

## Austin Resource Recovery FY 2022-23 Approved Budget Highlights

The Department's Approved Operating Budget increases by approximately 8.6% or \$9.6M in the upcoming fiscal year. This amount includes \$0.6M for seven new positions, one each of the following: Accountant II, Administrative Specialist, Customer Service Representative, Customer Solutions Coordinator, Equipment Technician I, IT Application Analyst, and Marketing Rep A.

ARR's Approved Budget includes funding increases for living wage, fleet fuel and maintenance, homelessness cleanup services, disposal and processing contracts, temporary employees and overtime, and driver retention incentives along with other increases. Major reductions to the ARR Approved Budget include Bad Debt, GO Debt Service, transfer to Capital, and Vacancy Savings.

## FY 2022-23 Approved Operating Budget

	FY 2021 Budget	FY 2022 Amended	FY 2023 Approved
Revenue	\$103,880,851	\$110,998,492	\$117,967,407
Requirements	\$106,810,355	\$112,282,317	\$121,929,742
Ending Balance	\$8,940,928	\$11,437,141	\$14,328,272
FTEs	501.00	514.00	521.00
Capital Appropriations	\$11,860,005	\$14,302,717	\$14,171,217

## **Highlights of Approved Budget**

## **Major Rate Changes**

Service Description	Amended FY 2021-22	Approved FY <u>2022-23</u>	Change
Monthly Clean Community Fee Residential	\$4.70	\$4.85	\$0.15
Monthly Clean Community Fee Commercial	\$16.50	\$16.65	\$0.15
Monthly Base Customer Fee Residential & Commercial	\$18.80	\$19.45	\$0.65

Citywide Cost Drivers		<u>Incremental</u>	<u>FTEs</u>
	Personnel: wages, insurance, OT, temps, incentives	\$3,566,576	
	Citywide Cost Allocation Increases (City Support)	\$1,442,123	
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Depar	mental Cost Drivers		
	Vacancy Savings increase	(\$654,877)	
	Bad Debt	(\$500,000)	
	Transfer to Capital	(\$131,500)	
	GO Debt Service	(\$107,776)	
	New full-time positions	\$615,551	7.0
	Contractual and commodity increases	\$641,245	
	Homelessness cleanup services	\$900,000	
	Fleet maintenance and fuel expense	\$3,876,083	