



2023 Budget







#### **HOA Budget Definitions - Operating**

- Operating Budget an estimate of income and expenses for a one-year period.
- Operating Income include assessments, fees, fines, and interest on investments.
- **Operating Expenses** administrative fees, utilities, landscaping, and common area maintenance. Administrative fees are costs associated with running the business of the VCA; like collecting assessments, legal fees, office rent, property management staff salaries, etc.
- **Operating Surplus** when income exceeds expenses, amount is available to spend in following year.





#### **HOA Budget Definitions - Reserve**

- **Reserve** equivalent to the word "capital" used in other types of budgets
- **Reserve Budget** an estimate of the amount of money to be spent in a given year to replenish/replace Reserve Components.
- **Reserve Components** capital assets, must meet 4 criteria: 1.) Asset located in Common Area, 2.) Have limited Life, 3.) Remaining Life must be predictable, 4.) must be above a minimum threshold cost (often between .5% and 1% of an association's total budget).
- **Reserve Contribution** amount of operating income transferred to Reserve Fund to replenish/replace Reserve Components
- Reserve Expenses money spent from Reserve Fund to pay to replenish/replace Reserve Components
- **Reserve Fund -** a savings account used to pay for Reserve Components (capital assets) that age and need to be replenished/replaced over time.
- **Reserve Study** identifies Reserve Components (capital assets) and provides a timeline as to when they need to be replaced, projects Reserve Expenses 30 years out.
- **Percent Funded or Reserve Fund Strength** the ratio of Reserve Fund to amount needed to fully fund all Reserve Component projects.





# Social Security cost-of-living adjustment will be 8.7% in 2023 . . .



highest increase in 40 years.





#### How well is the VCA Funding Reserves?

Vistoso Community Association

Oro Valley, AZ

Level of Service: **Update "No-Site-Visit"** 

Report #: 8973-10

as of January 1, 2023

# of Units: 4,965

January 1, 2023 through December 31, 2023

#### Findings & Recommendations

Current Fully Funded Reserve Balance ......\$4,786,915 Average Reserve Deficit (Surplus) Per Unit ......\$344

Recommended 2023 Monthly Reserve Contribution ......\$60,700

Current Monthly Reserve Contribution .....\$58,333

Reserve Fund Strength: 64.3%

Risk of Special Assessment:

Weak Fair

> < 30% < 70%

> > Medium

High

Low

Strong

> 130%





### Recommendations for 2023 Budget

- 1. Continue to invest in community fund Reserve Component projects per the Reserve Study or sooner if warranted.
- 2. Increase quarter assessment from \$80/qtr to \$87/qtr
- 3. Increase Reserve Fund Strength to at least 70%





### How can you spend more than you collect?

#### Operating Budget

Revenue		
Income	2,345,660.00	
Total Revenue	2,345,660.00	
Expenses		
Administrative	858,958.00	
Utilities	261,460.00	
Landscape	1,369,951.00	
Gates	-	
Common Area	134,244.00	
Pools	-	
Lakes	-	
Other Categories		
Total Expenses	2,624,613	
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### You spend down Operating Surplus

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True Variance Due to		
2022 Surplus	18,439	
1,072,392	September Operating Balance	
775,000	3 months Op Exp & Reserve Contribution	
297,392	2022 Surplus	





### How's the Strength of Reserve Fund now?

#### Reserve Budget

RESERVES			
Starting Balance	3,078,542		
2023 Contribution	950,000		
Interest Reserve Fund	25,000		
Bank Investment			
Charges	-12,000		
2023 Expenses	-1,036,700		
Projected Starting			
Balance 2024	3,004,842		
RESERVE % FUNDED			
Fully Funded 2024	4,225,452		
Projected Starting			
Balance 2024	3,004,842		
Percent Funded	71.11%		

> 70% = Strong Fund Strength Low Risk for Special Assessment





### Major Reserve Projects for 2023

Project	Amount
Irrigation Systems	\$393,000
Drainage Mitigation	\$300,000
Monument Refurbish	\$261,500
Asphalt Seal Coating	\$32,800
Play Structure Replacement	\$15,500
Painting	\$11,900

Over \$1MM will be spent in 2023 on 6 projects.





### Major Reserve Projects Slated for 2024

Project	Amount	
Granite Replacement	\$666,400	
Street Light Replacement*	<del>\$353,000</del>	
Other	\$302,000	

Over \$1MM is slated to be spent in 2024 on 2 major projects.

<sup>\*</sup>Per TOV can spread out project to replace 226 street lights on RVB over several years and can reduce the number of street lights.





#### Proposed 2023 Budget will Deliver

 Maximum investment in our community infrastructure now, while setting aside funds for future expenditures.

Increase Reserve Fund Strength, moving it to a "strong" level

- Fair increase in quarterly assessment
  - only \$7/qtr
  - significantly less than the allowed \$16/qtr



## Questions?

