# Financial Update for the Six Months ended December 31, 2024

October 14, 2025



## Agenda

- Overview of audit for the six-months ended December 31, 2024
- Summary of audit
- Financial highlights
- Budget to actual 2024 Six-months ended for General Fund



## Six-month Audit Overview

- Audit of the financial statements for the 6-Month July 1, 2024 to December 31, 2024
- Unmodified (clean) opinion from external auditors
- No material weaknesses
- No instances of noncompliance
- Completed and filed timely
- Available on the City's website



## Why We Completed a Six-Month Audit

#### 1. Required by Georgia Law

- State of Georgia mandates an annual independent audit for all Georgia cities and counties.
- The 6-month "transition audit" kept us compliant as we changed our fiscal year end from June 30 to December 31.

#### 2. Required by Local Ordinance / City Charter

- City Code requires annual audited financial statements to be included in an Annual Comprehensive Financial Report ("ACFR")
- The 6-month audit maintained accountability during the fiscal year transition.

#### 3. Required for Federal Grant Compliance (Single Audit)

- Federal law requires a "Single Audit" when total federal expenditures exceed \$750,000.
- Completing the audit ensures continued eligibility for federal funding.

## Why We Completed a Six-Month Audit

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#### 4. Required by Bond Covenants and Disclosure Rules

- Our bond agreements require audited financials each fiscal year.
- This audit fulfills obligations to bondholders and ensures compliance with SEC rules.

#### 5. Reinforces Transparency and Accountability

- Demonstrates good governance and financial stewardship.
- Protects our AAA bond rating and supports a smooth transition to the new calendar-year fiscal cycle (2025).



## Process Finding from Six-Month Audit

#### **Finding**

 Change in the fiscal year required significant year-end adjustments for accruals, classifications, and balances.

#### **Actions Taken**

- All required adjustments were recorded in the audited financial statements.
- Financial statements fully comply with GAAP (Accounting Standards).
- The City received an unmodified (clean) audit opinion.

#### **Going Forward**

 All required cash-to-accrual year-end adjustments are part of our revised processes going forward.

## Balance Sheet Highlights

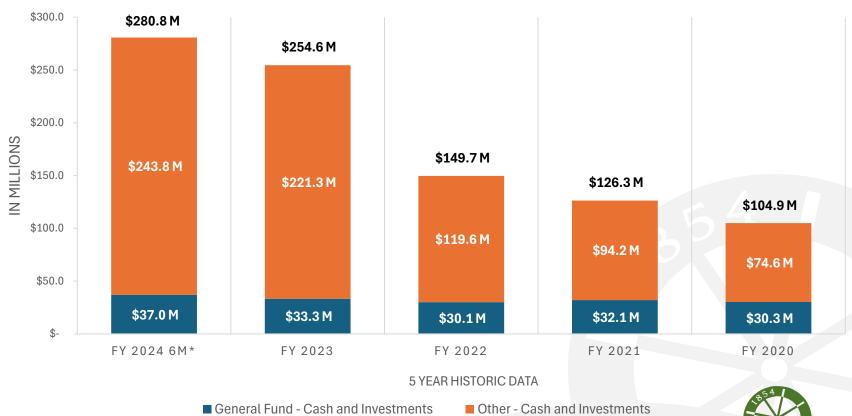
Dec 31, 2024

	Dec 31, 2024	June 30, 2024	June 30, 2023
Cash and investments	\$295 M	\$270 M	\$266 M
Total assets	\$630 M	\$594 M	\$563 M
Current liabilities	\$46 M	\$37 M	\$37 M
Bonds and other debt	\$113 M	\$115 M	\$118 M
Net position (net assets)	\$442 M	\$415 M	\$387 M



## Financial Highlight

#### **CASH AND INVESTMENTS**



\*Six-months ended Dec 31,2024.

Amounts in millions of dollars (M)



## Financial Highlight

#### **CITY GOVERNMENTAL NET POSITION (5 YEAR)**

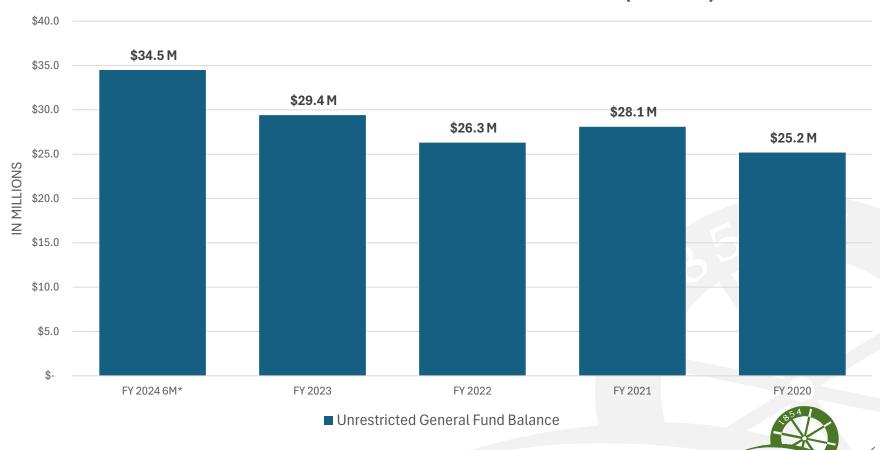


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## Financial Highlight

#### **UNRESTRICTED GENERAL FUND BALANCE (5 YEAR)**



\*Six-months ended Dec 31,2024.

Amounts in millions of dollars (M)

## Activity Highlights – General Fund

6 Month ended Dec 31, 2024

	6-Month 2024	FY 2024	FY 2023
Tax revenues	\$55.1 M	\$87.0 M	\$86.1 M
Other revenue	6.9 M	\$14.5 M	\$12.6 M
Total revenues	\$62.0 M	\$101.5 M	\$98.7 M
Expenditures, net of debt service	\$60.9 M	\$100.3 M	\$93.0 M
Debt service	\$0.7 M	\$1.4 M	\$2.2 M
Total expenditures	\$61.6 M	\$101.7 M	\$95.2 M
Impact to Fund Balance	\$0.4 M	(\$0.2 M)	\$3.5 M



## Budget to Actual Highlights – General Fund 6 Month ended Dec 31, 2024

	Final Budget	Actual	Variance
Tax revenues	\$55.9 M	\$55.1 M	\$(0.8 M)
Other revenue	\$6.5 M	\$6.9 M	\$0.4 M
Total revenues	\$62.4 M	\$62.0 M	\$(0.4 M)
Expenditures, net of debt service	\$66.2 M	\$60.9 M	\$(5.3 M)
Debt service	\$1.0 M	\$0.7 M	\$(0.3 M)
Total expenditures	\$67.2 M	\$61.6 M	\$(5.6 M)
Net impact	\$(4.8 M)*	\$0.4 M	\$5.2 M
Fund Balance (unassigned)	\$29.4 M	\$34.6 M	\$5.2 M

<sup>\*</sup>Does not include budget appropriations from prior year of \$4.8 M



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