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Department Description

The Special Events and Filming Department provides a portfolio of services designed to support San Diego's neighborhoods, as well as the City's special event, filming, business, and tourism industries in order to generate hundreds of millions of dollars in economic impact and extensive worldwide media exposure for the San Diego region each year.

A primary function of the Department is to provide permitting, technical support, and promotional services for special events and filming in San Diego. The Department also partners with visitor industry organizations such as the San Diego Tourism Marketing District, San Diego Tourism Authority, and San Diego Convention Center to support events and filming productions of national and international stature. Once a major special event or film production is secured, the Department provides support services to key entities such as the event organizer, location scout, producer, or host committee, business, and residential community, as well as City departments to ensure the success of the activity.

By leveraging collaborative partnerships with community and neighborhood organizations, as well as with the economic development, tourism, special event, and film industries, the Special Events and Filming Department seeks to maximize civic and economic returns to the San Diego region.

The Department's mission is:

To enhance the vitality, quality, and economic prosperity of San Diego through the support of the special event and film industries

The Department's vision is:

To maintain and leverage collaborative partnerships within the economic development, visitor, event, and film industries to maximize civic and economic returns to the San Diego region

Goals and Objectives

Goal 1: Provide leadership and coordination for the management of multi-disciplinary programs and projects

 Manage the multi-disciplinary/agency process for special events and filming held on outdoor City public property

Goal 2: Establish and maintain partnerships to enhance programs, services, and economic strength

Provide leadership and coordination for the management of special events and filming in San Diego

Goal 3: Utilize technology solutions to support internal and external customers

- Promote technology that enables multi-disciplinary/agency online access for the review of permits
- Manage the online Special Events Calendar

Key Performance Indicators

	Performance Indicator	FY2017 Target	FY2017 Actual	FY2018 Target	FY2018 Projection	FY2019 Target
1.	Average number of visits to the Special Events Calendar website	80,000	107,500	90,000	90,000	100,000
2.	Number of special event and filming dates permitted ¹	2,000	1,985	2,000	2,200	2,000
3.	Number of special event and filming permit applications submitted and reviewed online ²	700	820	725	850	700

- 1. Fiscal Year 2018 projection increased as a result of marketing campaign targeting film industry.
- 2. Fiscal Year 2019 Target decrease due to anticipated budget reduction that will limit marketing campaign targeting film industry.

Department Summary

	FY2017	FY2018	FY2019	FY	2018–2019
	Actual	Budget	Proposed		Change
FTE Positions (Budgeted)	6.00	6.00	6.00		0.00
Personnel Expenditures	\$ 733,364	\$ 736,001	\$ 741,474	\$	5,473
Non-Personnel Expenditures	323,180	480,250	483,806		3,556
Total Department Expenditures	\$ 1,056,544	\$ 1,216,251	\$ 1,225,280	\$	9,029
Total Department Revenue	\$ 108,167	\$ 75,000	\$ 75,000	\$	-

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Department Expenditures

	FY2017	FY2018	FY2019	FY	2018–2019
	Actual	Budget	Proposed		Change
Special Events and Filming	\$ 1,056,544	\$ 1,216,251	\$ 1,225,280	\$	9,029
Total	\$ 1,056,544	\$ 1,216,251	\$ 1,225,280	\$	9,029

Department Personnel

	FY2017	FY2018	FY2019	FY2018-2019
	Budget	Budget	Proposed	Change
Special Events and Filming	6.00	6.00	6.00	0.00
Total	6.00	6.00	6.00	0.00

Significant Budget Adjustments

Significant Budget Adjustments	FTE	Expenditures	Revenue
Support for Information Technology Adjustment to expenditure allocations according to a zero-based annual review of information technology funding requirements.	0.00	\$ 56,087	\$ -
Salary and Benefit Adjustments Adjustments to reflect savings resulting from vacant positions for any period of the fiscal year, retirement contributions, retiree health contributions, and labor negotiations.	0.00	5,473	-
Rental Compensation Addition of non-personnel expenditures for rental compensation to the General Fund for Non-General Fund use of the Civic Center Plaza.	0.00	2,175	-
Reduction of Non-Personnel Expenditures Reduction of non-personnel expenditures for supplies.	0.00	(3,025)	-
Regional Film Marketing Reduction of non-personnel expenditures for regional film marketing.	0.00	(21,300)	-
Non-Discretionary Adjustment Adjustment to expenditure allocations that are determined outside of the department's direct control. These allocations are generally based on prior year expenditure trends and examples of these include utilities, insurance, and rent.	0.00	(30,381)	-
Total	0.00	\$ 9,029	\$ -

Expenditures by Category

	FY2017 Actual	FY2018 Budget	FY2019 Proposed	FY	2018–2019 Change
PERSONNEL					
Personnel Cost	\$ 467,586	\$ 468,568	\$ 503,773	\$	35,205
Fringe Benefits	265,778	267,433	237,701		(29,732)
PERSONNEL SUBTOTAL	733,364	736,001	741,474		5,473
NON-PERSONNEL					
Supplies	\$ 14,775	\$ 8,302	\$ 5,367	\$	(2,935)
Contracts	162,985	111,981	60,298		(51,683)
Information Technology	142,626	299,751	355,838		56,087
Energy and Utilities	2,094	2,088	2,000		(88)
Other	288	-	-		-
Transfers Out	-	58,128	60,303		2,175
Capital Expenditures	412	-	-		-
NON-PERSONNEL SUBTOTAL	323,180	480,250	483,806		3,556
Total	\$ 1,056,544	\$ 1,216,251	\$ 1,225,280	\$	9,029

Revenues by Category

	FY2017 Actual	FY2018 Budget	FY2019 Proposed	FY	2018–2019/ Change
Licenses and Permits	\$ 107,190	\$ 75,000	\$ 75,000	\$	-
Other Revenue	18	-	-		-
Rev from Money and Prop	960	-	-		-
Total	\$ 108,167	\$ 75,000	\$ 75,000	\$	-

Personnel Expenditures

Job Number	Job Title / Wages	FY2017 Budget	FY2018 Budget F	FY2019 Proposed	Salary Range	Total
FTE, Salari	ies, and Wages					
20000119	Associate Management Analyst	1.00	1.00	1.00	\$55,843 - \$67,489 \$	67,489
20001220	Executive Director	1.00	1.00	1.00	48,516 - 178,445	123,959
20001222	Program Manager	2.00	2.00	2.00	48,516 - 178,445	190,072
20000783	Public Information Clerk	1.00	1.00	1.00	32,530 - 39,170	39,170
20000918	Senior Planner	1.00	1.00	1.00	67,510 - 81,627	81,627
	Bilingual - Regular					1,456
FTE, Salari	ies, and Wages Subtotal	6.00	6.00	6.00	\$	503,773

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	FY2017 Actual		FY2018 Budget	FY2019 Proposed	FY	2018–2019 Change
Fringe Benefits						
Employee Offset Savings \$	4,877	\$	3,600	\$ 675	\$	(2,925)
Flexible Benefits	62,437		80,072	80,072		-
Long-Term Disability	1,218		-	-		-
Medicare	6,911		6,795	7,284		489
Other Post-Employment Benefits	31,222		36,006	36,786		780
Retiree Medical Trust	292		439	334		(105)
Retirement ADC	113,437		89,039	49,058		(39,981)
Retirement DROP	4,059		5,277	9,233		3,956
Risk Management Administration	5,447		6,066	6,324		258
Supplemental Pension Savings Plan	32,738		35,241	36,096		855
Unemployment Insurance	824		838	849		11

City of San Diego Fiscal Year 2019 Proposed Budget

	FY2017	FY2018	FY2019	FY	2018–2019
	Actual	Budget	Proposed		Change
Workers' Compensation	2,317	4,060	10,990		6,930
Fringe Benefits Subtotal	\$ 265,778	\$ 267,433	\$ 237,701	\$	(29,732)
Total Personnel Expenditures			\$ 741,474		



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