Budgeting Operating Budget Amendment Procedure



AUTHORITY

This Procedure is revoked pursuant to HB 1800 HDI SD1 CD1 2024

Procedure Purpose

The following procedure is intended to assist in applying the *400-50 Operating Budget Policy*. The procedure provides guidance on the process of amending the Operating Budget.

Procedure

Responsible Party	Tasks
	A. OVERVIEW
All Departments	 Circumstances may require reallocations from the original budget approved by the Board of Directors.
	 Budget Execution Document policies enable staff to carry out the budget and provide for the necessary flexibility in doing so.
	B. REALLOCATIONS
HTA Staff	 In the event that a budget reallocation becomes necessary, the staff member identifying the need to reallocate shall inform their immediate supervisor, in writing, via email or memo, of the budgetary reallocation need.
	 Review the request for reallocation with the supervised staff member making the recommendation. Discuss the need for the budget reallocation. Discuss
Immediate Supervisor	 recommendations on where the funds will be transferred from and which program number the funds will be transferred to. 4. If the immediate supervisor has budgetary control over the program, the immediate supervisor may determine if the process should move
Requesting Supervisor	forward to step 5. If the immediate supervisor does not have budgetary control over the program, she or he must meet with the program manager in charge of the budget and receive approval to reallocate the funds before proceeding to step 5. Initial approval may be oral but written approval must also be received as confirmation. 5. Present the recommended budget reallocation to the VP of Finance
Requesting Supervisor	for review and confirmation that funds are available for purposes of reallocation. 6. VP of Finance will confirm the availability of funds to support the

VP of Finance	request of funds are not available, alternative funding source(a) may
	request. If funds are not available, alternative funding source(s) may be identified and presented to the VP of Finance for consideration.
Requesting Supervisor	7. Once confirmation of the availability of funds is complete, present the
	request to reallocate funds to the CAO for approval. If the CAO does
	not approve the request, the requesting supervisor may revise the
	reallocation request or terminate the process.
Requesting Supervisor / CAO	8. If the CAO approves the request, the requesting supervisor will then
CEO / Requesting Supervisor	be required to seek approval from the CEO.
	9. If the CEO approves the reallocation the following shall apply:
	a. If the reallocation amount requires board approval due
	to funding amount or other restrictions:
	i. The requesting supervisor will work with the
	appropriate staff to ensure the item is scheduled
	for the next board meeting.
	ii. The requesting supervisor shall prepare a
	summary explanation of the request which will
	include, at a minimum the following:
	1. Dollar Amount
	2. Funding Source
Board of Directors (Budget	3. Funding Receiving Program
Committee)	4. Change in Total Budget Items
	5. Purpose of Reallocation (Why?)
	6. Expected Outcome
VP of Finance	iii. The requesting supervisor shall prepare the
	required board resolution document that shall be
	utilized by the board to approve or disapprove
	the request. The resolution shall be presented to
	the CAO, CEO and Board Chair for review and
	approval. Once approved, the resolution will be
	provided to the deputy attorney general for
	approval as to form and legality. Any changes to the resolution shall be approved by all parties
	involved above.
	iv. The requesting supervisor shall be present at
	the board meeting for which the item has been
	placed on the agenda unless she/he receives
	prior written approval to be excused.
	v. If the board approves, the changes shall be
Fiscal Officer	deemed approved and proper changes made to
	be reflected in the accounting system.
	b. If the reallocation amount does not require board
	approval:
	i. The Fiscal Officer shall modify the accounting
	system appropriately to reflect the approved
	budgetary change(s).
	10. Notify the Program Manager who manages the budget via email of
	the approval of the reallocation of funds.
	11. Distribute the revised budget to the appropriate staff.
	12. Amend the Fiscal Officer's budget records and Board of Directors' "Budget Statement" to reflect the reallocation.
	13. Update the Board of the changes

Attachments

- Budget Reallocations FYXX Schedule
- Budget Execution Document

Related Policies

400-50 Operating Budget Policy

Related Procedures

400-50.01 Development and Approval of Operating Budget Procedure