

Recommended Budget Fiscal Year 2013-14

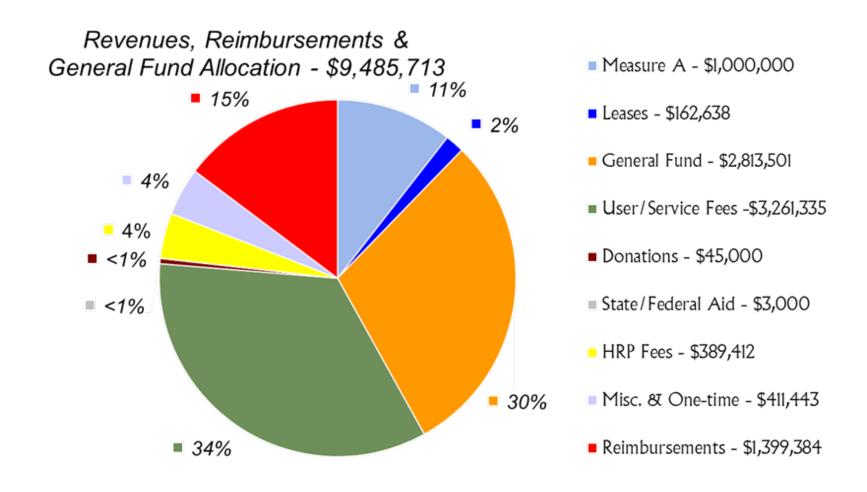
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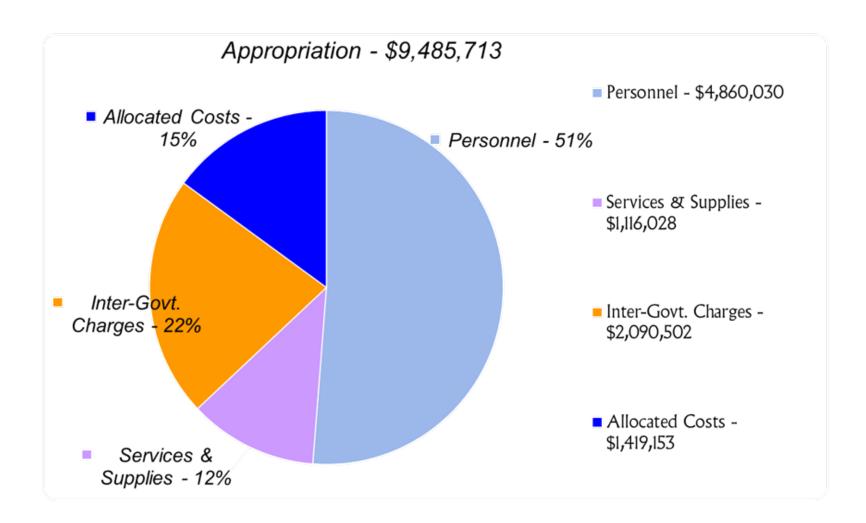
- Fiscal Year 2013-14 Recommended Budget is "status quo" from Fiscal Year 2012-13
- Recommended budget relies on continued use of Solid Waste Authority and Habitat Restoration Program Fees

Regional Parks FY 2013-14 Revenues



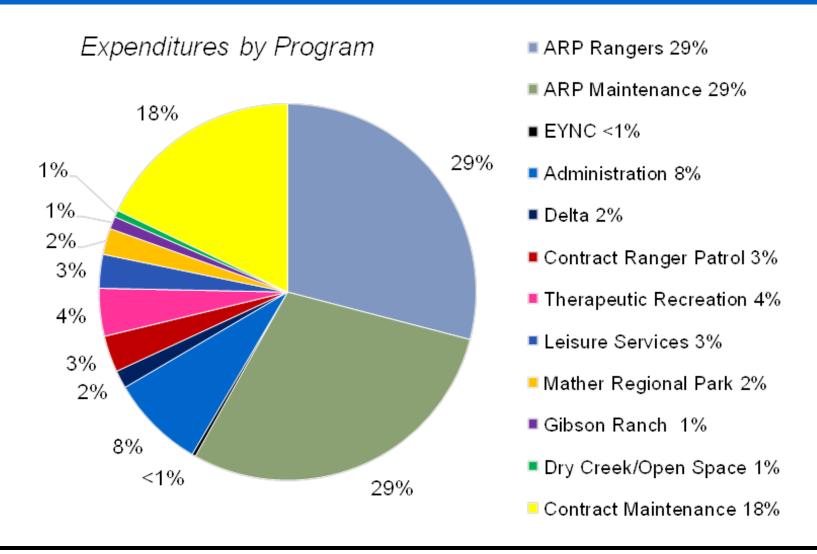


Regional Parks FY 2013-14 Expenditures





FY 2013-14 Expenditures by Program





Habitat Restoration Program Fees

- Habitat Restoration Program Fees are collected for mitigation projects which occur on County parklands.
- In 2009, the Board approved a change in the Department Fee Schedule which allowed HRP Fees to be used for natural resource protection or enhancement as well as for land acquisition.
- Current balance in HRP Fund:
 - Land Acquisition Only: \$1,008,415
 - Park Operations or Land Acquisition: \$1,714,892
- HRP Fees included in FY 2013-14 budget: \$389,412



Regional Parks Revenue Generation

- Annual parks passes continue to be a successful method for the community to support Regional Parks.
 There has been an increase to annual park pass sales as a result of the marketing efforts of the American River Parkway Foundation.
- Department Fee Schedule Staff is currently finalizing a revision to the Fee Schedule, which will be presented to the Board for approval.

Fiscal Year 2012-13 Accomplishments

- Significant improvements to the ARP Bike Trail using Measure A
- Implementation of an online reservation system
- Implementation of an online incident report system
- Implementation of the Reserve Ranger program
- Improved maintenance standards in our parks
- Increased visitation to the Cosumnes River Preserve
- Improvements to the golf courses including greens, tees, restaurant and maintenance standards
- Increased outreach and programs for the TRS division



Fiscal Year 2013-14 Goals

Staff are working towards the following goals for Fiscal Year 2013-14:

- Further expansion of the Reserve Ranger Program
- Additional marketing of our annual passes
- Greater use of technology for the department
- Finalization of revision to fee schedule
- Implementation of a trail use & special event policy
- Completion of the Cordova Creek Naturalization Project

