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President Pro Tempore

Councilmember Parks submits the following as her priorities for the Fiscal Year 2024 Recommended General Fund Budget:

- 1. The budget must be balanced.
  - While a structurally balanced budget using recurring sources would be ideal and is the goal, the use of one time or temporary funding to balance the budget is permitted.
- 2. The budget must include funding for key neighborhood and service organizations
- 3. The budget must prioritize filling vacancies in core services such as Public Services, Police, and Fire
- 4. The budget must fund city departments to deliver essential services
- 5. The budget must use the funds from the revised property tax to boost housing and neighborhood development programs, enhance code enforcement, and support low-income homeowners.
- 6. The budget must continue to invest in affordable housing across the entire city
- 7. The budget must support economic development to bring jobs to the city
- 8. The budget must include support for recreation centers to conduct inspections for ADA compliance and to support programs for people with disabilities and special needs

Councilmember Victoria Parks