

3.17.14 City Council Meeting





Item 9: Report on 2013 Citizen Survey Findings

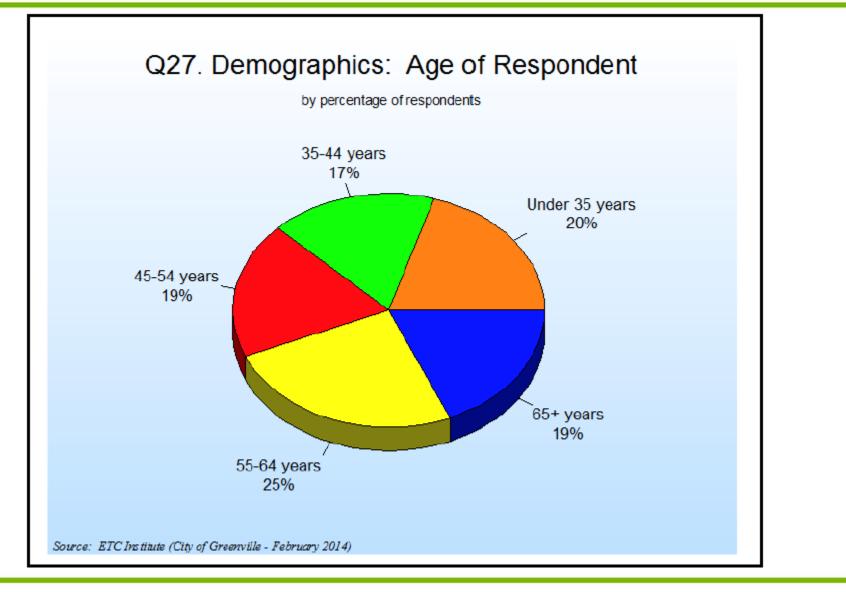




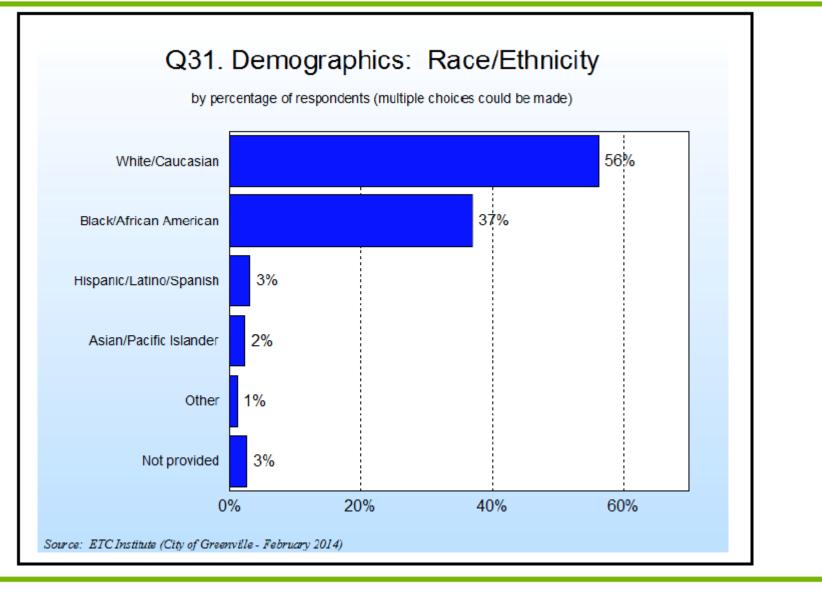
Purpose

- Measure how we are doing
- Part of City Council Goals
 - Benchmarking satisfaction levels over time
 - Benchmarking results against other cities
- Help with planning, budgeting, and administration



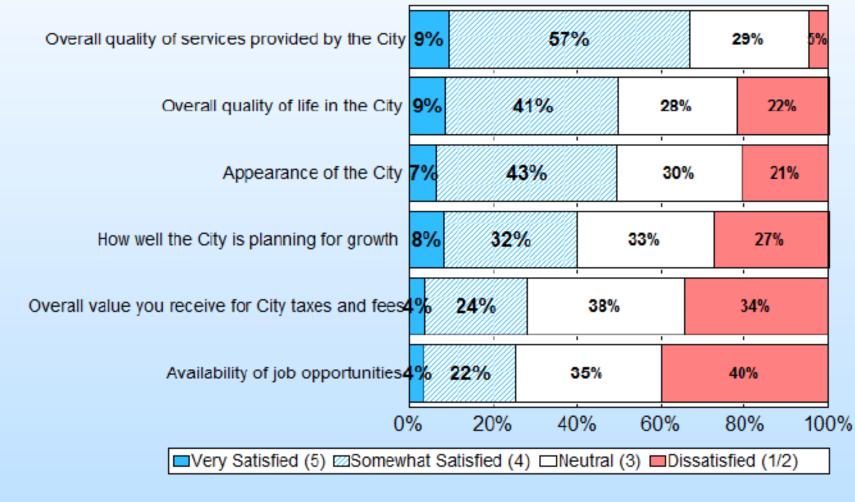






Q3. Satisfaction with Various Items That May Influence Respondents' Perception of the City of Greenville

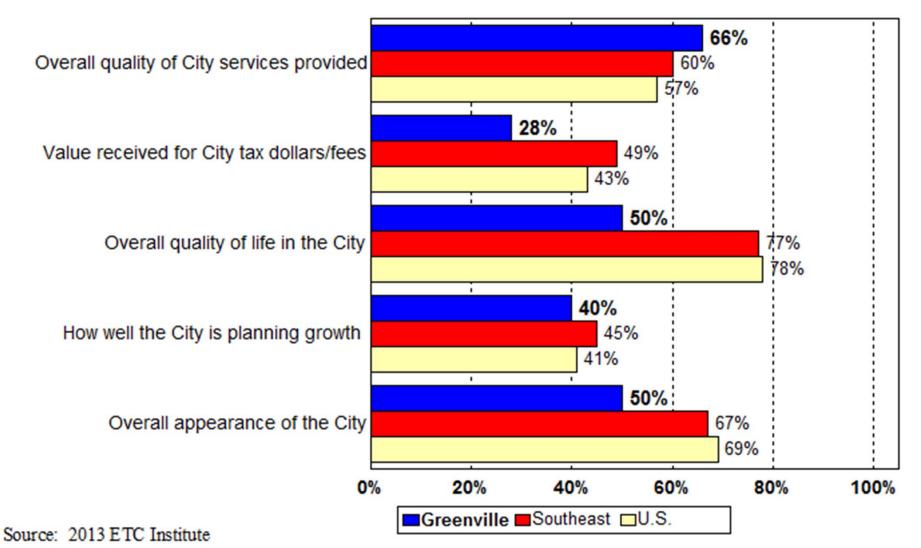
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Source: ETC Institute (City of Greenville - February 2014)

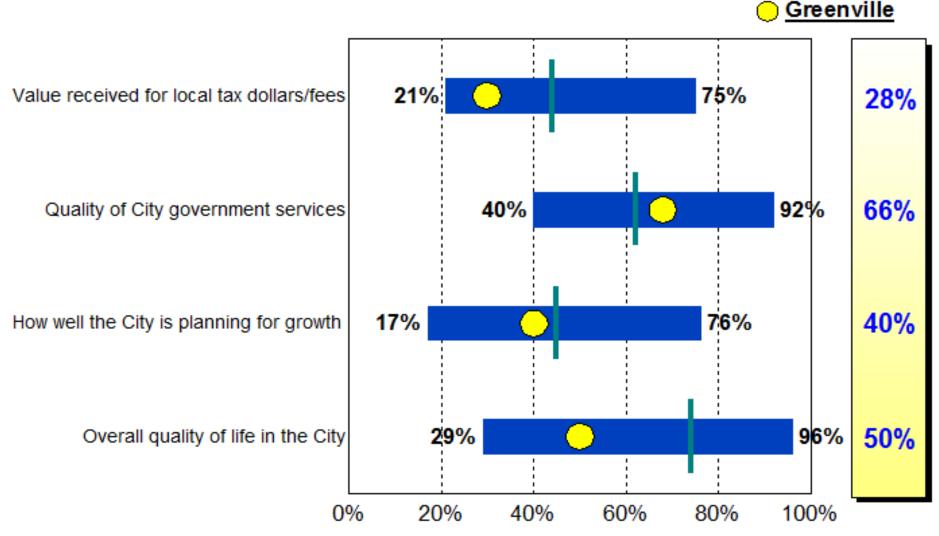
Satisfaction with Issues that Influence Perceptions of the City Greenville vs. Southeast vs. the U.S

by percentage of respondents who rated the item 4 or 5 on a 5-point scale where 5 was "very satisfied" and 1 was "very dissatisfied" (excluding don't knows)



Satisfaction with Issues that Influence Perceptions of the City 2013

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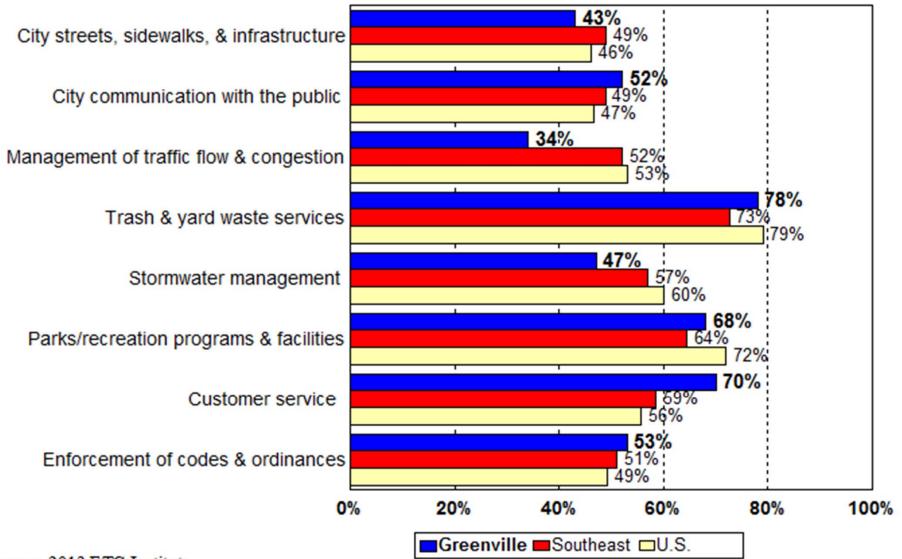
Q1. Overall Satisfaction With City Services by Major Category

by percentage of respondents who rated the item as a 1 to 5 on a 5-point scale (excluding don't knows)

Overall quality of Fire/EMS services		41%		47%		11%1%
Quality of trash, recycling, yard waste collection		35%	5%		13	% 8%
Quality of customer service provided by the City	18%	,	58%		21	% 3%
Quality of City rec & parks programs & facilities	22%	6	53%		19%	7%
Overall quality of Police services	22	%	46%		21%	11%
Effectiveness of communication with the public	10%	44	1%	33	%	12%
Overall efforts to enforce codes and ordinances	10%	43	%	30%		17%
Management by City of stormwater runoff/drainage	7%	40%	40%		31% 22	
Overall maintenance of City streets and sidewalks	7%	36%	24	24% 33%		
Overall management of traffic flow on City street	5%	27%	% 24%		45%	
0	%	20%	40%	60%	80%	100
Very Satisfied (5) Somewhat	at Satis	ied (4) ⊏	Neutral (3)	Dissati	sfied (1/	2)

Overall Satisfaction with Various City Services Greenville vs. Southeast vs. the U.S.

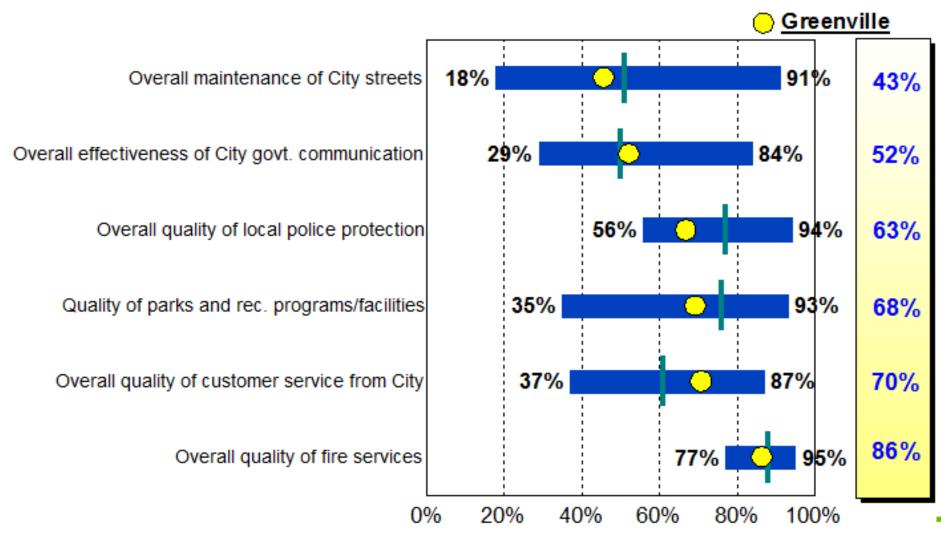
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Overall Satisfaction with Various City Services 2013

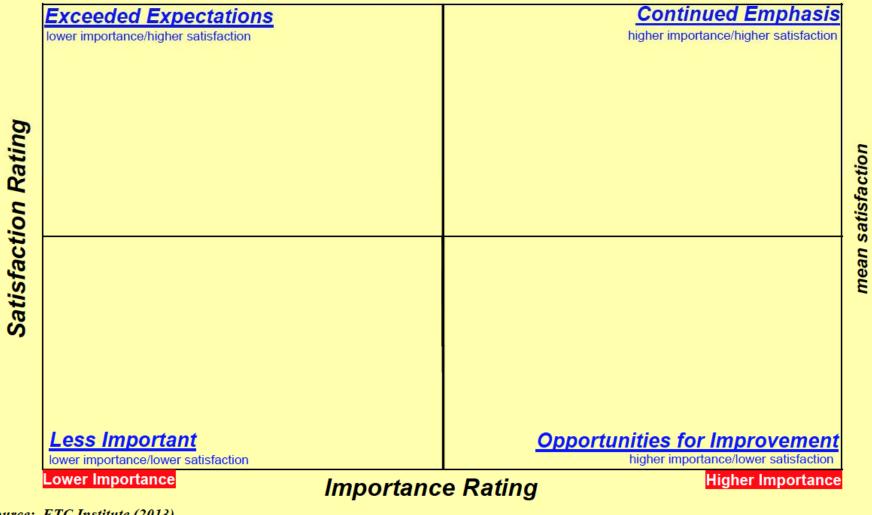
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Source: 2013 ETC Institute

(points on the graph show deviations from the mean importance and Satisfaction ratings given by respondents to the survey)

mean importance



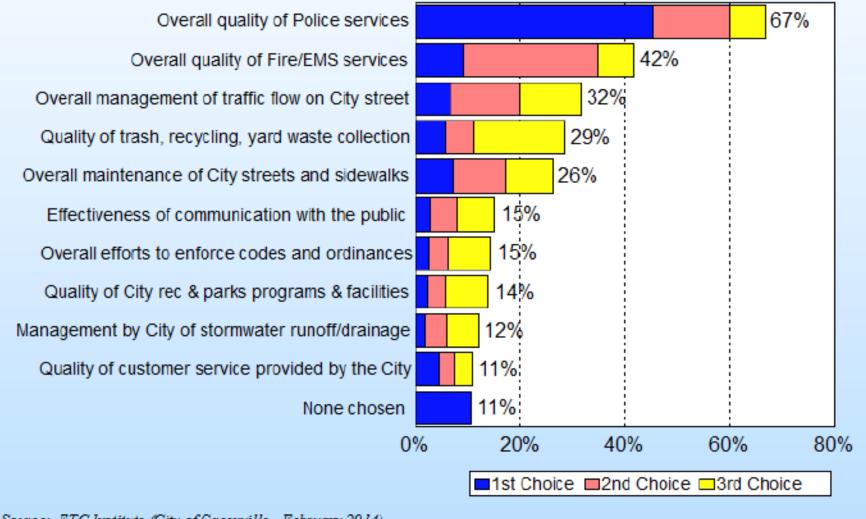
Q1. Overall Satisfaction With City Services by Major Category

by percentage of respondents who rated the item as a 1 to 5 on a 5-point scale (excluding don't knows)

Overall quality of Fire/EMS services		37%		49%	6	1	1% <mark>2</mark> %		
Quality of trash, recycling, yard waste collection	33%			45%		14%	8%		
Quality of customer service provided by the City	16%		54%		26%		3%		
Quality of City rec & parks programs & facilities	18%		50%		23	3% 9%			
Overall quality of Police services	1 9 %		44%		22%		6%		
Overall efforts to enforce codes and ordinances	12%	41	% 29		29%	% 18%			
Effectiveness of communication with the public	11%	41%	41% 3		33%	3% 15			
Management by City of stormwater runoff/drainage	9%	38%	38%		30%		6	23%	
Overall maintenance of City streets and sidewalks	7%	36%		24%		33%			
Overall management of traffic flow on City street	7%	27%	25%	5% 4		2%			
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Source: ETCInstitute (City of Greenville - February 2014)									

Q2. City Services That Are Most Important for the City to Provide

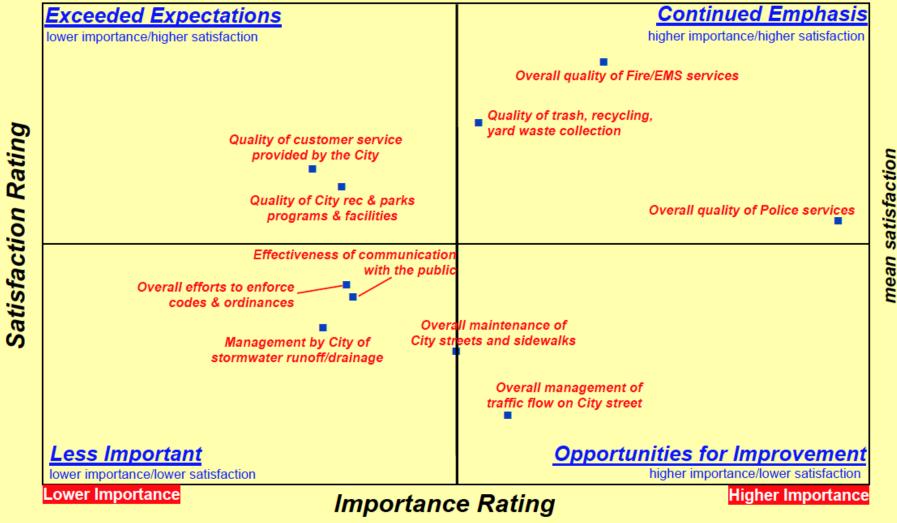
by percentage of respondents who selected the item as one of their top three choices



Source: ETC Institute (City of Greenville - February 2014)

-Overall City Services-

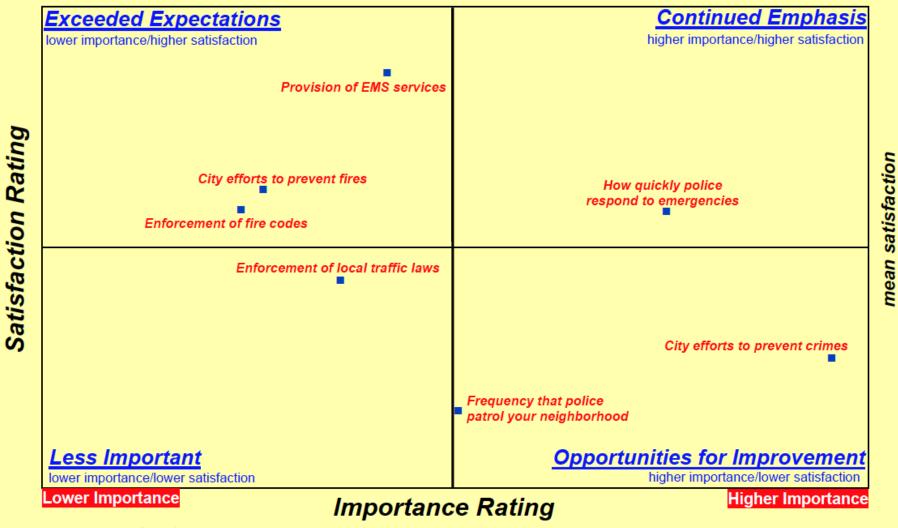
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-Public Safety-

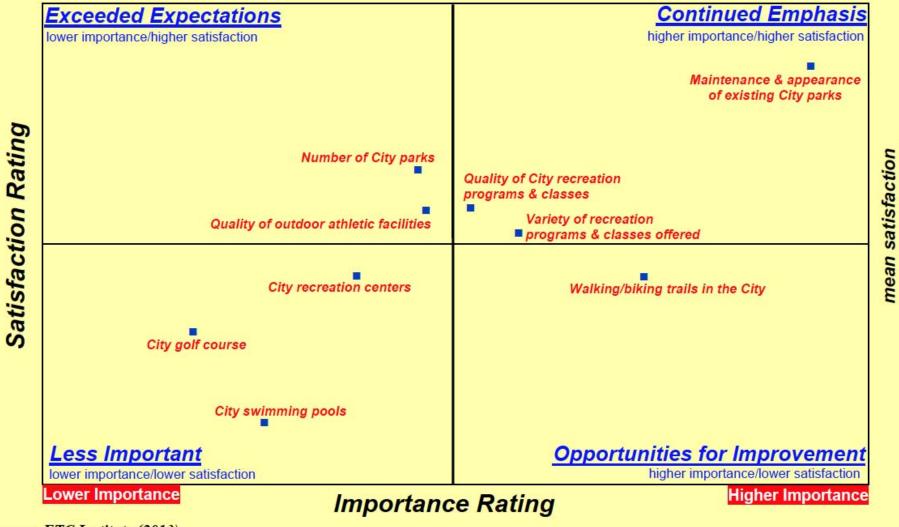
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-Recreation and Parks-

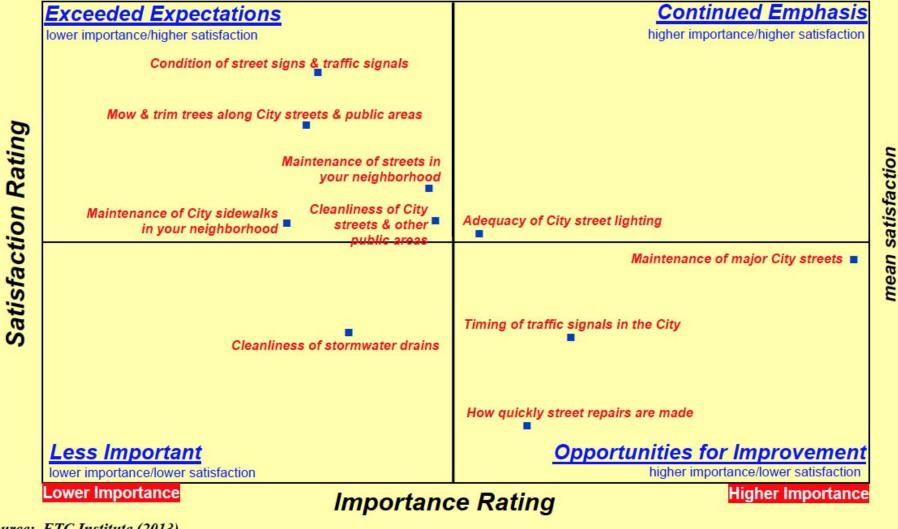
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-City Maintenance-

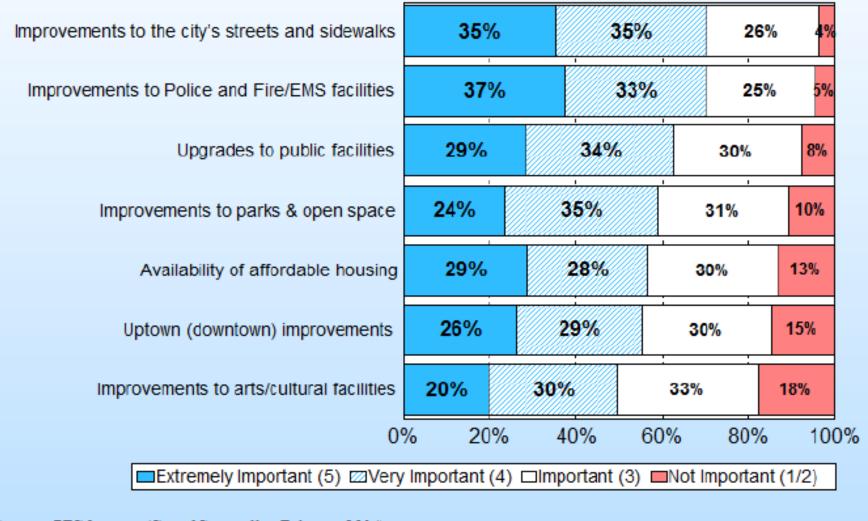
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Q20. Importance of the City Continuing to Invest in Various Projects

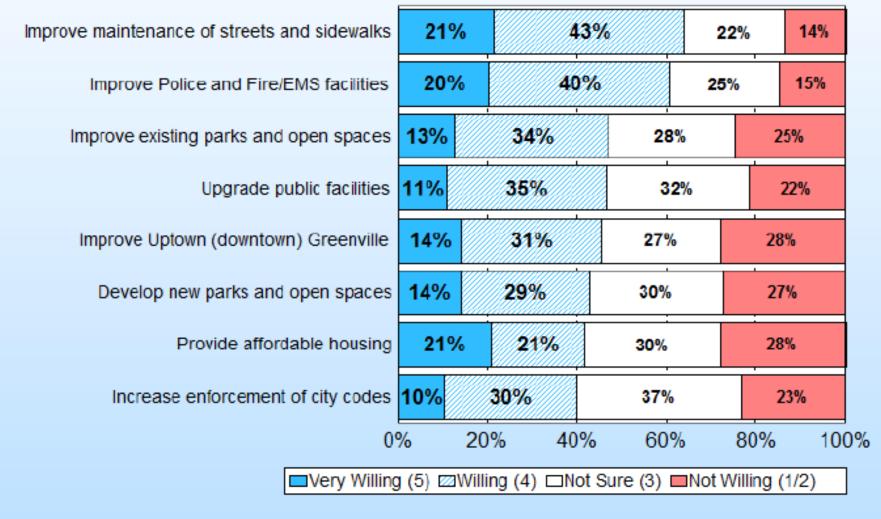
by percentage of respondents who rated the item as a 1 to 5 on a 5-point scale (excluding don't knows)



Source: ETC Institute (City of Greenville - February 2014)

Q22. Willingness to Support a Bond Referendum or Additional Funding for Various Reasons

by percentage of respondents who rated the item as a 1 to 5 on a 5-point scale (excluding don't knows)



Source: ETC Institute (City of Greenville - February 2014)



Final Report will be placed on the website greenvillenc.gov



Item 11: Presentation of Draft Capital Improvement Program for Fiscal Years 2015 through 2019





Presentation Overview

- What is a CIP
- General Fund Limitations
- Approach to this CIP
- Funding Sources
- CIP Overview 2015 2019
- CIP 2015
- CIP 2016
- Next Steps



What is a **Capital Improvement Program? Decision Making Tool** ✓ Prioritize capital needs ✓ Guide capital investments ✓Maximize limited resources



What is a Capital Improvement?

Equipment greater than \$35,000 and has a useful life of at least 5 years.

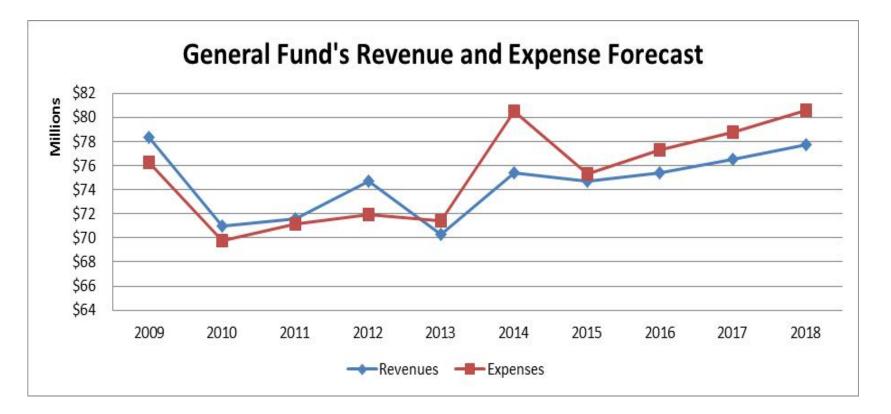
All projects that cost more than \$10,000 and have a useful life of at least 10 years





Find yourself in good company





 Financial Projections depict growing annual deficits over the next five-years



What Does This Mean?

Revenues not growing at a rate to address all needs:

- Vehicles and Equipment Vehicle Replacement Fund
- Transportation
 - Street paving, sidewalks, traffic lights, ped. crossings, etc.
- Maintenance of Existing Facilities Facilities Improvements Plan
- New Capital/Projects

New parks and facilities and various other departmental needs



Approach to this CIP

Full Funding

- Vehicles and Equipment Vehicle Replacement Fund
- Maintenance of Existing Facilities Facilities Improvements Program
- Partial Funding
 - Transportation

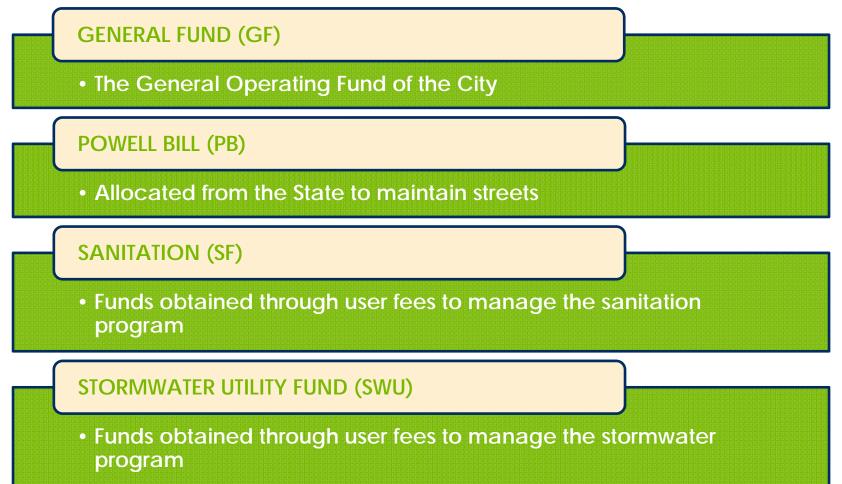
Street paving, sidewalks, traffic lights, ped. crossings, etc.

Not Funded

- New Capital/Projects



Funding Sources





Funding Sources



• Fund accumulated from user departments to purchase replacement vehicles (funding provided by multiple funds)

BONDS (B)

City borrowings (i.e. General Obligation, Certificates of Participation (COPS)

FACILITIES IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM (FIP)

• Funds from departments for capital projects (funding provided primarily by General Fund)

GRANTS/ OTHER SOURCES (G)

• Funds obtained through grants for capital projects



CIP Overview 2015-2019

- Requests \$99M
- Proposed for Funding \$49.9M
- Proposed as Unmet \$49.1M

Major Items Included as Met:

- Vehicle Replacement Fund \$18.3M
 - Facilities Improvement Program \$13M
- Town Creek Culvert \$7.3M
- GTAC \$7.7M



CIP 2015

- Requests \$29.3M
- Proposed for Funding \$20.2M
- Proposed as Unmet \$9.1M

Major Items Included as Met:

- Vehicle Replacement Fund \$2.9M
 - Facilities Improvement Program \$2.6M
- Town Creek Culvert \$7.3M
- Watershed Master Plans \$3.0M
- Other Stormwater Projects \$704K
- GTAC \$2.7M
- Street Resurfacing \$600K



FY 2015 Funding -Facilities Improvement Program

<u>Department</u>	<u>Amount</u>		
Fire/Rescue	\$ 50,000		
Police	\$ 700,000		
Public Works	\$ 250,000		
Recreation/Parks	\$1,488,500		
Library	\$ 140,000		

Total =	\$2,628,500
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FY 2015 Funding -Facilities Improvement Program

Specific Projects	<u>Amount</u>
Roll-up door replacement at Fire Stations 3 and 4.	\$50,000
Police - Fire/Rescue Headquarters generator replacement.	\$700,000
IGC School Building Roof Replacement	\$175,000
Public Works Roof Repairs – Buildings B, C, D and E	\$75,000
Carver Library Carpet	\$45,000
Main Library Envelope, Exterior and Interior Paint	\$95,000
HVAC Equipment Replacement - Boyd Lee Rec. Center, Bradford Creek Clubhouse, Elm Street Center, Eppes Rec. Center, Jaycee Park and River Birch Tennis Center	\$82,500
Roof Replacements - Eppes Rec Center, Guy Smith Stadium and Jaycee Park	\$150,000



FY 2015 Funding -Facilities Improvement Program

Specific Projects	<u>Amount</u>
Tennis Court Resurfacing - Thomas Foreman Park, Elm Street Park and Evans Street Park	\$45,000
Fencing Replacement - Thomas Foreman Park and Westhaven Park	\$35,000
ADA Renovations – Jaycee Park, Town Common amphitheater, River Birch Tennis Center, Elm Street Park, Greenfield Terrace	\$211,000
Aquatics and Fitness Center Renovations – Renovate showers and restrooms, carpet and tile replacement, interior plumbing and ADA repairs	\$185,000
Boyd Lee Park / Center Renovations – Replace exterior doors, replace plaza lighting, drainage, and furnishings, parking and drive improvements	\$77,000



Specific Projects	<u>Amount</u>
Bradford Creek Public Golf Course – ADA and various renovations.	\$38,000
Community Pool – Replace primary water line and ADA renovations.	\$39,000
Eppes Recreation Center – Replace concrete stairs and railing, reseal and restripe parking lot, improve drainage, regrade and repave rear access road	\$93,000
Guy Smith Stadium – ADA renovations	\$266,000
Sports Connection Renovations – Replace electrical components of batting machines.	\$14,000
River Park North – Playground replacement, paddleboat dock replacement, park entrance road paving.	\$213,000
Various other facility repairs and renovations	\$40,000



CIP 2015

Major Items Not Funded or Partially Funded:

- Street Resurfacing and Sidewalks \$2.1M
- Town Common Improvements ???
- Renovation of the Uptown Theater \$2.5M
- Viper System Upgrade (Police) \$250K
- Various Technology Needs (IT) \$404K
- Cotanche to Reade Alley Improvements \$275K
- Comprehensive Plan Major Review \$200K
- Various R&P Facility Improvements (R&P) \$491K



CIP 2016

- Requests \$20.9M
- Proposed for Funding \$11.6M
- Proposed as Unmet \$9.3M

Major Items Included as Met:

- Vehicle Replacement Fund \$2.8M
 - Facilities Improvement Program \$2.3M
- Stormwater Projects \$639K
- GTAC \$5M
- Street Resurfacing \$525K



<u>Department</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Fire/Rescue	\$ 35,000
Police	\$ 330,000
Public Works	\$ 140,000
Recreation/Parks	\$1,768,000

Total =	\$2,273,000
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Specific Projects	<u>Amount</u>
Fire Station 2 – Repave parking lot.	\$35,000
Police - Fire/Rescue Headquarters roof replacement	\$180,000
Police - Fire/Rescue Headquarters garage door replacement	\$150,000
Municipal Building Interior Painting	\$35,000
Public Works Fleet Heating System	\$75,000
Public Works carpet replacement – administrative area	\$30,000
HVAC Equipment Replacement – Barnes-Ebron-Taft Building, Boyd Lee Rec. Center, River Park North, Sports Connection	\$60,000
Roof Replacements - Eppes Rec Center, Boyd Lee Rec. Center, Green Springs Park shelter, Acquatics and Fitness Center	\$579,000



Specific Projects	<u>Amount</u>
Athletic Facility Lighting – Tennis courts and two softball fields at Evans Street Park	\$378,000
ADA Renovations – ADA restroom renovations at Perkins facility.	\$30,000
Playground Replacement – Peppermint Park	\$90,000
Boyd Lee Park / Center Renovations – Paint interior and exterior, exercise station replacement, ADA renovations	\$102,000
Bradford Creek Public Golf Course – Bulkhead replacement at pumphouse, bank stabilization on holes 6 and 12, fairway drainage repairs	\$133,000



Specific Projects	
Guy Smith Stadium – Replace portion of stadium roof, paint interior and exterior of facility, caulk interior and exterior of structure	\$153,000
Sports Connection Renovations – HVAC improvements, replace gym flooring system	\$115,000
River Park North – Parker's Creek bridge renovation	\$35,000
Green Mill Run Greenway – bridge reconstruction	\$85,000
Various other facility repairs and renovations	\$8,000



CIP 2016

Major Items Not Funded or Partially Funded:

- Street Resurfacing and Sidewalks \$2.2M
- S. Greenville Rec. Center Reconstruction \$2.2M
- Imperial Center Site Acquisition \$1M
- Land Acquisition Fund (R&P) \$150K
- Various Technology Needs (IT) \$386K







Item 12: Report on City's Privilege License Fee Structure





For Tonight's Discussion >Timing >History >Comparative Cities >Potential Modifications

- Internet Sweepstakes
 - Summary and Next Steps



Timing

Renewals are Mailed in the Spring

Based on 2013 Gross Receipts

Revenue to support Government Services Fiscal Year 2014-2015



Current Fee

\$50 for first \$25,000

Gross Receipts

.50 cents per thousand for Additional Receipts

Up to the first \$3.925m in

Gross Receipts

Capped at \$2,000



History

Definition	Levied on a specific good
	or service

Mandate Adopt an ordinance levying the tax

Effective May 8, 1980, the City Date adopted ordinance 963



Years	<u>Gross Receipts</u> <u>Cap</u>
2015	Potential Mod.
2005	\$2,000
2001	\$1,250
2000	\$ 750
Prior Years	\$ 500



State Reform

2013	Review all state-wide taxes
2014	General Assembly short session in May
	Privilege License may be discussed



Comparative Cities

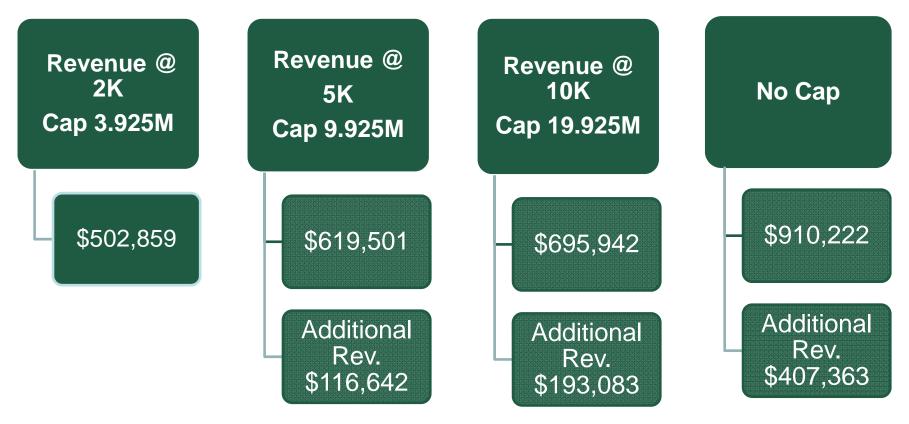
<u>MUNICIPALITY</u>	<u>GROSS RECEIPT</u> CAP
ASHEVILLE	NO CAP
CHARLOTTE	\$10,000
CARY	\$ 5,000
DURHAM - RETAIL	NO CAP
FAYETTEVILLE	NO CAP
GREENVILLE	\$2,000



Comparative Cities

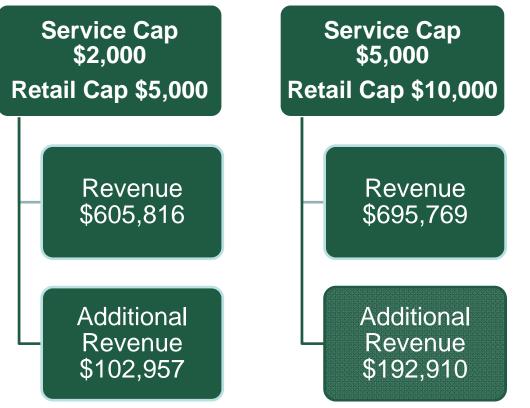
<u>MUNICIPALITY</u>	<u>GROSS RECEIPT</u> <u>CAP</u>
HIGH POINT – RETAIL	\$ 5,000
JACKSONVILLE	NO CAP
RALEIGH	\$20,000
ROCKY MOUNT	FLAT RATE
WILMINGTON	NO CAP
WINSTON-SALEM	\$11,000





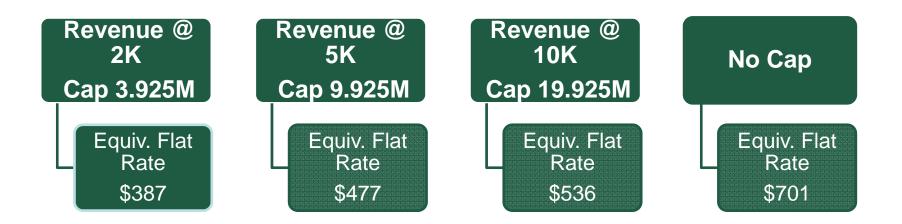


....if split between Service and Retail





....if flat rate utilized



*Equivalent





Service Cap \$5,000 Retail Cap \$10,000

Equiv. Flat Rate \$467 Equiv. Flat Rate \$536



Internet Sweepstakes Business



Internet Sweepstakes Business

- Fee is not set by State Statute
- Flat Fee set by each Municipality
- Greenville current fee \$250 per Location



Comparative Cities

MUNICIPALITY	<u>FEE</u>
ASHEVILLE	\$1,500 per location, \$2,500 per machine
CONCORD	\$2,600 per location, \$500 per machine
FAYETTEVILLE	Internet Sweepstakes Not Allowed
HICKORY	\$2,500 per location, \$1,500 per machine
JACKSONVILLE	\$5 per machine
RALEIGH	\$2,500 per location, \$1,000 per machine



Comparative Cities

MUNICIPALITY	<u>FEE</u>	
ROCKY MOUNT	Internet Sweepstakes Not Allowed	
SALISBURY	\$500 per machine	
WASHINGTON	\$1,000 per machine	
WILMINGTON	\$1,500 per machine	
WILSON	\$100 per location, \$1,000 per machine	



Potential Modifications

Internet Sweepstakes Business		
NUMBER OF CITY OF GREENVILLE LOCATIONS	FEE OPTIONS PER LOCATION	REVENUE
13	\$250 Current Fee	\$3,250
	\$1,500	\$19,500
	\$2,000	\$26,000
	\$5,000	\$65,000



Summary

- ✓ Privilege License Timing and History
- ✓ How Greenville compares to other Cities
- ✓ Options for Greenville
- ✓ Internet Sweepstakes Options







Item 14: Central City Parking Enforcement - Community Services Approach



