

## Housing and Community Development – FY2023-24

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#### Department Overview

- Housing and Community Development:
  - Housing Programs
  - Planning Services
  - Building Services
  - Permit Center
  - Environmental Services and
  - Code Compliance
- Recommended Budget for HCD department includes 103 positions.
  - \$19.5 million in Revenue
  - \$9.4 million General Fund Contribution
  - \$3.5 million in Fund Balance



# Augmentation Requests

FY2023-24

### CAO Recommendation

- Housing Element \$270,906
  - Preparation of the 6th Cycle Housing Element Update, revision to the Safety Element and the preparation of an Environmental Justice Element
  - Required by state law (complete in FY 23-24)

- Chualar Community Plan \$50,000
  - Begin Community Planning process (multi-year effort)

## Programs Requested

- Vacation (Short Term) Rentals \$123,650
  - Finalize EIR and ordinance (complete in FY 23-24)

- Permit Technician III \$135,955
  - Improve services and timelines of Planning applications

### For Discussion

- Business Technology Analyst \$149,152
  - Accela Permitting System
- 2 Associate Planners \$310,936
  - Meet core functions (permit processing timelines and program development)
  - Staff retention
- Code Compliance Inspector II \$142,045
  - Address backlog of Vacation (Short Term) Rentals and Noise Complaints
- GIS Analyst \$160,308
  - Improve services (Mapping and visual aids)
- Housekeys \$120,000
  - Support Housing functions
  - Affordable housing inventory, income qualifications, refinance applications