# COUNTY OF SAN DIEGO CREDIT OVERVIEW

September 15, 2023





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### Ongoing Financial Planning at the County

#### Collaborative fiscal oversight and planning

- Annual planning includes General Manager / Group Finance Director / All Departments
- Cost Commission (internal rates)
- Facilities Planning Board (CINA and Major Maintenance)
- Debt Advisory Committee (debt and disclosure policies)
- Treasury Oversight Committee (investment policy)

#### Active management of costs

- Addressing emergent costs within existing budget, whenever possible
- Maintaining strong cash and reserve balances
- Using a pension stabilization strategy
- Quarterly budget updates to the Board of Supervisors

#### Compliance with County fiscal policies and leveraging all available financial resources

- Full cost recovery (Board Policy B-29)
- Look to funding sources outside of the General Fund first
- Using one-time funding sources for one-time uses only, to preserve structurally sound budget (Admin Ord Sec 113.4)



### Institutionalized Financial Policies

| Subject                                 | Charter  |  |  |
|---|--|--|--|
| Economy and Efficiency Determinations   | Charter Sec. 703.10 and 916  |  |  |
| Pension Stabilization and Debt Uses     | Charter Sec. 800.1 and 800.2   |  |  |
|   |  |  |  |
| Subject                                 | Ordinance  |  |  |
| General Fund Balances and Reserves      | Admin Code Sec. 113.1-113.3 Minimum, Commitments and Assignments, Replenishment  |  |  |
| Structurally Balanced Budget            | Admin Code Sec. 113.4 Fund Balances and Use of One Time Revenues   |  |  |
| Debt Uses and Limits                    | Admin Code Sec. 113.5 (d) & (e) Management Practices   |  |  |
|   |  |  |  |
| Subject                                 | Board Policy   |  |  |
| Contracts                               | A-81, Procurement of Contract Services; A-87, Competitive Procurement; A-97, Protest Procedures for Award of Contracts; B-29, Department Responsibility for Cost Recovery; B-74 Contracting Standards for Janitorial, Landscaping, and Security Services Contracts |  |  |
| Capital and Major Maintenance           | B-37, Use of Capital Program Funds; G-16, Capital Facilities Planning  |  |  |
| Small Business, VOB, and DVBE Contracts | B-39a, Veteran Owned Business (VOB) and Disabled Veterans Business Enterprise (DVBE) Program; B-53, Small Business Policy (SBP)  |  |  |
| Budget Development Process              | B-63, Competitive Determination of Optimum Service Delivery Method   |  |  |
| Long-Term Financial Planning            | B-65, Long-Term Obligations Management Policy  |  |  |
| Prop 172 and Tobacco                    | A-126, Proposition 172 and New Program Revenues in the Sheriff's Department, Office of the District Attorney and the Probation Department; E-14, Expenditure of Tobacco Settlement Revenue in San Diego County   |  |  |

#### Investing in the Community

- This year the Board of Supervisors adopted an operational plan based on community input through meetings, surveys, and online interactions, to enhance investments in communities and to shape the services all San Diegans rely upon
- Building upon tools and plans put in place last year:
  - Reimagined general management system and strategic initiatives
  - Budget Equity Assessment Tool
  - Implementation of sustainability goals for every department
- Key investments in:
  - Mental health and substance use support; equity and access; homelessness and housing; sustainability and fighting climate change; justice reform; enhancing communities and keeping them safe; capital infrastructure
- The Board of Supervisors and County staff remain committed to fiscal responsibility and prudent use of financial resources
- Strong institutionalized financial management practices ensure a commitment to fiscal stability and efficient delivery of government services

### **Budget Focus**





#### Sustainability

Economy Climate

Environment

Resiliency



#### **Equity**

Health

Housing

Economic Opportunity



#### **Empower**

Workforce

Transparency and Accountability

Innovation



#### Community

Engagement

Safety

Quality of Life

Communications

Partnership



#### **Justice**

Safety

Restorative

Environmental



#### **Sustainability Goals**

Engage the community in meaningful ways and continually seek stakeholder input to foster inclusive and sustainable communities.



Provide just and equitable access to County services, policy decision-making, and resource allocation in support of sustainable communities.



Transition to a green, carbon-free economy, reduce greenhouse gas emissions,
 support green job creation and workforce development, and prepare for impacts of a changing climate.



Protect the health and wellbeing of everyone in the region, with a focus on
 collaborating with community partners and advocating for environmental justice for communities that have been disproportionately impacted.



5 Protect water in all forms.



Develop natural and organic land management policies and practices that **protect ecosystems**, **habitats**, **biodiversity** and soil health throughout the County while providing opportunities for all residents to access and enjoy the outdoors.



7 Reduce pollution and waste and demonstrate reduction in consumption of resources.

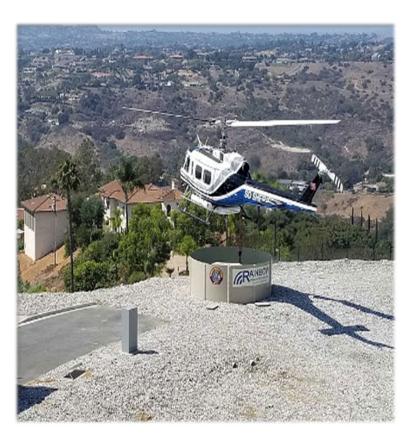




## Community Resiliency / Emergency Preparedness

- Fire Response and Safety: Community Risk Reduction Program
  - Leading California with defensible space inspections
  - Vegetation management as part of a cohesive
     Fire Strategy collaborating with land-owners
     and supporting evacuation safety
  - Multiple risk reduction initiatives funded by grants, e.g., working with Cal OES to retrofit homes for added protection against wildfire
- Emergency Notification and Evacuation Management Projects





San Diego Sheriff helicopter hovers over the first County heli-hydrant as its hose sucks up water in Fallbrook. www.kpbs.org



### **Looking Ahead**

#### **RISKS**

- Economic Uncertainty
- State Funding
- Real Estate Market
- Market Volatility/Retirement
- High Levels of Vacancy Rates

#### **MITIGATION STRATEGIES**

- Leveraging normal attrition and budget capacity
- Slowing discretionary growth while prioritizing existing Board priorities
- Maximizing alternate funding sources and continuing stabilization strategies
- Review of service levels, deferral/suspension of nonmandated cost increases, prudent use
  of reserves





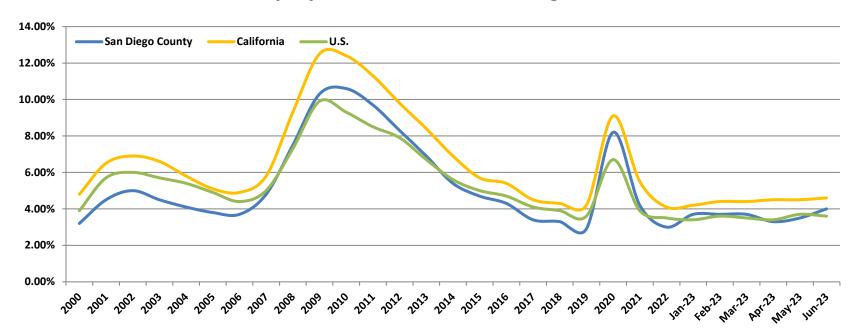
## Diverse Regional Economy



### **Employment Outlook**

• In June 2023, San Diego's unemployment rate of 4.0% was below the State's rate of 4.6% but above the national rate of 3.6%

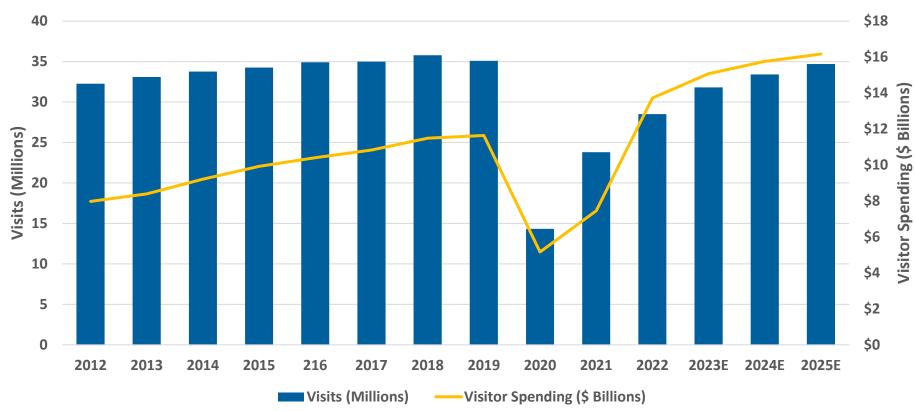
#### **Unemployment Rate - 2000 through June 2023**





#### San Diego Tourism

 Spending has exceeded pre-pandemic levels while visitor numbers are rebounding at a slightly slower pace



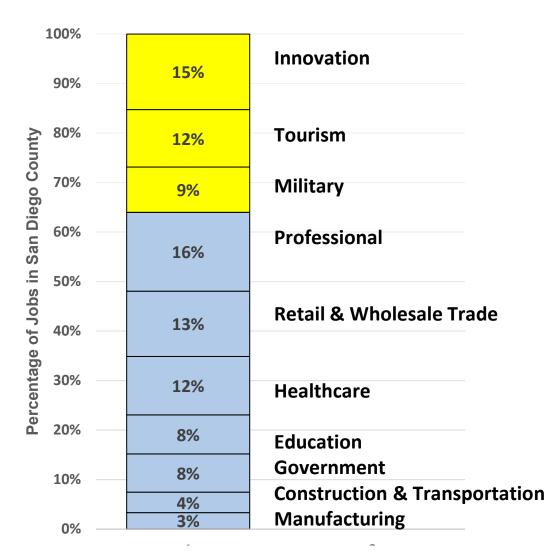


Note: 2023-2025 estimates

Source: San Diego Tourism Authority, Tourism Economics

#### **Employment by Industry**

- Regional economy is diverse and centered around forward-looking industries
- No sector represents more than 16% of the local economy
- Driving Sectors are Innovation, Tourism, and Military





### Major San Diego Institutions

San Diego is home to a diverse group of world class institutions, corporations, and recreational facilities





























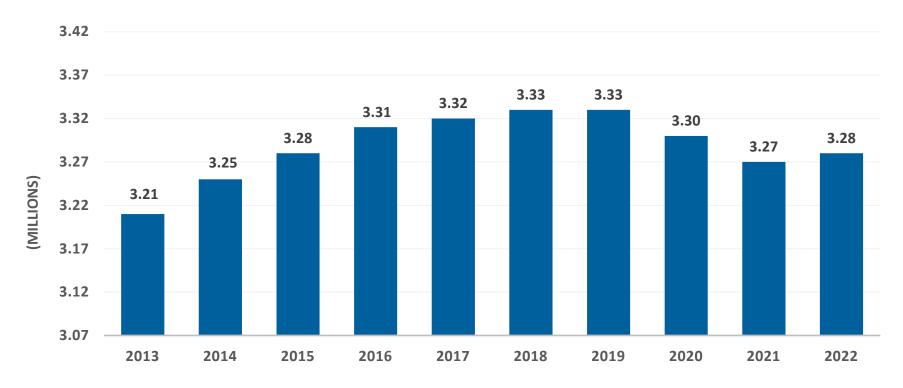




Source: San Diego Sourcebook and California EDD

### **Stable Population**

• San Diego County's population grew by 2.2% over the last 10 years and averaged 3.3 million residents over the past 5 years

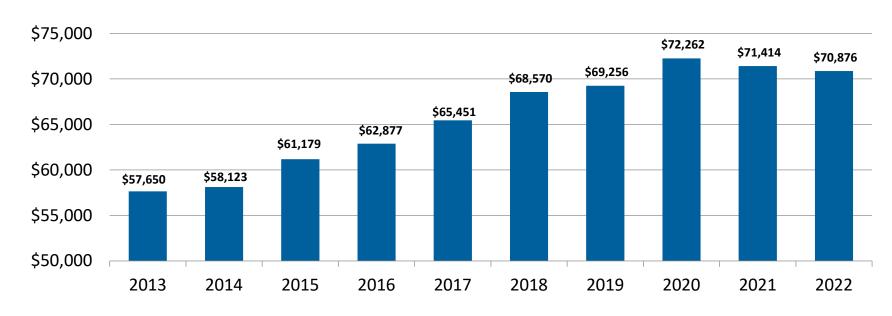




Note: Data for 2010 and 2020 are official census counts. Other years are estimates Source: U.S. Census Bureau

#### Household Income Continues to Grow

- Since 2013, median household income adjusted for inflation has increased 23%
- 2022 experienced a slight decline due to a lack of COVID-19 stimulus funding which was present in 2020 and 2021

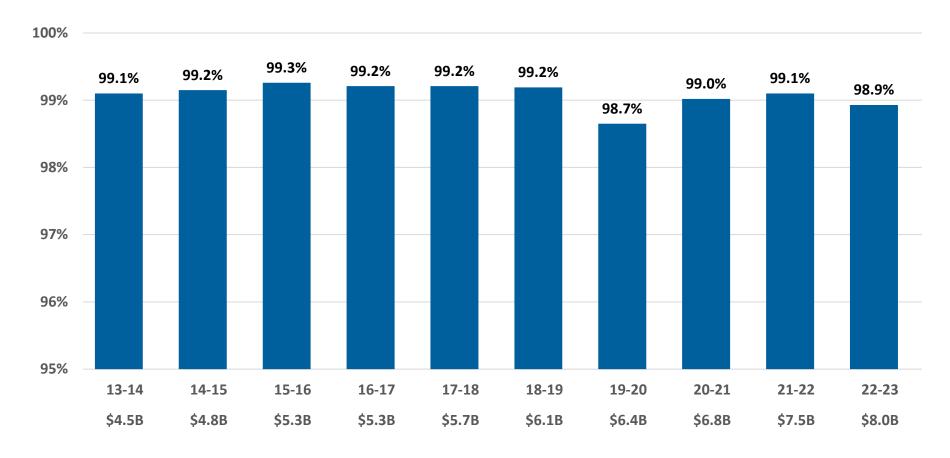




■ Median Household Income (2010\$)

Note: Data adjusted for inflation Source: SANDAG

#### **Secured Tax Collection**

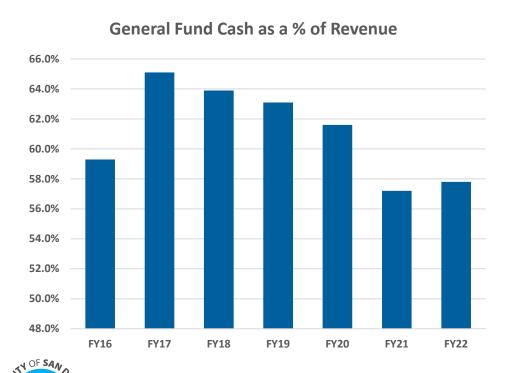


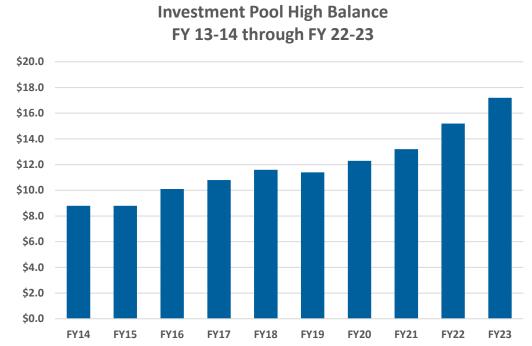


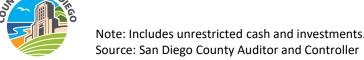
Source: San Diego County Treasurer-Tax Collector

### Strong Cash Position and Management

- County remains highly liquid and able to fund operational needs
- Our AAAf-rated Investment Pool reached a record high of \$17.2 billion in April 2023







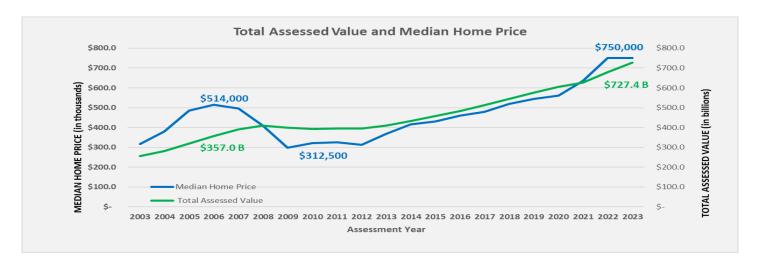


Large and Growing Tax Base



#### Proposition 13 Protects the Property Tax Base

- The provisions of Proposition 13 insulate the property tax base from short term downturns in the real estate market as were seen post-2006. Property taxes are based on 1% of assessed value and are increased up to 2% annually unless a reassessment has occurred. Property is reassessed to market value upon a change ownership, or for the value added by new construction.
- The market downturn in 2007-2012 resulted only in a flattening of the assessment roll; no substantial decreases. In 2022, when home prices were flat YOY, total assessed values and tax revenue grew by over 7%.
- As of Lien Date, 1/1/2023, the San Diego County median home price was \$750,000; 45% higher than its last peak in 2006. In that same period, total assessed value and property tax revenue has increased by 103%.





Note: Median Home Price includes sales of new and existing single-family residences through 12/30/2022 Source: County of San Diego Assessor/Recorder/County Clerk and Core Logic Home Price Index, respectively

# 2023-24 Distribution of Parcels & Assessed Values



945,777 Residential \$536,303,147,635



27,327 Commercial \$100,633,986,902



11,378 Industrial \$42,471,209,353



29,150
Farm/Rural Land/ Institutional/
Recreational/Miscellaneous
\$22,043,161,652





1,534 Aircraft \$1,336,525,267



55,888
Business Personal
Property Accounts
\$23,572,682,148



# Strong Home Prices Led To Robust AV Growth For 2023-24

- Home sales volume at its lowest level since 2007, and a 22% decrease YOY. The low inventory of homes for sale, however, leads to strong home sales prices.
- Average value increment for Residential change in ownership reassessments was \$422,817, an all-time high, and +24% YOY.
- Average value increment for Commercial change in ownership reassessments is \$2,650,236, an all-time high, and +20% YOY.
- Prop. 13 caps the annual CPI Adjustment at +2%. This was applied to 91% of all properties in the County, adding a record \$12.38 billion to the Assessment Roll.
- Even with strong median home prices, market fluctuations in 2022 led to over 18,000 temporary Proposition 8 reductions, made proactively, saving homeowners \$15 million in 2023-24.
- The 2023-24 San Diego County Assessment Roll grew at a rate of 7.12% before exemptions (Gross) and 7.14% (Net).
- 2023-24 was the 11th straight year with positive roll growth in San Diego County

### 2023-2024 Gross AV by County

- San Diego County ranks third largest in State for Total AV
- Second largest in real property parcel count

| County      | Secured AV          | Unsecured AV     | Total AV (Gross)    | Parcels   |
|-------------|---------------------|------------------|---------------------|-----------|
|             |                     |                  |                     |           |
| Los Angeles | \$1,993,697,807,032 | \$76,285,754,058 | \$2,069,983,561,090 | 2,391,198 |
|             |                     |                  |                     |           |
| Orange      | \$741,001,405,079   | \$26,502,681,744 | \$767,504,086,823   | 968,776   |
|             |                     |                  |                     |           |
| San Diego   | \$701,178,192,568   | \$26,302,299,598 | \$727,480,492,166   | 1,013,632 |
|             |                     |                  |                     |           |
| Santa Clara | \$656,376,568,163   | \$39,788,652,332 | \$696,165,220,495   | 495,726   |
|             |                     |                  |                     |           |
| Alameda     | \$389,482,193,685   | \$25,376,126,706 | \$414,858,320,391   | 470,046   |
|             |                     |                  |                     |           |
| Riverside   | \$390,804,653,343   | \$13,429,736,221 | \$404,234,389,564   | 955,523   |



#### Commerical Real Estate in San Diego County

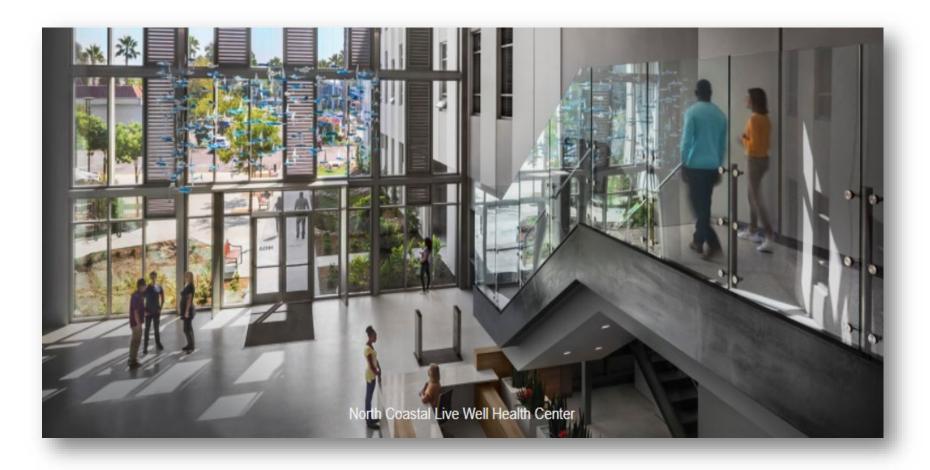
- Commercial parcels, retail and office, account for only 3% of the County's parcel count and only \$100 billion or 13% of the County's \$727 billion assessed value.
- The commercial core in Downtown San Diego is the area most at risk for Prop.
   8 declines in value due to higher-than-normal vacancy rates.
- This commercial subset, 2,064 parcels located in the downtown area, totals \$13.8 billion, or 1.9% of the assessment roll.
- Any valuation reductions made in this area would be de minimis.
- While other major commercial markets are suffering in their downtown cores, San Diego is insulated from large declines in value due to the strong presence of biotech, educational and military uses.



#### Outlook for 2024-25: +3.5% AV Growth

- Home sales volume continues to decrease. Recorded deeds are down 25.7% through July 2023.
- Higher interest rates are decreasing home affordability; however, prices remain strong due to low supply. On June 30, 2023, San Diego County median home prices were \$977,500 (detached) and \$645,000 (attached), \$850,000 (combined) according to Core Logic.
- Additional Prop. 8 temporary AV reductions are not expected on homes as prices are increasing on low inventory. Some reductions may be warranted in the commercial office sector.
- High inflation may lead to less new construction, due to increased costs.
- New technical advances at the Assessor's office will contribute to more discovery of taxable property, ultimately growing the tax roll.
- A 2023-24 CPI adjustment of 2%, applied to over 90% of all parcels, will add another \$12 billion to the assessment roll, adding +1.80% in AV growth in and of itself.
- Projecting assessed value growth of 3.5% County-wide, with an upward bias.





## Financial Highlights

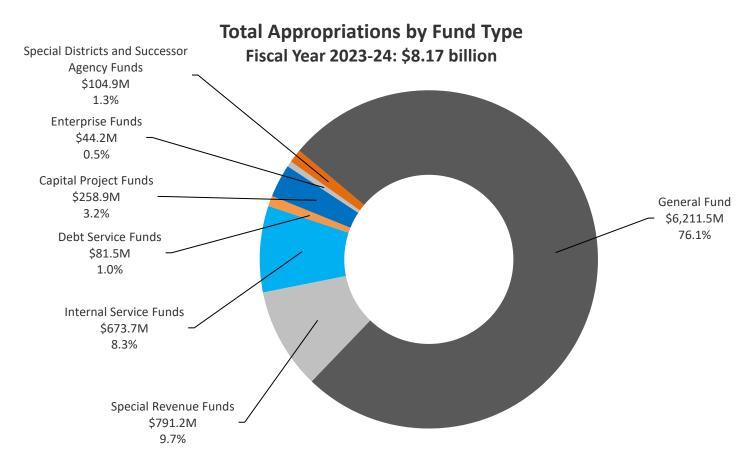


### Fiscal Year 2023-24 Budget Overview

- Total budget of \$8.17 billion; increase of 11.0% or \$806.4 million from Fiscal Year 2022-23
- Total staffing of 20,387.25 staff years; net increase of 2.7% or 539.75 staff years
- Labor agreements with all bargaining units through FY25 for General Employees, and 5 of 6 bargaining units for Safety Employees through FY26, last unit pending Board Action on 9/26
- \$1.81 billion General Purpose Revenue; increase of 9.0% or \$149.6 million
- \$250.1 million for capital projects

# Fiscal Year 2023-24 Adopted Operational Plan: All Funds

Adopted Budget for all funds of \$8.17 billion; increase of \$806.4 million from Fiscal Year 2022-23
 Adopted Budget





### Fiscal Year 2023-24 Adopted Operational Plan: General Fund

Federal Revenue

\$1,233.2M

19.9%

Other

Intergovernmental

Revenue

\$193.8M

3.1%

 Adopted Budget for the General Fund of \$6.21 billion; increase of \$557.5 million from Fiscal Year 2022-23 Adopted Budget

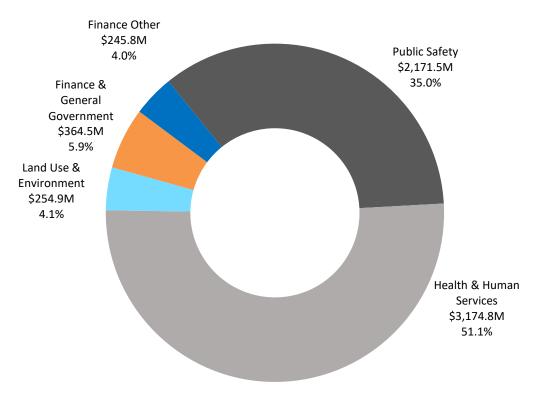
#### **General Fund Financing Sources**

State Revenue

\$1,928.3M

31.0%

#### General Fund Appropriations by Group/Agency



**Fund Balance** 

Component

Dec./Use of Fund

Balance

\$51.4M

0.8%

Property & Other Taxes

\$1.562.7M

25.2%

Operating Transfers and Other Financing Sources, Use of Money & Property & Misc. Revenues \$675.3M

10.9%

## **General Fund Balance Components**

| Fund Balance | FY 2018-<br>\$ million / 9 |       | FY 2019-<br>\$ million / 9 |       | FY 2020<br>\$ million / 9 |       | FY 2021-<br>\$ million / % |       |
|--------------|----------------------------|-------|----------------------------|-------|---------------------------|-------|----------------------------|-------|
| Nonspendable | \$47.0                     | 1.9%  | \$23.2                     | 0.9%  | \$22.9                    | 1.0%  | \$48.4                     | 2.1%  |
| Restricted   | 608.7                      | 25.1% | 696.3                      | 28.2% | 692.3                     | 30.3% | 674.5                      | 28.7% |
| Committed    | 637.5                      | 26.3% | 626.5                      | 25.4% | 500.2                     | 21.9% | 617.2                      | 26.3% |
| Assigned     | 418.7                      | 17.3% | 414.6                      | 16.8% | 405.7                     | 17.8% | 393.5                      | 16.7% |
| Unassigned   | 712.1                      | 29.4% | 707.9                      | 28.7% | 661.3                     | 29.0% | 616.5                      | 26.2% |
| TOTAL        | \$2,424.0                  | 100%  | \$2,468.5                  | 100%  | \$2,282.4                 | 100%  | \$2,350.1                  | 100%  |

Source: Annual Comprehensive Financial Report for the identified years



### General Fund FY 2022-23 Status Update

|   | (in millions) |
|---|---------------|
| Unassigned Fund Balance as of June 30, 2022   | \$ 616.5      |
| Less: FY 2022-23 Uses Approved by the Board of Supervisors                          | (4.6)         |
| Plus: Reversal of FY 2021-22 Unanticipated FEMA Deferral                            | 117.0         |
| Plus: FY 2022-23 Year End Projected Operating Results as of 3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter | 17.8          |
| (A) Projected Unassigned Fund Balance for June 30, 2023 (unaudited)                 | 746.7         |
| (B) Projected General Fund Minimum Reserve as of June 30, 2023                      | 885.7         |
| Y 2022-23 Estimated Amount Above (Below) Minimum (A-B)                              | \$ (139.0)    |
| Replenishment Strategy Based on Anticipated FEMA Reimbursement in FY 23-24          | \$ 139.0      |

### **FEMA Reimbursement Progress**

| Total Estimated Costs     | \$423 million   |
|---------------------------|-----------------|
| Less Cash Received Amount | (\$187 million) |
| Balance Remaining         | \$236 million   |

- For the \$236 million remaining, the following assumptions are made:
  - \$46 million accrued for FY 2022-2023
  - \$190 million deferred to future years



American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 Framework (in millions)

|  | Approved | Amounts<br>Reported |
|--|----------|---------------------|
| Framework Components (in millions)   |          | through 6/30/23     |
| Prior and On-Going COVID-19 Response   | \$241.80 | \$141.81            |
| Premium Pay for Government Essential Workers   | \$27.60  | \$26.85             |
| Mental Health Services   | \$32.00  | \$0.61              |
| Homeless Services  | \$85.00  | \$8.09              |
| Food Assistance  | \$20.00  | \$12.52             |
| Senior & Youth Services  | \$10.00  | \$3.38              |
| Child Care Subsidies   | \$15.50  | \$0.04              |
| Direct Stimulus Payments   | \$17.50  | \$1.65              |
| Legal Services   | \$13.60  | \$3.67              |
| Small Business & Non-Profit Stimulus Payments  | \$55.50  | \$47.50             |
| Infrastructure   | \$30.00  | \$6.07              |
| Assistance for Homeworkers and Childcare Workers   | \$1.50   | \$0.00              |
| Evergreen Fund   | \$79.00  | \$0.00              |
| Project Homekey  | \$24.50  | \$0.00              |
| Revenue Loss (current approved amount is part of Response and Senior and Youth Services) | N/A      | \$44.19             |
| TOTAL  | \$653.50 | \$296.38            |

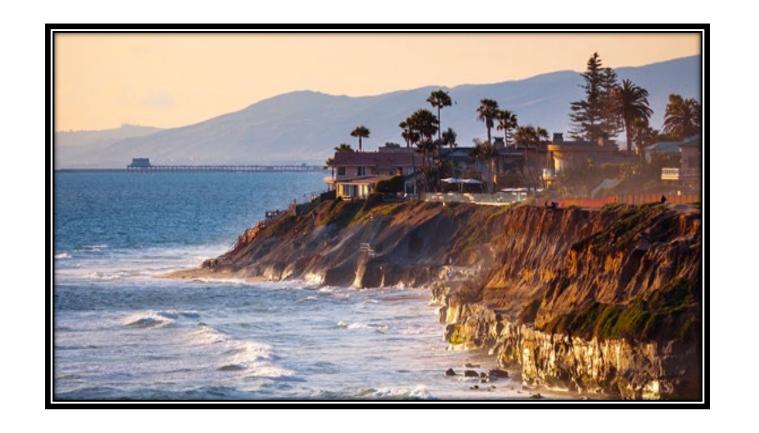


<sup>\*</sup>Amount of \$653.5M includes allocated amount plus projected interest earned.

### State Budget Impacts

- Potential Funding Source Highlights
  - Various infrastructure and climate action focused grant opportunities
  - Public Safety grant opportunities
  - Continuation of Workforce funding for recruitment, retention
  - Maintaining CalWORKs grant increases
  - COVID-19 Pandemic Response
  - Public Health State General Funds
  - Housing/Homelessness
  - Implementation of CalAIM and behavioral health payment reform
  - Significant Behavioral Health increases with a focus on youth, housing, and mobile crisis intervention
- **CARE Act** Impacts to Behavioral Health Services, the Public Authority, Public Guardian, Public Conservator's office, Public Defender, and County Counsel





Retirement Update



### SDCERA Update

- SDCERA Trust Fund assets totaled \$15.9 billion at June 30, 2023
  - County of San Diego made its annual required contribution of \$730.6 million in July 2023
  - SDCERA paid out \$963.3 million in benefits to over 22,000 retirees and beneficiaries during Fiscal Year 2023
- As of June 30, 2023, SDCERA's one-year investment return was 9.6%, while the three-year return was 7.5%
- The investment return assumption is 6.5%

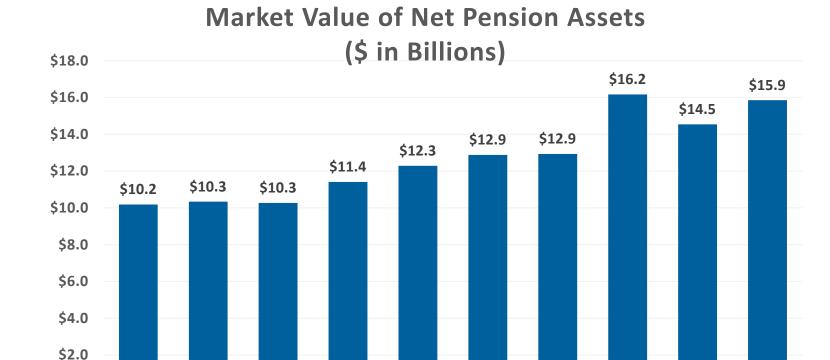
Note: All investment returns are net of fees. All investment returns over one year are annualized.

Source: SDCERA Actuarial Valuation and Review as of June 30, 2022; FY 2023 based on SDCERA Monthly Risk-Return Report as of June 30, 2023



#### **SDCERA Net Pension Assets**

Assets rebounded in 2023 to 2% below peak 2021 levels





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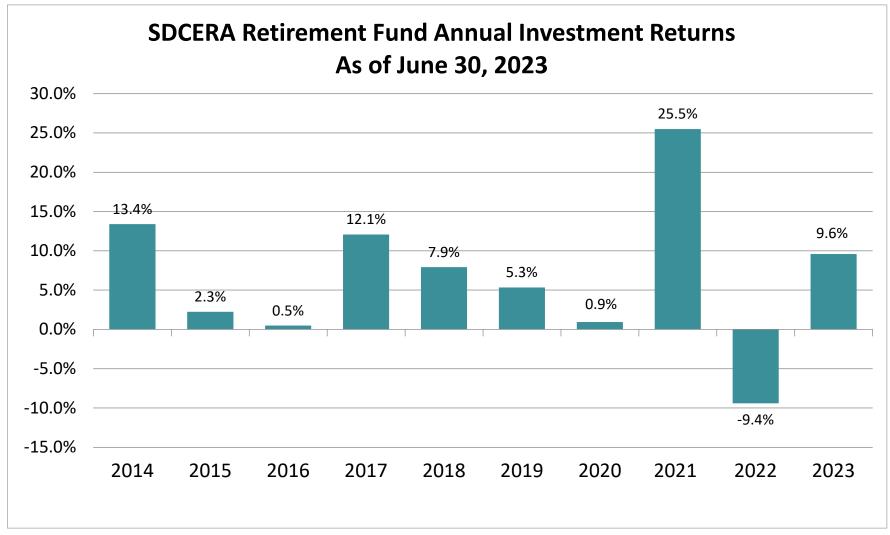
Source: Actuarial Valuation and Review by The Segal Group

### **Active Management of Pension Requirements**

- Ongoing monitoring of the impact of market rates and actuarial assumptions
  - Pension stabilization strategy
  - County financial planning incorporates projections based on fund performance and actuarial assumptions
- Additional contributions to SDCERA
  - \$221.8 million of additional voluntary contributions over the past 20 years
  - Ordinance requires investment of over-realized GPR from greater-than-anticipated AV growth for accelerated payment of pension UAAL
- Active management of costs with new retirement tiers established, most recently Tier D
  - General Members (1.62% at 65), established in 2018
  - Safety Members (2.50% at 57), established in 2020
- Active management of pension obligation bonds
  - Prepayment of \$264 million of POBs, eliminating variable rate exposure
  - 2018 voter-approved measure to set aside \$383.0 million of fund balance for POBs



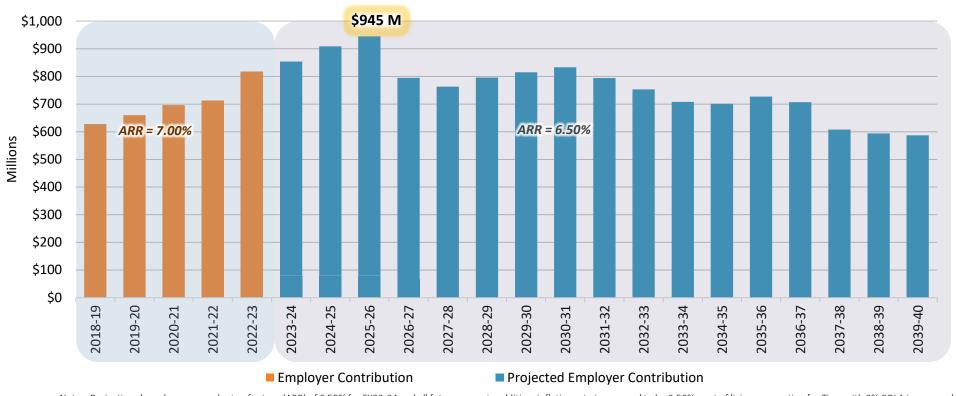
#### Retirement Historical Returns





#### **Retirement Costs**

#### **Total Historical and Projected Employer Contribution**



Notes: Projections based on assumed rate of return (ARR) of 6.50% for FY23-24 and all future years; in addition, inflation rate is assumed to be 2.50%, cost of living assumption for Tiers with 3% COLA is assumed to be 2.75%, and cost of living assumption for Tiers with 2% COLA is assumed to be 2.00% for FYs 23-24 and all future years. Employer Contribution includes Pension Obligation Bonds.

| Valuation Date | Unfunded Actuarial<br>Accrued Liability (UAAL) | Funded Ratio |
|----------------|--|--------------|
| June 30, 2022  | \$4.78 billion                                 | 76.7%        |
| June 30, 2023  | \$4.82 billion                                 | 77.4%        |
| June 30, 2028  | \$4.37 billion                                 | 82.5%        |



# Limited Other Post-Employment Benefits (OPEB) Obligations

- Effective July 1, 2007 health insurance allowance limited by SDCERA to Tier I and Tier II retirees
- Post-employment healthcare benefits are not a vested benefit
- June 30, 2022 OPEB UAAL is \$74.7 million, a decrease of \$1.58 million from the previous valuation
  - Closed group of 3,656 participants
  - OPEB UAAL equals 1.6% of the \$4.8 billion pension UAAL
- OPEB contributions funded at the full actuarial determined contribution, \$18.7 million as of the 2022 valuation<sup>(1)</sup>





## **Debt and Capital Overview**



# Conservative Management of Capital Program and Long-Term Obligations

#### **Capital Program**

- Capital Improvement Needs Assessment (CINA)
   planning process was revised in FY 2019-20 to
   improve the estimation process and ensure that
   only projects ready to advance are funded
- 2023-28 CINA includes \$1.3 billion of active and priority projects
- Capital projects are funded through a prudent combination of pay-go funding and lease obligations
- Over the last five years, the County has included \$920.6 million in its Operational Plan for over 130 capital projects
- Most capital projects funded with lease obligations are also partially funded with County contributions

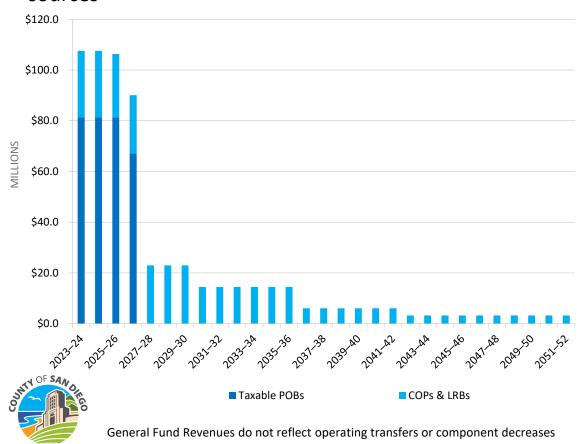
#### **Long-Term Obligations**

- \$228.9 million of lease obligations outstanding
- \$278.0 million of pension obligation bonds outstanding
- No variable rate or derivatives
- 100% of annual lease payments and debt service deposited with the trustee in July
- Oversight of obligations by the County Debt Advisory Committee
- Policies regarding continuing disclosure, postissuance tax compliance, refundings, swaps
- Rapid retirement of debt, when feasible

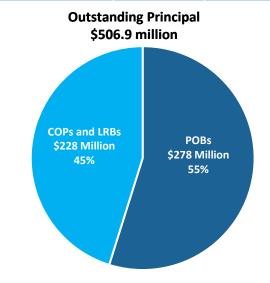


## Fiscal Year 2023-24 Debt Service is 1.7% of General Fund Revenues

- County Code of Administrative Ordinances mandates that debt service requirements cannot exceed 5% of General Fund Revenue
- Principal and interest payments on General Fund-secured obligations are offset by various revenue sources

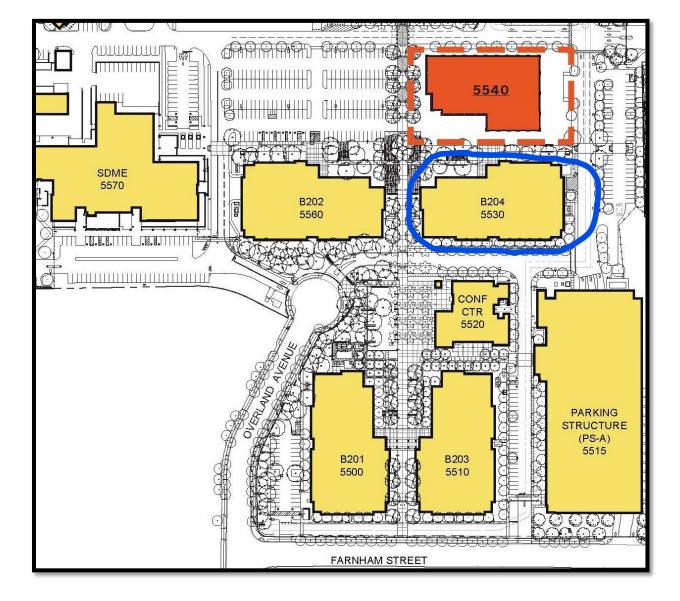


| FY2023-24 Debt Service   | % of GF<br>Revenue | % of GF Revenue net of Offsets |  |
|--------------------------|--------------------|--------------------------------|--|
| Lease Obligations        | 0.4%               | 0.2%                           |  |
| Pension Obligation Bonds | 1.3%               | 1.2%                           |  |
| Total:                   | 1.7%               | 1.4%                           |  |



### County Operations Center – Consolidation

- Restack of four, 4-story office buildings (total ~ 600k sq ft)
- Utilize desksharing; teleworking
- Empty one building for Public Health
- Allows for future growth
- Avoids approx. \$150M





### County Operations Center – Public Health Lab

- 2 Stories
- 52,000 sq ft
- House up to 100 lab & admin staff
- New Capabilities
- LEED Gold
- Embodied Carbon Reduction
- Roof top Solar Panels





### County Operations Center – Parking Structure

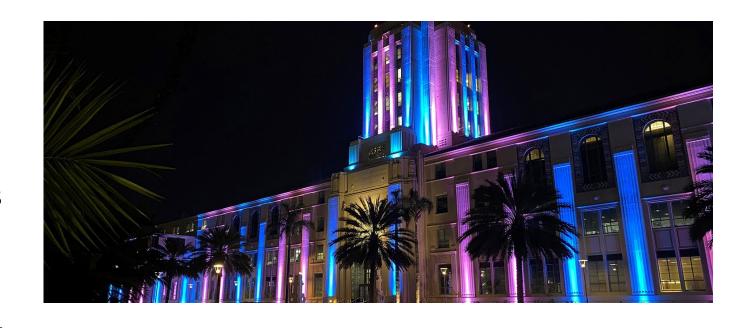
- 6 Stories
- 725 Parking Stalls
- Connects to Existing Parking Structure
- Roof top Solar Panels
- 100+ Electric
   Vehicle Chargers
- Embodied Carbon Reduction





# County Administration Center – Major Systems Replacement Project

- Historic Building
- Replace Major Building Systems
- Refurbish Historic
   Windows
- Add Fire Sprinklers
- Seismic Retrofit
- New Generator
- All While Occupied





## COPs, Series 2023 – Public Health Lab and Capital Improvements

| Overview:             | Tax-exempt COPs proceeds will finance: i) portions of: the Public Health Lab, County Operations Center relocation, and major renovations to the County Administration Center; ii) capitalized interest from closing until October 1, 2026; and iii) costs of issuance |  |  |
|-----------------------|---|--|--|
| Par Amount:           | Approximately \$172.7 million (subject to change)   |  |  |
| Structure:            | 100% fixed rate bonds; ESG bonds  |  |  |
| Final Maturity:       | 10/1/2053 (30 years)  |  |  |
| Annual Lease Payment: | Pre-funded annual lease payments: Made by July 5 <sup>th</sup> of each fiscal year for October and April 1 <sup>st</sup> COPs debt service payments   |  |  |
| Reserve Fund:         | No Debt Service Reserve Fund  |  |  |
| Leased Assets:        | Youth Transition Campus, Rancho San Diego Library, Alpine Sheriff Station, and Crime Lab  |  |  |



#### Sources and Uses

| Sources:               | CAC<br>MSRP      | Public<br>Health Lab | COC<br>Projects | <u>Total</u> |
|------------------------|------------------|----------------------|-----------------|--------------|
| Bond Proceeds:         |                  |                      |                 |              |
| Par Amount             | \$<br>32,620,000 | 78,085,000           | 62,020,000      | 172,725,000  |
| Premium                | 2,583,187        | 6,184,548            | 4,912,418       | 13,680,153   |
| Total:                 | 35,203,187       | 84,269,548           | 66,932,418      | 186,405,153  |
| <u>Uses:</u>           |                  |                      |                 |              |
| Project Fund           | \$<br>30,403,147 | 72,788,358           | 57,811,177      | 161,002,682  |
| Capitalized Interest   | 4,539,617        | 10,866,829           | 8,631,117       | 24,037,563   |
| Delivery Date Expenses | 260,423          | 616,463              | 490,124         | 1,364,908    |
| Total:                 | 35,203,187       | 84,269,548           | 66,932,418      | 186,405,153  |

**Funding Sources**: \$112.3m (County equity)

\$ 18.8m (Grant funding) \$161.0m (COPs proceeds)

**Total Project Costs**: \$292.1m



#### **Leased Assets**



#### **Youth Transition Campus**

- ➤ Built in 2022 Insured Value \$100.9M
- Consists of Support Building; Education Classrooms, Career and Technical Education building; Gymnasium; Housing units
- > Approximately 132,574 square feet
- > LEED Gold



#### **Rancho San Diego Library**

- ➤ Built in 2002 Insured Value \$7.8M
- Consists of Community Center, Administrative Office Space
- > Approximately 19,105 square feet



#### Leased Assets



#### **Sheriff's Alpine Station**

- ➤ Purchased in 2001 Insured Value \$8.3M
- Consists of Administrative Office Space
- > Approximately 14,188 square feet



#### **Crime Lab**

- ➤ Built in 2018 Insured Value \$79.9M
- Consists of Administrative Office Space, Research Lab, Long Term Evidence Storage
- > Approximately 149,660 square feet
- > LEED Gold



## Financing Schedule

| Friday, September 15 <sup>th</sup> | Rating Presentations                |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Thursday, October 5 <sup>th</sup>  | Receive Ratings                     |
| Monday, November 20 <sup>th</sup>  | Post Preliminary Official Statement |
| Tuesday, December 5 <sup>th</sup>  | Price COPs                          |
| Tuesday, December 19 <sup>th</sup> | Close                               |



# County Continues its Commitment to Fiscal and Operational Stability

- Strong fiscal management which considers economic, environmental and social sustainability as a fundamental credit strength of San Diego County
- Demonstrated commitment to fiscal discipline while maintaining operational excellence
- Active and conservative planning produces consistently high reserves and cash balances throughout economic cycles
- Careful use of ARPA and CARES Act funding used on a one-time basis to aid in response to the pandemic
- Careful evaluation of the capital program
- Early retirement of debt whenever possible
- Collaborative /sustainable approach to labor negotiations
- Active approach to addressing unfunded pension liabilities and limited OPEB liability
- Fifth most populous county in the nation, characterized by a large and diverse tax base and economy



Strong institutionalized financial management practices ensure a commitment to fiscal stability and efficient delivery of government services

## CONCLUSION



