

#### Bloomington is Unique

- 97 Parks, 45 Playgrounds, 2 golf courses, regional parks, BIG, Center for the Arts, Creekside, Family Aquatic Center, Natural Areas
- 9507 Acres of Park Land in Bloomington
- 36% of the land in Bloomington is park land
- Most communities have less than 15%







# Challenges

- Work force: Wages, hiring and retention, extremely competitive labor market
- Lack of investment in parks and facilities
- Updating programs to match demographics and meet needs and interests of entire community
- Relatively small staff team





Pa	ırks & Recreation C	ore Programs	
	<b>Core Programs</b>		
	Youth Programs	Special Events	
	Adult Athletics	Senior Programs	
	Adaptive Recreation	Arts Programs	
	Aquatics	Ice Arena	
	Rentals	Golf	
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# **Staffing Challenges**

- In 2022 programs were significantly impacted by staffing shortages:
  - Summer Adventure Playgrounds Only 2 out of 8 sites were open with limited capacity
  - Camp Kota Only 75 campers per week instead of over 200
- Over 600 participants on waitlists for summer programming
- For 90 open positions, hired only 36 qualified applicants accepted a position
- Received a total of 65 applications in 2022, a decrease of 48% from 2020
- Requesting an average of \$4 more per hour in seasonal staff pay, totaling \$66,250 increase in the PT/Seasonal Staff line item in the general fund

	Bloomington 2022 Rate	Bloomington 2023 Rate	St. Louis Park 2022	Richfield 2022	Minneapolis 2022
Instructor	\$13.00	\$17.00	\$10.33-\$18.50	\$12.54-\$14.57	\$12.75-\$15.50
Lead Staff	\$14.75	\$18.00	\$11.85-\$23.70	\$14.67-\$16.97	\$15.50-\$19.00
Specialist	\$15.00	\$19.00	\$14.35-\$28.71	n/a	\$15-\$25
Assistant Coordinator	\$16.00	\$20.00	n/a	n/a	\$18-\$20
Coordinator	\$17.00	\$21.00	\$17.68-\$35.36	\$15.85-\$18.33	\$20-\$23



# 2023 Parks & Recreation General Fund Budget

Expense Category	2022 Budget 2023 Budget		Difference
Salaries & Benefits	2,477,256	2,825,870	348,614
Materials & Supplies	139,067	163,959	24,892
Services	933,462	946,282	12,820
Internal expenses (i.e. Facilities & IT)	787,935	786,374	-1,561
Capital	7,000	25,000	18,000
Chargeback to non-General Funds	-75,523	-77,789	-2,266
TOTAL	4,269,197	4,669,696	400,499





### Creekside Community Center

- Currently offering 31 different Senior programs, plus special events, and partner programs
- Limited Services budget approved in 2021
  - Eliminated 1-FT Recreation Supervisor, 1-PT Recreation Coordinator, 1-PT Kitchen Coordinator
  - Eliminated lunch program
- \$28,914 increase in PT staffing
  - New PT coordinator position
  - Step increase for 2 PT office assistants
  - Rate increase and additional hours for evening/weekend facility leads









#### 2023 Creekside Community Center

(portion of overall Parks & Recreation General Fund Budget)

Expense Category	2022 Budget	2023 Budget	Difference
Salaries & Benefits	430,614	482,431	51,817
Materials & Supplies	38,330	37,109	-1,221
Services	31,593	32,130	537
Internal expenses (i.e. Facilities & IT)	447,636	449,349	1,713
Capital	7,000	25,000	18,000
TOTAL	955,173	1,026,019	70,846









# **Recreation Enterprise Funds**

- Golf
- Ice Garden
- Center for the Arts
- Aquatics



#### **Dwan Golf Course**

Exceeded budget in rounds and revenue DWAN

o Rounds: 50,501 Revenue: 1,822,292

2022

o Rounds: 49,089 Revenue \$1,837,718

Five-year average

o Rounds: 43,659 Revenue: \$1,522,906

 Hosted 19 unique weekly leagues and over 50 group events

Revenue was up in green fees, food and beverage, Patron card sales and

merchandise sales















# Dwan Rounds and Revenue Comparison

• Five straight years of gross revenue growth

· Rounds were up significantly over pre-pandemic years



	Rounds	%	Revenue	%	
5 Year average	43,445	+ 12 %	\$1,504,581	+ 22 %	
2022	49,088*	- 3 %	\$1,837,656	+ 1 %	
2021	50,501	+ 12 %	\$1,822,292	+ 29 %	
2020	45,102	+ 24 %	\$1,412,639	+ 14 %	
2019	36,512	- 2 %	\$1,242,953	+ 3 %	
2018	\$37,112		\$1,206,522		



\*Dwan opened later than 2021 and had 13 less playable days in 2022





# 2023 Dwan Golf Course Budget

Expense Category	2022 Budget 2023 Budget		Difference
Salaries & Benefits	979,574	1,096,893	117,319
Materials & Supplies	140,800	141,380	580
Utilities/Maintenance/Leases	192,001	236,647	44,646
Services	51,758	60,046	8,288
Internal expenses (i.e. Facilities & IT)	222,944	240,285	17,341
Capital	65,000	120,750	55,750
TOTAL	1,652,077	1,896,001	243,924





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	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026
	ACTUAL	ACTUAL	ESTIMATED	REQUESTED	CONCEPTUAL	PROJECTED	PROJECTED
REVENUE S:							
DWAN GOLF COURSE REVENUES	1,411,299	1,822,293	1,565,978	1,801,607	1,873,053	1,935,668	2,000,419
TRANSFERS IN	29,488	-	255,000	-	-	-	-
PROPERTY TAX	300,000	161,343	161,343	161,343	105,565		
INTEREST	1,770	2,990	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
TOTAL REVENUES	1,742,557	1,986,626	1,983,321	1,963,950	1,979,618	1,936,668	2,001,419
EXPENSES:							
SALARIES AND BENEFITS	1,006,915	1,004,537	979,574	1,096,893	1,141,769	1,175,989	1,211,269
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES	356,197	432,887	467,279	438,073	450,781	459,797	468,993
INTERNAL CHARGES	241,705	231,141	222,944	240,285	252,755	255,116	262,769
CAPITAL	8,544	36,542	65,000	120,750	128,000	125,000	150,000
TOTAL EXPENSES	1,613,361	1,705,107	1,734,797	1,896,001	1,973,305	2,015,901	2,093,030
NET CAIN (LOSS)	420.400	204 540	240.524	67.040	6.242	(70.000)	104 044)
NET GAIN (LOSS)	129,196 36%	281,519 81%	248,524 114%	67,949 120%	6,313 120%	(79,233) 104%	(91,611) 100%
WORKING CAPITAL BALANCE	224,074	505,593	754,117	822,066	828,379	749,146	657,535
WORKING CAPITAL GOAL:	616,000	627,000	661,752	684,000	690,000	723,000	655,000
OPERATIONS - 2 MONTHS	251,000	262,000	241,000	256,000	265,000	273,000	280,000
EMERGENCY REPAIRS	300,000	300,000	300,002	300,000	300,000	300,000	300,000
CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS	65,000	65,000	120,750	128,000	125,000	150,000	75,000





#### Bloomington Ice Garden (BIG)

- Serves a diverse clientele ranging in age from 3-83
- Programs and participants include Bloomington Skate School, High school hockey teams, Youth associations, Camps, Nation-wide tournaments, Amateur and professional figure skaters
- Most significant budget impacts are increases in utility costs and staff wages
- City took over concession operations in April 2022, revenue and expenditures for a full 12 months are still unknown











Ice Garden 2023 Budget Request

- Requested upgrading Skate School Coordinator from .75 to 1.0 FTE (not included in budget - \$61K)
- Increase in PT staffing wages & increase in PT hours for full year of concessions operations (9 months in 2022 budget -\$35K)
- Significant increases for Gas and Electric (approx. \$100K)
- Increases across the budget for inflation



# 2023 Ice Garden Budget

Expense Category	2022 Budget	2022 Budget 2023 Budget	
Salaries & Benefits	892,461	947,777	55,316
Materials & Supplies	152,350	165,100	12,750
Utilities/Maintenance/Leases	420,000	570,500	150,500
Services	39,408	42,300	2,892
Internal expenses (i.e. Facilities & IT)	198,906	200,215	1,309
Capital	150,000	140,000	-10,000
Debt Service	190,326	189,426	-900
TOTAL	2,043,451	2,255,318	211,867





	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026
DE SCRIPTION	ACTUAL	ACTUAL	ESTIMATE	BUDGET REQUEST	CONCEPTUAL BUDGET	PROJECTED	PROJECTED
EVENUES: PROPERTY TAX FOR DEBT SERVICE PROPERTY TAX FOR OPERATIONS ICE RENTALS / SKATING/ CONCESSIONS INTERFUND TRANSFERS OTHER REVENUE CHARTER BOND PROCEEDS	213,286 80,000 854,833 32,149 41,797	202,887 84,465 1,304,364	202,047 80,000 1,692,500	200,835 125,000 1,769,600	199,630 125,000 1,825,700	198,432 300,000 1,880,471	197,241 300,000 1,936,885
LOCAL GRANTS INTEREST	6.114	-2.973	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000
OTAL REVENUES	1.228.179			2.096.435	2.151.330	2.379.903	2.435.126
OTAL REVENUES	1,220,173	1,300,743	1,373,347	2,030,433	2, 13 1,330	2,313,303	2,455, 120
XPENSES: SALARIES & BENEFITS MATERIALS, SUPPLIES, & SERVICES INTERNAL CHARGES CAPITAL OUTLAY ICE GARDEN REMODEL AND LIGHTING PROJECTS	619,044 474,521 184,600 85,706 -99,441	745,742 360,632 197,957 61,468	521,737 198,907	947,777 777,901 200,214 140,000	988,395 824,411 209,230 0	1,013,105 832,655 213,415 0	1,038,432 840,982 217,683 0
DEBT SERVICE FOR 2019 ICE GARDEN REMODEL	53,844	191,026	190,326	189,426	188,326	191,926	191,476
OTAL EXPENSES	1,318,274	1,556,825	2,043,451	2,255,318	2,210,362	2,251,101	2,288,573
ET GAIN (LOSS)	(90.095)	31,918	(67,904)	(158.883)	(59.032)	128,802	146.554
, ,	165%	176%	125%	63%	45%	78%	115%
ORKING CAPITAL BALANCE	424,602	456,520	388,616	229,733	170,701	299,503	446,057
IORKING CAPITAL GOAL OPERATIONS - TWO MONTHS UNPLANNED CAPITAL EXPENDITURES	257,261 182,261 75,000	259,396 184,396 75,000	310,700 235,700 75,000	<b>362,613</b> 287,613 75,000	<b>377,134</b> 302,134 75,000	<b>382,627</b> 307,627 75,000	388,236 313,236 75,000
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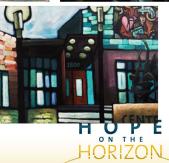
#### Bloomington Center for the Arts (BCA)

- Over 113,000 -Annual arts related visits (choir & music rehearsals, dance & art classes, gallery visits, ticketed events, community events)
- Annual attendance at ticketed events estimated at 20,000 visitors. (post COVID-19)
- Countless other visitors for city and private functions.
- \$1 million transfer from endowment in 2021 is being used for capital improvements.











#### Center for the Arts 2023 Budget Request

- Art Center fees are market rate.
- No facility rental fee increases for 2023 facility users/renters.
- City facility use fee for resident arts groups will remain at \$2.50 per ticket for 2023.
- Increase in PT staffing wages.
- COVID-19 still impacting ticket sales at est. 40% of house sold.
- Uncertainty with Artistry could impact 2023 budget.





# 2023 Center for the Arts Budget

Expense Category	2022 Budget	2023 Budget	Difference
Salaries & Benefits	267,642	282,664	15,022
Materials & Supplies	14,560	16,770	2,210
Local Grants	232,000	252,000	20,000
Services	56,150	63,720	7,570
Internal expenses (i.e. Facilities & IT)	484,715	488,097	3,382
Capital	395,000	340,000	-55,000
TOTAL	1,450,067	1,443,251	-6,816





#### CENTER FOR THE ARTS - FUND 6500

	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026
				BUDGET	CONCEPTUAL		
DESCRIPTION	ACTUAL	ACTUAL	ESTIMATED	REQUEST	BUDGET	PROJECTED	PROJECTED
REVENUES:							
PROPERTY TAX	1,000,000	1,000,000	1,000,000	1,000,000	1,000,000	1,300,000	1,350,000
CUSTOMER REVENUE	39,778	27,743	125,000	121,700	127,900	131,737	135,689
INTEREST	13,747	(3,544)	15,000	10,617	7,488	3,842	4,637
ENDOWMENT TRANSFER	18,750	1,000,000					
TRANSFERS IN	1,681		150,000	4 400 047	1 105 000	4 405 570	4 400 000
TOTAL REVENUES	1,073,956	2,024,200	1,140,000	1,132,317	1,135,388	1,435,579	1,490,326
EXPENSE S:							
SALARIES	143,743	157,285	205,925	218,685	228,656	235,516	242,581
BENEFITS	4.000	57,097	61,717	63,979	65,828	67,803	69,837
PROFESSIONAL SERVICES	1,200	5,268	45.000			0	0
MAINT/RENT/PREMIUMS	9,945	24,494	45,000	49,220	50,932	52,460	54,034
OTHER SERVICES	2,774	2,857	2,394	14,500	14,569	15,006	15,456
INTERNAL CHARGES MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES	508,373	501,082	484,715	488,097 16,770	503,134 16,820	518,228	533,775
CAPITAL OUTLAY	2,954	4,059	14,560		,	17,156	17,500 <b>450,000</b>
CULTURAL ARTS GRANTS	<b>29,125</b> 172,803	<b>95,431</b> 178,457	<b>701,568</b> 182,000	<b>340,000</b> 202,000	<b>350,000</b> 222,000	178,000 222,000	222,000
ADDITIONAL ARTISTRY SUPPORT	200.000	50,000	200,000	50,000	50,000	50,000	222,000
TOTAL EXPENSES	1,070,917	1,076,030	1,897,879	1,443,251	1,501,939	1,356,169	1,605,182
TOTAL EXICUSES	1,070,317	1,010,030	1,031,013	1,443,231	1,501,555	1,550,105	1,003,102
NET GAIN (LOSS)	3,039	948,170	(757,879)	(310,934)	(366,551)	79,410	(114,857)
` '	163%	117%		131%	80%	95%	70%
WORKING CAPITAL BALANCE	871,438	1,819,608	1,061,729	750,795	384,244	463,655	348,798
WORKING CAPITAL GOAL	534,235	1,552,962	901,784	574,912	481,459	488,375	495,498
2 MOS OPERATIONS	144,235	157,962	208,352	221,480	231,459	238,375	245,498
CAPITAL	390,000	1,395,000	693,432	353,432	250,000	250,000	250,000





#### **Aquatics**

#### **Bloomington Family Aquatic Center**

- Opened in 1971
- Staffing challenges for lifeguards and other seasonal employees

#### **Bush Lake Beach**

- In 2020 stopped charging for parking now all free access to beach
- No longer have seasonal staff for lifeguards, concessions, or parking fee collection
- Overall very positive response from public with these changes







# Staffing Challenges

 Requesting an average of \$4 more per hour in seasonal staff pay, totaling a \$112,937 increase in the PT/Seasonal Staff line item for aquatics

	Bloomington 2022 Rate	Bloomington 2023 Rate	Minneapolis 2022	Minnetonka 2022	Great Wolf Lodge 2022
Attendant	\$11.50	\$15.00	\$14.25-16.00	\$15.00	\$16.00
Lifeguard	\$13.50	\$18.00	\$18.02	\$17.05	\$16.50

2022	Open Positions	Applications Received	Qualified Hires
Attendant	20	25	12
Lifeguard	40	47	37

 Without the strategic use of assistant coordinators to back fill open shifts, the facility would have had to reduce hours or amenities daily in 2022



#### 2023 Aquatics Budget

Expense Category	2022 Budget	2023 Budget	Difference
Salaries & Benefits	337,983	474,796	136,813
Materials & Supplies	21,950	23,450	1,500
Services	15,890	13,800	-2,090
Internal expenses (i.e. Facilities & IT)	359,049	372,288	13,239
Capital	100,000	130,000	30,000
TOTAL	834,872	1,014,334	179,462





	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026
DESCRIPTION	ACTUAL	ACTUAL	E STIMATED	BUDGET REQUEST	CONCEPTUAL	PROJECTED	PROJECTED
REVENUE S:							
PROPERTYTAXES - POOL	1,040,000	367,000	515,000	465,000	250,000	500,000	500,000
PROPERTYTAXES - BEACH	186,000	148,000	-	-	250,000	250,000	250,000
CUSTOMER REVENUE - POOL	102	280,312	260,575	249,000	258,000	263,160	268,423
CUSTOMER REVENUE - BEACH	35,172	76,548	42,581	45,800	45,800	46,716	47,650
INTERGOVERNMENTAL REVENUE - BEACH	27,299	23,124	21,357	20,000	20,000	19,600	19,208
INTERFUND TRANSFERS	8,016	-	-	-	-	-	-
INTEREST	5,400	(4,285)	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000
TOTAL REVENUES	1,301,989	890,699	844,513	784,800	828,800	1,084,476	1,090,282
EXPENSES:							
SALARIES AND BENEFITS	106,645	313,969	349,983	474,796	496,678	511,578	526,926
MATERIALS, SUPPLIES, AND SERVICES	377,238	358,069	397,364	409,539	426,095	439,874	454,115
POOL TRANSFER TO FACILITIES	648,804	-	-	-	-	-	-
CAPITAL OUTLAY	-	-	220,000	130,000	100,000	250,000	100,000
TOTAL EXPENSES	1,132,687	672,038	967,347	1,014,335	1,022,773	1,201,452	1,081,041
TOTAL GAIN (LOSS)	169,302	218,660	(122,834)	(229,535)	(193,973)	(116,976)	9,241
	185%	330%	295%	195%	108%	55%	59%
TOTAL WORKING CAPITAL BALANCE	570,588	789,248	666,414	436,879	242,906	125,930	135,171
TOTAL WORKING CAPITAL GOAL	308,819	239,215	225,789	223,700	225,950	227,469	229,018
3 MONTHS CUSTOMER REVENUE POOL	26	70,078	65,144	62,250	64,500	65,790	67,106
3 MONTHS CUSTOMER REVENUE BEACH	8,793	19,137	10,645	11,450	11,450	11,679	11,913
CAPITAL - POOL	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000
CAPITAL - BEACH	200,000	50,000	50,000	50,000	50,000	50,000	50,000

