Market Octavia – Initial Fee Projections FY25 – FY29 Revised with Fee Reduction and Fee Deferral Legislation

June Meeting

- Reported slowing revenue over the next two years with revenue catching up in years 3 and after
- Ramifications: funding was proposed to be pushed out for programmed projects; only one moderate size projects added for funding
- Provided heads-up to proposed fee reduction and deferral legislation

Development Impact Fee Deferral and Reduction Legislation

- Development projects not moving forward due to infeasibility
- For housing fees, Technical Working Group convened to discuss reduction of housing fees and other measures
- Mayor's Office and Board President Peskin proposed additional development fee reductions to encourage construction

Development Impact Fee Deferral and Reduction Legislation

- Ordinance approved by the Planning Commission on July 13, 2023
- Ordinance approved by Full Board on initial reading July 25, 2023

The Way It is Now

- 1. Impact fees are adjusted annually on January 1 by the Annual Infrastructure Construction Cost Increase Estimate (AICCIE), with the exception of the Inclusionary Housing Fee that is subject to a different adjustment methodology.
- 2. Once assessed for a given project, impact fees increase annually on January 1 until a first construction
- 3. Impact fees are due upon issuance of a first construction document.
- 4. All non-residential development projects are required to pay impact fees in all Zoning Districts.

Development Impact Fee Deferral and Reduction Legislation

The Way It Will Be

- Impact fees are adjusted annually on January 1 by the Annual Infrastructure Construction Cost Increase Estimate
 (AICCIE), with the exception of the Inclusionary Housing Fee that is subject to a different adjustment methodology.
- 2. Impact fees other than the Inclusionary Housing Fee would be "locked-in" at the amounts assessed upon project approval rather than continuing to increase every January 1 until the issuance of a first construction document. All non-residential development projects are required to pay impact fees in all Zoning Districts.
- 3. Payment of impact fees other than the Inclusionary Housing Fee could be deferred until first certificate of occupancy. This would reactivate and modify a program that sunset in 2013.
- 4. New retail and industrial projects in the City's PDR Zoning Districts, as well as projects with hotel, entertainment, bar, and open space uses in the City's C-2 Districts, would be exempt from paying impact fees for the next three years.
- 5. Fees would be reduced by 33% through FY29.

Ramifications

Revenue reduced

	FY24 and FY25		FY26 - FY29		Through FY29		Through FY34	
Previous Projections (July 2023)	\$	2,689,600	\$	58,705,200	\$	117,819,400	\$	117,860,400
Revised Projections	\$	356,690	\$	32,488,470	\$	89,241,760	\$	97,345,760
Difference	\$	(2,332,910)	\$	(26,216,730)	\$	(28,577,640)	\$	(20,514,640)

Ramifications

- Previous version of draft Expenditure Plan adjusted proposed expenditures to enable balanced budget at the end of five-year budget cycle to the extent possible
- All funding categories now show deficits at end of five-year funding cycle -> some projects unlikely to be funded
- IPIC did not want to adjust expenditures at this time in case funding picture improves in the next couple of years