

# Austin Public Library Fiscal Year 2021-22 Proposed Budget

The Proposed Operating Budget of the Austin Public Library (APL) includes an increase of \$1,321,890 or 2.25%. The Materials budget, including books and subscriptions, requested increase is \$206,368, or 3.5% for inflation.

|                               | FY 2020 Budget | FY 2021 Budget | FY 2022 Proposed |
|-------------------------------|----------------|----------------|------------------|
| Requirements:                 | \$54,685,661   | \$58,868,376   | \$60,190,266     |
| Revenues                      | \$577,258      | \$239,815      | \$525,806        |
| Full-Time Equivalents (FTEs): | 443.55         | 445.55         | 450.55           |
| Materials Budget:             | \$5,232,169    | \$5,896,218    | \$6,102,586      |

### **Proposed Operating Budget Highlights**

| <u>CITY-WIDE</u>                                                                                                                                                       |        | <u>Requirements</u>       |      |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------|---------------------------|------|
| <ul> <li>Personnel<br/>Wage increase of 2% for eligible employees,<br/>and adjustments for accrued payroll</li> </ul>                                                  | \$ 54  | 43,556                    | .00  |
| Insurance – health/life/dental, reduction of 15%                                                                                                                       | (\$1,0 | 11,798)                   |      |
| Pension, increase of 1% in COAERS City contribution                                                                                                                    | \$ 22  | 28,339                    |      |
| <ul> <li>Internal Support Services allocation changes<br/>Administrative Support<br/>Communications &amp; Technology Management (CTM)<br/>Fleet Maintenance</li> </ul> |        | 32,770<br>17,484<br>3,365 |      |
| DEPARTMENT-WIDE                                                                                                                                                        |        |                           |      |
| Security Guards 26 pay periods including fringe                                                                                                                        | \$2    | 86,911                    | 5.00 |
| <ul> <li>Materials Budget (Books and Subscriptions)</li> <li>3.5% increase for materials, due to inflation &amp; population growth</li> </ul>                          | \$2    | 06,368                    |      |
| IT software – increase for hardware & software licenses and contracts                                                                                                  | \$3    | 01,100                    |      |

#### Library Facilities Maintenance and Improvements Fund

The Operating Budget in the Library Facilities Maintenance and Improvements Fund (7LIB) is \$505,559 in expenditures and \$1,251,147 in revenues. This includes the Central Library gift shop, facility rentals, parking garage fees, café rental, and a contingency for facilities maintenance.

## **Capital Improvement Program Funds**

APL continues work on renovations and repairs at various branches and locations across the city with planned spending of 2018 Bonds, 2012 Bonds, Historic Preservation Funds, and Deferred Maintenance Funds.

#### **Historic Preservation Fund**

The Operating Budget in the Historic Preservation Fund (1160) for Austin Public Library is \$33,000. This annual funding began in FY 2020 to provide Digital Services for Austin History Center (AHC) Historic Collections. It is anticipated to continue through FY 2023.