June 3, 2019 Meeting

ROOM TAX COMMISSION

AGENDA

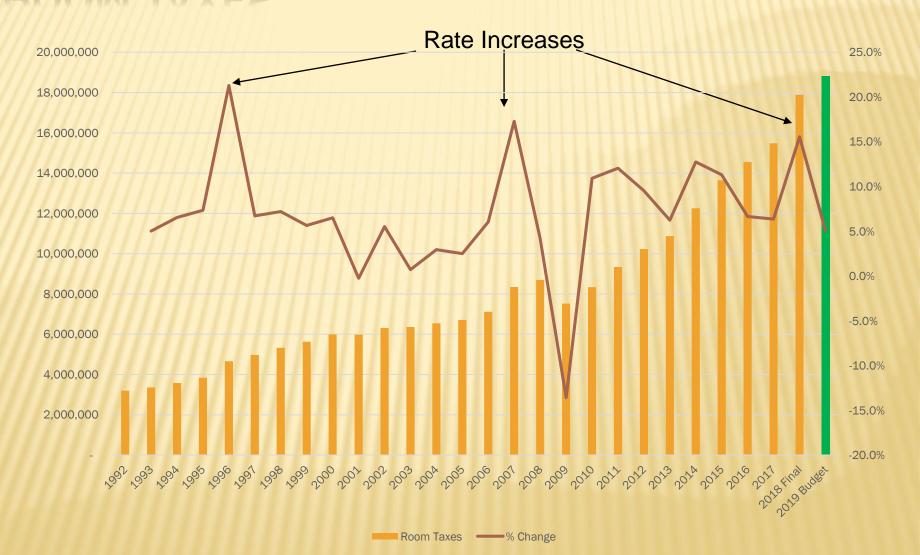
- 2019 First Quarter Room Tax Collections
- Room Tax Fund Condition
- **×** Arts Commission Update
- × 2020 Budget Preview and Schedule



ROOM TAX COLLECTIONS - Q1 2019

- × 2019 Budget \$18,800,133
 - + 5% over 2018 Final Collections of \$17,891,045
 - + 2018 invoices paid in 2019 \$167,457
- 1st qtr = \$3,248,533 (up 2.7% over 2018 Q1)
 - + 1st quarter projection \$18.4m to \$18.8m
 - + Adjusting for 2018 invoices -- \$17.4m to \$18.0m
- × 2nd quarter collections available in early August.

ROOM TAXES



ROOM TAX FUND CONDITION

2018 ROOM TAX FUND CONDITION

2018

- * \$583,188 closing balance.
- Destination Madison payment below budget due to lower 2017 actual room taxes than estimated.
- Better 2017 ending balance than forecast.

2019

- Projected closing balance of \$340,000 vs. \$118,536 in budget
- * Actual revenue collections will affect the balance.

ARTS COMMISSION UPDATE

2020 BUDGET PREVIEW AND SCHEDULE

2020 ROOM TAX BUDGET

- Slowing revenue growth
 - + 4.5% in 2018 adjusting for the rate increase.
 - + 2019 Q1 up 2.7%; 1.1% decline when adjusted.

City General Fund facing large deficit.

2020 ROOM TAX BUDGET

Destination Madison share of room taxes increases from 26% to 28%.

Carryforward balance from 2018 to 2019 could be depleted if 2019 revenues fall short.

2020 ROOM TAX BUDGET

- × Key future issues:
 - + Subsidies and city tourism marketing

+ Building reserves for economic downturn

+ Planning for major Monona Terrace remodel in 2023-24.

2019 MEETING CALENDAR

- × February 25, 2019 Quarterly update
- June 3, 2019 Quarterly update; preliminary 2020 budget outlook.
- August 2019 Quarterly update; Initial 2020 Budget Meeting and Presentations
- Early September 2019 2020 Budget Decisions

ADJOURNMENT