

FY 2024 Recommended Budget

Tourism Development Authority

Occupancy Tax Revenue

Funds received from assessment of occupancy tax on the rental of lodging units within the county



Occupancy Tax Expenditure

2/3 Tourism-Related Expenditures

1/3 Promotion of Travel and Tourism

Occupancy Tax Collection

Collection has increased annually since 2019

FY 2023 collections are

9.56% higher than the previous year



Indication that rental unit numbers are returning to at least 2019 levels

Tourism Promotion Expenditures

Recommended budget allocates \$4,540,126

- Advertise or market an area or activity
- Publish and distribute pamphlets and other materials
- Conduct market research or engage in similar promotional activities that attract tourists or business travelers to the area

Includes transfers to operating fund in amount of \$123,689 for airport promotion, administration of beach parking permits and indirect costs

Tourism-Related Expenditures

Recommended budget allocates \$2,932,572

General Tourism Related Expenditures \$1,371,084

Historic Corolla Park \$1,298,488

Capital Outlay \$263,000

Transfers to other funds

\$7,776,339

Transfers

Law Enforcement and EMS services	\$4,823,591
CCRC operation and administration	\$276,681
Collection and administration fee	\$180,000
Carova Beach Road Service District	\$30,000
Indirect costs	\$83,378
Recreation field chemicals	\$10,000
Projects	\$2,299,000

Recommended Schedule

May 30 June 5 June 19 July 1

Budget Presentation

Budget Work Session

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Public Hearing & Possible Adoption

Effective Date of Adopted Budget

Review and Comment

The recommended budget will be posted on the county website and a hard copy will be available in the office of the Clerk to the Board in the Historic Courthouse.

Comments can be made on the recommended budget to <u>commissioners@currituckcountync.gov</u>.