ORDINANCE NO. 397

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING THE ANNUAL OPERATING BUDGET FOR FISCAL YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 2025

The Town of Ocean View hereby ordains:

Section 1: The statement of anticipated revenues and other funding sources for the fiscal year ending April 30, 2025 is established as follows:

General Fund		Amount ear Ending ril 30, 2025	
	Ap	orii 30, 2023	
Revenues:			
Taxes:			
Real Estate Tax and Penalties	\$	3,350,940	
Discount on Real Estate Tax		(33,290)	
Real Estate Transfer Tax		1,000,000	
Rental Gross Receipts Tax		650,000	
Intergovernmental Revenues:			
State Grant - Municipal Street Aid		130,000	
Public Safety Grant - Sussex County		35,000	
Public Safety Grant - Police Pensions		110,000	
Public Safety Grant - Community Orienting Policing Services		-	
Grant Proceeds		=	
Charges for Services:			
Building Permits		175,000	
Impact Fees - \$1,936		137,120	
Business and Rental Licenses		212,500	
Cable TV Franchise Fee		80,000	
Zoning and Other Fees		22,000	
Millville Ambulance Fee (pass-through)		155,000	
Expense Reimbursements		105,000	
Miscellaneous		188,600	
Other Revenue Sources:			
Public Safety Fines & Fees		30,500	
Interest		182,350	
Donations - Public Safety		3,500	
Total Budgeted Revenues		6,534,220	
Tranfers of Revenues To/From Trust Funds:			
Transfer in from ERTF (amount above requirement)		68,140	
Transfer in from SRRTF for ADA sidewalk work		75,000	
Transfer in ESEF committed funds being granted		130,000	
Transfer in from SRRTF for Street Paving		190,000	
Transfer in from Emerging Projects (to balance budget)		25,385	
Public Safety Grants to Capital Budget		(35,000)	
ESEF Committed Funds (\$500/impact fee + fee on Bldg Permit)		(72,500)	
Transfer Tax to SRRTF (@ 25%)		(250,000)	
Transfer Tax to CRTF (@ 12.5%)		(125,000)	
Transfer to ERTF (balance to 20% of budgeted expenses)		-	
Additional allocation to SRRTF		(625,000)	
Budgeted Revenues Available for Operations	\$	5,915,245	

The Town Council of Ocean View has determined and fixed a rate of taxation for real estate at \$.2378 per \$100 of assessed value and has granted an one percent (1%) discount on real estate property taxes paid on or before July 31, 2024.

General Fund			ear Ending
Budgeted Revenues Available for Operations (Section 1)		\$	5,915,245
The statement of anticipated expenditures for the fiscal year ending April 30, 2025 is established as follows:			
Budgeted Operating Expenditures: Administration Planning & Zoning Public Safety Public Works	\$ 1,449,665 802,450 2,550,230 1,067,900		5,870,245
Excess of Operating Revenue Over Operating Expenditures			45,000
Budgeted Capital Expenditures: Administration Planning & Zoning Public Safety Public Works	\$ 1,657,095 167,500		
Capital Repairs funded from CRTF	 171,000		1,995,595
Excess of Expenditures over Operating Revenue			(1,950,595)
Transfers from CRTF for Capital Expenditures			218,500
Transfers from SRRTF for Capital Expenditures			1,483,945
Transfers from Grants for Capital Expenditures			198,150
Transfers from ESEF for Capital Expenditures		_	50,000
Excess/(Deficit) to/(from) Town Reserves		\$	-
Proprietary Fund			
Water System Revenues		\$	624,500
Water System Operating Costs			388,540
Excess Revenues over Operating Costs			235,960
Debt Service - GO Bonds			235,960
Net - Anticipated Budget Surplus (Deficit)		\$	-
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No appropriation for a capital project in the Budgeted Capital Expenditures shall lapse until the purpose for which the appropriation was made shall have been accomplished or abandoned; provided, however, that any capital project shall stand abandoned if three (3) fiscal years elapse without any expenditure from or encumbrance of the appropriation made therefor.

Section 3: This Ordinance shall become effective on May 1, 2024 and the affirmative vote of a majority of all members elected to the Town Council.

TOWN OF OCEAN VIEW

Amount

Mayor

Town Cl

Introduction: March 12, 2024 Adopted: 4/9/2024

Section 2:

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Supporting Schedule for FY25

	G&A		P&Z		OVPD	DPW	Amount ear Ending oril 30, 2022
Salary, including OT & Bonus	\$ 472,495	\$	379,120	\$	1,493,300	\$ 228,880	\$ 2,573,795
Insurances: Dental, Health, Vision, Life	85,110		87,795		286,770	84,320	543,995
Payroll Taxes	37,715		30,890		119,910	18,950	207,465
Pension	25,425		20,395		192,750	13,500	252,070
Worker's Compensation	500	134	1,000	1	33,950	9,500	44,950
TOTAL SALARY & RELATED EMPLOYEE EXPENSES	\$ 621,245	\$	519,200	\$	2,126,680	\$ 355,150	\$ 3,622,275
Committee Stipends	1,500		5,000			_	6,500
Computer/Copier Maintenance & related expenses	49,150		11,300		45,500	300	106,250
Other	55,800				8,150	2,450	66,400
Employee related expenses, other	26,000		13,250		41,700	800	81,750
Grant awards: ESEF Funds	135,000		_		_	_	135,000
Insurance: Business and Bonds	27,300		11,500		70,000	29,400	138,200
Professional Services	27,500		11,500		70,000	23,100	150,200
Audit	25,000		-		-	<u>.</u>	25,000
Engineering	<u> </u>		35,000		-	_	35,000
Legal	25,000		25,000		1,000	-	51,000
Property Assessments	75,000		-		-	-	75,000
Other	28,500		40,500		20,500	25,500	115,000
Pass thru MVFC Ambulance Service	155,000		-		-	-	155,000
Reimburseable - Engineering	-		100,000			-	100,000
Reimburseable - Other	-		5,000		-		5,000
Public Relations	69,500		1,000		9,500	100	80,100
Repairs and Maintenance							
Buildings	5,000		-		3,500	500	9,000
Drainage	-		-			75,000	75,000
Machinery & Equipment	1,000		-		2,000	2,500	5,500
Park	-		-		-	25,000	25,000
Street & Sidewalk Maintenance & Repair			-		-	400,000	400,000
Vehicles			1,500		20,000	3,000	24,500
Other(Cleaning, Inspections, etc.)	23,400				17,400	1,300	42,100
Supplies and Miscellaneous							-
Advertising	18,000		7,500		1,000	500	27,000
Departement Specific Supplies	30,620		500		41,000	20,500	92,620
Gas & Diesel	-		15,000		55,000	10,000	80,000
NonCapital Equipment/Grant Equipment	5,000		2,500		30,000	3,600	41,100
Office Supplies/Postage	25,000		7,000		3,300	300	35,600
Uniforms	500		500		15,000	1,200	17,200
Telephone and Communications	21,800		1,200		22,000	5,800	50,800
Street Lights	-		-		-	90,000	90,000
Utilities	 25,350	17.	-		17,000	15,000	 57,350
TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES	\$ 1,449,665	\$	802,450	\$	2,550,230	\$ 1,067,900	\$ 5,870,245