





#### <u>OMB</u>

- 7.31 Acres
- Zoning: BC
- 32,859 square feet
- Site plan anticipated Fall 2018
- Construction begins Spring 2019





#### **WATERMARK**

- Approved November 7, 2016
- 48 units in 5 buildings

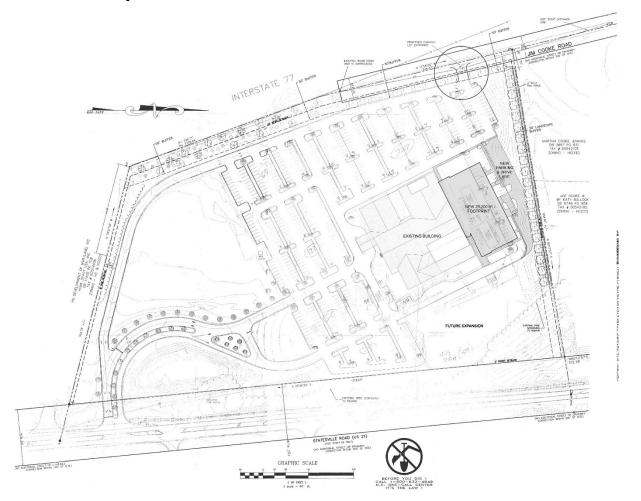






#### **GRACE COVENANT CHURCH ADDITION**

- Approved February 5, 2018
- Adding approximately 25,200 square feet of non-residential space on the 19.75-acre parcel





EAST ENTRY

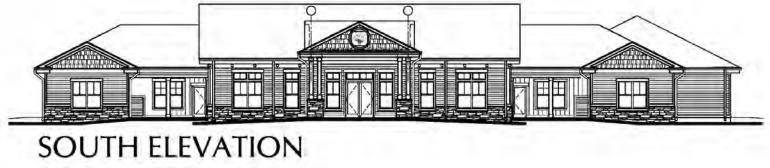


WEST ENTRY

#### **VANDERBILT CHILDREN'S COLLEGE**

- Approved January 2, 2018
- 4.7 acres
- 12,000 square foot Child Care Center, fenced in play area, parking





#### **ALEXANDER FARM**

- +/- 55 Acres
- Proposed Zoning: Conditional Zoning



#### **CATAWBA AT KNOX**

- 11 acres
- Proposed 48,225 sq. ft. commercial/retail



Corner of W. Catawba Ave & One Norman Blvd.



Knox Road view of small shops



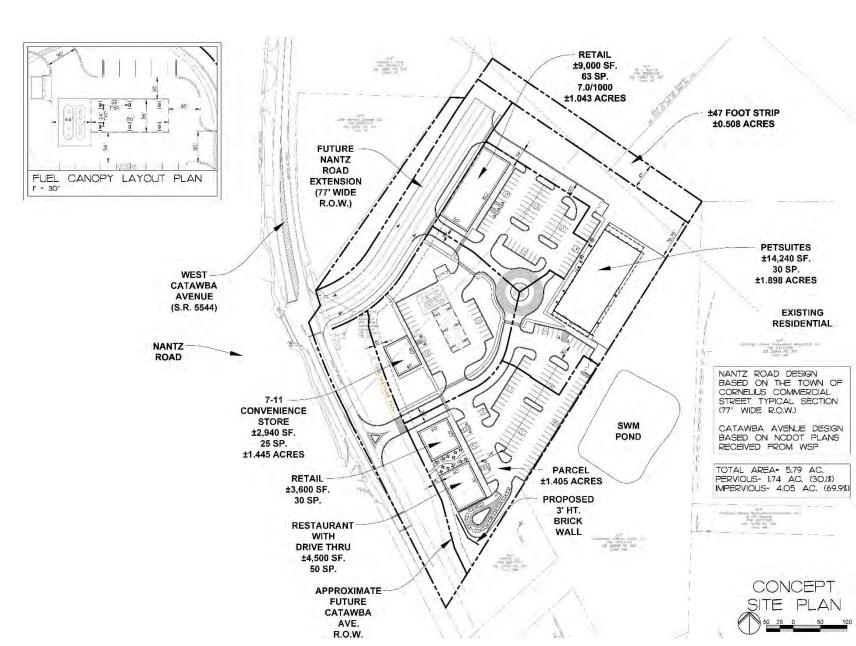
W. Catawba Ave looking towards corner at One Norman Blvd.



Grocery store facing parking

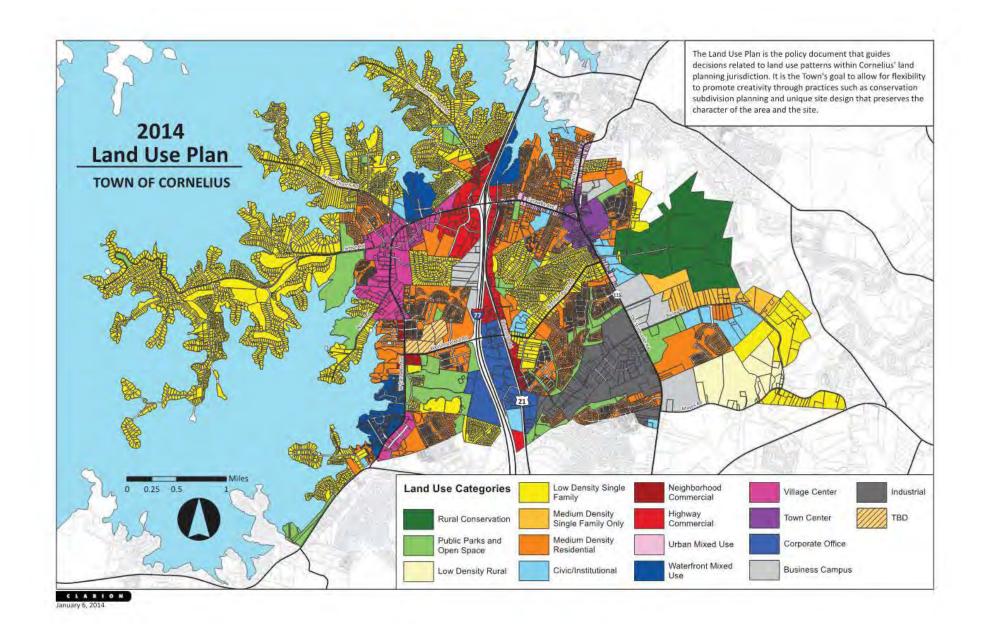
#### **CD NANTZ**

- +/- 9 acres
- Proposed Conditional Zoning
- 5 buildings square footage:
  - 29,940 7-11 convenience store
  - 14,240 PetSuites
  - 12,600 retail
  - 4,500 restaurant w/drive-thru
- Nantz Road extension



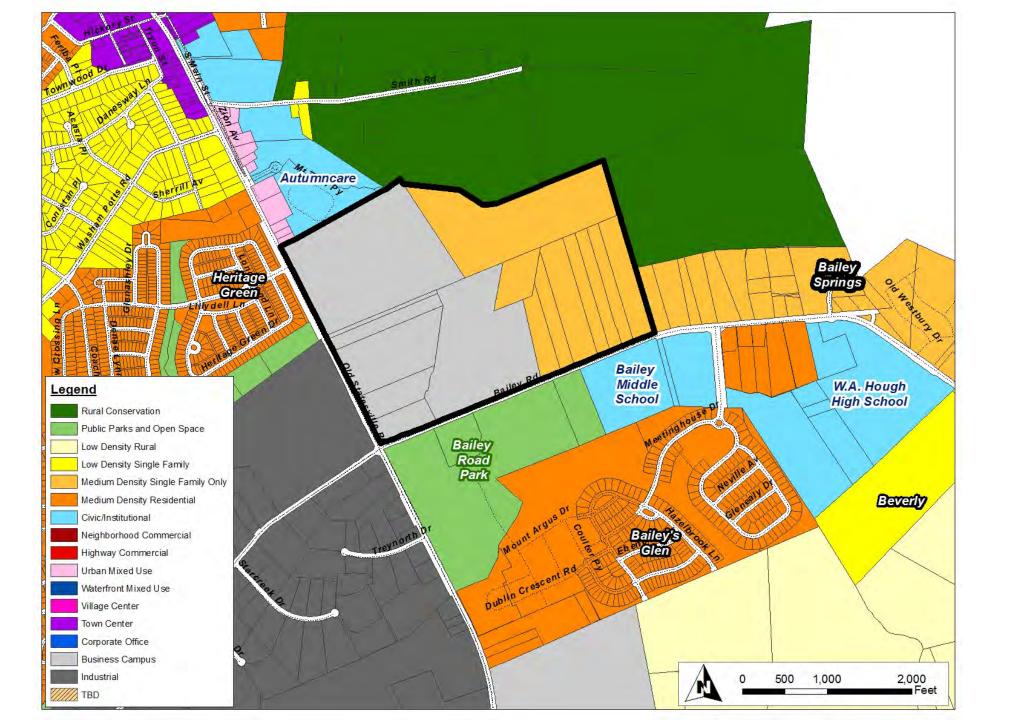
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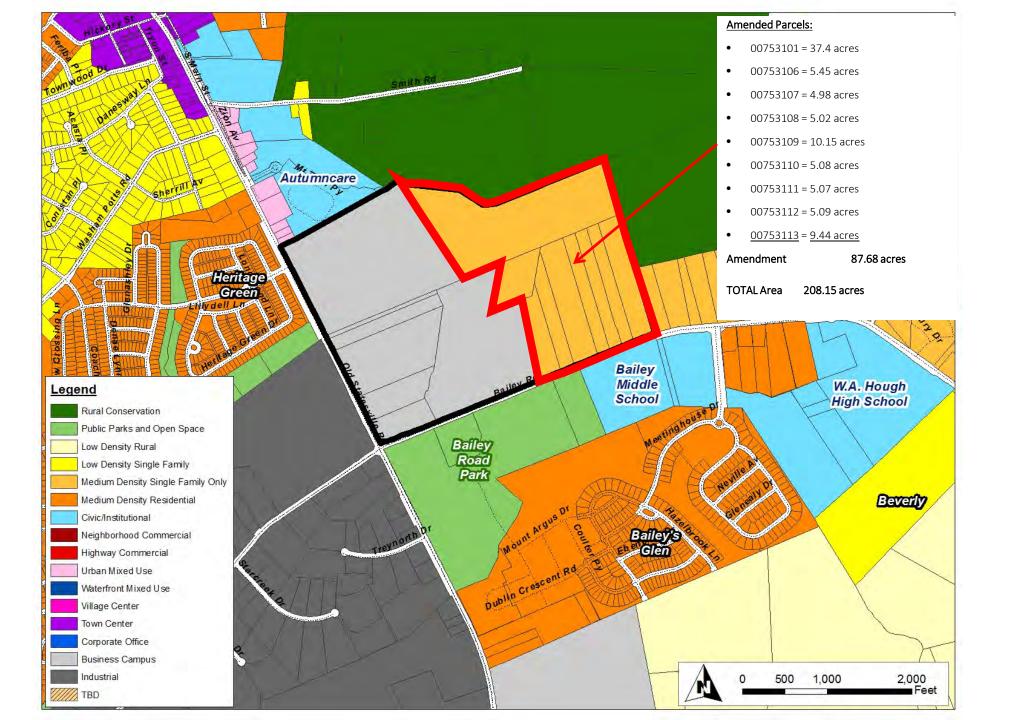
- Land Use Plan Amendment Bailey Road & 115 (NE)
- Land Use Plan Amendment Alexander Farm
- Land Use Plan Amendment Mulberry Street
- Land Use Plan Amendment Oak Street
- Land Use Plan Amendment Zion Avenue
- Land Use Plan Amendment Houser Property/Across from Kenton Place



# LAND USE PLAN AMENDMENT:

Bailey Road & NC 115 (NE)













## MEDIUM DENSITY RESIDENTIAL SINGLE FAMILY ONLY

Medium Density Single Family neighborhoods support a mix of moderate-density housing options, but are confined to single-family dwellings for residential use. Neighborhoods are generally formed as subdivisions or communities, with a relatively uniform housing type and density throughout. Homes are oriented interior to the site and typically buffered from surrounding development by transitional uses, water bodies, or natural areas. Medium Density Single Family neighborhoods are found in close proximity to suburban commercial and suburban office centers, and provide the rooftops necessary to support the commercial and office uses within the centers. The extension of public utilities within Medium Density Single Family areas is appropriate.

#### Primary Land Uses:

· Single family residence

#### Secondary Land Uses:

- Natural areas
- Places of worship and institutional uses
- · Community Center
- Pool and amenities

- Prevailing Building Heights: 1-3 Stories
- Range of Residential Densities:
   2 4 Dwelling Units / Acre
- Range of Non-Residential Intensities: N/A

## **BUSINESS CAMPUS**

Business Campus areas include a wide range of business, light industrial, office, research and development, and related ancillary uses, such as restaurants and small-scale retail and convenience shopping. They generally take on the appearance of an office development, yet with warehousing capabilities. Business Campus centers may take the form of a "campus" in the integration and coordination of uses and quality and character of the development. These areas are prime locations with good access to major road networks and should be reserved for high-return employment generating uses such as office buildings or light manufacturing or warehousing operations..

#### Primary Land Uses:

- Corporate offices
- Research and Development
- · Light industrial and warehousing
- Flexspace

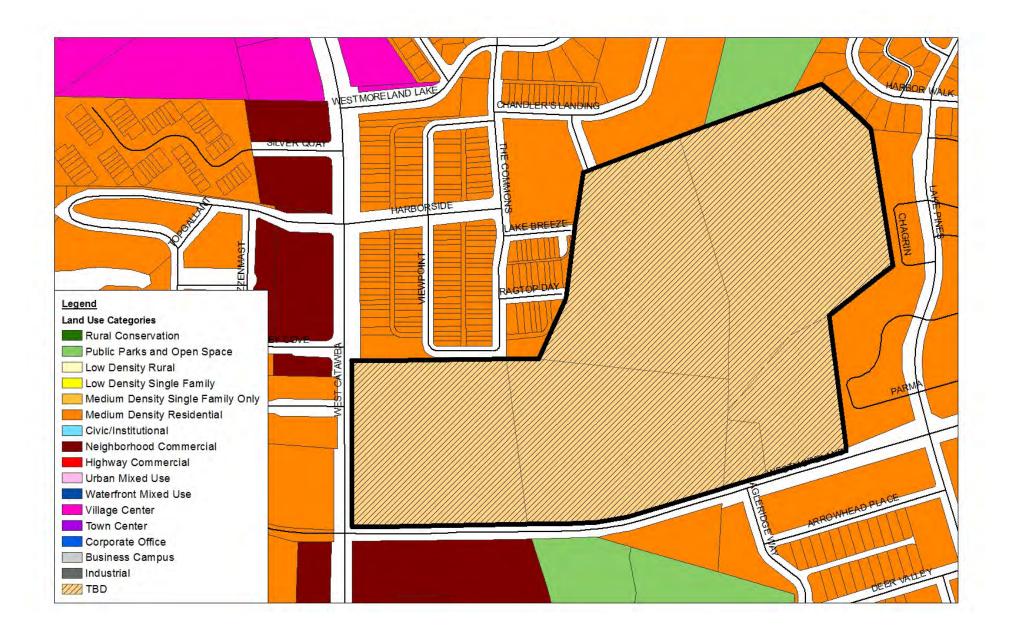
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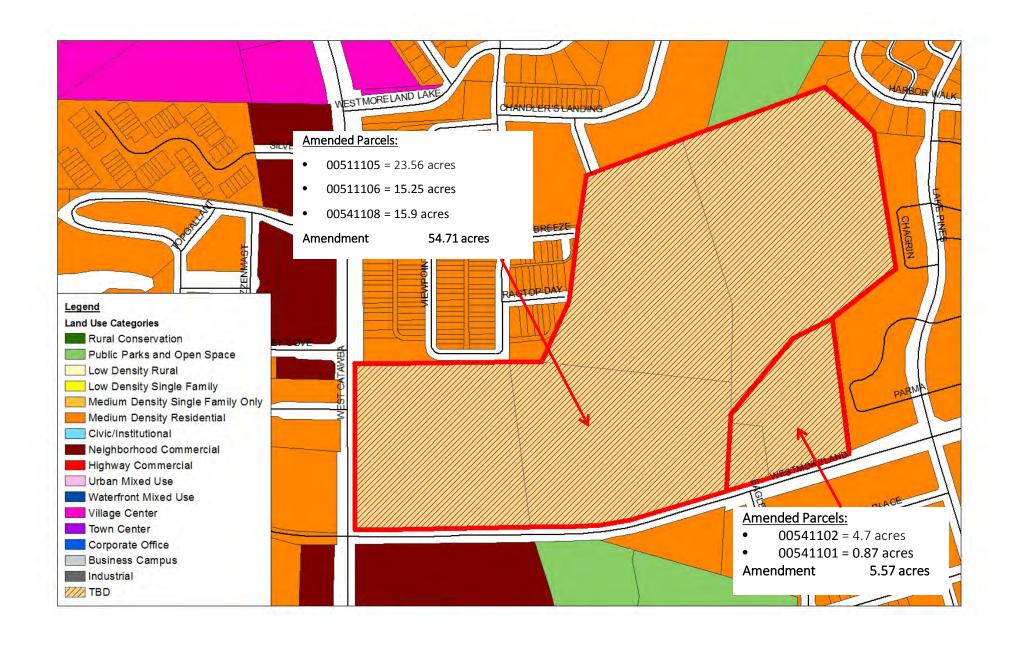
- Bank
- Copy and printing services
- General government services
- Business-campus-supporting retail and restaurants

- Prevailing Building Heights: 1-3 Stories
- Range of Residential Densities: N/A
- Range of Non-Residential Intensities: .25 .50 FAR

# LAND USE PLAN AMENDMENT:

Alexander Farm

















## **RURAL CONSERVATION**

Contains very low density rural residential development, farms, and environmentally sensitive lands. Rural conservation areas promote the continued use of working lands and protection of environmentally sensitive lands from more intense development. Development should only include very low density residential uses, up to a maximum of one dwelling unit per five acres. The extension of public utilities within rural conservation areas is not recommended.

### Typical Primary Land Uses:

- Farm
- Single-family residence

#### Typical Secondary Land Uses:

- Places of worship and institutional uses
- Natural areas
- Open space and recreation

- Prevailing Building Heights: 1 2 Stories
- Range of Residential Densities: 0 .2 Dwelling Units / Acre
- Range of Non-Residential Intensities: N/A

# LOW DENSITY RURAL

Low density rural areas are characterized by large lots, abundant open space, and a high degree of separation between buildings. Residential homes and small farms are scattered throughout the area; often blending into the natural landscape. More dense development may take the form of cluster developments, which leave larger areas for permanent open space and uninterrupted views of the surrounding countryside. The extension of public utilities within low density rural areas is not recommended.

#### Typical Primary Land Uses:

- Single family residence
- Farm
- Cluster subdivision

#### Typical Secondary Land Uses:

- Natural areas
- Places of worship and institutional uses
- Open space and recreation

- Prevailing Building Heights: 1 2 Stories
- Range of Residential Densities: 0 .33 Dwelling Units / Acre
- Range of Non-Residential Intensities: N/A

## **NEIGHBORHOOD COMMERCIAL**

Neighborhood commercial centers serve the daily needs of surrounding residential neighborhoods. They typically locate near high-volume roads and key intersections, and are designed to be accessible primarily by automobile, but also accommodate pedestrians and bicyclists. Non-residential development in these areas should focus on providing service to residents of surrounding neighborhoods.

#### Primary Land Uses:

- Sit down or fast food restaurants
- Multi-tenant commercial
- Bank
- Professional office
- Gas station

### Secondary Land Uses:

- Natural areas
- Community park

- Prevailing Building Heights: 1 2 Story
- Range of Residential Densities: 0 .5 Dwelling Units / Acre
- Range of Non-Residential Intensities: 0 .25 FAR

## **CORPORATE OFFICE**

This category is applied to particular areas of Cornelius where it is expected that office-oriented businesses will be concentrated. The expectation is development of quality corporate offices, and related uses may include medical offices, corporate centers, and technology centers. Industrial uses are not to be included. A small level of residential activity may be included, as a secondary use, with the expectations that residential space will be limited to 10% of non-residential space, that residential space will not be developed without non-residential space, and that if a development project is phased, non-residential space should be the first phase. Clusters of uses that support or serve one another are encouraged to locate in the same business center.

#### Primary Land Uses:

- Corporate center
- Multi-tenant professional offices
- Research and technology centers
- Medical offices
- Hotel

#### Secondary Land Uses:

- Supporting commercial uses
- Restaurant
- Bank
- Copying / printing services

- Prevailing Building Heights: 1 4 Stories
- Range of Residential Densities: Limited: 10% of Overall Floor Area
- Range of Non-Residential Intensities: .25 .75 FAR

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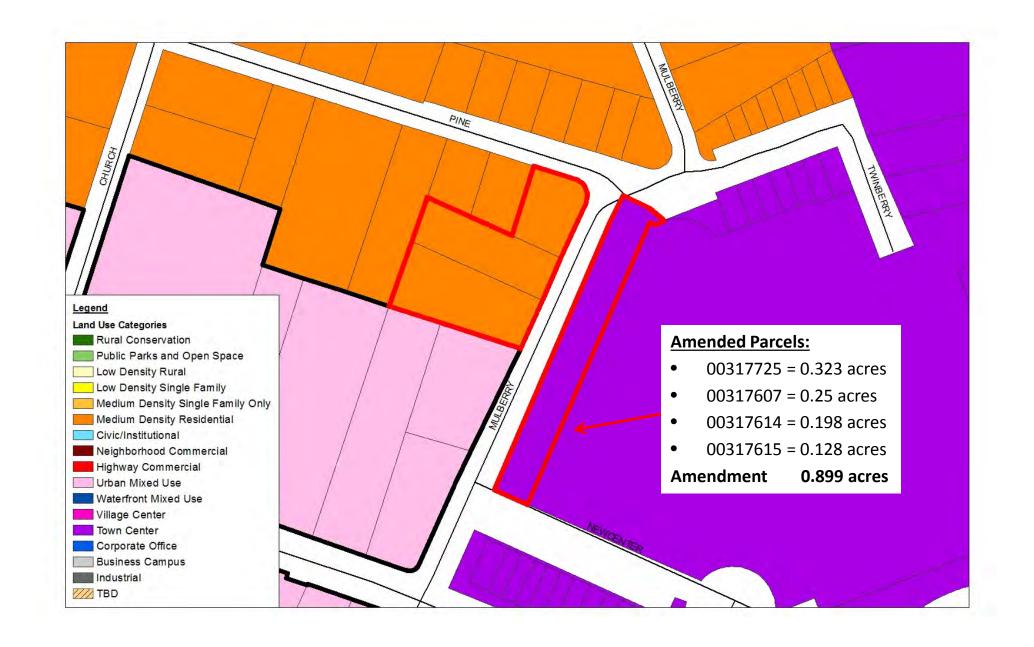
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- Prevailing Building Heights: 1-3 Stories
- Range of Residential Densities: N/A
- Range of Non-Residential Intensities: .25 .50 FAR

# LAND USE PLAN AMENDMENT:

Mulberry Street















## **TOWN CENTER**

The traditional town center is a focal point of Cornelius. It is the hub of civic, cultural, and governmental activities for the entire Cornelius community. Uses and buildings are located on small blocks with streets designed to encourage pedestrian activity. Buildings typically stand two or more stories in height. Residential units may be found above storefronts. Parking is satisfied using on-street parking and shared rear-lot parking strategies. The compact, walkable environment and mix of residential and non-residential uses in the town center support multiple modes of transportation.

#### Primary Land Uses:

- Community-serving commercial uses
- Restaurants
- Professional offices
- Townhomes
- Condominiums
- Live/work/shop units
- · Government buildings, post office
- Fire/Police Station
- Public Plaza

#### Secondary Land Uses:

- Daycare
- Farmers Market
- Pocket Park

- Prevailing Building Heights: 1-3 Stories
- Range of Residential Densities:
   Average 6 Dwelling Units / Acre
- Range of Non-Residential Intensities: Typical 1.0 FAR

# MEDIUM DENSITY RESIDENTIAL

Medium density residential neighborhoods support a mix of moderate- to high-density housing options. The neighborhoods are relatively compact, and may contain single-family, two-family, and apartment/condominium residences. Homes are oriented interior to the site and typically buffered from surrounding development by transitional uses or landscaped areas. These medium density residential neighborhoods are found in close proximity to suburban commercial and suburban office centers, and provide the market area necessary to support the commercial and office uses within the centers.

#### Primary Land Uses:

- Single family residence
- Two-family home
- Townhome
- Apartment / Condominium
- Senior Housing

#### Secondary Land Uses:

- Natural areas
- Places of worship and institutional uses
- Community Center
- Pool and amenities

- Prevailing Building Heights: 1 4 Stories
- Range of Residential Densities:
   2 4 Dwelling Units / Acre
- Range of Non-Residential Intensities: N/A

## URBAN MIXED USE

Urban mixed use neighborhoods offer residents the ability to live, shop, work and play in one community. They include a mixture of housing types and residential densities integrated with goods and services residents need on a daily basis. The design and scale of the development encourages active living, with a comprehensive and interconnected network of walkable streets. Urban mixed-use neighborhoods support multiple modes of transportation, and are located along the corridors leading into the Town Center.

#### Primary Land Uses:

- · Single-family detached home
- Condominium
- Apartment
- Townhome
- Restaurant
- Community-serving commercial
- Professional office
- Civic use

#### Secondary Land Uses:

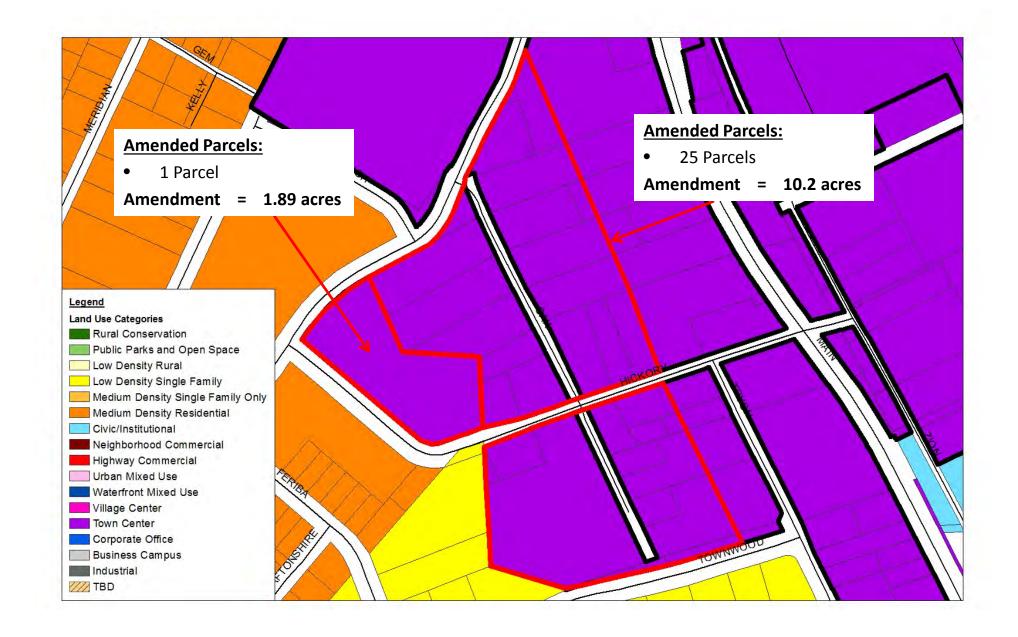
- Pocket or community park
- Place of worship
- Institutional uses
- Natural areas

- Prevailing Building Heights: 1-3 Stories
- Range of Residential Densities: 0 3 Dwelling Units / Acre
- Range of Non-Residential Intensities: .25 .75 FAR

# LAND USE PLAN AMENDMENT:

Oak Street

















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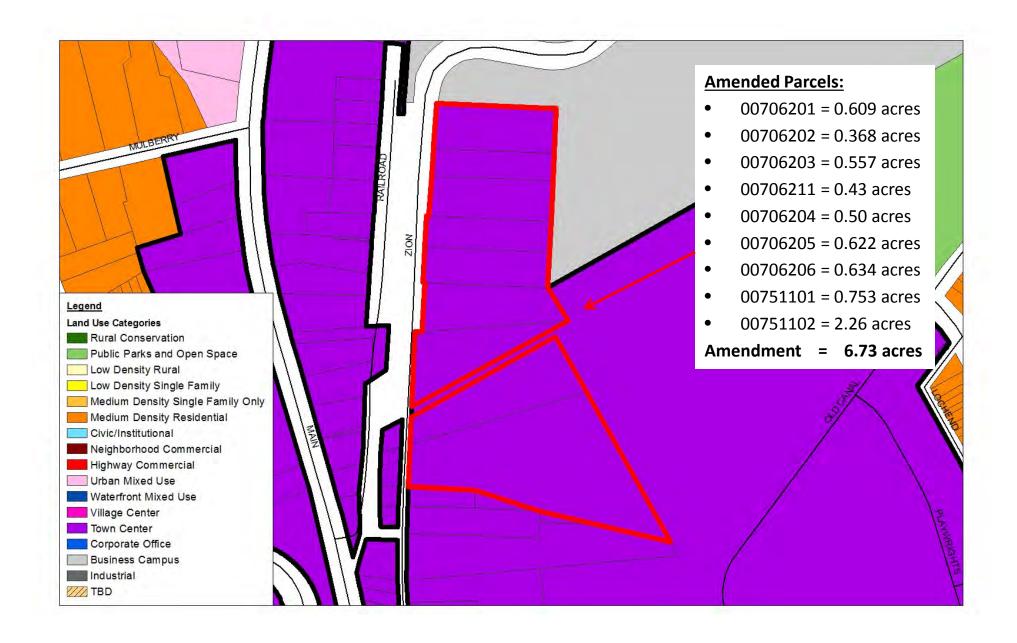
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## LAND USE PLAN AMENDMENT:

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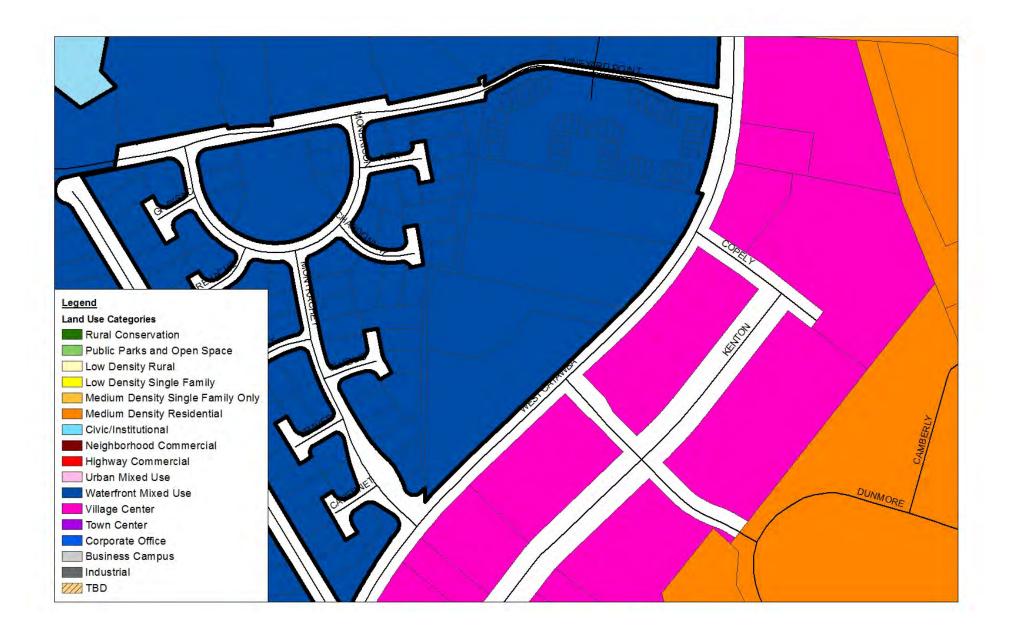
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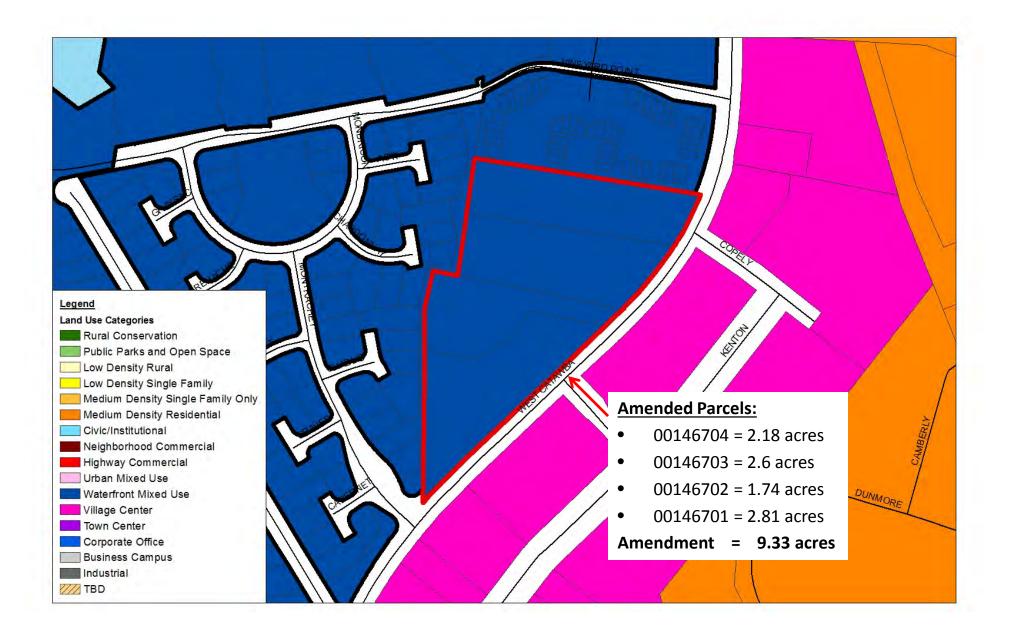
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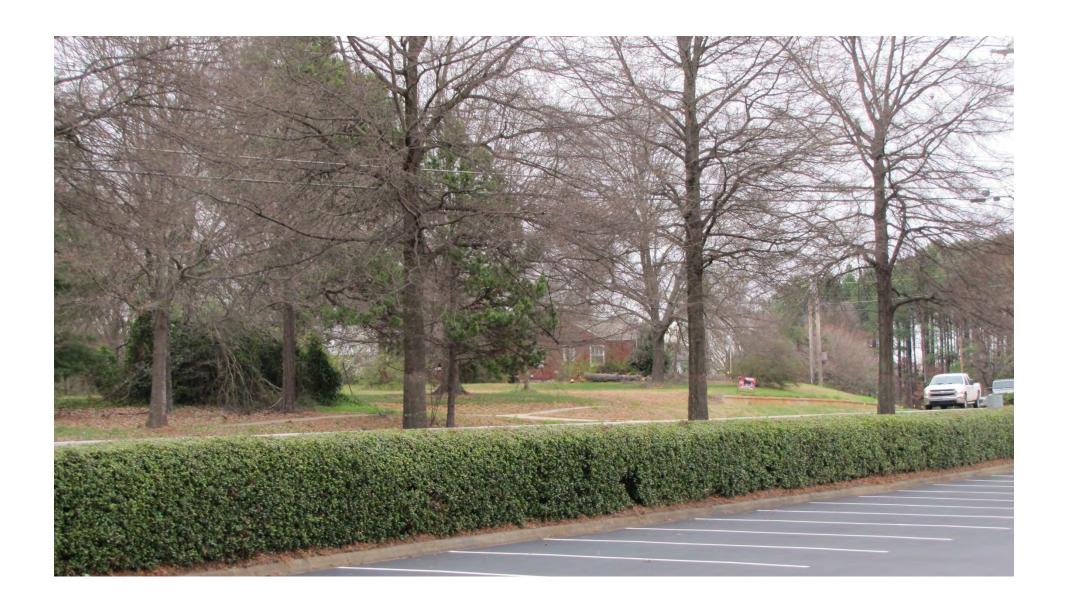
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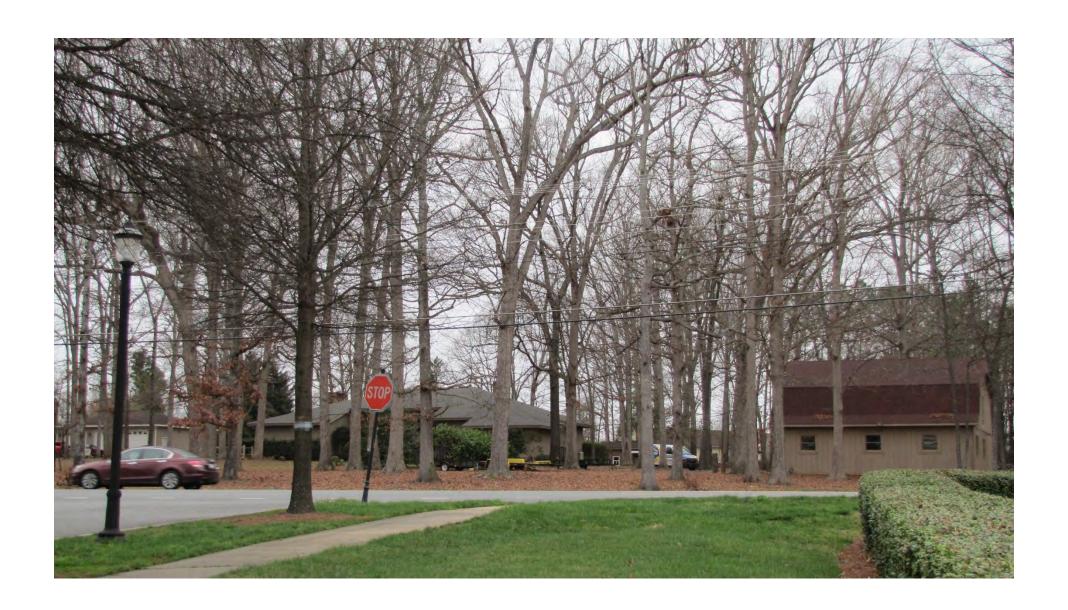
Houser Property/Across from Kenton Place















## WATERFRONT MIXED USE

Waterfront mixed use offers the opportunity to activate the water's edge in areas along Lake Norman and Lake Davidson. A variety of water-oriented, non-residential uses can be appropriate in a working waterfront; considering environmental impacts and design qualities. Development should maximize being near, seeing, and interacting with the lake. Building architecture and site design should emphasize public over private uses and activities. Commercial areas should be designed to minimize impervious surfaces and maintain natural stormwater flows.

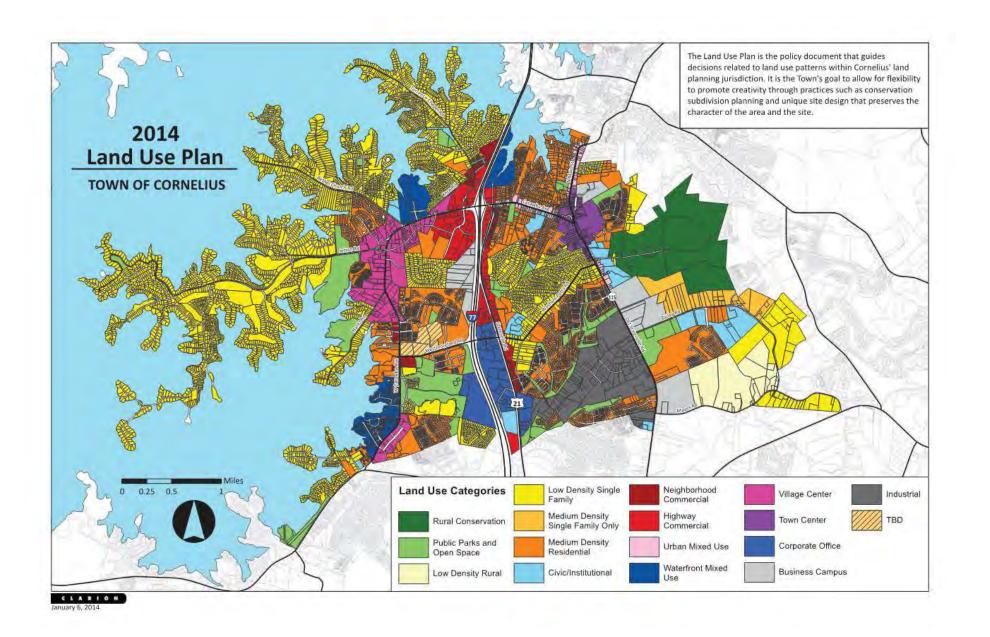
#### Primary Land Uses:

- Single family residence
- Marina
- Restaurant
- Hotel
- General office

#### Secondary Land Uses:

- Civic and Institutional Uses
- Pocket park

- Prevailing Building Heights: 2 6 Stories (Typical: 3 Stories)
- Range of Residential Densities:
   Average 3.0 Dwelling Units / Acre
- Range of Non-Residential Intensities: .25 .75 far



# Arts District



#### **REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION**

Print

Date of Meeting: March 7, 2018

To: Mayor and Board of Commissioners

From: Julie Niswonger, Finance Director

Action Requested:

Financial condition presentation by Julie Niswonger

Manager's Recommendation:

Hear presentation.

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# Town of Cornelius

## **Financial Condition**

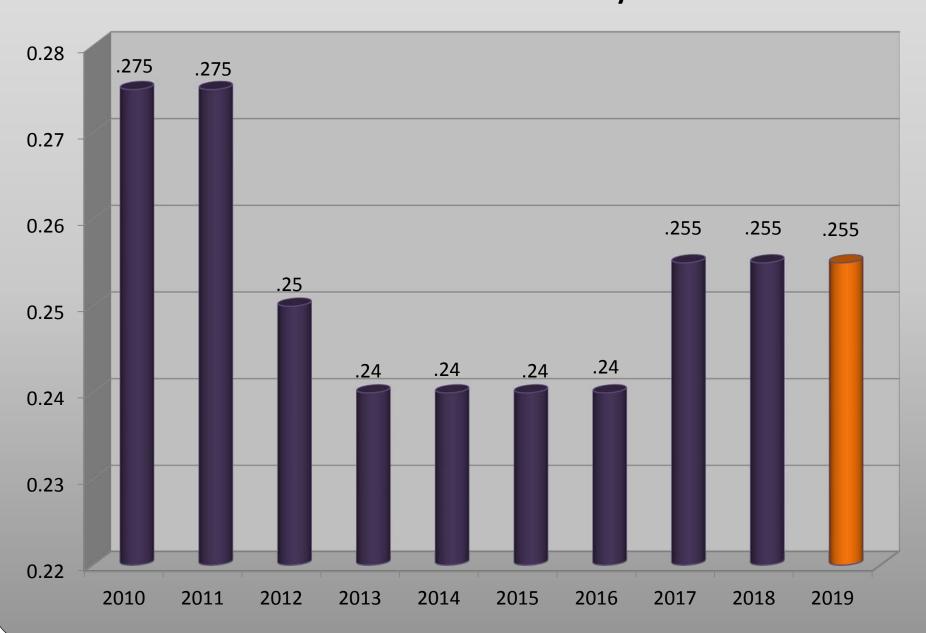


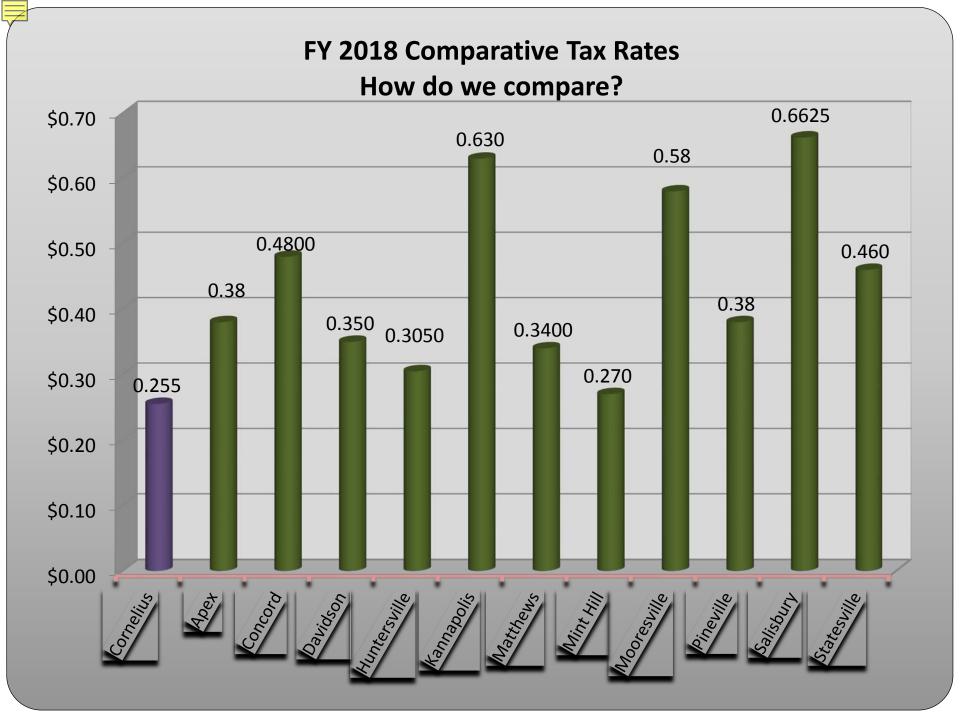
**Presented by Julie Niswonger** 

# Items to be Discussed:

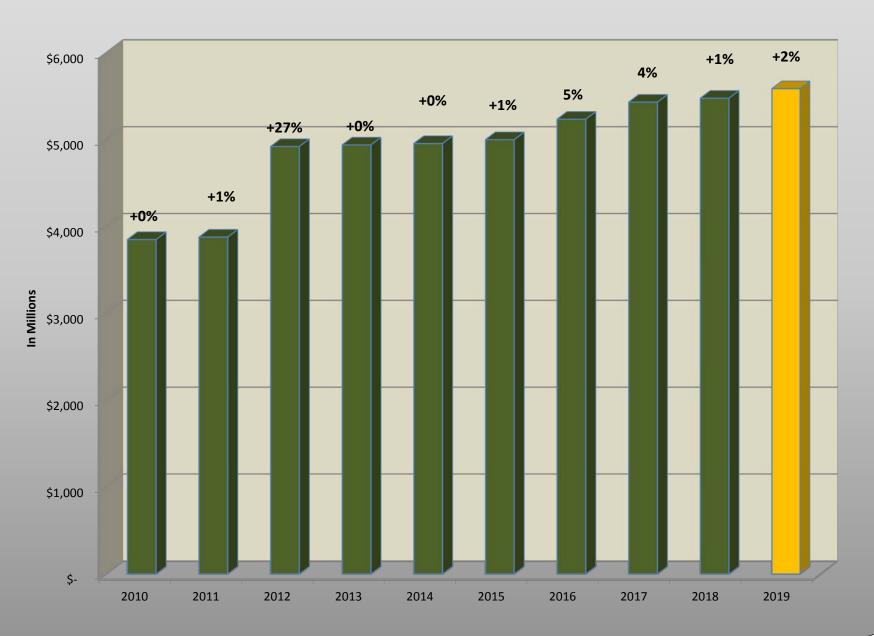
- Taxes
- Revenues and Expenditures
- Fund Balance
- Debt
- Town Revenues and Expenditures
- Local economy taxes
- Financial issues remaining in FY 18
- Budget Calendar remaining for FY 19 budget

## **Cornelius' Tax Rate History**

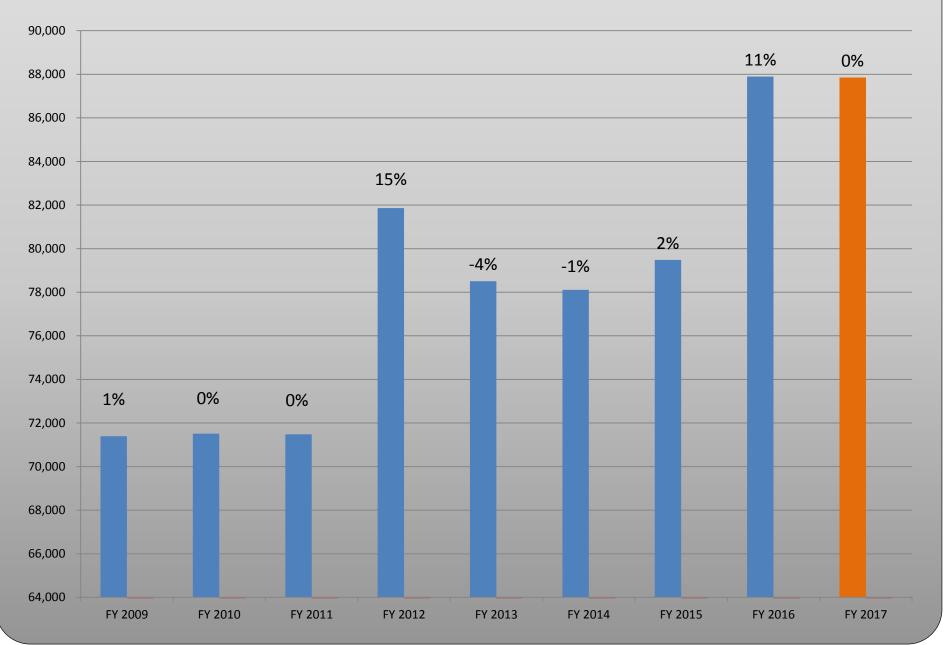




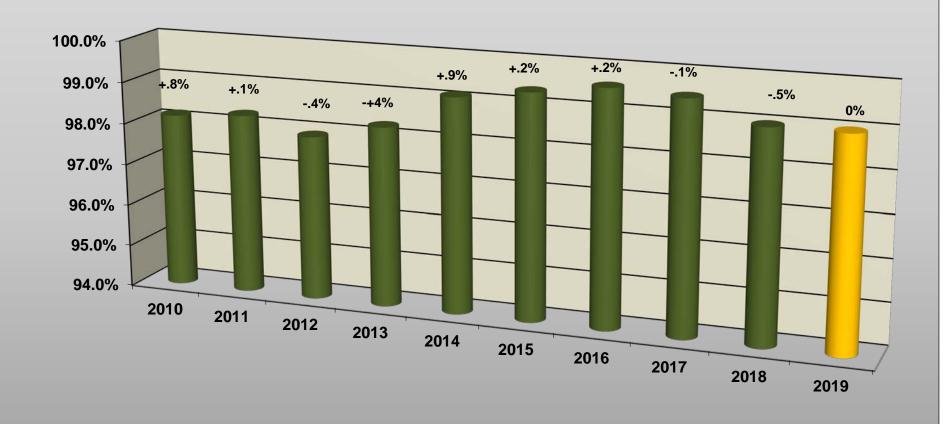
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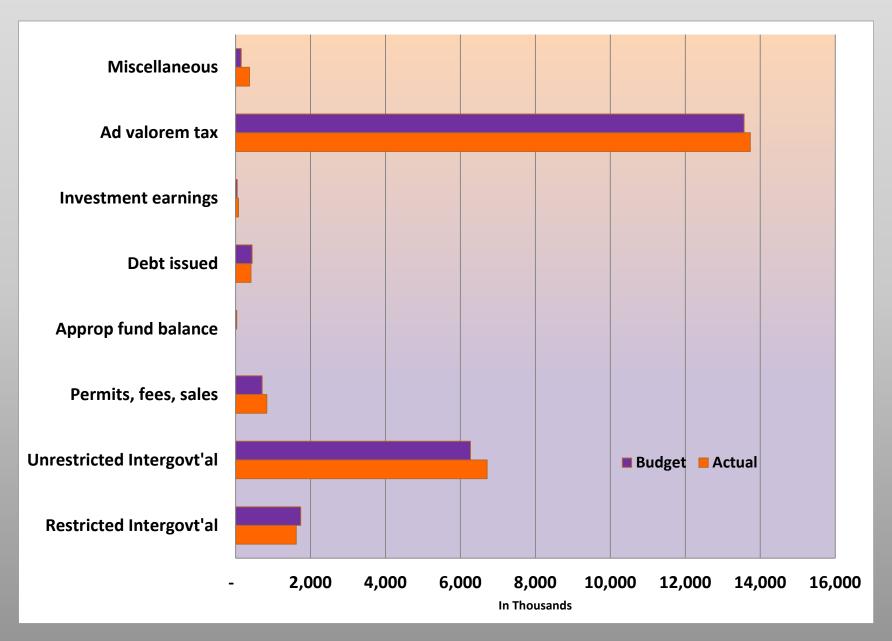
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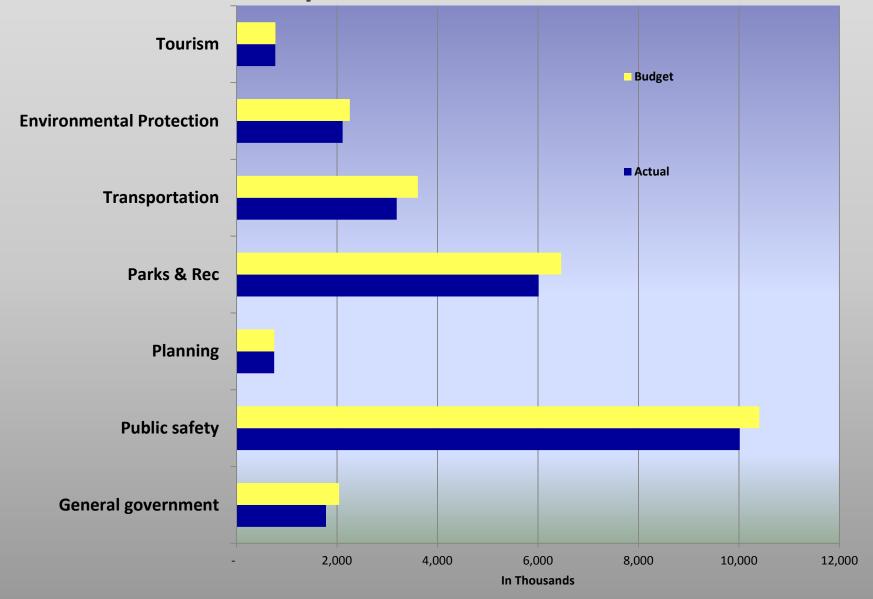
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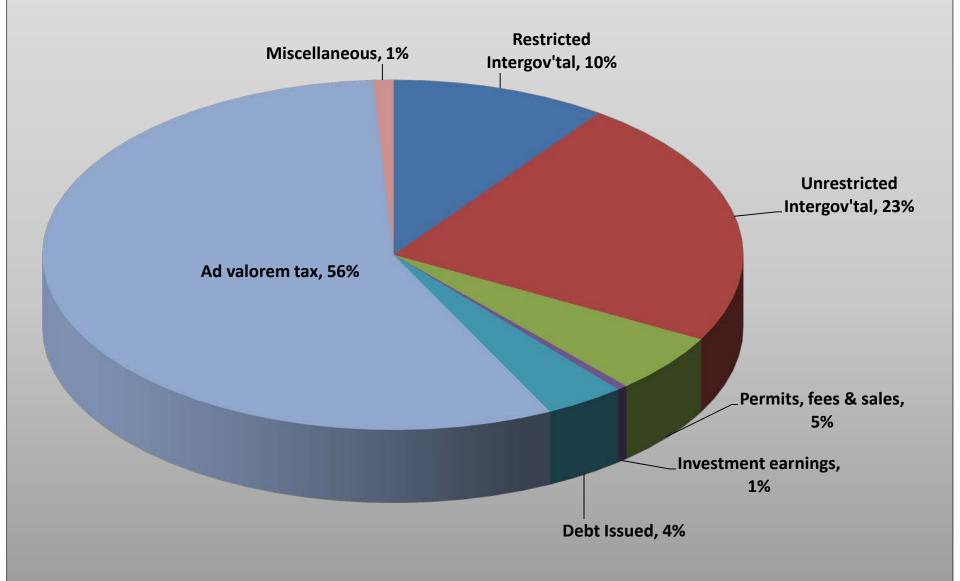
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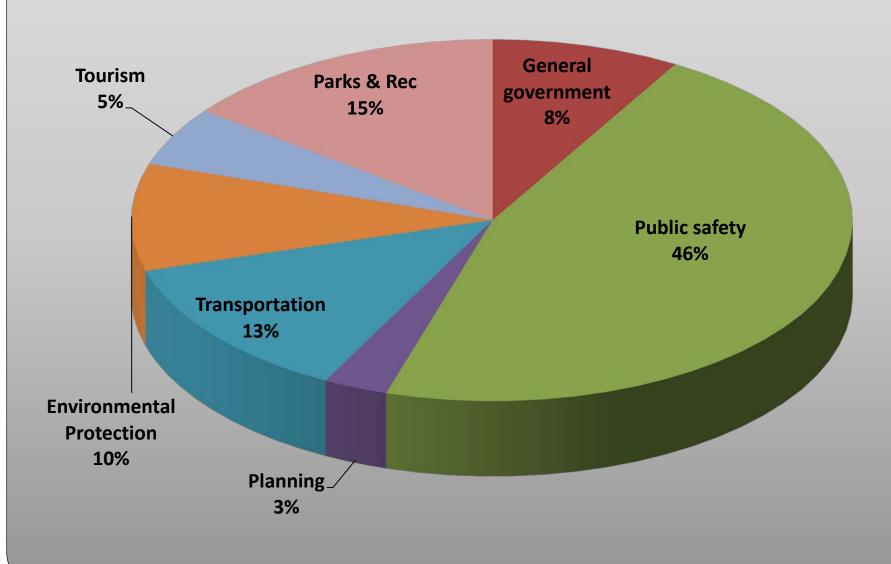
### FY 2017 Expenditures Bud vs Act



### FY 2018 Revenue Estimated Year End



# FY 2018 Expenditures Estimated Year End



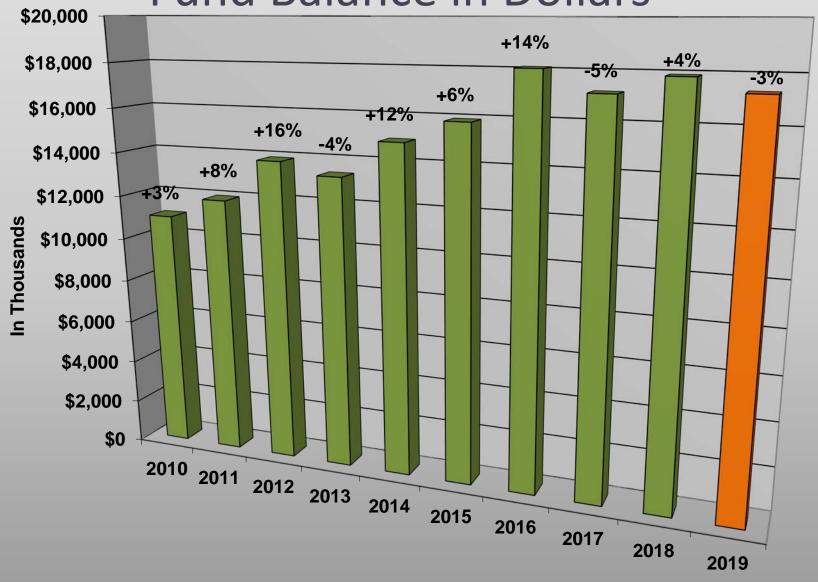
### Fund Balance Illustration

Fund Balance	Budget	Actual
+ Revenues	\$1,000,000	\$1,200,000
<u>-Expenditures</u>	<u>\$1,000,000</u>	_\$750,000
<u>= Fund Balance</u>	<u>-0-</u>	<u>\$450,000</u>

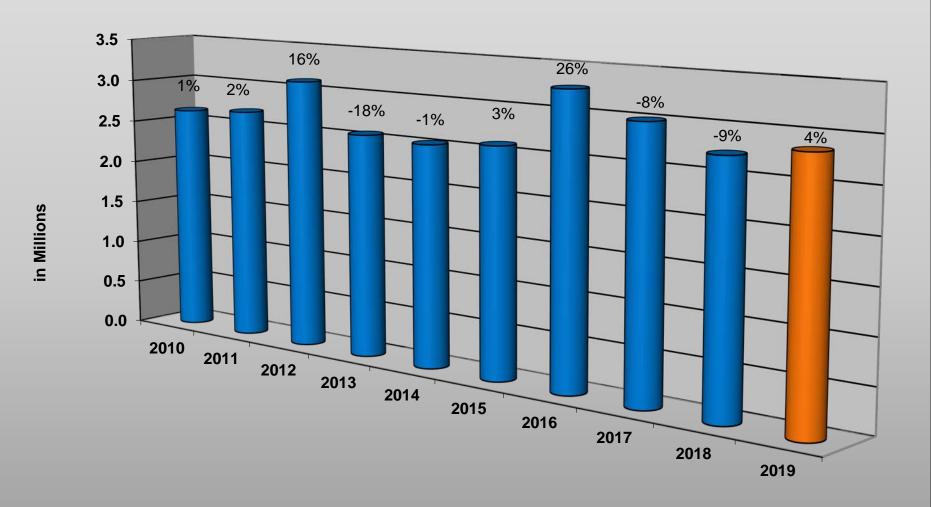
### Restrictions to Fund Balance

Purpose	FY 17 Audit	FY 18 EYE
State Statute	\$1,179,667	\$1,000,000
Powell Bill	502,729	852,673
Tourism	0	0
Asset Forfeiture	358,198	98,614
Prepaid items	217,378	300,000
Unassigned	11,968,386	13,527,478
General Fund	<u>\$ 14,226,358</u>	<u>\$15,778,765</u>
Capital Reserve	<u>\$2,955,034</u>	<u>\$2,215,384</u>
Total All Sources	<u>\$ 17,181,392</u>	<u>\$17,994,149</u>

### Fund Balance in Dollars



### **Debt Expenditures**



# **Current Obligations**

Collateral	FY 2018 Pmt	Maturity	Rate	0/S Bal 6/30/18
Police, Fire, Parks, PW vehs	\$419,000	Various	1.99/1.57 1.74/2.00	\$1,770,000
Park Bonds	\$182,000	April 2018	2.32%	Matures April 2018
Streets	\$325,000	July 2018	2.91%	\$157,000
Air Packs	\$84,000	June 2019	1.417%	\$123,000
Synthetic Turf	\$153,000	Mar 2021	2.02%	\$443,000
Robbins St Phase	\$102,000	July 2023	2.79%	\$477,000
Robbins Ponds	\$83,000	June 2023	2.6%	\$420,000
2015 Bonds	\$725,000	June 2032	2.23%	\$8,190,000
PW Building	\$164,000	Oct 2024	2.03%	\$1,857,000

### **Debt Outstanding**

- No debt outstanding at more than 2.91% (Street debt that matures July 2018)
- Robbins Phase I matures July 2023 with a current interest rate of 2.79%. Staff will investigate with BB&T the possibility of lowering this rate. This loan carries a 1% prepayment penalty.
- FY 2019 budget includes issuing vehicle debt for police cars and a fire SUV. We also anticipate issuing debt to purchase Park land and synthetic turf at the Bailey Middle School football field.

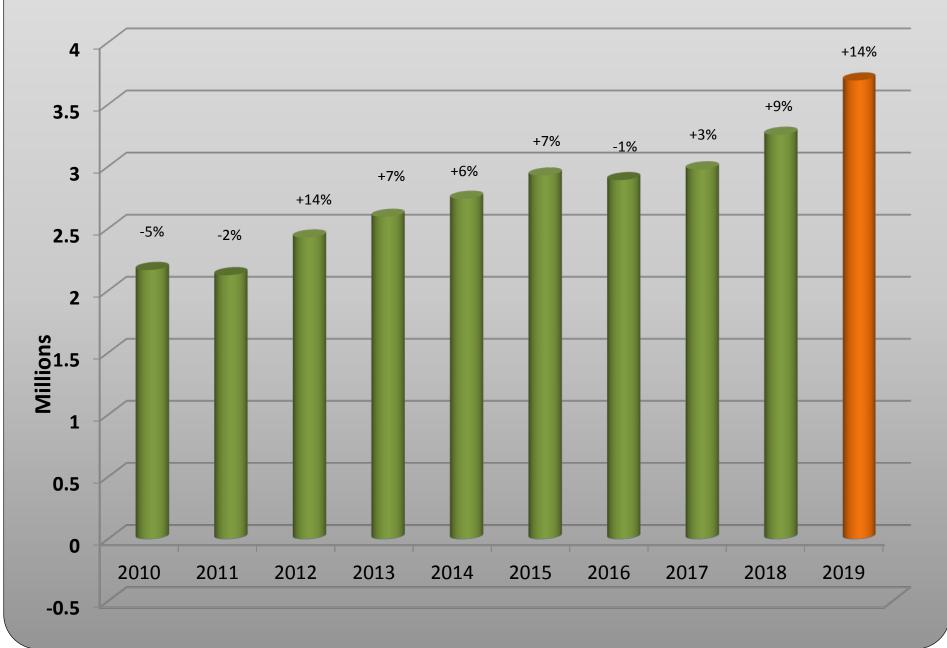
### **Bonds**

- Voters authorized \$20.4 million in November 2013
  - Authority to issue remaining \$10.7 million expires November 2020, however, we have the ability to get an extension from the LGC to issue as late as October 2023.
  - Five year forecast assumes Phase II bonds will be issued in FY 2019 with the exception of the Art Center bonds of 4 million.
  - We have also discussed a new bond referendum in November 2018 for 24M. In FY 2020, the forecast assumes that we would issue \$13,984,151 for roads and at the same time issue the 4M remaining art center bonds. The other portion of the 24M would be issued in 2022.

### FY 18 Budget Revs / Exps

- Interim statements budgeted revenues & expenditures for Jan – March 2018 available in April
- Revenue:
  - Property tax 99.99% budgeted amount already received at the end of February. Total amount received for current year property tax is \$12,549,039.
  - Sales tax up 12% over prior year first six months
  - Utility franchise distributions through the first six months are down slightly by 2% over FY 17 levels.
- Fund Balance for FY 18 could potentially be impacted due to:
  - Possible land purchase for Northcross Drive Ext./Westmoreland intersection.
  - Rhythm Engineering traffic signals

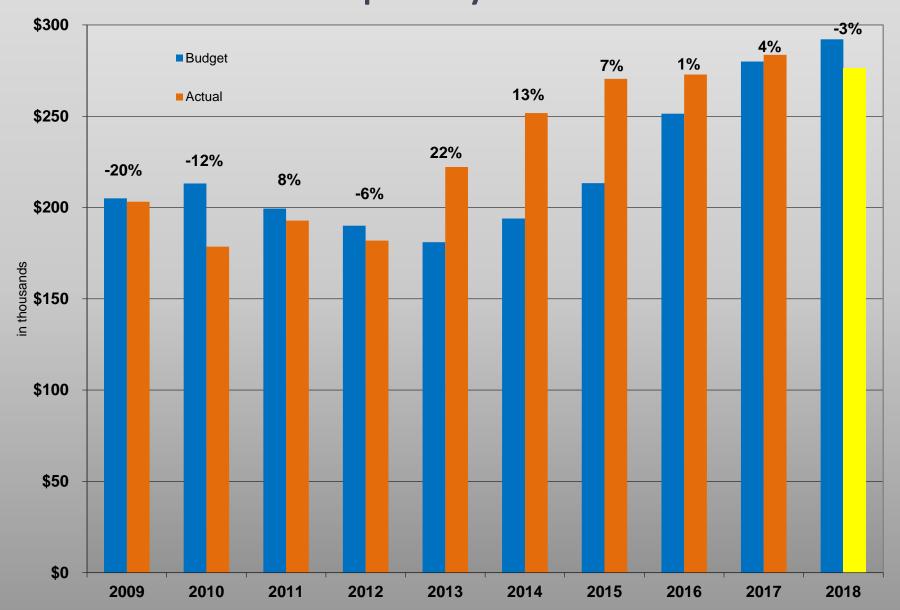
### Sales Tax Revenue



### **Electric Fund**

- Revenues are at 57% of budget as of March 1.
- Expenditures are at 53%, but May and particularly June purchased power invoice have dramatic impact.
- More Electric Fund data info with Tim Kopacz, Electric Systems Director at a future spring premeeting. The Rate Committee is actually meeting today to discuss any rate changes for FY 2019.

# Occupancy Tax



### Prepared Food & Beverage Tax



### FY 2018 Future Finance Agenda Items

- Purchasing Policy
- Interim Financial Statements
- Budget Amendment for newly Board approved PARC position and insurance proceeds
- Possible Bond Reimbursement Resolution

### FY 2019 Budget Calendar

- April finalize documents
- May 7 Manager Recommended Budget released
- May 21 Public Hearing
- June Adopt

# Questions?

### **REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION**

Print

Date of Meeting: March 7, 2018

To: Mayor and Board of Commissioners

From: Anthony Roberts, Town Manager

Action Requested:

Bence Hoyle - PD presentations:

• Records

• Vehicle Replacement

Manager Roberts - Remaining Goals

### Manager's Recommendation:

Hear presentations.

ATTACHMENTS:			
Name:	Description:	Type:	
records.pptx	Bence Hoyle - Records	Presentation	
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Budget Goal Request FY 2019.pdf	Operating Goals	Backup Material	



# Records



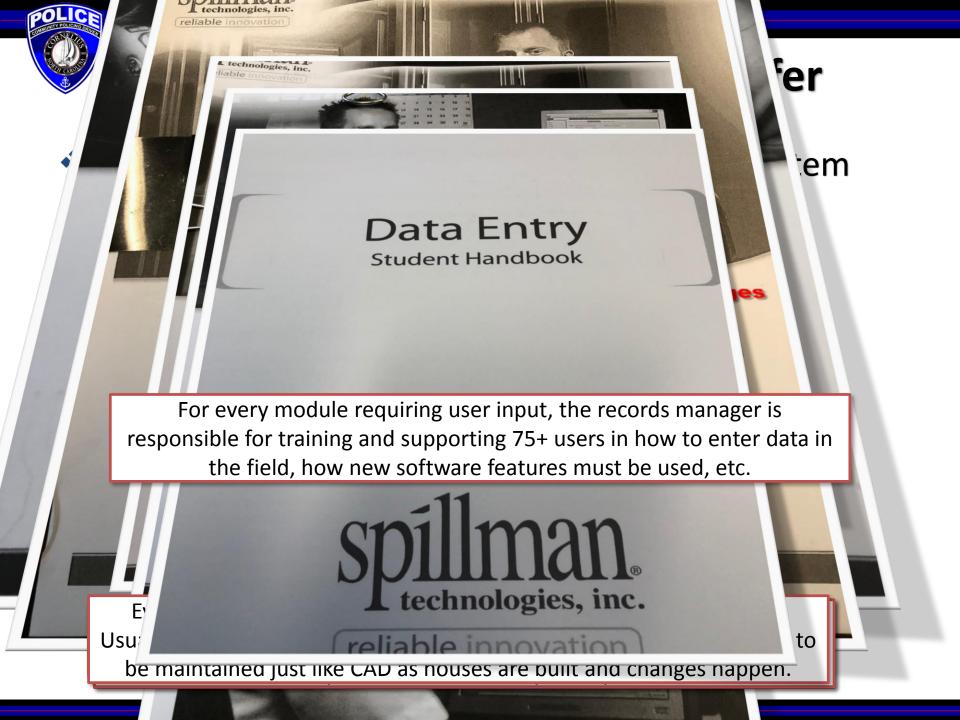
### **Staffing Records**

- On several occasions I have attempted to add a records position to our staff
- Justification:
  - Workload is much higher than one person can do
  - An ever increasing amount of walk-in traffic
  - We are at risk of a knowledge transfer gap if that person leaves
- The first two still apply
- The knowledge transfer problem has finally happened and has left us in a bad place with our records system



### **Workload and Knowledge Transfer**

- I'm going to illustrate both of these problems at once
  - First understand:
    - Every report that is taken in the field by officers MUST be validated and coded by records (almost 10,000 annually)
    - Many reports have to be sent back for revision and touched more than once
    - Most reports will eventually be subpoenaed by the court and must be produced by records
    - Most reports will have a victim, witness, complainant or suspect –
       or all four come by the police department to pick up a copy
    - Every report has sub reports that must be validated:
      - Evidence module, property module, master name table, vehicle module, field interview module, etc. etc.
      - Almost every report will have follow-up supplemental reports that have to go through the same validation and revision process





### Workload and Knowledge Transfer

- State and Federal Reporting Requirements
  - Every NC General Statute has to be translated to match these reporting guidelines
  - B&E, for example, is not a listed grime in UCR or NIBRS
    - However, it is a Part 1 Crime in the NEversion sed
  - Possession of drugs, for example have the same statute for both felonies and misdemeanors by its not reported Nationally that way.
  - General Statutes change every legislative session and translations have to be done on a regular basis
  - Each user has to be instructed on how these translations should be recorded in the field as well



### **Impacts**

- This year we lost our records manager of more than 15 years to Huntersville
  - With her went the knowledge as well as the investment in training we have made
  - Succession planning is not possible without a subordinate to train with her
- We have relied on our receptionist to assist with records in the past, but that position is too busy
  - We average over 50 phone calls per day
  - We have multiple walk-ins asking for reports, fingerprints, meetings, vendors, subpoenas, tour groups, victims, witnesses and sometimes suspects waiting for interviews



### **Impacts**

- We had no choice this year but to move our 911 Director to records temporarily
  - She was the only person who was familiar enough to keep us from having to stop giving out reports
  - However, she is the CAD system administrator, not RMS.
     That system has different code tables, administrator manuals, etc.
- It is not wise or prudent to continue like this
  - We have less office staff than anyone else of similar size and it is creating a big problem for us
  - We cannot continue to skimp by on the hope that we will not have turnover. It has happened and it is impactful.



### Recommendation

- We need to add one records clerk position:
  - This will take the workload off the records manager
  - Will focus on what comes out of the system:
    - Subpoenas, citizen reports, media reports, etc.
    - Will do some data entry, e-citation imports, etc.
  - The records manager will focus on what goes into the system
    - Data integrity, system administration, user training, UCR and NIBRS reporting, etc.
  - This will also give us a succession planning opportunity to prevent data loss and data integrity issues.
  - Cost: \$41,500 (includes benefits)



### Comparisons

- ❖ Matthews (31K) 3 Records Clerks
- ❖ Mooresville (39K) 3 Records Clerks
- ❖ Huntersville (57K) 2 Records Clerks
  - Huntersville has no system administration responsibilities.
     All that is done in Charlotte
- Cornelius (30K) 1 Records Clerk



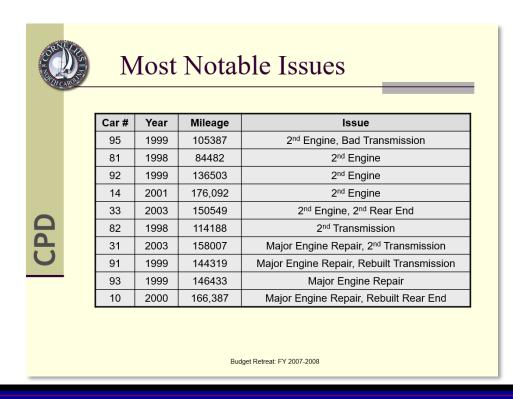
### Police Vehicle Replacement

CIP Fleet Requests



### **History**

- In FY08 a comprehensive fleet replacement study was completed
  - At that time, we had a significant amount of repair costs
    - Engine and transmission replacements annually





### **History**

- Our research indicated we were keeping vehicles much too long, for example:
  - We were not aware of the impact on idle time
    - Unlike the past when radios and equipment were simple, today:
      - We have high powered trunked radios
      - We carry much more equipment today as well
        - » Computers, Printers, GPS Mapping Systems, multiple cameras
    - Today cars idle at every call to keep equipment up and communicating with the 911 center
      - Cameras record from start to finish
      - GPS coordinates are transmitted to dispatch
      - Computers lose connectivity to the State if we shut down
  - Manufacturer's engineers published a study that says each hour of idle time has the same impact as driving 33 miles



### **History**



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### **SECTION 1: GENERAL INFORMATION**

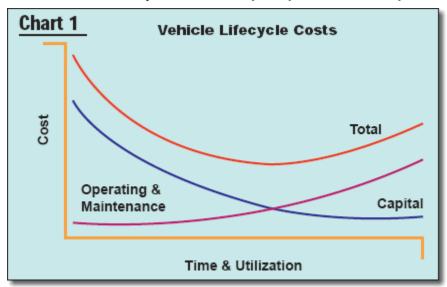
### Standard Equipment – Functional Sedan Police Interceptor

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Alternator	220 Amp
Battery	Heavy duty maintenance free 78A / 750CCA
Brakes	4-wheel hvy duty disc w/ hvy duty front & rear calipers
Defroster, Rear Window	Electric
Drive Shaft (AWD)	Aluminum
Engine	3.5L V6 TIVCT
Engine Idle Meter	The engine idle meter records how long the vehicle engine runs while in PARK or NEUTRAL. This information can be combined with the vehicle mileage to determine when an engine oil change is required.  1 hour of engine idle time = 33 m les driving distance
Engine Oil Cooler	



# **Life Cycle Cost Analysis**

- Once data collection was complete we had to figure out the total cost of ownership:
  - Lifecycle Cost is equal to:
    - (Purchase Price + Repair Costs) (Sale Price)



"Over time, vehicle capital costs decline, while vehicle operating costs increase. The combination of these two cost functions produces a U-shaped total cost curve. Ideally, vehicles should be replaced around the time annual operating costs begin to outweigh annual capital costs - that is, when the total cost curve begins to turn upward." - Source: Fleet Financials, July, 2002



# **Life Cycle Cost Analysis**

- In addition, we discovered vehicle down time was impacting our fleet tremendously:
  - One car was down 128 days in a single year
    - When this happens, all those would-be miles are transferred to other cars – driving up their wear and tear
- Life-cycle analysis determined we should replace vehicles between 80,000 and 100,000 odometer miles
- At the time we drove approximately 450K per year, or 4.5 cars annually not including idle time
- ❖ Since then, we have bought 4 − 5 cars annually, but we inspect every car to make sure replacement is necessary we do not just use the formula.



# **Impact**

- We virtually eliminated expensive engine repairs and vehicle downtime
- More importantly, budgeting for the fleet has become predictable with no surprises
- Our cost, when you consider resale value, is stable and reasonable, plus
  - It is a big recruiting tool. To officers it is an office, and they
    are in it 12 hours a day. They discuss and compare fleet
    conditions all the time and we fare well there
  - It also allows us to reuse more equipment



# **Today**

- The previous study was conducted 10 years ago and we have grown
  - Service area is larger and density is higher
  - We drive more and make more trips to Charlotte than ever before
- In 2017 we drove 792,624 miles
  - Obviously 4-5 vehicles will not keep up with this
  - We should have implemented and adjustment each year to account for our growth and its impact on the fleet, however:
    - We monitored our fleet and felt we did not need more until now
    - This is because those 10 we bought in 2008 lasted longer because our fleet was healthy
    - This allowed other purchases in subsequent years to last longer as well



# **Today**

- The 'bubble' created when we purchased those 10 cars has burst and we find ourselves needing to adjust our per year purchases again
- We have budgeted 8 for this year but anticipate we will need to continue at this rate based on mileage and idle time we are seeing
- This is in line with our current replacement policy and with the actual miles we are driving
- ❖ In the past we have not replaced many below 100K and most have been above
- This is because we assess every vehicle every time



# **Fleet Decision Guidelines**

# Purchasing:

- We choose vehicles initially based on cost, usability, and resale value. For example:
  - The Ford Taurus interceptor was the cheapest when it came out,
     but it was difficult to use the backseat because it was so tight
  - The Dodge Charger had some serious design flaws early on and all agencies, including us, were reporting major down time and costs
  - We went with the Ford Explorer for several years, and this had the benefit of a higher resale – offsetting cost differences
- Using the life-cycle cost model literally, the F-150 or equivalent is the best choice if it fit with patrol use:
  - (purchase price resale) = life cost (examples below)
  - F-150 (\$30,000 12,000) @ 100K miles = \$18,000 life cost
  - Sedan (\$24,000 2,000 @ 100K miles = \$22,000 life cost



# **Fleet Decision Guidelines**

# \* Replacement:

- As mentioned we start looking at a vehicle for replacement around 80,000:
  - If that vehicle has been giving problems, we will work it out of the fleet shortly after this mileage
  - If we have recently spent money on a repair, say over \$1000 at 75,000 miles, we will keep that one and try to recoup monies spent
  - If a vehicle is close but can be used as a backup car, we may keep it longer if it is not going to be relied on regularly
- The point is every car gets the eyeball.



Thank You!

# Town of Cornelius Operating Budget Goals Request For the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2019

		Dept	Mgr
Dept	Goal Description	Request	Recommends
Planning	Arts District Planning	-	-
Planning	Evaluate Potential Small Area Plan Updates	-	-
Planning	Implementation of UPWP Mobility East	17,000	17,000
Planning	Planning Intern to Develop and Modernize GIS System	21,000	21,000
Planning Total		38,000	38,000
Pub Works	Continue to Work on Bond Projects	-	-
Pub Works	Open New Public Works Facility	-	-
Pub Works Total		-	-
Finance	Bid Banking Services	-	-
Finance	Review/Investigate Audit Services	-	-
Finance Total		-	-
IT	Investigate Employee Solutions to Prevent Cyber and Ransomware Attacks	2,500	2,500
IT Total		2,500	2,500
Police	Create Full Time Admin. Records Clerk Position	41,500	20,750
Police	Explorers Program	6,000	6,000
PD Total		47,500	26,750
PARC	Add Maintenance Technician	44,000	-
PARC	Increase Park Improvements Operational Budget (currently \$125,000)	175,000	25,000
PARC	Update Robbins Park Master Plan	10,000	10,000
PARC Total		229,000	35,000
Electric	Zero vehicle accidents and personal injuries	-	-
Electric	Achieve ASAI of at least 99%	-	-
Electric	Continue with Main Street Utility Line Burial	-	-
Electric	Implement and realize cost savings measures by reducing use of contractors	-	-
Electric	Complete electric system cost of service study	-	-
Electric Total		-	ı
Fire	Add 4 new FF/EMT's	438,000	-
Fire	Increase firefighter pay \$2 per hour	125,000	-
Fire Total		563,000	-
<b>Grand Total</b>		880,000	102,250

# **REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION**

Print

	Date of M	eeting: March 7, 2018
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То:	Mayor and Board of Commissioners	
From:		
Action Requested:		
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### **REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION**

Print

Date of Meeting: March 7, 2018

To: Mayor and Board of Commissioners

From: Anthony Roberts, Town Manager

**Action Requested:** 

CIP:

• Phase II Bond Sale (FY2019)

• New Transportation Bond Referendum (Nov. 2018)

#### Manager's Recommendation:

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### Town of Cornelius 2019-2023 Capital Improvement Plan Summary February 26, 2018

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DEPT	DESCRIPTION	Source	debt pmt	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
PW	Bailey Road Extension	Bonds Ph-2		3,664,943	-	-	-	-	-	3,664,943
PW	Funding for Phase I, II, and III Road Bond Projects	Bonds Ph-2		2,000,057	-	-	-	-	-	2,000,057
PARC	Smithville Park to JV Washam ES Greenway and Westmoreland Road MUP	Bonds Ph-2		1,050,000	-	-	-	-	-	1,050,000
PARC	Community/Art Center	Bonds Ph-2		-	4,000,000	-	-	-	-	4,000,000
PW	Northcross Drive Extension-Local Match	F Bond		-	5,411,577	-	-	-	-	5,411,577
PW	Torrence Chapel Rd/West Catawba Ave Intersection-Local Match	F Bond		-	3,115,589	-	-	-	-	3,115,589
PW	West Catawba Ave, Phase II-Local Match	F Bond		-	1,200,000	-	-	-	-	1,200,000
PW	Hwy 21 Quadrant- Bike/Ped Accommodations, aesthetics/utility burial	F Bond		-	1,100,000	-	-	-	-	1,100,000
PW	Hwy 115/Potts St/Davidson St Intersection Improvement	F Bond		-	1,000,000	-	-	-	-	1,000,000
PW	Northcross Dr. Extension- Bike/Ped Accommodations	F Bond		-	750,000	-	-	-	-	750,000
PW	Hwy 115/Potts St/Davidson St Intersection Improvement-Aesthetics	F Bond		-	525,000	-	-	-	-	525,000
PW	Hwy 21 Quadrant-Local Match	F Bond		-	452,000	-	-	-	-	452,000
PW	Hwy 115/Hickory St. Intersection Improvements	F Bond		-	429,985	-	-	-	-	429,985
PW	West Catawba Ave, Phase II- Bike/Ped, Aesthetics	F Bond		-	, -	-	4,630,000	-	-	4,630,000
PW	Hwy 21 Widening (A)- Bike/Ped Accommodations, Aesthetics	F Bond		-	-	-	3,000,000	-	-	3,000,000
PW	Torrence Chapel Rd/West Catawba Ave Intersection-Bike Ped, Aesthetics	F Bond		_	_	_	2,400,000	_	_	2,400,000
PW	DDI Aesthetics	Fund Bal		1,390,000	-	-	-	-	-	1,390,000
PARC	Bailey Road Park Track Renovation & Synthetic Turf Field	Debt		1,300,000	-	-	_	-	-	1,300,000
PARC	Park Land Expansion	Debt		1,000,000	-	-	_	_	-	1,000,000
PW	Street Resurfacing	FB Powell		800,000	-	800,000	_	800,000	-	2,400,000
PD	Vehicle Replacement Program	Both		360,000	365,000	370,000	375,000	380,000	-	1,850,000
PW	Stream Restoration Project- Willow Pond	Fund Bal		100,000	100,000	300,000	_	-	-	500,000
Fire	Equip New Engine	Fund Bal		90,000	-	-	_	_	-	90,000
PD	Video Surveillance Program	Fund Bal		50,000	50,000	50,000	50,000	50,000	-	250,000
IT	Computer Replacement Program	Fund Bal		45,000	45,000	45,000	45,000	45,000	-	225,000
Fire	Fire Chief's Vehicle Replacement	Both		40,000	-	-	-	-	-	40,000
PW	Jetton Road Extension/Sefton Parkway	Debt		-	2,000,057	_	_	_	-	2,000,057
PARC	Bailey Road North Neighborhood Park	Debt		_	1,500,000	_	_	_	2,500,000	4,000,000
PARC	Smithville Park to JV Washam ES Greenway and Westmoreland Road MUP (Match)	Fund Bal		_	1,350,000	_	_	_	-,,	1,350,000
PARC	Village Center Neighborhood Park	Debt		_	1,000,000	_	_	_	3,000,000	4,000,000
PARC	South Bailey Road Greenway Phase II	Debt		_	300,000	_	_	_	-	300,000
PW	Sidewalks	FB Powell		_	200,000	_	200,000	_	-	400,000
PARC	Field Grooming Equipment & Utility Vehicle	Fund Bal		-	150,000	-		_	-	150,000
PARC	Facility Renovation & Expansion	Fund Bal		-	145,000	290,000	145,000	145,000	210,000	935,000
PW	Public Works Equipment	Debt		-	75,000	65,000	_	-	-	140,000
Fire	Hose Replacement	Fund Bal		-	60,000	-	_	_	-	60,000
PW	Festival Street - Catawba Avenue	Debt		-	-	2,600,000	_	_	-	2,600,000
PARC	Southeast Cornelius Neighborhood Park (BMS land will take care of land cost)	Debt		-	-	2,000,000	_	_	-	2,000,000
Fire	Replace Engine 4	Debt		-	-	800,000	_	_	-	800,000
PARC	Torrence Chapel Park Major Renovations	Debt		-	-	650,000	-	-	-	650,000
PARC	Robbins Park	Debt		_	-	, -	1,000,000	-	3,800,000	4,800,000
Fire	Replace Truck 4	Debt		-	-	-	1,000,000	-		1,000,000
PARC	Glen Oak Green Park Connector	Fund Bal		-	-	-	500,000	-	-	500,000
PARC	Bailey Road Park Major Renovations	Fund Bal		-	-	_	320,000	200,000	1,500,000	2,020,000
PW	Hwy 73 West- Bike/Ped Accommodations	Fund Bal		-	-	-	275,000	275,000	550,000	1,100,000
PARC	Legion Park Major Renovations	Fund Bal		-	-	-	200,000	,	500,000	700,000
PARC	Stratford Forest Greenway	Fund Bal		-	-	-	160,000	540,000	-	700,000
PD	Police Department Roof	Fund Bal		_	-	_	60,000	-	_	60,000
PW	Hwy 73 East- Bike/Ped Accommodations	Fund Bal		_	_	_	45,000	45,000	90,000	180,000
PARC	Smithville Park Major Renovations	Fund Bal		_	_	_	-	180,000	-	180,000
PW	Westmoreland Interchange-ROW	Fund Bal		_	_	_	_	-	7,000,000	7,000,000
	Smithville to JV Washam Linear Park	Debt		_	_	_	_	_	6,000,000	6,000,000
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PARC	Westmoreland/McDowell Creek Neighborhood Park	Debt		-	-	-	-	-	4,000,000	4,000,000
Fire	Fire Station #3	Debt		-	-	-	-	-	4,000,000	4,000,000
PW	West Catawba Ave, Phase II- Aesthetic Utility Poles	Fund Bal		-	-	-	-	-	4,000,000	4,000,000
Fire	Training Center/Land & Tower	Debt		-	-	-	-	-	3,000,000	3,000,000
PW	Hwy 115- North Corridor- Bike/Ped Accommodations, Aesthetics	Debt		-	-	-	-	-	3,000,000	3,000,000
PARC	North Bailey Road Greenway	Debt		-	-	-	-	-	2,600,000	2,600,000
PARC	South Bailey Road Greenway Phase III	Debt		-	-	-	-	-	2,500,000	2,500,000
PARC	Waterfront Park	Debt		-	-	-	-	-	2,500,000	2,500,000
PARC	Victoria Bay Greenway	Debt		-	-	-	-	-	2,400,000	2,400,000
PARC	Old Cornelius to Statesville Road Greenway	Debt		-	-	-	-	-	2,100,000	2,100,000
PARC	Mini Park Land Acquisitions & Development	Debt		-	-	-	-	-	2,000,000	2,000,000
PARC	Caldwell Station Creek Greenway (South) Phase II	Debt		-	-	-	-	-	1,800,000	1,800,000
PARC	Washam Neighborhood Park	Debt		-	-	-	-	-	1,400,000	1,400,000
PARC	Westmoreland Park Greenway	Debt		-	-	-	-	-	1,210,000	1,210,000
PW	I-77 Service Road to Westmoreland	Debt		-	-	-	-	-	1,036,250	1,036,250
PARC	North Bailey Road to Bailey Road Greenway	Debt		-	-	-	-	-	1,000,000	1,000,000
PW	Caldwell Station to Bailey Extension	Debt		-	-	-	-	-	1,000,000	1,000,000
PARC	Synthetic Turf Multi-Purpose Field- Smithville Park	Debt		-	-	-	-	-	850,000	850,000
PARC	Bailey Road Park Tennis/Pickleball Complex	Debt		-	-	-	-	-	555,000	555,000
PARC	Nantz Road Connector Greenway	Fund Bal		-	-	-	-	-	500,000	500,000
PARC	Spray Park	Debt		-	-	-	-	-	500,000	500,000
PARC	Jetton Neighborhood Park Major Renovations	Fund Bal		-	-	-	-	-	450,000	450,000
PD	Police Substation	Fund Bal		-	-	-	-	-	300,000	300,000
PW	Stream Restoration Project- Upper McDowell Creek	Debt		-	-	-	-	-	284,750	284,750
			-	11,890,000	25,324,208	7,970,000	14,405,000	2,660,000	68,136,000	130,385,208

Phase III bond projects
Phase II bond projects

Project Title:	Program:
Bailey Road Extension	Public Works
Description:	Total Project Cost:

One of the high priority and high cost/benefit ratio projects from the potential Transportation Bond Projects is Bailey Road Extension. Bailey Road Extension also provides an economic development benefit. Bailey Road Extension is a new alignment with termini at the sharp curve in Bailey Road and Highway 21. The length is approximately 1/3 mile, but some realignment of Bailey Road may also be necessary.

In FY17 and FY18, Kimley-Horn has been finalizing a conceptual design. The current project estimate is \$7,186,205. The Town has been awarded an FY21 STBG-DA grant that will provide \$3,521,262. The Town will have to match the balance (\$3,664,943).

The Town is working with NCDOT and CRTPO to start planning and design in FY19, right of way acquisition in FY20, and construction if FY21. NCDOT has agreed to manage the

It is projected that the project will be funded with Phase II Road Bonds (2013 approved bonds).

\$3,664,943

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget:

Main Goal: Improve Mobility and Increase Transportation Options

Strategy: #6 Prioritize new roads and widen roads.

Guiding Principle: #6.4 Prioritize road improvements based on our development needs.

Project Status as of December 31, 2017	
Total Appropriations	\$3,664,943
Total Expenditures	\$0
Project Balance	\$3,664,943

	Request Type
	New
X	Continuation

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Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses				,			
Plan/design	\$255,000			1			\$255,000
Land	\$1,074,143						\$1,074,143
Construction							\$2,335,800
Equipment							
TOTAL	\$3,664,943						\$3,664,943

Project Title:	Program:
Funding for Phase I, II, and III Road Bond Projects	PW
Description:	Total Project Cost:
This \$2,000,057 will allow the Town to be in a position to fund	\$2,000,057
Phase I, II, and III road bond projects as needed.	Estimated Impact on Operating Budget:
	Main Goal: Strengthen Citizen Engagement
	Strategy: #23 Maintain and Improve Town Services
	Guiding Principle: #4 Prioritize Capital Improvements

Project Status as of December 31, 2017	
Total Appropriations	\$2,000,057
Total Expenditures	\$0
Project Balance	\$2,000,057

Request Type					
X	New				
	Continuation				

Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses Plan/design Land Construction Equipment	\$2,000,057						\$2,000,057
	\$2,000,057						\$2,000,057

Project Title:	Program:
Smithville Park to JV Washam ES Greenway (GW4) and Westmoreland Road MUP	PARC

#### Description:

This project funds land acquisition, design and development of a \$4,800,000 greenway trail from Westmoreland Road near JV Washam Elementary School to Catawba Avenue at Smithville Park. It also includes a 0.7 mile Multi-Use Path (MUP) along Westmoreland Road from Hwy 21 over I-77 to McDowell Creek Greenway. The greenway trail and MUP are part of the approved Town of Cornelius Parks and Greenways Comprehensive Master Plan (GW4), Bike Plan, Pedestrian Plan and Carolina Thread Trail Master Plan.

The new greenway and MUP will consist of a nearly 2.3-milelong, ten-foot-wide paved trail for pedestrians and bicycles. The project includes funds for signage and site furnishings. The Town currently owns or will own approximately 0.7 miles of the necessary alignment. The remaining 1.6-mile alignment is privately owned and spread across numerous privately-owned parcels depending on final alignment.

\$2,400,000 is appropriated for the project through a NCDOT TAP (SU10) matching grant. The grant includes funds for right-of-way acquisition and construction. The remaining \$2,400,000 will come from Town funds (\$1,050,000 – 2013 Park Bonds; \$1,350,000 – Fund Balance).

Total Project Cost:

### \$1,050,000 (Bonds) \$1,350,000 (Fund Balance)

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget: \$16,000

Main Goal: Improve Mobility and Increase Transportation Options

Strategy: #16 Improve Bike Lanes and Greenway Trail Connections; #15 Connect Local Sidewalks

Guiding Principle: #2 Update Greenway Master Plan; #1 Implement Bike Plan

Project Status as of December 31, 2017	
Total Appropriations	\$2,400,000
Total Expenditures	\$0
Project Balance	\$2,400,000

	Request Type
	New
X	Continuation

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Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses							
Plan/design							
Land							
Construction	\$1,050,000	\$1,350,000					\$2,400,000
Equipment							
TOTAL	\$1,050,000	\$1,350,000					\$2,400,000

Project Title:	Program:
<b>Cornelius Art Center Construction</b>	PARC
(S1)	

#### Description:

This project provides a portion of the construction funds for the Community/Art Center in accordance with the Strategic Working Group recommendations from October 2016. The project was also specifically identified as a priority in the Town's adopted Comprehensive Master Plan and identified as project S1 in the 2015-2025 Parks and Greenways Comprehensive Master Plan.

The new facility would function as a community and arts center providing programming space for performing arts and a visual arts gallery. The center may also include studio and classroom space, etc.

Cornelius voters approved in a 2013 Bond Referendum \$4M for Town Center Redevelopment that is planned to be used on a new Community/Art Center. In FY2016, the Town Board formed a Strategic Working Group which developed a recommendation for the size of the facility and services to be offered. Additional funds would be raised by the 501c3 not for profit organization newly formed through the Strategic Working Group recommendations.

Staff proposes to sell these bonds with FY20 Transportation Bonds, if approved.

Total Project Cost:

\$4,000,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget: \$550,000

Main Goal: Develop Key Community Shopping/Activity Centers and Key Development Nodes

Strategy: #10 & #23 Cultural Arts Center & Strengthen Citizen Engagement

Guiding Principles: #1, 2 & 4 #1 Determine the community's opinion for a Cultural Arts Center/Community Center #2 Implement identified local arts goals while acknowledging the Arts & Science Council Cultural Arts #4 Plan Prioritize Capital Improvements

Project Balance	\$4,000,000
Total Expenditures	\$0
Total Appropriations	\$0
December 31, 2017	
Project Status as of	

	Request Type				
	New				
X	Continuation				

Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses							
Plan/design							
Land							
Construction		\$4,000,000					\$4,000,000
Equipment							
TOTAL		\$4,000,000					\$4,000,000

Northcross Dr. Extension	Public Works
Project Title:	Program:

#### Description:

Extends Northcross Dr. from the existing terminus at the Stratford Forest subdivision to Eagle Ridge Way Ln. (at Westmoreland Rd.); creates a key alternative north-south connector and encourages economic development of vacant land adjacent to I-77. NCDOT has been working on the Environmental Document and preliminary design. The most recent NCDOT cost estimates for this project (based upon 25% plans) is \$13,700,000. While the majority of the project will occur in Cornelius, there is a portion of the project that will occur in Huntersville, along the existing Northcross Dr. NCDOT estimates the cost split between jurisdictions to be \$11,400,000 in Cornelius and \$2,300,000 in Huntersville. \$10,231,577 of funds have been committed to date. There are \$2,000,000 of Bonus Allocation Funds for this project. The Town has also received an NCDOT STBG-DA grant award of \$5,720,000; there is a current Town match of the STBG-DA grant funds of \$2,511,577. This leaves a shortfall of \$3,468,423.

Preliminary planning work has been done to vet out the 4(f) process; the results indicate that there won't be any issues that will halt the project from a 4(f) standpoint relative to the FHWA and NCDOT. The Town and NCDOT are working on a draft Municipal Agreement determine cost share between municipalities and to develop the Town's reimbursement schedule.---The road alignment goes through property owned by Mecklenburg County, private entities, and NCDOT; currently, the needed right-ofway is not within the Town jurisdiction (although it is in our ETJ). NC General Statutes prevent the Town from constructing a road outside of its municipal boundaries, although it does allow for right-of-way acquisition for the purpose of road construction, and allow it to contribute funds to a public road that will benefit its citizens. Town staff and NCDOT have agreed to the following working terms: NCDOT will manage the project, and the road will be turned over to the Town upon annexation of adjacent property.

Based upon current cost estimates, Town Staff estimates that as much as \$2,900,000 of the shortfall will be Cornelius' share. Engineering is underway. Right of way acquisition is anticipated for FY19 and construction commencing in FY20. It is estimated that NCDOT will invoice the Town incrementally for its share of the project costs as phases occur.

The Town is committed to these funds.

Total Project Cost:

\$5,411,577

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget:

Main Goal: Improve Mobility and Increase Transportation Options

Strategy: #12 Prioritize New Roads and Widen Roads

Guiding Principle: #4 Prioritize Capital Improvements

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	Request Type
	New
X	Continuation

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Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses				-			
Plan/design		\$641,894					\$641,894
Land		\$595,273					\$595,273
Construction		\$4,174,410					\$4,174,410
Equipment							
TOTAL		\$5,411,577					\$5,411,577

Project Title:	Program:
Torrence Chapel Rd./West Catawba Ave. Intersection Improvements — Local Match	Public Works

#### Description:

The DDI improved the efficiency of the interchange, in addition to marginal improvements to the bookend intersections (West Catawba Ave./Torrence Chapel Rd. and Hwy. 21/Catawba Ave.). Until these intersections are fully improved, congestion will continue to be a major issue for the Catawba corridor and the north-south roads that tie into these two intersections.

The Town and NCDOT have developed a preferred alternative design for the Torrence Chapel/West Catawba intersection. The cost estimate is \$10,875,000 (assuming federalization of the project and improvements to the entire length of Knox Rd.). There are currently \$5,000,000 of Bonus Allocation funds designated for this project. \$2,759,411 of STBG-DA funds have been awarded, as well; the Town is currently working with NCDOT and CRTPO to swap these DA funds for an equivalent amount of BA funds (from U-5908). The Town match is the balance, projected to be \$3,115,589.

A municipal agreement must be executed. The schedule is projected to be: design (FY18/19), ROW (FY19/20), and construction (FY20/21).

Total Project Cost:

\$3,115,589

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget:

Main Goal Improve Mobility and Increase Transportation Options

Strategy: #14 Innovative Intersection Improvements

Guiding Principle: #1
Develop an improvement
plan for Torrence Chapel
Road and West Catawba
Avenue intersection

Project Status as of	
December 31, 2017	
Total Appropriations	\$0
Total Expenditures	\$0
Project Balance	\$3,115,589

	Request Type
	New
X	Continuation

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Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses							
Plan/design		\$367,639					\$367,639
Land		\$838,094					\$838,09
Construction		\$1,909,856					\$1,909,85
Equipment							
TOTAL		\$3,115,589					\$3,115,589

Project Title:	Program:
West Catawba, Phase II - STI/Local Funding	Public Works
Contribution	

#### Description:

Approximately every 2 years, NCDOT works with CRTPO to rank road projects for the purpose of determining funding and timeframes. The higher a project ranks, the more likely it is that it will be placed on the TIP, and constructed within a 5 to 10 year period. NCDOT's SPOT 3.0 ranking process incorporated the new STI (Strategic Transportation Initiatives) parameters into the rankings. NCDOT requested that if any local entities would like to contribute local funding to projects, that it state this to CRTPO. On January 6, 2014, the Town Board adopted a resolution committing \$1.2 million (which was equivalent to approximately 4% of NCDOT's 2014 estimated \$29.3M cost for West Catawba, Phase II. The local contribution has accelerated the project schedule by approximately 2 years).

The STIP lists Right of Way FFY18 and Construction in FFY20. The STIP also lists the Town's local contribution occurring in FFY20, thus the Town should plan on providing those funds in FY20; however, a Municipal Agreement will need to be executed to define this.

The Town is committed to these funds.

Total Project Cost:

\$1,200,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget:

Main Goal: Strengthen Citizens Engagement

Strategy: #24
Town Beautification

Guiding Principle: #7
Determine when utility
burials should occur during
street and other right-of-way
projects

Project Status as of December 31, 2017	
Total Appropriations	\$0
Total Expenditures	\$0
Project Balance	\$1,200,000

	Request Type	
	New	
X	Continuation	

Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses Plan/design Land Construction Equipment		\$1,200,000					\$1,200,000
TOTAL		\$1,200,000					\$1,200,000

Project Title:	Program:
Hwy. 21 Quadrant – Bike/Ped Accommodations,	Public Works
Aesthetics/Utility Burial	

#### Description:

The intersection of Hwy. 21 / Catawba Ave. will be improved with a modified 2-lane roundabout. There is an opportunity to aesthetically enhance the roundabout.

The Town has instructed NCDOT and RS&H to design the roundabout with water supply and electricity going to the center of the roundabout, in addition to constructing drains and allowing for a foundation in the center. This will allow for flexibility in designing an aesthetic element. The Town should consider the comprehensive design of the entire vicinity, rather than the stand-alone design. The DDI Landscaping design should influence these aesthetics.

The cost will depend on the design. The Town Board has been comfortable with a \$250,000 cost.

The Town will also be paying the betterment cost for utility burial. The utility burial will occur in conjunction with the roadway construction commencing in FY20. The Town's preliminary estimate for this project is \$500,000, extrapolated from actual costs for utility burial associated with the DDI. Length of burial is approximately 0.15 miles. [The Town has received a cost estimate of \$33,000 from Electricities for their portion of the burial. The Town is awaiting a cost estimate from AT&T in addition to confirmation from NCDOT of the total cost estimate.]

The Town will be responsible for betterment costs associated with bike/ped accommodations. It is estimated that these costs will be \$700,000. NCDOT will provide estimates as design progresses. A Supplemental Municipal Agreement must be executed with NCDOT.

Total Project Cost:

\$1,100,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget:

Main Goal: Improve Mobility and Increase Transportation Options

Strategy: #8 Exit 28 Small Area Plan

Guiding Principle: Develop an Improvement Plan for the US 21 & Catawba Intersection

Project Status as of December 31, 2017	
Total Appropriations	\$0
Total Expenditures	\$0
Project Balance	\$1,100,000

	Request Type	
	New	
X	Continuation	

Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses Plan/design Land Construction Equipment		\$35,000 \$1,065,000					\$35,000 \$1,065,000
TOTAL		\$1,100,000					\$1,100,000

Project Title:	Program:
Hwy. 115/Potts St./Davidson St. Intersection Improvement Project	Public Works

#### Description:

The Town and NCDOT have cooperated on an intersection improvement project at Hwy. 115/ Potts St./ Davidson St. A preferred alternative has been selected (roundabout). NCDOT has preliminarily estimated the road construction-only cost at \$3M; however, they have not estimated the total project. The TIP lists the project at \$6.9M total. Town staff estimation is \$7M. There are \$6M of Bonus Allocation Funds available. The Town will have to execute a Municipal Agreement with NCDOT to establish funding responsibilities and payment schedule. Portions of the project are in the Town of Davidson (the Municipal Agreement will address this cost responsibility).

Total Project Cost:

\$1,000,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget:

Main Goal:

Improve Mobility and Increase Transportation Options

Strategy: 12

Prioritize New Roads and Widen Roads

Guiding Principle: #4

**Prioritize Capital Improvements** 

Project Balance	\$1,000,000
Total Expenditures	\$0
Total Appropriations	\$0
December 31, 2017	
Project Status as of	1

	Request Type
	New
X	Continuation

Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses Plan/design Land Construction Equipment		\$100,000 \$200,000 \$700,000					\$100,000 \$200,000 \$700,000
TOTAL		\$1,000,000					\$1,000,000

# Project Title: Program: Northcross Dr. Extension – Bike/Ped Accommodations Public Works

#### Description:

This roadway project extends Northcross Dr. from the existing terminus at the Stratford Forest subdivision to Eagle Ridge Way Ln. (at Westmoreland Rd.); creates a north-south connector and encourages economic development of vacant land adjacent to I-77. There are improvements in Huntersville. This CIP item only includes Cornelius' improvements.

The Town will be responsible for betterment costs associated with bike/ped accommodations. It is estimated that these costs will be \$750,000.

NCDOT will provide estimates as design progresses. The Town will need to execute a Supplemental Municipal Agreement with NCDOT to further define these costs and payment schedule.

Total Project Cost:

\$750,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget:

Main Goal: Improve Mobility and Increase Transportation Options

Strategy: #12 Prioritize New Roads and Widen Roads

Guiding Principle: #4
Prioritize Capital
Improvements

Project Status as of	
December 31, 2017	
Total Appropriations	\$0
Total Expenditures	\$0
Project Balance	\$750,000

	Request Type				
	New				
Х	Continuation				

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Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses							-
Plan/design							
Land							
Construction		\$750,000					\$750,000
Equipment							
TOTAL		\$750,000					\$750,000

Project Title:

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Hwy. 115/Potts St./Davidson St. Intersection Improvement Project – Bike/Ped Accommodations and Aesthetic Improvements

**Public Works** 

Program:

#### Description:

There is Bonus Allocation funding in place for the roadway intersection improvement project at Hwy. 115/Potts/Davidson intersections. NCDOT has retained Kimley-Horn to complete the roadway design.

The project is likely to begin right of way acquisition in FY18, followed by utilities/construction in FY19.

The Town will have the opportunity to aesthetically enhance this project. For example, if a roundabout is constructed, the center of the roundabout could be enhanced with gateway improvements. It is estimated that these costs are approximately \$100,000.

Other aesthetic improvements, including elements such as black sign posts, decorative street lights, landscaping, etc. can be included. Extrapolating from costs for similar items along West Catawba, Phase I, this cost is estimated to be \$50,000.

The Town will be responsible for betterment costs associated with bike/ped accommodations. It is estimated that these costs will be \$375,000. Included in that unit cost is a multi-purpose path on one side of the roads and a sidewalk along the other sides.

[Utility burial along Hwy. 115 is currently being completed by a multi-year Electricities project.]

Total Project Cost:

\$525,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget:

Main Goal:

Improve Mobility and Increase Transportation Options

Strategy: 12

Prioritize New Roads and Widen Roads

Strategy: 16

Improve Bike lanes and Greenway

Trail Connections Strategy: 24 Town Beautification

Guiding Principle:

**Prioritize Road Improvements** 

Project Balance	\$525,000
Total Expenditures	\$0
Total Appropriations	\$0
Project Status as of December 31, 2017	

	Request Type						
	New						
X	<b>X</b> Continuation						

Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses							
Plan/design		\$50,000					\$50,000
Land							
Construction		\$475,000					\$475,000
Equipment							
TOTAL		\$525,000					\$525,000

Project Title:

#### Hwy. 21 Quadrant - Local Match

Program:

#### **Public Works**

#### Description:

The DDI has improved the efficiency of the interchange, in addition to marginal improvements to the bookend intersections (West Catawba Ave./Torrence Chapel Rd. and Hwy. 21/Catawba Ave.). Until these intersections are fully improved, congestion will continue to be a major issue for the Catawba corridor and the north-south roads that tie into these two intersections.

The Town worked with Parsons-Brinckerhoff and NCDOT to validate and design the modified 2-lane roundabout design. The total project has been estimated at \$9,208,000. Per the Municipal Agreement with NCDOT, CMAQ grant funds of \$2,006,000 plus \$502,000 of Town Match Funds will be applied to the project in addition to subsequently applying \$6.7 million of Bonus Allocation Funds.

NCDOT commenced design in January 2016. Design alternatives are currently being evaluated. Right of way acquisition is likely to begin FFY19, and construction to begin in FFY20.

The Town has already paid \$50,000 to NCDOT for its share of engineering costs. NCDOT will invoice the Town for its share of the Right of Way costs prior to commencing acquisition. NCDOT will invoice the Town for its share of the Construction costs prior to commencing construction.

NCDOT is to share anticipated ROW and Construction costs with the Town, and the Town is to provide written authorization for moving forward with those phases if the total project costs are projected to exceed \$9,208,000.

The Town is committed to these funds.

Total Project Cost:

\$502,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget:

Main Goal Improve Mobility and Increase Transportation Options

Strategy: #14
Implement an improvement
plan for the US 21 and
Catawba Ave. intersection

Guiding Principle: #2
Develop an Improvement
Plan for the US 21 &
Catawba Avenue
Intersection

Project Status as of December 31, 2017	
Total Appropriations	\$502,000
Total Expenditures	\$50,000
Project Balance	\$452,000

	Request Type				
	New				
Х	Continuation				

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Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses Plan/design							
Land Construction		\$452,000					\$452,000
Equipment TOTAL	·	\$452,000					\$452,000

Hwy. 115/ Hickory St. Intersection Improvements	Public Works
Project Title:	Program:

#### Description:

Key components of creating an alternate to Catawba Ave. is Hickory St. Ext. (Phase I; completed) and improving the intersection of Hwy. 115/ Hickory St. (Phase II). This involves the construction of two Hwy. 115 left-turn lanes (northbound and southbound) plus installation of a traffic signal with associated pre-emption for Fire Station #1.

The Town has been awarded a CMAQ grant of \$1,003,265. The Town's match is \$429,985 (for a total project cost of \$1,433,250). Grant Funds are available in FY19. Design, permitting, and right of way acquisition will take 18-24 months.

Total Project Cost: \$429,985

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget:

Main Goal:

Improve Mobility and Increase **Transportation Options** 

Strategy: #12

Prioritize New Roads and Widen Roads

Guiding Principle: 6.4 Prioritize Road Improvements based of our development needs

Project Status as of December 31, 2017	
Total Appropriations	\$0
Total Expenditures	\$0
Project Balance	\$429,985

	Request Type
X	New
	Continuation

Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total	
Expenses								
Plan/design		\$64,498					\$64,498	
Land		\$85,997					\$85,997	
Construction		\$279,490					\$279,490	
Equipment								
TOTAL		\$429,985					\$429,985	

Project Title:

# West Catawba Ave., Phase II — Bike/Ped Accommodations, Aesthetic Enhancements

13' Multi-Purpose Paths, Decorative Street Lights, Landscaping, Signage, Concrete/Asphalt, Mast Arms, Conduits, Blue Road signs

Program:

**Public Works** 

#### Description:

For the West Catawba Ave., Phase I widening project (1.0 miles from Torrence Chapel Rd. to Jetton Rd.), the Town invested funds in right of way acquisition, permanent utility easement acquisition, utility burial, decorative street lights, landscaping, signage, concrete/asphalt, and other aesthetic improvements. Phase II is a total of 2.35 miles from Jetton Rd. to Hwy. 73.

The Town will be responsible for betterment costs associated with bike/ped accommodations. It is estimated that these costs will be \$3,000,000. Included in that cost are two Multi-purpose paths (13' each) plus right of way costs. NCDOT will provide for the cost of replacing sidewalks where they currently exist plus the cost of two 4' bike lanes and right-of-way associated with these facilities, plus 70% of the cost of new sidewalks.

Extrapolating from Phase I costs, the Town's estimates for Phase II (2.35 miles from Jetton Rd. to Hwy. 73) Aesthetic enhancements (Decorative Street Lights, black sign posts, Landscaping, Signage, Concrete/Asphalt, Mast Arms) is \$1,630,000. NCDOT will provide estimates as design progresses.

The Town will need to enter into a Supplemental Municipal Agreement to finalize the preceding and payment schedule.

Total Project Cost:

\$4,630,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget:

Main Goal:

Strengthen Citizen Engagement

Strategy: #24 Town Beautification

Guiding Principle: #7
Determine when utility burials should occur during street & other right-of-way projects

Project Status as of December 31, 2017	·
Total Appropriations	\$0
Total Expenditures	\$0
Project Balance	\$4,630,000

	Request Type					
	New					
X	Continuation					

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Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses							
Plan/design							
Land							
Construction				\$4,630,000			\$4,630,000
Equipment	in the second second						
TOTAL				\$4,630,000			\$4,630,000

#### Project Title:

# Hwy. 21 Widening (A) — Bike/Ped Accommodations and Aesthetics

#### Program:

#### **Public Works**

#### Description:

In FFY21, construction will commence on widening Hwy. 21 (Section A, Northcross Center Ct. to Westmoreland Rd.). The Town will have an opportunity to aesthetically enhance this corridor in conjunction with the widening, with elements such as black powder-coated mast arms, black sign posts, decorative street lights, landscaping, etc. Extrapolating from costs for similar items along West Catawba, Phase I, this cost is estimated to be \$600,000 for this 1.2-mile project.

The Town will be responsible for betterment costs associated with bike/ped accommodations. It is estimated that these costs will be \$2,400,000. This includes (2) 13' multi-use paths' construction and right of way, subtracting out NCDOT's cost for (2) 4' bike lanes and their 70% share for new 5' sidewalks.

(It is not anticipated that Utility Burial will be part of this project.)

NCDOT will provide estimates as design progresses. The Town will need to enter into a Supplemental Municipal Agreement for these costs and payment schedule.

Conceptual design began in late 2016. Right-of-way/utilities are scheduled to commence in FY19. The construction is anticipated to commence in FY21 and will take at least three years (combined with the US21 widening from Gilead Rd. to Sam Furr Rd.).

Total Project Cost:

\$3,000,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget:

Main Goal:

Improve Mobility and Increase Transportation Options

Strategy: 12

Prioritize New Roads and

Widen Roads Strategy: 16

Improve Bike lanes and Greenway Trail Connections

Strategy: 24

Town Beautification

Guiding Principle: Prioritize Road Improvements

Project Status as of December 31, 2017	
Total Appropriations	40
Total Expenditures	\$0
Project Balance	\$3,000,000

	Request Type
	New
X	Continuation

Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses							
Plan/design							
Land							
Construction				\$3,000,000			\$3,000,000
Equipment							
TOTAL				\$3,000,000			\$3,000,000

Project Title:	Program:
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Torrence Chapel Rd./West Catawba Ave. Intersection Improvements-Bike/Pedestrian Accommodations, Aesthetics **Public Works** 

Description:

The DDI improved the efficiency of the interchange, in addition to marginal improvements to the bookend intersections (West Catawba Ave./Torrence Chapel Rd. and Hwy. 21/Catawba Ave.). Until these intersections are fully improved, congestion will continue to be a major issue for the Catawba corridor and the north-south roads that tie into these two intersections.

There are funds available for the roadway project to improve this intersection. Should the Town desire, it may aesthetically enhance and improve the bike/ped accommodations for this project. The Town will be responsible for betterment costs associated with bike/ped accommodations in addition to aesthetics.

Note that it is undetermined at this time whether new mast arms will be required for the redesigned intersections. If so, the Town will be responsible for the cost of these. A placeholder of \$200,000 is estimated for this cost.

Assuming three roundabouts are constructed as part of this project, the Town can elect to aesthetically enhance them. It is estimated that this may cost \$100,000 per roundabout, for a total of \$300,000.

It is estimated that the costs for bike/ped accommodations for the remainder of the project will be \$1,900,000 (for 1.5 miles of bike/ped betterments).

NCDOT will provide estimates as design progresses. A Supplemental Municipal Agreement will need to be executed.

Total Project Cost:

\$2,400,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget:

Main Goal Improve Mobility and Increase Transportation Options

Strategy: #14 Innovative Intersection Improvements

Guiding Principle: #1
Develop an improvement
plan for Torrence Chapel
Road and West Catawba
Avenue intersection

Project Status as of	
December 31, 2017	
Total Appropriations	\$0
Total Expenditures	\$0
Project Balance	\$2,400,000

	Request Type
	New
X	Continuation

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Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses							
Plan/design							
Land			-				
Construction				\$2,400,000			\$2,400,000
Equipment							
TOTAL				\$2,400,000			\$2,400,000

# Project Title:

Program:

#### Diverging Diamond Aesthetic Improvements Public Works

#### Description:

Phase I of the DDI Aesthetics are complete. This includes all the Catawba Ave. level improvements, such as landscaping, mast and cable, pedestrian elements, and utility burial.

The Town Board has determined that Phase II aesthetics will not include the masonry abutments (due to cost and design concerns), and wants to go in the direction of a landscape-intensive design, in addition to making the existing mast & cable elements more visible.

The Town has retained Viz, LLC to work on the landscaping design. The contract for these services is \$38,880; however, additional engineering services should be planned for (e.g., significant structural engineering). Viz has worked with NCDOT on preliminary scoping. Viz is currently working with the DDI Landscaping Committee on a design direction, while simultaneously working with NCDOT for design feedback. Upon determining a design, it will take several months to complete construction drawings and obtain NCDOT approval. The earliest construction will begin is Fall 2018, but Spring 2019 may be more likely due to the planting season. Town staff is estimating that construction may cost \$851,120.

Upon selection of a landscaping design, the Town should turn its attention to the existing mast & cables to determine if the previous plans of extending the masts' height and increasing the visibility of the masts & cables (by painting them white) will be compatible with the landscaping design and will fit within the overall project budget. If the Town moves forward with improving the mast & cables, it will need to engage a structural engineer and perhaps other professionals to complete the design work and work with NCDOT. The cost to perform this design and work is unknown, however staff is estimating that this will cost \$500,000 (\$100K for design, \$400K for construction), and is projected to occur in FY19.

Staff is estimating that \$100,000 of design fees will be spent in FY18.

The Town Board has determined that the total project budget for all of the aforementioned improvements is not to exceed \$1.39M. [Note: The Town's DDI Capital Reserve Fund balance (as of January 2016) was \$1,790,000.]

Total Project Cost:

\$1,390,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget:

Main Goal: Improve Mobility and Increase Transportation Options

Strategy: #17.1 Improve Access to Interstate 77

Guiding Principle: #1 Complete Diverging Diamond Interchange Implementation, including Aesthetic Improvements

Project Status as of December 31, 2017	* .
Total Appropriations	\$1,290,000
Total Expenditures	\$100,000
Project Balance	\$1,290,000

Request Type				
	New			
Х	Continuation			

Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses							
Plan/design	\$50,000						\$50,000
Land							
Construction	\$1,340,000						\$1,340,000
Equipment							
TOTAL	\$1,390,000						\$1,390,000

Project Title:	Program:	
Bailey Road Park Track Renovation	PARC	
and Synthetic Turf Football Field		

#### Description:

This project funds the renovation of the track and the installation of synthetic turf on the football field at Bailey Road Park. The track surface has begun to delaminate and large cracks are forming along the surface. The old running surface needs to be removed and the asphalt replaced.

Synthetic turf will accommodate up to three times more traffic than natural grass can tolerate and at minimal operating cost per hour of use. Installation of synthetic turf fields should reduce field maintenance costs by as much as \$8,000 annually because they will no longer require mowing, fertilization, irrigation, field lining, weed control, etc. It will also provide essentially unlimited use as the fields will no longer require extended periods to rest for turf renovation.

Synthetic turf has virtually eliminated game delays and cancellations due to inclement weather at Bailey Road Park. This is an important factor tournament providers consider when evaluating locations. This addition will provide a third contiguous synthetic turf field at Bailey Road Park creating greater opportunities for large tournament events and possibly a fourth field if Hough High School is available.

Staff will work with athletic partner groups to determine their funding commitment with the addition of an artificial turf surface. The design and infrastructure improvements were funded in FY18 and are underway.

Total Project Cost:

\$1,300,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget:

-\$8,000 annual reduction

Main Goal: Strengthen Citizen Engagement

Strategy: #23 Maintain and Improve Town Services

Guiding Principle: #4 Prioritize Capital Improvements

Project Status as of December 31, 2017	
Total Appropriations	\$200,000
Total Expenditures	\$100,000
Project Balance	\$1,300,000

Request Type					
	New				
X	Continuation				

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Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses							
Plan/design							
Land							
Construction	\$1,300,000						\$1,300,000
Equipment							
TOTAL	\$1,300,000						\$1,300,000

Project Title:	Program:	
Park Land Expansion	PARC	
Description:	Total Project Cost:	
This \$1,000,000 will allow the Town to be in a position to	\$1,000,000	
purchase park land to meet the 2015-2025 Parks and Greenways Master Plan.	Estimated Impact on Operating Budget:	
	Main Goal: Strengthen Citizen Engagement	
	Strategy: #23	
	Maintain and Improve Town Services	
	Guiding Principle: #4 Prioritize Capital	

Project Status as of December 31, 2017	
Total Appropriations	\$1,000,000
Total Expenditures	\$0
Project Balance	\$1,000,000

	Request Type					
X	X New					
	Continuation					

Improvements

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Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses							
Plan/design Land	\$1,000,000			+			\$1,000,000
Construction	1					1	7.
Equipment	-						
TOTAL	\$1,000,000						\$1,000,000

Project Title:	Program:
Street Resurfacing	Public Works
Description:	Total Project Cost:
Use Powell Bill funds to resurface approximately 5 miles of Town maintained roads. The Town last repaved roads in FY 17. This ongoing resurfacing program will continue to improve town roads and infrastructure.	<b>\$2,400,000</b> Estimated Impact on Operating Budget:
In FY18, the Town updated the Pavement Management Survey (commonly called the ITRE study) to help prioritize and rank the conditions of all the Town maintained streets.	Main Goal: Strengthen Citizen Engagement
	Strategy: #23 Prioritize New Roads and Widen Roads
	Guiding Principle: #4 Prioritize Capital Improvements

Project Status as of	
December 31, 2017	
Total Appropriations	\$0
Total Expenditures	\$0
Project Balance	\$2,400,000

	Request Type				
	New				
X	Continuation				

Γ							
Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses Plan/design Land Construction Equipment	\$800,000		\$800,000		\$800,000		\$2,400,000
TOTAL	\$800,000		\$800,000		\$800,000		\$2,400,000

Project Title:	Program:
Vehicle Replacement Program	Police

#### Description:

Our goal has been to replace police cars at 100,000 miles on average. Police cars idle excessively due to the equipment on board including cameras, radios, blue lights, etc.

Manufacturers have established that each idle hour is equivalent to 33 miles driven. Previous studies have indicated 80K is the most cost effective replacement target, but our maintenance routine has made 100K miles a good target. We extend this number if we have a major repair such as an engine or transmission prior to 100K.

This Vehicle Replacement Program began in 2009. Since that time our staffing, due to the creation of a Lake Patrol Unit, Traffic Unit, Surveillance Tech and SRO at Hough High, has increased by 12 officers but we have never increased the number of replacement vehicles purchased annually. Currently we have more vehicles in need of replacement than we are purchasing annually.

For FY19, we will have eight (8) cars mileage out.

Total Project Cost:

\$1,850,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget:

Main Goal: Strengthen Citizen Engagement

Strategy: #23 Maintain and Improve Town Service

Guiding Principle:

Project Balance	\$2,050,000
Total Expenditures	\$0
Total Appropriations	\$0
December 31, 2017	
Project Status as of	

	Request Type				
-	New				
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Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses							
Plan/design							
Land							
Construction		·					
Equipment	\$360,000	\$365,000	\$370,000	\$375,000	\$380,000		\$1,850,000
TOTAL	\$360,000	\$365,000	\$370,000	\$375,000	\$380,000		\$1,850,000

# Capital Improvements

# **FY 2019-Future Capital Projects Detail**

Project Title:

Program:

Stream Restoration Project: Willow Pond + Upstream and Downstream, Coachmans Wood Ln.

**Public Works** 

#### Description:

The McDowell Creek watershed is significant in contributing to the drinking water supply for the majority of Mecklenburg County. The headwaters of McDowell Creek exist in Cornelius and are severely impaired. In 2010, the Town partnered with Mecklenburg County in obtaining a 319 Water Quality Grant (Federal Funds) and rehabilitating approx. 1600' of Upper McDowell Creek. The project was successful and residents were excited and pleased with the project. In addition to the water quality benefits, the Town has the ability in the future to construct a greenway along the improved stream.

The Willow Pond Stream Restoration Project and the Coachmans Wood Ln. Stream Restoration Project are also in the McDowell Creek watershed. The Town has been awarded two grants (319, DWR) for a total of \$400,000 of grant funds combined with \$500,000 Local Match (for a project total of \$900,000).

The Town has a planned greenway that parallels these stream sections (greenway connecting Smithville Park to JV Washam Elementary) and a multi-use path along Westmoreland Rd. and the Westmoreland Rd. bridge. The greenway project will realize an approximate 10% cost savings (grading & mobilization) by constructing the greenway and stream restoration as a joint project. The Town will combine all three projects into one.

- The Willow Pond restoration project removes the Willow Pond dam and restores the stream underneath the pond\*, restores portions of the reaches upstream and downstream of the current pond. Total restoration of approx. 6000'.
- The Coachmans Wood Ln. restoration project restores approximately 900' (included in 6000' total).
- Meck, Co. will perform major stream restoration of McDowell Creek downstream of this project (included in 6000' total).
- This CIP item assumes all land (easements, right of way) will be dedicated at no cost (typical for restoration projects).
- Mitigate flood issues and concerns
- · Removes pond liability issues
- Water quality improvements
- Future Greenway enhancements (for areas of restoration that are not receiving a greenway as part of this joint project).

#### FY18/19

June 2018 – Commence the 18-month process of design/ engineering/ permitting/ acquisition

#### FY20

- Dec. 2019 Complete design/ engineering/ permitting/ acquisition
- Jan. June 2020 Bid and commence construction (~6-month process to begin construction)

#### FY21

July 2020 - June 2021 - Construction will then take 9-12 months.

#### FY22

• Post construction maintenance

\*Grant funding is not available for rebuilding existing ponds. The pond could be rebuilt (dam reconstruction, embankment restoration) for approx. \$250,000; however, there will be ongoing maintenance costs. Also, the Town has a time-sensitive land transfer agreement with Willow Pond HOA with the concept of performing the stream restoration (agreement expires 11/1/20; Town will not accept the pond until it has awarded a restoration construction contract).

Project Status as of December 31, 2017	
Total Appropriations	\$0
Total Expenditures	\$0
Project Balance	\$500,000

	Request Type
	New
X	Continuation

Total Project Cost:

\$500,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget:

Main Goal:

Strengthen Citizen Engagement

Strategy: #23

Maintain and Improve Town Services

Guiding Principle: #4

Prioritize capital improvements

Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses							
Plan/design	\$100,000						\$100,000
Land					-		
Construction		\$100,000	\$300,000				\$400,000
Equipment							
TOTAL	\$100,000	\$100,000	\$300,000				\$500,000

Project Title:	Program:		
Equipment/Striping New Engine	Fire		
Description:	Total Project Cost:		
The Cornelius Town Board approved the purchase of a new fire engine and its	\$90,000		
respective equipment in the last budget cycle. For FY2017-2018 budget, due to contractual issues, this was pushed into FY2018-2019 budget and the remaining CIP for \$90,000 covers the cost of equipment and lettering and striping—a cost separate from the expense of the engine. This includes striping, hose, clamps, meters, tools, etc. to fully equip the engine company scheduled for arrival in late October 2018.	Estimated Impact on Operating Budget:		
	Main Goal:		
	Strategy:		
	Guiding Principle:		

Project Balance	\$90,000
Total Expenditures	\$0
Total Appropriations	\$0
December 31, 2017	
Project Status as of	

Request Type				
X	New			
	Continuation			

Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses							
Plan/design							
Land							
Construction							
Equipment	\$90,000						\$90,000
TOTAL	\$90,000						\$90,000

Project Title:	Program:
Video Surveillance Program	Police

#### Description:

The surveillance camera system has grown substantially since inception. The recording server has reached its capacity to support the storage of video recorded by all the cameras. The bulk of this year's funding will go towards replacement of this server with a larger 10 TB unit. Remaining monies will be utilized to replace cameras along West Catawba Ave that have reached their end life and the relocation of current fiber infrastructure at Catawba Ave. and Burton Ln. due to business development in the area

Total Project Cost:

\$250,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget:

\$50,000 per year Maintenance

Main Goal: Strengthen Citizen Engagement

Strategy: #23 Maintain and Improve Town Service

Project Balance	\$250,000
Total Expenditures	\$0
Total Appropriations	\$0
Project Status as of December 31, 2017	

Request Type				
	New			
X	Continuation			

Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses							,
Plan/design							
Land		·					
Construction							5.
Equipment	\$50,000	\$50,000	\$50,000	\$50,000	\$50,000		\$250,000
TOTAL	\$50,000	\$50,000	\$50,000	\$50,000	\$50,000		\$250,000

Project Title:	Program:
Computer Replacement Program	Information Technology

#### Description:

Replace 1/3<sup>rd</sup> of the Town's Personal Computers annually and 1/4<sup>th</sup> of Police Department Patrol Laptops. Industry standard for Personal Computers is a three-year replacement cycle. Patrol laptops are ruggedized and should be replaced every four years. Replacing computers throughout town will reduce staff time spent on repairing antiquated equipment and increase the efficiency of users. Last year, we replaced 25 Town PC's and 7 patrol laptops, this year, we plan to replace 30 Town PCs and 6 patrol laptops.

Total Project Cost:

\$45,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget:

Main Goal: To improve the efficiency of computer operations and ensure that computers keep up with the demands of software.

Strategy:

Guiding Principle:

Project Status as of December 31, 2017	
Total Appropriations	\$0
Total Expenditures	\$0
Project Balance	\$225,000

Request Type		
	New	
X	Continuation	

Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses							
Plan/design							
Land							
Construction							
Equipment	\$45,000	\$45,000	\$45,000	\$45,000	\$45,000		\$225,000
TOTAL	\$45,000	\$45,000	\$45,000	\$45,000	\$45,000		\$225,000

Project Title:	Program:
Fire Chief's Vehicle Replacement	Fire

#### Description:

Replace Chief's Vehicle which is a 2004 Dodge Durango, with 83,000 miles. Currently this vehicle is burning oil and the transmission is slipping. During rain storms all four doors are retaining water. Due to the wear and strain during emergency responses, this vehicle is long overdue for replacement. This apparatus would be placed in reserve for a minimum amount of time as a training vehicle in addition to running routine emergent calls.

The price includes the base purchase of the vehicle (Chevrolet Tahoe/ or similar) with an allotment for red paint, light package, siren package, command board, air pack bracket, radio & technology equipment, rear compartment storage, and all graphics.

Total Project Cost:

\$40,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget:

Main Goal: Strengthen Citizen Engagement

Strategy: #23 Maintain and Improve Town Services

Project Status as of December 31, 2017	
Total Appropriations	\$0
Total Expenditures	\$0
Project Balance	\$40,000

Request Type						
	New					
X	<b>X</b> Continuation					

Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses							
Plan/design							
Land							
Construction			·				
Equipment	\$40,000						\$40,000
TOTAL	\$40,000						\$40,000

# Project Title: Program: Jetton Road Ext./Sefton Pkwy Improvements Public Works

#### Description:

This project removes on-street parking that causes sight distance issues plus safety issues and improve bike/pedestrian mobility (as per the Bike Plan). The completed cross-section would include 11' travel lanes, 5' buffered bike lanes, a 10' multi-use path, and a 5' sidewalk + 5' planting strip. The work would involve removing the bump outs for parking, restriping, adding flexible bollards to separate bikes and cars, adding the multipurpose path, and reclaiming the whole road. As onstreet parking serves existing businesses, this capital item includes the purchase of property for the development of new public parking.

Staff anticipates reviewing this proposal with the Town Board (and any committees recommended by the Board) for feedback. Staff also anticipates pursuing grant funds for this project.

Total Project Cost:

\$2,000,057

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget:

Main Goal: Improve Mobility and Increase Transportation Options

Strategy: #23 & #15 Connect Local Sidewalks & Prioritize new roads.

Project Status as of December 31, 2017	
Total Appropriations	\$0
Total Expenditures	\$0
Project Balance	\$2,000,057

	Request Type					
X	X New					
	Continuation					

Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses Plan/design Land Construction Equipment		\$133,000 \$970,870 \$896,187					\$133,000 \$970,870 \$896,187
TOTAL		\$2,000,057					\$2,000,057

Project Title:	Program:	
Bailey Road North Neighborhood Park (N4)	PARC	

#### Description:

Acquire land and construct a neighborhood park east of Hwy 115, north of Bailey Road and south of Antiquity, identified as project N4 in the 2015-2025 Parks and Greenways Master Plan. Land acquisition needs to occur while there are adequately sized land parcels still available.

This is one of only two large undeveloped areas left in Cornelius capable of accommodating a large-sized neighborhood park. Future residential growth in this area will generate the need for active recreation features such as athletic fields and sport courts which were high priority needs identified in the 2015 Master Plan. The park would also include traditional park amenities such as a playground, picnic shelter and picnic sites, restroom, parking area, trails, etc.

Total Project Cost:

\$4,000,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget: \$135,000

Main Goal: Strengthen Citizen Engagement

Strategy: #23 Maintain and Improve Town Services

Project Status as of	
December 31, 2017	
Total Appropriations	\$0
Total Expenditures	\$0
Project Balance	\$4,000,000

	Request Type						
Х	X New						
	Continuation						

Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses Plan/design Land Construction Equipment		\$1,500,000				\$300,000 \$2,200,000	\$300,000 \$1,500,000 \$2,200,000
TOTAL		\$1,500,000				\$2,500,000	\$4,000,000

Project Title:	Program:
Village Center Neighborhood Park (N1)	PARC

### Description:

Acquire land and construct an urban neighborhood park south of Catawba Avenue, east of Jetton Road and west of I-77, identified as project N1 in the 2015-2025 Parks and Greenways Comprehensive Master Plan.

The Village Center area is predominantly commercial development but is in close proximity to existing and proposed single and multifamily housing. Due to space limitations the park would be designed without active recreation fields but may include sport courts, sand volleyball and fitness activities for all generations. Total Project Cost:

\$4,000,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget:

\$135,000

Main Goal: Strengthen Citizen Engagement

Strategy: #23 Maintain and Improve Town Services

Project Status as of December 31, 2017	
Total Appropriations	\$0
Total Expenditures	\$0
Project Balance	\$4,000,000

Request Type				
	New			
X	Continuation			

Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses Plan/design Land Construction Equipment		\$1,000,000				\$300,000 \$2,700,000	\$1,000,000
TOTAL		\$1,000,000				\$3,000,000	\$4,000,000

Project Title:	Program:
South Bailey Road Greenway Phase II (GW10)	PARC

#### Description:

This project funds development of the second phase of the South Bailey Road Greenway. It will link the first phase of the South Bailey Road Greenway (South Prong Rocky River Greenway – Hough High/Bailey Road) to the new Beverly subdivision.

The trail will consist of nearly a 0.4-mile-long, ten-foot-wide paved trail for pedestrians and bicycles. Land from the Beverly subdivision will be donated to the Town and the developer will clear, grade and gravel the trail. The project includes funds for asphalt, signage and site furnishings.

The trail is part of the approved Town of Cornelius Parks and Greenways Comprehensive Master Plan and Pedestrian Plan.

Total Project Cost:

\$300,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget: \$4,000

Main Goal: Improve Mobility and Increase Transportation Options

Strategy: #16 Improve Bike Lanes and Greenway Trail Connections; #15 Connect Local Sidewalks

Guiding Principle: #2 Update Greenway Master Plan; #1 Implement Bike Plan

Project Status as of December 31, 2017	
Total Appropriations	\$0
Total Expenditures	\$0
Project Balance	\$300,000

	Request Type	
	New	
X	Continuation	

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Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses							
Plan/design		\$30,000					\$30,000
Land							
Construction		\$270,000					\$270,000
Equipment						-	
TOTAL		\$300,000					\$300,000

Project Title:		Program:
Sidewalks		<b>Public Works</b>

#### Description:

Use Powell Bill funds to install new sidewalks throughout town. The priority for the sidewalks will be connectivity in order to improve the town's walkability. Sidewalks will also be prioritized based upon the Comprehensive Pedestrian Plan that was completed June of 2012.

The Town will continue to increase annual sidewalk maintenance. Sidewalk trip hazards are becoming more and more common as street trees mature and sidewalks get older. The Town began using a concrete cutting consultant in FY 14 that removes trip hazards at a better rate than complete demolition and re-pour. The Town will continue to investigate options to mitigate trip hazards on sidewalks.

Total Project Cost:

\$400,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget:

Main Goal: Improve Mobility and Increase Transportation Options

Strategy: #15 Connect Local Sidewalks

Guiding Principle: #1
Implement approved
Pedestrian Plan
recommendations that will
include a prioritization of
sidewalk improvements &
connections

Project Status as of December 31, 2017	
Total Appropriations	\$0
Total Expenditures	\$0
Project Balance	\$400,000

Request Type				
	New			
X	Continuation			

Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses							
Plan/design		\$20,000		\$20,000			\$40,000
Land							
Construction		\$180,000		\$180,000			\$360,000
Equipment							
TOTAL		\$200,000		\$200,000			\$400,000

Project Title:	Program:	
Field Maintenance Equipment and Vehicle	PARC	

#### Description:

This project funds the purchase of a medium duty truck, tractor, trailer and attachments to maintain athletic fields and turf areas throughout the park system. The funds would purchase a front end loader, back hoe, spreader, tiller, harley rake, flail mower and top dresser for the tractor and a tow-behind field groomer for a utility vehicle. The equipment is needed to maintain the 13 sites and 23 athletic fields maintained by PARC staff.

Recent facility construction increased the number of athletic fields by over 40%, court facilities by over 25%, and restroom facilities by 40%. Additionally general park usage and program participation continue to increase. This has resulted in significantly more work for the maintenance crew to maintain a standard level of service as well as to repair and replace park amenities. This equipment will increase efficiency and improve safety, field quality and playability.

Total Project Cost:

\$150,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget: \$1,200

Main Goal: Strengthen Citizen Engagement

Strategy: #23 Maintain and Improve Town Service

Project Balance	\$150,000
Total Expenditures	\$0
Total Appropriations	\$0
December 31, 2017	
Project Status as of	

	Request Type					
X	X New					
	Continuation					

Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses							
Plan/design							
Land							
Construction							
Equipment		\$150,000					\$150,000
TOTAL		\$150,000					\$150,000

Project Title:	Program:
Facility Improvements and	PARC
Expansion	

#### Description:

This project funds renovation/improvement projects recommended in the 2012 Town Comprehensive Master Plan and the 2015-2025 Comprehensive Parks and Greenways Master Plan for the Town of Cornelius. The plans identify the need to make capital improvements to existing parks with varying scopes that are beyond normal maintenance and renovation. Projects would be designed to address health and safety concerns in parks and to reduce operational costs.

Projects include batting cages, a gym divider curtain, spectator seating, a community garden, a fitness trail, playground replacements, trail repair, entrance signs, etc.

Total Project Cost:

\$935,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget: **Deduct \$1,000** 

Main Goal: Strengthen Citizen Engagement

Strategy: #23 Maintain and Improve Town Service

Project Status as of	
December 31, 2017	
Total Appropriations	\$0
Total Expenditures	\$0
Project Balance	\$935,000

	Request Type			
	New			
Х	Continuation			

Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses Plan/design Land Construction Equipment		\$145,000	\$290,000	\$145,000	\$145,000	\$210,000	\$935,000
TOTAL		\$145,000	\$290,000	\$1450,000	\$145,000	\$210,000	\$935,000

Project Title:	Program:			
Public Works Equipment	Public Works			
Description:	Total Project Cost:			
<ul><li>FY20:</li><li>Purchase a new leaf machine to replace the other aging</li></ul>	\$140,000			
machine - \$75,000	Estimated Impact on Operating Budget:			
<b>FY21:</b> • Purchase a Mini-Excavator to replace the aging Backhoe \$65,000	Main Goal:			
	Strategy:			
	Guiding Principle:			

Project Status as of December 31, 2017	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Total Appropriations	\$0
Total Expenditures	\$0
Project Balance	\$140,000

	Request Type
	New
X	Continuation

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Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses	.,,						
Plan/design							
Land							
Construction							
Equipment		\$75,000	\$65,000				\$140,000
TOTAL		\$75,000	\$65,000				\$140,000

Project Title:	Program:
Hose Replacement	Fire

#### Description:

The suppression lines on all engine companies needs to be replaced. Our hose lines are worn, old, frequently fail during testing and/or fire suppression, and are not up to date with technology. We are asking for the replacement of suppression lines for the current 4 engines at a cost of \$15,000 per vehicle. By completing this at once, we will have a base line and standard operations for all engine companies during fire incidents. This request brings us up to date with proven technology and puts less stress on the firefighter during suppression operations. Mixing lines is NOT recommended nor seen as a safe practice to comingle due to water flow rates and firefighter safety.

Total Project Cost:

\$60,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget:

Main Goal: Replace.

Strategy: Replace attack lines only

Guiding Principle: Safety and adequate fire suppression.

Project Balance	\$60,000
Total Expenditures	\$0
Total Appropriations	\$0
Project Status as of December 31, 2017	

Request Type				
X	New			
	Continuation			

Γ							
Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses Plan/design Land Construction							
Equipment		\$60,000					\$60,000
TOTAL		\$60,000					\$60,000

Project Title:	Program:
Festival Street-Catawba Avenue	<b>Public Works</b>

#### Description:

The Town was awarded \$94,340 from the NC Dept. of Commerce to complete design for the festival street concept. The Town contracted with Alta Planning and Design to do this design work. Alta Planning and Design has completed full construction drawings. The engineer estimate for the project is \$2,600,000.

The term "festival street" is used to describe a concept where a streetscape is designed in a manner that it can be utilized as public space for festivals and events. The street and public sidewalk space are designed at one level (no curbing) separated by bollards, whereas the bollards can be removed during festival events to utilize the entire space.

The construction of this project many be completed with street bonds or downtown revitalization bonds and likely in conjunction with the development of the Art Center.

Total Project Cost: \$2,600,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget:

Main Goal: Improve Mobility and **Increase Transportation** Options

Strategy: #15 Connect Local Sidewalks

Guiding Principle: #1 Implement approved Pedestrian Plan recommendations that will include a prioritization of sidewalk improvements & connections.

Ī	Project Balance	\$2,600,000
	Total Expenditures	\$0
	Total Appropriations	\$0
	Project Status as of December 31, 2017	
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	Request Type
	New
X	Continuation

Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses Plan/design Land Construction Equipment			\$2,600,000				\$2,600,000
TOTAL			\$2,600,000				\$2,600,000

Project Title:	Program:		
Southeast Cornelius Neighborhood Park (N5)	PARC		

#### Description:

Acquire land and construct a neighborhood park east of Hwy 115 in the southeastern quadrant of Cornelius. Identified as project N5 in the 2015-2025 Parks and Greenways Comprehensive Master Plan. Land acquisition needs to occur while there are adequately sized land parcels still available.

Future residential growth will generate the need for active recreation features such as athletic fields and sport courts which were high priority needs identified in the 2015 Master Plan. The proposed park would also include traditional park amenities such as a playground, picnic shelter and picnic sites, restroom, parking area, trails, etc.

There is a potential option to lease the Charlotte Mecklenburg Schoolsowned 10-acre tract adjacent to Bailey Middle School and develop recreation facilities as an extension of Bailey Road Park.

Total Project Cost:

\$2,000,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget: \$135,000

Main Goal: Strengthen Citizen Engagement

Strategy: #23 Maintain and Improve Town Services

Total Expenditures  Project Balance	\$0 \$2,000,000
Total Appropriations	\$0
Project Status as of December 31, 2017	

	Request Type
	New
X	Continuation

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Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses							
Plan/design			\$300,000				\$300,000
Land							
Construction			\$1,700,000				\$1,700,000
Equipment							
TOTAL			\$2,000,000				\$2,000,000

Project Title:	Prog	ıram:
Replace Engine 4	Fire	<b>a</b>

#### Description:

Replace Engine 4, a 2001 pumper which has served as a front line apparatus since being placed in service. The company has remained in the front line position due to Engine 5 having a lengthy repair after an accident and emission challenges with Engine 2. This has created more mileage and undue wear on the truck. Normally an engine company is run for 10 years as a front line pumper, 10 years as a backup, and 5 years in reserve.

NFPA 1901 states the engine could be used in the reserve status for up to a total life of 25 years depending on the condition and maintenance of the vehicle- this will make the truck 20 years old and should only serve as reserve; however, given the additional wear and usage as a primary engine it is likely to have extremely high repair costs to keep it in service.

The amount of \$800,000 includes the apparatus, delivery fees, travel expenses, radio up-fit, graphics, light packages, emergency warning devices, and all new equipment to place it in-service.

Total Project Cost:

\$800,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget:

Main Goal: Strengthen Citizen Engagement

Strategy: #23 Maintain and Improve Town Services

Project Status as of December 31, 2017	
Total Appropriations	\$0
Total Expenditures	\$0
Project Balance	\$800,000

Request Type						
X	<b>X</b> New					
Continuation						

Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses Plan/design Land Construction Equipment			\$800,000				\$800,000
TOTAL			\$800,000				\$800,000

Program:
PARC

#### Description:

This project provides funding for renovation projects at Torrence Chapel Park. It includes:

Adding a third lighted tennis court and fencing \$250,000; updating the playground, installing synthetic safety surfacing and shade \$250,000; repairing trails, parking lot cracks and top coating the asphalt \$150,000.

Total Project Cost:

\$650,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget: \$500

Main Goal: Strengthen Citizen Engagement

Strategy: #23 Maintain and Improve Town Services

Project Status as of December 31, 2017	
Total Appropriations	\$0
Total Expenditures	\$0
Project Balance	\$650,000

	Request Type				
	New				
X	Continuation				

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Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses							
Plan/design			\$50,000				\$50,000
Land							
Construction			\$600,000				\$600,000
Equipment							
TOTAL			\$650,000				\$650,000

Project Title:	Program:
Robbins Park	PARC

#### Description:

The original elements planned for Robbins Park included a +/- 50-acre nature preserve, six athletic fields, two playgrounds, six picnic shelters, trails, two tennis courts, disc golf, open play meadows, parking and restrooms. The first two phases of the park are complete and include one playground, two tennis courts, one picnic shelter/restroom, landscaping, one multipurpose athletic field, renovation of the two ponds, paved trails, a sand volleyball court, gaga pit and disc golf course.

Due to changing sentiment among citizens to protect open space based on input received for the 2015 Parks and Greenways Comprehensive Master Plan and Robbins Park's unique environment, Phases III and IV may have more informal passive space. A new master plan will need to be developed prior to Phase III development.

FY 22 - Develop Phase III construction documents \$200,000

FY 23 - Phase III construction \$2,300,000

Future - Phase IV design and construction \$2,300,000

Total Project Cost:

\$4,800,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget: \$150,000

Main Goal: Strengthen Citizen Engagement

Strategy: #23 Maintain and Improve Town Services

Project Status as of December 31, 2017	
Total Appropriations	\$0
Total Expenditures	\$0
Project Balance	\$4,800,000

	Request Type					
	New					
X	<b>X</b> Continuation					

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Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses Plan/design Land Construction Equipment				\$200,000 \$800,000		\$3,800,000	\$200,000 \$4,600,000
TOTAL				\$1,000,000		\$3,800,000	\$4,800,000

Project Title:	Program:
Replace Truck 4	Fire

#### Description:

Replace Truck 4, a 1996 ladder which responds from Station 2. Normally a Ladder company is run 15 years as a front line ladder, 10 years as a reserve. This truck has continued as a front line ladder throughout its tenor at Cornelius.

NFPA 1901 states the ladder could be used in the reserve status for up to a total life of 25 years depending on the condition and maintenance of the vehicle—this apparatus will already be 25 years of age when replaced by this CIP. This truck should be liquidated and sold for as much as possible as soon as possible.

The amount of \$1,000,000 includes the apparatus, delivery fees, travel expenses, radio up-fit, graphics, light packages, emergency warning devices, and all new equipment to place it in-service.

Total Project Cost:

\$1,000,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget:

Main Goal: Strengthen Citizen Engagement

Strategy: #23 Maintain and Improve Town Services

Project Balance	\$1,000,000
Total Expenditures	\$0
Total Appropriations	\$0
Project Status as of December 31, 2017	

	Request Type					
X	New					
	Continuation					

Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses Plan/design Land Construction Equipment				\$1,000,000			\$1,000,000
TOTAL				\$1,000,000			\$1,000,000

Project Title:	Program:	
Glen Oak Green Park Connector	PARC	
(GW8)		

#### Description:

This project funds the extension of the Caldwell Station Creek Greenway from the main trail east of Glennmeade Drive to Glen Oak Green Park along existing Town-owned property.

The trail will consist of a nearly 0.3-mile-long, ten-foot-wide paved trail for pedestrians and bicycles. The project includes funds for signage and site furnishings.

The trail is part of the approved Town of Cornelius 2015 Parks and Greenways Comprehensive Master Plan (GW8) and Pedestrian Plan.

Total Project Cost:

\$500,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget: \$3,000

Main Goal: Improve Mobility and Increase Transportation Options

Strategy: #16 Improve Bike Lanes and Greenway Trail Connections

Guiding Principle: #2 Update Greenway Master Plan

Project Balance	\$500,000
Total Expenditures	\$0
Total Appropriations	\$0
Project Status as of December 31, 2017	
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Request Type				
	New			
X	Continuation			

Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses Plan/design Land Construction Equipment				\$60,000 \$440,000			\$60,000 \$440,000
TOTAL				\$500,000			\$500,000

Project Title:	Program:
Bailey Road Park Major Renovations	PARC

#### Description:

This project provides funding for five large-scale renovation projects at Bailey Road Park. These include:

FY 22 - Repairing parking lot cracks, top coat and restripe \$320,000;

FY 23 - Updating the soccer field playground, installing synthetic safety surfacing, fencing, shade \$200,000;

Future - Construct restrooms and grandstands at football field \$450,000; Replacing soccer, football, baseball and tennis court lights with an energy saving LED system. Add LED lights to the basketball courts. \$1,050,000.

Total Project Cost:

\$2,020,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget: \$6,200

Main Goal: Strengthen Citizen Engagement

Strategy: #23 Maintain and Improve Town Services

Project Balance	\$2,020,000
Total Expenditures	\$0
Total Appropriations	\$0
Project Status as of December 31, 2017	

Request Type					
New					
X	Continuation				

Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses Plan/design Land Construction Equipment				\$320,000	\$200,000	\$100,000 \$1,400,000	\$100,000 \$1,920,000
TOTAL				\$320,000	\$200,000	\$1,500,000	\$2,020,000

# Project Title: Program: Hwy. 73 West- Bike/Ped Accommodations Public Works

#### Description:

The widening of Hwy. 73 (Hwy. 16 to Northcross Dr.) is scheduled to begin in FY22 and last as long as four years. There is approximately 5900' along the north side of Hwy. 73 that is in Cornelius (between Blythe Landing Park and West Catawba Ave.) A 12' Multi-Use Path, planting strip, and wide outside lanes are planned for this Cornelius section. NCDOT should cover the cost of the wide outside lanes and replacing the existing sidewalk. Cornelius will have to pay for cost of additional 7' width of concrete plus necessary right of way.

The Town staff estimate for this cost is \$1,100,000. A Supplemental Municipal Agreement will need to be executed.

Total Project Cost:

\$1,100,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget:

Main Goal:

Improve Mobility and Increase Transportation Options

Strategy: #16 Improve Bike Lanes and Greenway Trail Connections

Guiding Principle: Prioritize Road Improvements

Project Balance	\$1,100,000
Total Expenditures	\$0
Total Appropriations	\$0
December 31, 2017	
Project Status as of	

	Request Type
X	New
	Continuation

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Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses Plan/design Land Construction Equipment				\$275,000	\$275,000	\$550,000	\$1,100,000
TOTAL				\$275,000	\$275,000	\$550,000	\$1,100,000

Project Title:	Program:
Legion Park Major Renovations	PARC

#### Description:

This project provides funding for four large-scale renovation projects at Legion Park. The first project will bring the parking lot, sidewalks and portions of the trail network into ADA compliance - \$150,000.

The second project will replace the outdated playground equipment, add synthetic safety surfacing and improve shade around the playground - \$200,000.

The third project will replace a failing timber headwall and replace large drain pipes under the baseball field. The pipes carry water from Highway 115 through the park. The pipes are clogged and are separating which is causing sinkholes in several locations around the field and park - \$250,000.

The final project involves removing the riprap stone armoring the creek banks and restoring the creek to its natural state. The project would include construction of a small water feature in the northwest corner of the park - \$250,000.

Total Project Cost:

\$700,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget: **Deduct \$700** 

Main Goal: Strengthen Citizen Engagement

Strategy: #23 Maintain and Improve Town Services

Project Balance	\$700,000
Total Expenditures	\$0
Total Appropriations	\$0
December 31, 2017	
Project Status as of	

	Request Type					
	New					
X	Continuation					

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Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses							
Plan/design						\$50,000	\$50,000
Land							
Construction				\$200,000		\$450,000	\$650,000
Equipment							
TOTAL				\$200,000		\$500,000	\$700,000

Project Title:	Program:
Stratford Forest Greenway (GW14)	PARC

#### Description:

This project funds land acquisition and development of greenway connecting McDowell Creek Greenway Phase I to the Stratford Forest community off Northcross Drive.

The trail will consist of a nearly 0.4-mile-long, ten-foot-wide paved trail for pedestrians and bicycles. The project includes funds for signage and site furnishings.

The trail is part of the approved 2015-2025 Town of Cornelius Parks and Greenways Comprehensive Master Plan (GW14) and Pedestrian Plan.

Total Project Cost:

\$700,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget: \$4,000

Main Goal: Improve Mobility and Increase Transportation Options

Strategy: #16 Improve Bike Lanes and Greenway Trail Connections

Guiding Principle: #2 Update Greenway Master Plan

Project Status as of December 31, 2017	
Total Appropriations	\$0
Total Expenditures	\$0
Project Balance	\$700,000

	Request Type
	New
Х	Continuation

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Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses Plan/design Land Construction Equipment				\$60,000 \$100,000	\$540,000		\$60,000 \$100,000 \$540,000
TOTAL				\$160,000	\$540,000		\$700,000

Project Title:	Program:		
Police Department Roof	Police		
Description:	Total Project Cost:		
The Police Department was built in 2002. The life span of this type of roof system is approximately 20 years. The roof is showing signs of age and wear and tear and there have been some leaks over the past couple years.	\$60,000  Estimated Impact on Operating Budget:		
With the type of roof that is currently on the Police Department, a coating can be applied instead of having to replace the whole roof. The coating material costs about \$5 per square foot and the Police Department roof is approximately 12,000 square feet.	Main Goal:		
	Strategy:		
	Guiding Principle:		

Project Status as of December 31, 2017	
Total Appropriations	\$0
Total Expenditures	\$0
Project Balance	\$60,000

Request Type					
X	New				
	Continuation				

Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses Plan/design Land							
Construction				¢60,000			\$60,000
Equipment		ļ		\$60,000			
TOTAL				\$60,000			\$60,000

Project Title:	Program:
Hwy. 73 East- Bike/Ped Accommodations	Public Works

#### Description:

The widening of Hwy. 73 (Hwy. 115 to Poplar Tent Rd.) is scheduled to begin in FY22 and last as long as four years. There is approximately 1100' along the north side of Hwy. 73 that is in Cornelius (from the intersection of Hwy. 73/ Mayes Rd. to 1100' southwest of the intersection.)

Bike and pedestrian accommodations discussions are pending with NCDOT. It is assumed that a 12' Multi-Use Path, planting strip, and wide outside lanes are planned for this Cornelius section. NCDOT should cover the cost of the wide outside lanes and 70% of a 5' sidewalk. Cornelius will have to pay for betterment costs associated with the multi-purpose path and planting strip.

A Supplemental Municipal Agreement will need to be executed.

Total Project Cost:

\$180,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget:

Main Goal: Improve Mobility and Increase Transportation Options

Strategy: #16 Improve Bike Lanes and Greenway Trail Connections

Guiding Principle: Prioritize Road Improvements

Project Status as of December 31, 2017	
Total Appropriations	\$0
Total Expenditures	\$0
Project Balance	\$180,000

Request Type					
X	New				
	Continuation				

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Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses Plan/design Land							
Construction				\$45,000	\$45,000	\$90,000	\$180,000
Equipment							
TOTAL				\$45,000	\$45,000	\$90,000	\$180,000

Project Title:	Program:
Smithville Park Major Renovations	PARC

Description:	Total Project Cost:
This project provides funding to repair asphalt cracks, top coat and restripe both parking lots \$180,000.	\$180,000
and results boar parising reservations	Estimated Impact on Operating Budget: Deduct \$750
	Main Goal: Strengthen Citizen Engagement
	Strategy: #23 Maintain and Improve Town Services
	Guiding Principles: #4 Prioritize Capital Improvements

Project Status as of	
December 31, 2017	
Total Appropriations	\$0
Total Expenditures	\$0
Project Balance	\$180,000

Request Type						
	New					
X	<b>X</b> Continuation					

Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses Plan/design Land Construction Equipment					\$180,000		\$180,000
TOTAL					\$180,000		\$180,000

Draiget Titles	Program:
Project Title:	Public Works
Westmoreland Interchange- Right of Way	Public Works

#### Description:

The Town and ACN are working with Kimley-Horn on an Interchange Access Report for the future Westmoreland Interchange. The interchange will provide improvements to the transportation network and economic development benefits to the area.

An IAR is required by NCDOT and FHWA to request and receive approval for the construction of a new interchange. The IAR provides justification to the agencies regarding the transportation benefits. The agencies will review the document and render an opinion approximately Fall 2019. Additionally, to receive interchange approval, right of way funds must be identified/committed. For the purpose of this CIP item, it is assumed that the Town is the sole source of those funds, though partnerships should be pursued. Kimley-Horn has not provided a right of way cost estimate; however, \$7,000,000 is being identified as a placeholder.

Total Project Cost:

\$7,000,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget:

Main Goal:

Improve Mobility and Increase Transportation Options

Strategy: #12

Prioritize New Roads and Widen Roads

Guiding Principle: Prioritize Road Improvements

Project Status as of December 31, 2017	
Total Appropriations	\$0
Total Expenditures	\$0
Project Balance	\$7,000,000

Request Type				
X	New			
	Continuation			

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Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses							
Plan/design	-						
Land						\$7,000,000	\$7,000,000
Construction							
Equipment			-				
TOTAL						\$7,000,000	\$7,000,000

Project Title:	Program:
Smithville to JV Washam Linear Park	PARC
(part of GW4)	

Description: (

This project funds the land acquisition and construction of a linear park with both active and passive recreation components constructed along the Smithville to JV Washam Greenway. Identified as part of project GW4 in the 2015-2025 Parks and Greenways Comprehensive Master Plan. Future residential growth will generate the need for active recreation features such as athletic fields and sport courts which were high priority needs identified in the Master Plan. The proposed park would also include traditional park amenities such as a playground, picnic shelter and picnic sites, restrooms, parking area, trails, etc.

Total Project Cost:

\$6,000,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget: \$135,000

Main Goal: Strengthen Citizen Engagement

Strategy: #23 Maintain and Improve Town Services

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Project Balance	\$6,000,000
Total Expenditures	\$0
Total Appropriations	\$0
December 31, 2017	
Project Status as of	

Request Type							
X	X New						
	Continuation						

Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses Plan/design Land Construction Equipment							\$300,000 \$3,000,000 \$2,700,000
TOTAL						\$6,000,000	6,000,000

Project Title:	Program:	
Westmoreland/McDowell Creek	PARC	
Neighborhood Park (N2)		

#### Description:

Acquire land and construct a neighborhood park adjacent to the undeveloped Westmoreland Neighborhood Park parcel, identified as project N2 in the 2015-2025 Parks and Greenways Comprehensive Master Plan. Land acquisition needs to occur while there is still undeveloped land.

The town currently owns 7 acres in this area; however, development will require additional land acquisition for neighborhood park facilities as well as pedestrian and vehicle access. The park facilities would include traditional amenities including courts, multi-use field(s), playground, picnic shelter and picnic sites, restroom, parking area, trails, etc.

Total Project Cost:

\$4,000,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget:

\$135,000

Main Goal: Strengthen Citizen Engagement

Strategy: #23 Maintain and Improve Town Services

Project Status as of December 31, 2017	
Total Appropriations	\$0
Total Expenditures	\$0
Project Balance	\$4,000,000

	Request Type
	New
X	Continuation

Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses Plan/design Land Construction Equipment							\$300,000 \$1,000,000 \$2,700,000
TOTAL						\$4,000,000	\$4,000,000

Project Title:	Program:
Fire Station #3	Fire

#### Description:

Add a two piece fire station to improve response and satisfy industry response standards to the citizens of Cornelius. A two piece station is anticipated to include three bays with small storage areas, gear locker room, conference room, sleeping quarters for 10 people, 2 small offices, exercise room, kitchen/day room, with a potential to include an attached police satellite office. Square footage would be around 9000 sq. ft. total. The location of the station is determined by population density, call volume, and the ability to assist the existing stations with multiple calls in those respected response areas. Extra emphasis is placed on building on either Westmoreland Rd. or Catawba Ave. for best response to all areas around Cornelius and that area of the town district.

Total Project Cost:

\$4,000,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget:

Main Goal:

Strategy:

Guiding Principle:

Project Balance	\$4,000,000
Total Expenditures	\$0
Total Appropriations	\$0
Project Status as of December 31, 2017	

	Request Type
	New
X	Continuation

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Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses							
Plan/design							
Land							
Construction						\$4,000,000	\$4,000,000
Equipment							
TOTAL						\$4,000,000	\$4,000,000

Project Title:	Program:
West Catawba Ave. Phase II- Aesthetic Utility Poles	Public Works

#### Description:

In 2017, the Town Board determined it would not pay for Utility burial along any sections of the West Catawba Ave., Phase II widening project. The Board, however, asked staff to investigate what the cost is projected for installing aesthetic utility poles vs. standard wooden poles. The Board is interested in either a steel or concrete pole option.

Staff is working with NCDOT and Energy United. Energy United is currently designing the standard wooden pole plan and will subsequently be able to estimate the betterment costs for the steel and concrete pole options. This estimate is not anticipated until Fall 2018 at the earliest. Since the Town could be invoiced for the pole betterment cost as early as FY20, staff is using an estimate of \$4,000,000 as a placeholder until the Energy United estimate is available.

Total Project Cost:

\$4,000,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget:

Main Goal: Strengthen Citizen Engagement

Strategy: #24
Town Beautification

Guiding Principle: #7
Determine when utility burials should occur during street and other right of way projects

Project Balance	\$4,000,000
Total Expenditures	\$0
Total Appropriations	\$0
Project Status as of December 31, 2017	
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Request Type						
Х	X New					
	Continuation					

Γ							
Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses							
Plan/design							
Land						:	
Construction						\$4,000,000	\$4,000,000
Equipment	-						
TOTAL						\$4,000,000	\$4,000,000

Project Title:	Program:
Training Center/Land and Tower	Fire

#### Description:

With continued growth in calls for service, the Town needs to purchase land for the new Fire Station #3 in the Westmoreland area.

The Town should consider training facilities such as a training tower with classroom capability while doing this.

This was identified in the recent ICMA Study (performed for Cornelius) as recommendation #11. In the follow up study concerning the feasibility of merging Cornelius and Davidson Fire Departments, the Concluding Recommendation stated the departments should train together. A training facility to be used by both departments would assure this combination training would happen and benefit both Towns.

The Training Tower would be a multi-story conex container facility with a small classroom suitable for various types of training, including but not limited to, search and rescue from a structure, high angle rescue, forcible entry, ventilation, pumping standpipe and sprinkler systems and JRPAT (job related physical agility test). See <a href="https://www.trainingtowers.com">www.trainingtowers.com</a> for additional details and facility options.

Upgrade the training tower/ grounds to include a permanent classroom and add training props for special response training, i.e., HazMat, confined space and trench rescue.

Total Project Cost:

\$3,000,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget:

Main Goal: Strengthen Citizen Engagement

Strategy: #23 Maintain and Improve Town Services

Project Balance	\$3,000,000
Total Expenditures	\$0
Total Appropriations	\$0
Project Status as of December 31, 2017	
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Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses							
Plan/design							
Land						\$3,000,000	\$3,000,000
Construction							
Equipment							
TOTAL						\$3,000,000	\$3,000,000

Project Title:

Hwy. 115 - North Corridor (Washam Potts Rd. to Potts St.) **Bike/Ped Accommodations and Aesthetics** 

**Public Works** 

Program:

#### Description:

In future years, NCDOT will improve the Hwy. 115 North Corridor (Washam Potts Rd. to Potts St.). The Town will have an opportunity to aesthetically enhance this corridor in conjunction with the NCDOT roadway project, with elements such as black powdercoated mast arms, black sign posts, decorative street lights, landscaping, bike/ped accommodations, etc. Extrapolating from costs for similar items along West Catawba, Phase I, this cost is estimated to be \$1,400,000 for this 1.25 mile project.

The Town will be responsible for betterment costs associated with bike/ped accommodations. It is estimated that these costs will be \$1,600,000.

The roadway project has historically scored well in STI rankings, and upon completion of the current UPWP corridor study that recommends a preferred design, it may receive funding in a near-future TIP, as early as the 2020-2029 TIP.

**Total Project Cost:** 

\$3,000,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget:

Main Goal: Improve Mobility and

Increase Transportation Options

Strategy: 12

Prioritize New Roads and

Widen Roads Strategy: 16

Improve Bike lanes and **Greenway Trail Connections** 

Strategy: 24

**Town Beautification** 

Guiding Principle: Prioritize Road Improvements

Project Status as of	
December 31, 2017	
Total Appropriations	\$0
Total Expenditures	\$0
Project Balance	\$3,000,000

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Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses							
Plan/design	•						
Land							
Construction						\$3,000,000	\$3,000,00
Equipment							
TOTAL						\$3,000,000	\$3,000,00

Project Title:	Program:	
North Bailey Road Greenway (GW6)	PARC	

#### Description:

This project funds land acquisition and development of greenway from the Mooresville-Charlotte Trail along Highway 115 just south of Antiquity to the South Prong Rocky River Greenway in Davidson.

The trail will consist of a nearly 1.5-mile-long, ten-foot-wide paved trail for pedestrians and bicycles. The project includes funds for signage and site furnishings.

The trail is part of the approved Town of Cornelius Parks and Greenways Master Plan (GW6) and Pedestrian Plan.

Total Project Cost:

\$2,600,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget: \$15,000

Main Goal: Improve Mobility and Increase Transportation Options

Strategy: #16 Improve Bike Lanes and Greenway Trail Connections

Guiding Principle: #2 Update Greenway Master Plan

Project Status as of December 31, 2017	
Total Appropriations	\$0
Total Expenditures	\$0
Project Balance	\$2,600,000

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Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses Plan/design Land Construction						\$260,000 \$300,000 \$2,040,000	
Equipment TOTAL						\$2,600,000	\$2,600,000

Project Title:	Program:
South Bailey Road Greenway Phase III (GW10)	PARC

#### Description:

This project funds land acquisition and construction for the third phase of the South Bailey Road Greenway. It will link the Caldwell Station Creek Greenway and the second phase of the South Bailey Road Greenway in the Beverly subdivision to the Mecklenburg County Regional Recreation Center site located on Old Statesville Road.

The trail will consist of a nearly 1.0-mile-long, ten-foot-wide paved trail for pedestrians and bicycles. The project includes funds for signage and site furnishings.

The trail is part of the approved Town of Cornelius Parks and Greenways Master Plan (GW10) and Pedestrian Plan.

Total Project Cost:

\$2,500,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget: \$10,000

Main Goal: Improve Mobility and Increase Transportation Options

Strategy: #16 Improve Bike Lanes and Greenway Trail Connections; #15 Connect Local Sidewalks

Guiding Principle: #2 Update Greenway Master Plan; #1 Implement Bike Plan

Project Status as of December 31, 2017	
Total Appropriations	\$0
Total Expenditures	\$0
Project Balance	\$2,500,000

Request Type				
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Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses							-
Plan/design						\$150,000	\$150,000
Land						\$1,000,000	\$1,000,000
Construction		. *					\$1,350,000
Equipment							
TOTAL						\$2,500,000	\$2,500,000

Project Title:	Program:	
Waterfront Park (S3)	PARC	

#### Description:

This project funds both land acquisition and the initial development of a waterfront park and possible swimming access on Lake Norman. Future phases will include additional development funds based upon the land acquired. A waterfront park and swimming access have been identified as high priorities in the Town's Comprehensive Master Plan.

Since the 1970s there had been no public swimming access on Lake Norman until Mecklenburg County developed a small but extremely popular swimming beach at Ramsey Creek Park in 2016. The next closest public swimming facility is located over twenty miles from Cornelius at Duke Power State Park west of Troutman, NC. Due to development constraints, the Ramsey Creek Park beach has less than a ½-acre swimming area. This small beach and swimming area will not accommodate the growing demand for water access. The Town will need to provide a second location to compliment the Ramsey Creek Park swimming beach.

Total Project Cost:

\$2,500,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget:

\$135,000

Main Goal: Strengthen Citizen Engagement

Strategy: #23 Maintain and Improve Town Services

Project Status as of December 31, 2017	
Total Appropriations	\$0
Total Expenditures	\$0
Project Balance	\$2,500,000

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Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses				-			
Plan/design						\$50,000	\$50,000
Land						\$1,800,000	\$1,800,000
Construction						\$650,000	
Equipment							
TOTAL						\$2,500,000	\$2,500,000

Victoria Bay Greenway (GW12)	PARC	
Project Title:	Program:	

#### Description:

This project funds land acquisition and development of greenway connecting Catawba Avenue through the Victoria Bay community, along the shore of Lake Cornelius and to Washam Street.

The trail will consist of a nearly 1.4-mile-long, ten-foot-wide paved trail for pedestrians and bicycles. The project includes funds for signage and site furnishings.

The trail is part of the approved Town of Cornelius Parks and Greenways Master Plan (GW12) and Pedestrian Plan.

Total Project Cost:

\$ 2,400,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget:

\$14,000

Main Goal: Strengthen Citizen Engagement

Strategy: #23 Maintain and Improve Town Services

Project Status as of December 31, 2017	
Total Appropriations	\$0
Total Expenditures	\$0
Project Balance	\$2,400,000

Request Type			
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Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses							
Plan/design	:					\$200,000	\$200,000
Land						\$300,000	\$300,000
Construction						\$1,900,000	\$1,900,000
Equipment							
TOTAL						\$2,400,000	\$2,400,000

Project Title:	Program:
Old Cornelius to Statesville Road Greenway (GW5)	PARC

#### Description:

This project funds land acquisition and development of greenway connecting downtown Cornelius heading southwest to Westmoreland/Statesville Road.

The trail will consist of a nearly 1.1-mile-long, ten-foot-wide paved trail for pedestrians and bicycles. The project includes funds for signage and site furnishings.

The trail is part of the approved Town of Cornelius Parks and Greenways Master Plan (GW5) and Pedestrian Plan.

Total Project Cost:

\$2,100,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget: \$11,000

Main Goal: Improve Mobility and Increase Transportation Options

Strategy: #16 Improve Bike Lanes and Greenway Trail Connections

Project Status as of December 31, 2017	
Total Appropriations	\$0
Total Expenditures	\$0
Project Balance	\$2,100,000

	Request Type
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Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses Plan/design Land Construction						\$165,000 \$220,000 \$1,715,000	\$220,000
Equipment						\$2,100,000	\$2,100,000

Project Title:	Program:
Mini Park Land Acquisition and Development (M1, M2, M3)	PARC

#### Description:

Construct three mini parks as identified in the 2015-2025 Parks and Greenways Comprehensive Master Plan. The Poole Place Park site (M1 a.k.a. Habitat for Humanity site) is located on Town-owned property near the terminus of the Caldwell Station Creek Greenway. This project also funds land acquisition and development for the westernmost portion of the 0.3-mile southern leg of Caldwell Station Creek Greenway (GW9). It will link the original Caldwell Station Creek Greenway near Poole Place to the Caldwell Station community.

The project funds the construction of a mini park north of Antiquity (M2). The park will connect to the Antiquity Greenway and the Mooresville to Charlotte Trail.

This project also funds land acquisition, design and construction of a series of mini parks along West Catawba Avenue/Jetton Rd. extension/Catawba Ave. These parks can be used as stopping/resting areas along a newly enhanced and reinforced pedestrian/bikeway/greenway system and will be strategically located to coincide with mass transit stops along this corridor. Town staff are actively working with NCDOT regarding land acquisition for West Catawba Road widening between Jetton Road and Highway 73. These parks are part of the approved 2015-2025 Town of Cornelius Parks and Greenways Comprehensive Master Plan (M3).

Total Project Cost:

\$2,000,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget: \$83,000

Main Goal: Strengthen Citizen Engagement

Strategy: #23 Maintain and Improve Town Services

Project Balance	\$2,000,000
Total Expenditures	\$0
Total Appropriations	\$0_
December 31, 2017	
Project Status as of	

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Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses Plan/design Land Construction Equipment						\$200,000 \$250,000 \$1,550,000	
TOTAL						\$2,000,000	\$2,000,000

Project Title:	Program:
<b>Caldwell Station Creek Greenway</b>	PARC
(South) Phase II (GW9)	

### Description:

This project funds land acquisition and development of the Phase II southern leg of Caldwell Station Creek Greenway. It will link the Caldwell Station community at Caldwell Depot Road to the Mecklenburg County Regional Recreation Center site located on Old Statesville Road.

The trail will consist of a nearly 1.0-mile-long, ten-foot-wide paved trail for pedestrians and bicycles. The project includes funds for signage and site furnishings. Approximately half the property is to be dedicated to the Town.

The trail is part of the approved Town of Cornelius Parks and Greenways Master Plan (GW9) and Pedestrian Plan.

Total Project Cost:

\$1,800,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget: \$10,000

Main Goal: Improve Mobility and Increase Transportation Options

Strategy: #16 Improve Bike Lanes and Greenway Trail Connections

Project Balance	\$1,800,000
Total Expenditures	\$0
Total Appropriations	\$0
December 31, 2017	
Project Status as of	

Request Type						
	New					
X	Continuation					

Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses Plan/design Land Construction Equipment							\$100,000 \$1,500,000
TOTAL					-	\$1,800,000	\$1,800,000

Project Title:		Program:
Washam Neighborh	ood Park (S2)	PARC

#### Description:

Develop a neighborhood park with an environmental learning component within the Washam property and the adjacent Eco-Park parcel, identified as project S2 in the 2015-2025 Parks and Greenways Comprehensive Master Plan.

The Town and County own several properties adjacent to the Caldwell Station Creek Greenway between Highway 21 and Bailey Road. There are unique conservation and education opportunities within the environmentally significant Eco-Park property. Development of the Town-owned site will require great care and sensitivity to ensure the habitat remains intact. The County-owned Washam property offers the opportunity to construct a greenway trail head (parking area and restrooms), community and pollinator gardens, bee and wildlife habitats, group picnic shelter/farmer's market, as well as traditional neighborhood park amenities.

Total Project Cost:

\$1,400,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget:

\$135,000

Main Goal: Strengthen Citizen Engagement

Strategy: #23 Maintain and Improve Town Services

Project Status as of	
December 31, 2017	
Total Appropriations	\$0
Total Expenditures	\$0
Project Balance	\$1,400,000

	Request Type					
	New					
X	Continuation					

Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses Plan/design Land						\$200,000	\$200,000 \$1,200,000
Construction Equipment						ψ1/200/000	Ψ1,200,000
TOTAL						\$1,400,000	\$1,400,000

Project Title:	Program:	
Westmoreland Park Greenway	PARC	
(GW13)		

#### Description:

This project funds land acquisition and development of greenway from the McDowell Creek (North) Greenway in the Westmoreland community to Westmoreland Road near WAC.

The trail will consist of a nearly 0.7-mile-long, ten-foot-wide paved trail for pedestrians and bicycles. The project includes funds for signage and site furnishings.

The trail is part of the approved 2015-2025 Town of Cornelius Parks and Greenways Master Plan (GW13) and Pedestrian Plan.

Total Project Cost:

\$1,210,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget:

\$7,000

Main Goal: Improve Mobility and Increase Transportation Options

Strategy: #16 Improve Bike Lanes and Greenway Trail Connections

Project Status as of December 31, 2017	
Total Appropriations	\$0
Total Expenditures	\$0
Project Balance	\$1,210,000

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Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses Plan/design Land Construction Equipment						\$110,000 \$150,000 \$950,000	\$150,000
TOTAL						\$1,210,000	\$1,210,000

## **FY 2019-Future Capital Projects Detail**

Project Title:	Program:
I-77 Service Rd. to Westmoreland Neighborhood	Public Works
Description:	Total Project Cost:
Improve North-South mobility by creating a parallel facility to I-77. Create a road connection between I-77 Service Rd. to	\$1,036,250
the existing terminus of Lake Path Rd. (Westmoreland neighborhood).	Estimated Impact on Operating Budget:
The distance is approximately 450'. Assuming a right of way	
width of 60' equals 27,000 square feet of needed right of way to acquire. The tax land value is valued at \$7.00 per square	Main Goal: Improve Mobility and

to acquire. The tax land value is valued at \$7.00 per square foot. Therefore, the estimated right of way cost is \$236,250 assuming a 25% contingency.

The design (\$100,000) and construction cost (\$700,000) is estimated at \$800,000. Costs extrapolated from Hickory St. Ext. costs.

Strategy: #23 & #15
Connect Local Sidewalks &
Prioritize new roads.

Increase Transportation

Options

Project Balance	\$1,036,250
Total Expenditures	\$0
Total Appropriations	\$0
December 31, 2017	
Project Status as of	

	Request Type
X	New
	Continuation

Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses Plan/design Land Construction Equipment						\$100,000 \$236,250 \$700,000	\$100,000 \$236,250 \$700,000
TOTAL						\$1,036,250	\$1,036,250

Project Title:	Program:
North Bailey Road to Bailey Road Greenway (GW7)	PARC

### Description:

This project funds land acquisition and development of greenway from the North Bailey Road Greenway south to Bailey Road Park.

The trail will consist of a nearly 0.5-mile-long, ten-foot-wide paved trail for pedestrians and bicycles. The project includes funds for signage and site furnishings.

The trail is part of the approved Town of Cornelius Parks and Greenways Master Plan (GW7) and Pedestrian Plan.

Total Project Cost:

\$1,000,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget: \$5,000

Main Goal: Improve Mobility and Increase Transportation Options

Strategy: #16 Improve Bike Lanes and Greenway Trail Connections

Project Status as of	
December 31, 2017	
Total Appropriations	\$0
Total Expenditures	\$0
Project Balance	\$1,000,000

	Request Type
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X	Continuation

Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses							
Plan/design		4.4				\$100,000	\$100,000
Land						\$100,000	\$100,000
Construction						\$800,000	\$800,000
Equipment							
TOTAL						\$1,000,000	\$1,000,000

Project Title:	Program:
<b>Caldwell Station Connection to Bailey</b>	Public Works
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#### Description:

This is to extend Caldwell Depot Road in the Caldwell Station neighborhood to Bailey Road. This connection is on the approved plans for both the Caldwell Station neighborhood and the Hyde Park development. Both developers have paid the Town \$90,000 each for a total of \$180,000 for this project. This will include a bridge or bottomless culvert to cross Caldwell Station Creek. An engineer provided a construction cost estimate in 2015 for \$600,000, not including design and permitting.

Total Project Cost:

\$1,000,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget:

Main Goal:

Strategy:

Guiding Principle:

Project Status as of December 31, 2017	
Total Appropriations	\$0
Total Expenditures	\$0
Project Balance	\$1,000,000

	Request Type			
X	New			
	Continuation			

Project	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	Future	Total
Expenses							
Plan/design						\$250,000	\$250,000
Land							
Construction						\$750,000	\$750,000
Equipment							
TOTAL						\$1,000,000	\$1,000,000

Project Title:	Program:
Synthetic Turf Multi-Purpose Field – Smithville Park	PARC

#### Description:

This project funds the installation of synthetic turf on the multi-purpose field at Smithville Park. Synthetic turf will accommodate up to three times more traffic than natural grass can tolerate and at minimal operating cost per hour of use.

Installation of synthetic turf fields should reduce field maintenance costs by as much as \$8,000 annually because they will no longer require mowing, fertilization, irrigation, field lining, weed control, etc. It will also provide essentially unlimited use as the fields will no longer require extended periods to rest for turf renovation.

Synthetic turf has virtually eliminated game delays and cancellations due to inclement weather at Bailey Road Park. This is an important factor tournament providers consider when evaluating locations.

Staff will work with athletic partner groups to determine their funding commitment with the addition of an artificial turf surface.

Total Project Cost:

\$850,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget:
-\$8,000 annual reduction

Main Goal: Strengthen Citizen Engagement

Strategy: #23 Maintain and Improve Town Services

Project Balance	\$850,000
Total Expenditures	\$0
Total Appropriations	\$0
Project Status as of December 31, 2017	

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	New			
X	Continuation			

Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses Plan/design Land Construction Equipment						\$30,000 \$820,000	\$30,000 \$820,000
TOTAL						\$850,000	\$850,000

Project Title:	Program:	
Bailey Road Park Tennis and	PARC	
Pickleball Complex		

#### Description:

This project provides funding to construct pickleball and tennis courts at Bailey Road Park. The tennis and pickleball complex project will be built in partnership with the developer of Bailey's Glen. The project includes 8+/- pickleball courts and 6 tennis courts as well as lighting, parking and a restroom building.

Total Project Cost:

\$555,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget: \$29,265

(-\$10,000 revenue)

Main Goal: Strengthen Citizen Engagement

Strategy: #23 Maintain and Improve Town Services

Project Status as of December 31, 2017	
Total Appropriations	\$0
Total Expenditures	\$0
Project Balance	\$555,000

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Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses Plan/design Land Construction Equipment						\$555,000	\$555,000
TOTAL						\$555,000	\$555,000

Project Title:	Program:
Nantz Road Connector Greenway	PARC
(GW11)	

#### Description:

This project funds land acquisition and development of greenway connecting McDowell Creek Greenway Phase II to Catawba Ave/Nantz Road. It will link the currently-underdesign portion of McDowell Creek Greenway with Nantz Road and Ramsey Creek Park.

The trail will consist of a nearly 0.3-mile-long, ten-foot-wide paved trail for pedestrians and bicycles. The project includes funds for signage and site furnishings.

The trail is part of the approved Town of Cornelius Parks and Greenways Comprehensive Master Plan (GW11) and Pedestrian Plan.

Total Project Cost:

\$500,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget: \$3,000

Main Goal: Improve Mobility and Increase Transportation Options

Strategy: #16 Improve Bike Lanes and Greenway Trail Connections

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Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses Plan/design Land Construction Equipment						\$40,000 \$60,000 \$400,000	\$40,000 \$60,000 \$400,000
TOTAL						\$500,000	\$500,000

Project Title:	Program:
Spray Park (S1)	PARC

#### Description:

This project provides funding to design and construct an interactive water feature. The spray park would have specialized water features that contain elements for water play but no standing water. The spray park would be designed to provide both aesthetic appeal and the opportunity for people to get wet, much like Centennial Park (Olympic Park) in Atlanta or Birkdale Village and Smithville Park. The water would be treated and recycled similar to a swimming pool.

This project was identified as project S1 in the 2015-2025 Parks and Greenways Comprehensive Master Plan.

Total Project Cost:

\$500,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget: \$90,000

Main Goal: Strengthen Citizen Engagement

Strategy: #23 Maintain and Improve Town Services

Project Balance	\$500,000
Total Expenditures	\$0
Total Appropriations	\$0
December 31, 2017	
Project Status as of	

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Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses Plan/design						\$50,000	\$50,000
Land Construction Equipment						\$450,000	\$450,000
TOTAL						\$500,000	\$500,000

Project Title:	Program:
Jetton Neighborhood Park Major	PARC
Renovations	

## Description:

This project provides funding for a large-scale renovation project at Jetton Neighborhood Park. It includes upgrading the trail surface to prevent washing and adding a gazebo and small playground. The Peninsula Property Owners Association is supportive of renovations to the park.

Total Project Cost:

\$450,000

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget: (\$700)

Main Goal: Strengthen Citizen Engagement

Strategy: #23 Maintain and Improve Town Services

Total Appropriations Total Expenditures	\$0 \$0
Total Expenditures  Project Balance	\$450,000

	Request Type
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X	Continuation

Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses Plan/design Land Construction Equipment						\$20,000 \$430,000	\$20,000 \$430,000
TOTAL						\$450,000	\$450,000

Project Title:	Program:
Police Substation	Police
Description:	Total Project Cost:
Police Substation will improve accessibility of police services to the west end of the town and improve deployment of resources in this area. A substation will help relieve parking and existing office space issues at current PD headquarters. A substation will also support the geographic based policing philosophy where officers become more familiar with specific issues associated with the area they are policing.  I request this item stay on the CIP for future years, but recommend we wait for now to see if the Town acquires facilities in the future on the west side that we could cohabitate on.	\$300,000  Estimated Impact on Operating Budget:  Main Goal: Strengthen Citizen Engagement
In the future on the west side that we could conditiate on.	Strategy: #23 Maintain and Improve Town Service
	Guiding Principle:

Project Status as of	
December 31, 2017	
Total Appropriations	\$0
Total Expenditures	\$0
Project Balance	\$300,000

	Request Type
	New
X	Continuation

Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses Plan/design Land Construction Equipment						\$300,000	\$300,000
TOTAL						\$300,000	\$300,000

# Project Title: Program: Stream Restoration Project - Upper McDowell Creek Public Works

#### Description:

The McDowell Creek watershed is significant in contributing to the drinking water supply for the majority of Mecklenburg County. The headwaters of McDowell Creek exist in Cornelius and are severely impaired. In 2010, the Town partnered with Mecklenburg County in obtaining a 319 Water Quality Grant (Federal Funds) and rehabilitating approx. 1600' of Upper McDowell Creek. The project was successful and residents were excited and pleased with the project. In addition to the water quality benefits, the completed project provides the Town with the ability to develop a greenway at a reduced cost

The Upper McDowell Creek stream restoration project is also in the McDowell Creek watershed. The longer these projects are delayed, chances of receiving funding decreases.

If awarded, it is estimated that the 319 grant funding would provide up to approx. 50% of funding, and the Town would be responsible for the balance.

#### Upper McDowell Creek

- Restoration of 1600' of the creek immediately downstream of the 2010 completed project. (downstream of Animal Shelter and Meck Co. property; upstream of confluence at major system section of McDowell Creek)
- Total project cost is estimated at \$425,000.
- Town of Cornelius estimated cost share is 67% or \$284,750.
- Project includes design/engineering and construction (design would provide for firmer estimates which could affect Town's portion of cost).
- Water quality improvements
- Future Greenway enhancements

It is recommended that this project occurs after the completion of the Willow Pond and Coachmans Woods restoration project due to the time-sensitive Willow Pond HOA land-exchange agreement, available grant funding, and greenway system priority of these other two project alignments.

**Total Project Cost:** 

\$284,750

Estimated Impact on Operating Budget:

Main Goal: Strengthen Citizen Engagement

Strategy: #23
Maintain and Improve Town
Services

Project Balance	\$284,750
Total Expenditures	\$0
Total Appropriations	\$0
December 31, 2017	
Project Status as of	

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Project	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Future	Total
Expenses							
Plan/design							
Land							
Construction						\$284,750	\$284,750
Equipment							
TOTAL						\$284,750	\$284,750

## **REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION**

Print

Date of Meeting: March 7, 2018

To: Mayor and Board of Commissioners

From: Anthony Roberts, Town Manager

Julie Niswonger, Finance Director

Action Requested:

Fixed vs. Discretionary (80/20)

Manager's Recommendation:

ATTACHMENTS:				
Name:	Description:	Type:		
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# Town of Cornelius Budget Changes Prior Year / Estimated Year End / Next Budget Year March 7th and 8th 2018

	2017 Actual	2018 Est Yr End Changes	%	2018 Est Yr End	2019 Budget Changes	%	2019 Proposed Budget
Personnel							
Merit Salary Study (Half)		197,349 91,266	2.74% 1.27%		199,745	0.00%	each % costs 66,582
PARC Rec. Programs Position Planning intern (GIS goal)		- 8,410	0.00% 0.12%		40,000 12,590	0.52% 0.16%	
Increase in health insurance		74,979	1.04%		124,374	1.61%	
PT Salary		9,682	0.13%		- E 204	0.00%	
OT Comm. Center PARC Program Assistant		49,200	0.00% 0.68%		5,204 -	0.07% 0.00%	
Town portion Grant officers		35,000	0.49%		15,321	0.20%	
State raised retirement %		7,671	0.11%		8,251	0.11%	
Convert IT Helpdesk in house 1/2 Year		24,000	0.33%		24,000	0.31%	Halfwaar
PD Records Clerk Admin. Assistant LEO Separation Allowance		38,160	0.00% 0.53%		20,750 1,431	0.27%	Half year
Subtotal of recurring items		535,716	7.45%		451,666	5.84%	
Total Personnel	7,193,011	535,716	7.45%	\$ 7,728,727	451,666	5.84%	\$ 8,180,393
Operating One Time Items:							
Police drug/asset forfeiture		223,186	2.84%		(285,400)	-3.33%	
Planning 4194 &4199		(137,271)	-1.75%		(29,278)		
Police equipment goals/cloud storage		-	0.00%		15,000	0.18%	
JV Washam Gym operations cost		14,000			-	0.00%	
VFD aging equip. replacement/maint.		10,000	0.13%		-	0.00%	
VFD hydraulic tools replacement		50,000	0.64%		-	0.00%	
VFD building maint.		3,401	0.04%		-	0.00%	
Employee Time/Payroll		5,000	0.06%		6,281	0.07%	
PIO		10,000	0.13%		-	0.00%	
Robbins Park Master Plan		-	0.00%		10,000	0.12%	
Cyber and Ransomware Prevention Subtotal of one-time items		178,316	0.00% <b>2.09%</b>		2,500 (280,897)	0.03% -3.28%	
Recurring:		170,510	2.03 /0		(200,031)	-3.2070	
PD Explorers Program		-	0.00%		6,000	0.07%	
VFD Contribution		-	0.00%		(40,000)	-0.47%	
Change in garbage collection costs		-	0.00%		96,867	1.13%	
IAR, net of partner		20,000	0.25%		-	0.00%	
Fluctuating gas prices		57,223	0.73%		15,129	0.18%	
Maintain new parks assets		56,916	0.73%		25,000	0.29%	
Gen Svcs Attorney/Prof. Services		68,492	0.87%		-	0.00%	
Gen Govt Prof. Serv./Dues/Software		45,113	0.57%		- ()	0.00%	
PD Dept Supplies/Uniforms		(70,412)	-0.90%		(6,857)	-0.08%	
Public Works 4194 & 4199		(75,249)	-0.96%		-	0.00%	
Public Works/Parks Landscaping Additional sidewalk & st water maint		34,684	0.44%		32,416	0.38% 0.20%	
Street light increases		97,035 2,427	1.24% 0.03%		17,502 12,396	0.20%	
Animal Control Dept. Supplies/Bldg		6,986	0.03%		-	0.00%	
CACC		152,949	1.95%		143,000	1.67%	
New Art Center Architect		66,000	0.84%		(66,000)	-0.77%	
Existing Art Center/Mill		3,186	0.04%		6,510	0.08%	
Special events/VLN		17,874	0.23%		39,614	0.46%	
Workers Comp/Property Insurances		60,472	0.77%			0.00%	
Subtotal of recurring items		543,696	6.16%		281,577	3.29%	
Total Operating	7,846,275	722,012	8.25%	8,568,287	680	0.01%	8,568,966

	2017	2018 Est Yr End		2018	2019 Budget		2019 Proposed
_	Actual	Changes	%	Est Yr End	Changes	%	Budget
Conitol							
Capital  Police car equipment & grant cars		80,000			160,000		
Police can equipment & grant cars  Police cameras / fiber		70,330			50,000		
St resurfacing / stormwater		70,330			800,000		
Recurring sidewalks		200,000			800,000		
Computer replacement program		45,000			45,000		
Bailey Road Park ADA Improvements		200,000			43,000		
Smithville Park Playground replacement		250,000			-		
Parks field grooming equip and utility veh		40,000			-		
PD & Fire Radios		311,756			-		
		311,730			-		
Fire Engine Equip Fire Vehicle-SUV		-			90,000		
		20.000			6,000		
Stream Restoration-Willow Pond		30,000			100,000		
Hwy 21 improvements & aesthetics		-			1 200 000		
DDI Aesthetics		-			1,390,000		
Public Works tractor / truck		-			-		
Northcross Drive Ext		800,000			-		
Bailey Road Track/Turf (plan/design)		200,000			-		
Art Center land		11,894					
Capital Roads Reserve		776,475			784,240		
Total Capital	3,039,441	3,015,455			3,425,240		
Transfers							
911 Fund	_	_			-		
DDI Design	390,000	-			_		
LEO & OPEB	330,000	400,000					
Total Transfers	390,000	400,000					

## **REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION**

Print

Date of Meeting: March 7, 2018

To: Mayor and Board of Commissioners

From: Anthony Roberts, Town Manager

**Action Requested:** 

Five Year Financial Forecast:

• No Art Center Debt (+/-20 Million); only \$4 Million in Bonds

• Must consider revenue neutral in FY20

#### Manager's Recommendation:

ATTACHMENTS:					
Name:	Description:	Type:			
□ Forecast.pdf	5yr Forecast	Presentation			
□ Net_FY19.pdf	Net FY19	Presentation			

### TOWN OF CORNELIUS, NORTH CAROLINA GENERAL FUND LONG-TERM FINANCIAL PLAN AS OF MARCH, 2018

	FY 2017 ACTUAL	FY 2018 EYE	<u>FY 2019</u>	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023
Beginning Fund Balance	18,073,909	17,181,392	17,994,149	17,842,059	17,281,132	16,185,811	14,140,499
Revenues:							
Property tax	13,416,474	13,573,958	13,772,622	15,506,239	15,810,895	16,121,643	16,438,606
Sales tax	3,237,518	3,620,468	3,692,877	3,803,663	3,917,773	4,035,306	4,156,366
Franchise tax	1,790,002	1,736,306	1,736,302	1,784,918	1,834,896	1,886,273	1,939,089
Powell Bill allocation	751,187	762,256	769,879	769,879	769,879	769,879	769,879
All others	3,434,651	3,399,584	3,264,733	2,758,104	2,669,876	2,709,924	2,750,573
Total Revenues	22,629,832	23,092,572	23,236,413	24,622,804	25,003,318	25,523,025	26,054,513
Expenditures:							
Personnel	7,193,011	7,728,727	8,180,393	8,507,609	8,847,913	9,201,830	9,569,903
Operating	8,500,850	8,676,376	8,569,689	8,912,477	9,268,976	9,639,735	10,025,324
Art Center (land, ope	, , , <sub>-</sub>	245,000	388,000	399,640	411,629	423,978	436,697
Debt service	4,773,616	2,239,607	2,132,324	1,270,803	1,205,456	1,003,125	979,717
Capital (prev & Pub V	· · · -	-	900,000	300,000	1,100,000	200,000	800,000
Capital fund balance	3,039,441	3,015,455	2,525,240	1,925,000	535,000	1,945,000	1,460,000
New debt svc	-	-	722,857	3,868,202	4,729,667	5,154,669	5,723,445
Transfers	6,735	400,000	-	-	-	-	-
Use of Cap Reserve	8,696	(25,350)	(30,000)	-	-	-	
Total Expenditures	23,522,349	22,279,815	23,388,503	25,183,730	26,098,640	27,568,336	28,995,086
Net _	(892,517)	812,757	(152,090)	(560,926)	(1,095,322)	(2,045,311)	(2,940,574)
Ending Fund Bal	17,181,392	17,994,149	17,842,059	17,281,132	16,185,811	14,140,499	11,199,926
Capital Reserve	17 101 202	17.004.140	17.042.050	17 201 122	16 105 011	14 140 400	- 11 100 036
Total Balances	17,181,392	17,994,149	17,842,059	17,281,132	16,185,811	14,140,499	11,199,926
End Bal as % of Exps	73%	81%	76%	69%	62%	51%	39%

#### TOWN OF CORNELIUS, NORTH CAROLINA GENERAL FUND LONG-TERM FINANCIAL PLAN AS OF MARCH, 2018

	FY 2017 ACTUAL	FY 2018 EYE	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023
Tax Assumptions:							
Value	5,235,561,500	5,370,063,074	5,477,464,336	5,587,013,623	6,838,504,674	6,975,274,768	7,114,780,263
% increase growth	2.569%	2.0%	2.0%	2.0%	2.0%	2.0%	2.0%
% Change reval	0%	0%	0%	20%	0%	0%	0%
New Value	5,370,063,074	5,477,464,336	5,587,013,623	6,838,504,674	6,975,274,768	7,114,780,263	7,257,075,868
Collection rate	97.8%	97.8%	99.0%	99.0%	99.0%	99.0%	99.0%
Rate	0.255	0.255	0.255	0.225	0.225	0.225	0.225
Tax produced	13,392,400	13,660,248	14,104,416	15,232,769	15,537,425	15,848,173	16,165,136
Revenue assumptions:							
Sales tax				3.0%	3.0%	3.0%	3.0%
Franchise tax				2.8%	2.8%	2.8%	2.8%
Powell Bill				0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Other				1.5%	1.5%	1.5%	1.5%
Expense assumptions:							
Personnel				4.00%	4.00%	4.00%	4.00%
Operating				4.00%	4.00%	4.00%	4.00%
Debt issuance variable:							
Beginning Debt O/S	16,370,722	12,436,983	1/ 122 650	21,709,684	41,419,964	42 7EE 047	E1 002 126
			14,123,658			43,755,047	51,993,136
Principal retired	(4,345,739)	(997,240)	(1,266,645)	(1,042,403)	(1,004,105)	(827,767)	(979,717)
Principal issued Princ on new debt	412,000	2,911,179	9,284,000	23,099,208	6,335,000	12,260,000	400,000
	12,436,983	(227,264)	(431,329)	(2,346,526)	(2,995,811)	(3,194,145)	(3,672,311)
Ending Debt O/S	12,430,903	14,123,658	21,709,684	41,419,964	43,755,047	51,993,136	47,741,108

There will usually be differences between the forecasted and actual results, because events and circumstances frequently do not occur as expected,

# Town of Cornelius Net Actual, Budget and Projected Expenditures and Revenues For Various Fiscal Years

	2016	2017	2018	2018	2019
	Actual	Actual	Budget	Est Yr End	Budget
Expenditures					
Personnel	7,105,350	7,193,011	7,797,784	7,728,727	8,180,393
Operating	7,328,468	7,846,275	8,387,288	8,568,287	8,568,966
Contributions Tourism	387,617	654,575	336,950	353,089	388,723
Other transfers	-	6,735	776,475	400,000	-
Capital	1,121,463	3,039,441	2,904,000	3,015,455	3,425,240
Debt	3,243,502	4,773,616	2,262,417	2,239,607	2,855,181
Total expenditures	19,186,400	23,513,653	22,464,914	22,305,165	23,418,503
Debt % of total expenditures	16.91%	20.30%	10.07%	10.04%	12.19%
Revenues					
Ad valorem taxes	12,395,595	13,416,474	13,514,178	13,573,958	13,772,622
Other revenue	9,114,237	9,213,358	9,077,104	9,518,614	9,463,791
Total revenue	21,509,832	22,629,832	22,591,282	23,092,572	23,236,413
Reconciling items	-	-	-	-	-
Contrib/(Use) of fund balance *	2,323,432	(883,821)	126,368	787,407	(182,090)
General Fund balance	15,875,179	14,991,358	13,078,462	15,778,765	15,596,675
Capital Reserve	2,198,733	2,190,034	3,350,208	2,215,384	2,245,384
Total available funds	18,073,912	17,181,392	16,428,670	17,994,149	17,842,059

General fund	285,007
Tourism	(224,976)
Powell Bill	(242,121)

## **REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION**

Print

Date of Meeting:	March 7, 2018

To: Mayor and Board of Commissioners

From: Anthony Roberts, Town Manager

Action Requested:

**Budget Directives:** 

- FY19 Operating
- FY19 Personnel
- FY19 Capital
- Tax Rate

### Manager's Recommendation:

Discuss budget directives.

ATTACHMENTS:					
Name:	Description:	Type:			
No Attachments Available					