Monthly Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balance Operating Fund, Budget and Actual September 30, 2023

					(%)	Prior Year			
	Current	<b>Current Month</b>	Year to Date	Budget	Budget	Year to Date	(%)		
	Budget	Actual	Actual	Remaining	Used	Actual	Change From		
Revenues:									
Occupancy tax, net	\$ 25,000,000	\$ 1,872,670	\$ 4,053,353	\$20,946,647	16.2%	\$ 4,549,450	-10.9%		
Investment income	-	2,046	4,234	(4,234)	-	4,291	-1.3%		
Other income	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Earned revenue	-								
Total revenues	25,000,000	1,874,716	4,057,587	20,942,413	16.2%	4,553,742	-10.9%		
Expenditures:									
Salaries and Benefits	4,102,000	262,918	1,073,921	3,028,079	26.2%	484,028	121.9%		
Sales	2,122,000	59,033	338,892	1,783,108	16.0%	274,733	23.4%		
Marketing	19,478,000	1,229,583	2,069,690	17,408,310	10.6%	921,943	124.5%		
Partnership & Destination Mgmt	548,000	42,099	126,942	421,058	23.2%	18,041	603.6%		
Administration & Facilities	1,250,000	42,818	269,123	980,877	21.5%	251,430	7.0%		
Events/Festivals/Sponsorships	-	-	-	-	-	3,979	-100.0%		
Total expenditures	27,500,000	1,636,451	3,878,568	23,621,432	14.1%	1,954,153	98.5%		
Revenues over (under)									
expenditures	(2,500,000)	238,265	179,019			\$ 2,599,588	-93.1%		
Other Financing Sources:									
Appropriated Fund Balance	2,500,000	-	-						
Total other financing sources	2,500,000								
Net change in fund balance	\$ -	\$ 238,265	\$ 179,019						
Fund balance, beginning of year			27,137,064						
Fund balance, end of month			\$27,316,083						

As directed by State statute, two-thirds of the occupancy tax revenue is invested in tourism promotion (reflected in the operations budget presented here) and one-third is dedicated to tourism-related community investments, split equally between the Tourism Product Development Fund (TPDF) and the Legacy Investment for Tourism (LIFT) Fund. The TPDF is budgeted by project ordinance due to the nature of the fund. Revenue dedicated to TPDF is projected at \$6,269,373 and revenue dedicated to LIFT is projected at \$6,269,373 for FY24.

Monthly Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balance Earned Revenue Fund, Budget and Actual September 30, 2023

					(%)	Prior Year			
	Current	<b>Current Month</b>	Year to Date	Budget	Budget	Year to Date	(%)		
	Budget	Actual	Actual	Remaining	Used	Actual	Change From		
Revenues:									
Earned revenue	216,400	15,118	32,296	184,104	14.9%	34,527	-6.5%		
Total revenues	216,400	15,118	32,296	184,104	14.9%	34,527	-6.5%		
Expenditures:									
Events/Festivals/Sponsorships	250,000	-	-	250,000	0.0%	29,600	-100.0%		
Total expenditures	250,000	-	-	250,000	0.0%	29,600	-100.0%		
Revenues over (under)	(33,600)	15,118	32,296			\$ 4,927	555.5%		
Other Financing Sources									
Carried over earned income	33,600	-	-						
Total other financing sources	33,600		-						
Net change in fund balance	\$ -	\$ 15,118	\$ 32,296						
Fund balance, beginning of year Fund balance, end of month			92,977 \$ 125,273						

Monthly Revenue Summary

September 30, 2023

Operating Fund											Tourism Product Development Fund									
		By Month			Cumula	ative	Year-to-Date		By Month						Cumul	ative	Year-to-Date			
	Current	Prior	(%)		Current		Prior	(%)		Current		Prior	(%)		Current		Prior	(%)		
Month of room sales:	Year	Year	(%)		Year		Year	Change	Year			Year	Change		Year		Year	Change		
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July	\$ 2,180,683	\$ 2,449,683	-11%	\$	2,180,683	\$	2,449,683	-11%	\$	537,034	\$	603,280	-11%	\$	537,034	\$	603,280	-11%		
August	1,872,670	2,099,768	-11%		4,053,353		4,549,450	-11%		461,180		517,107	-11%		998,214		1,120,387	-11%		
September	=	2,161,132	-		-		6,710,582	-		-		532,219	-		-		1,652,606	-		
October	-	2,828,072	-		-		9,538,654	-		-		696,466	-		-		2,349,072	-		
November	-	2,031,798	-		-		11,570,453	-		-		500,368	-		-		2,849,440	-		
December	-	2,050,449	-		-		13,620,901	-		-		504,961	-		-		3,354,401	-		
January	-	1,288,286	-		-		14,909,187	-		-		317,264	-		-		3,671,666	-		
February	-	1,301,348	-		-		16,210,535	-		-		320,481	-		-		3,992,147	-		
March	-	1,792,837	-		-		18,003,371	-		-		441,519	-		-		4,433,666	-		
April	-	1,891,348	-		-		19,894,719	-		-		465,780	-		-		4,899,446	-		
May	-	1,942,654	-		-		21,837,373	-		-		478,415	-		-		5,377,861	-		
June	-	2,216,006	-		-		24,053,379	-		-		545,734	-		-		5,923,594	-		
Total revenues	\$ 4,053,353	\$ 24,053,379		\$	4,053,353	\$	24,053,379		\$	998,214	\$	5,923,594		\$	998,214	\$	5,923,594			

Legacy Investment from Tourism Fund											Total Revenue Summary							
		By Month				Cumulative Year-to-Date						By Month		Cumulative Year-to-Date				
	_	Current		Prior	(%)		Current		Prior	(%)	Current	Prior	(%)	Current	Prior	(%)		
Month of room sales:		Year		Year	(%)		Year		Year	Change	Year	Year	Change	Year	Year	Change		
July	\$	537,034	\$	603,280	-11%	\$	537,034	\$	603,280	-11%	\$ 3,254,751	\$ 3,656,243	-11%	\$ 3,254,751	\$ 3,656,243	-11%		
August		461,180		517,107	-11%		998,214		1,120,387	-11%	2,795,030	\$ 3,133,982	-11%	6,049,780	6,790,224	-11%		
September		-		532,219	-		-		1,652,606	-	-	\$ 3,225,570	-	-	10,015,794	-		
October		-		696,466	-		-		2,349,072	-	-	\$ 4,221,003	-	-	14,236,798	-		
November		-		500,368	-		-		2,849,440	-	-	\$ 3,032,535	-	-	17,269,332	-		
December		-		504,961	-		-		3,354,401	-	-	\$ 3,060,371	-	-	20,329,703	-		
January		-		317,264	-		-		3,671,666	-	-	\$ 1,922,815	-	-	22,252,518	-		
February		-		320,481	-		-		3,992,147	-	-	\$ 1,942,310	-	-	24,194,828	-		
March		-		441,519	-		-		4,433,666	-	-	\$ 2,675,876	-	-	26,870,704	-		
April		-		465,780	-		-		4,899,446	-	-	\$ 2,822,907	-	-	29,693,610	-		
May		-		478,415	-		-		5,377,861	-	-	\$ 2,899,484	-	-	32,593,094	-		
June		-		545,733	-		-		5,923,593	-	-	\$ 3,307,473	-	-	35,900,567	-		
Total revenues	\$	998,214	\$	5,923,593		\$	998,214	\$	5,923,593		\$ 6,049,780	\$35,900,567	-	\$ 6,049,780	\$35,900,567			

Monthly Product Development Fund Summary

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	Budget	Life to Date Actuals	Remaining Budget	(%) Budget Used
Revenues:	Duaget	Actuals	Daaget	<u>Budget Osed</u>
Occupancy Tax	\$ 26,483,770	\$ 31,728,218	\$ (5,244,448)	119.8%
Investment Income		3,433,021	(3,433,021)	0.0%
Total revenues	26,483,770	35,161,239	(8,677,469)	132.8%
Expenditures:				
Product development fund projects:				
2016 Asheville Community Theatre (Theatre Expansion & Renovation)	580,000	430,000	150,000	74.1%
2017 Buncombe County Government (Woodfin Greenway & Blueway)	8,140,000	650,000	7,490,000	8.0%
2018 Buncombe County Government (Enka Recreation Destination)	6,750,000	-	6,750,000	-
2018 Eagle Market Streets Dev. Corp. (YMI Cultural Center Improvements)	800,000	172,863	627,137	21.6%
2018 River Front Development Group (African-American Heritage Museum at Stephens-Le		-	100,000	-
2021 African American Heritage Trail	500,000	137,455	362,545	27.5%
2022 Asheville Glass Art School dba North Carolina Glass Center (Glass Center in Black M		-	330,000	-
2022 Asheville Museum of Science AMOS (Museum Beautification Project)	125,000	_	125,000	-
2022 Asheville on Bikes (AVL Unpaved - Phase I)	188,355	-	188,355	-
2022 City of Asheville (Asheville Muni Golf Course Revitalization Phase I)	1,641,425	-	1,641,425	-
2022 City of Asheville (Coxe Avenue Green Street)	1,950,000	_	1,950,000	-
2022 City of Asheville (Swannanoa River Greenway)	2,300,000	_	2,300,000	-
2022 City of Asheville (WNC Nature Center- Gateway to the Southern Appalachian Enhance		-	567,000	-
2022 Pack Place Performing Arts dba Wortham Center for the Performing Arts (The Worth		-	80,000	-
2022 Riverlink, Inc. (Karen Cragnolin Park - Greenway Phase)	360,790	-	360,790	-
2022 UNC Asheville Foundation - Athletics (UNC Asheville Karl Straus Track Renovation &		1,000,000	500,000	66.7%
Total product development projects	25,912,570	2,390,318	23,522,252	9.2%
Product development fund administration	571,200	1,602	569,598	0.3%
Total product development fund	\$ 26,483,770	\$ 2,391,920	\$ 24,091,850	9.0%
Product Development Funds Available for Future Grants				
Total Net Assets		Ф 00 760 010		
Less: Liabilities/Outstanding Grants		\$ 32,769,319		
Less: Unspent Admin Budget (Current Year)		(23,522,252)		
Current Product Development Amount Available		(569,598) \$ 8,677,469		
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Monthly Legacy Investment from Tourism Fund

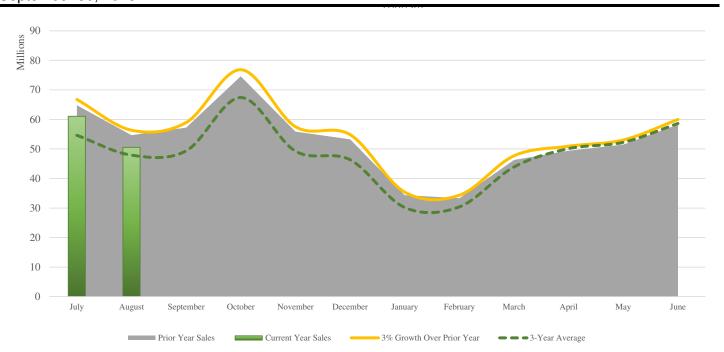
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Revenues:	Budge	et	Life to Date Actuals	Remaining Budget	(%) Budget Used
Occupancy Tax	\$ 339,	,560	\$ 6,921,807	\$ (6,582,247)	2038.5%
Investment Income  Total revenues	339,	560	252,276 7,174,083	(252,276) (6,834,523)	0.0% 2112.8%
Expenditures: LIFT projects:					
		-	- -	- -	-
Total LIFT projects			-		-
LIFT fund administration	339,	,560	98,621	240,939	29%
Total LIFT fund	\$ 339,	560	\$ 98,621	\$ 240,939	29%
Legacy Investment from Tourism Funds Available for Future Grants					
Total Net Assets			\$ 7,075,462		
Less: Liabilities/Outstanding Grants			-		
Less: Unspent Admin Budget (Current Year)		_	(240,939)		
Current LIFT Fund Amount Available		_	\$ 6,834,523		

Monthly Balance Sheet Governmental Funds September 30, 2023

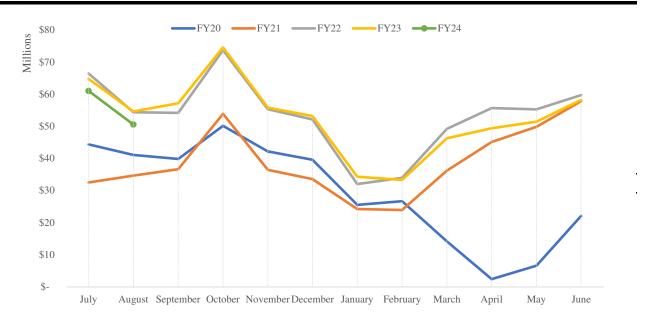
	Ор	perating Fund	Earned enue Fund	Tourism Product Development Fund			Legacy nvestment om Tourism Fund	Total
Assets:								
Current assets:								
Cash and investments	\$	27,902,940	\$ 184,473	\$	32,769,319	\$	7,075,462	\$ 67,932,194
Receivables	\$		 				-	 -
Total current assets	\$	27,902,940	184,473		32,769,319		7,075,462	 67,932,194
Liabilities:								
Current liabilities:								
Accounts payable	\$	480,407	-		-		-	480,407
Future events payable	\$	106,450	 59,200		23,522,252		-	 23,687,902
Total current liabilities	\$	586,857	 59,200		23,522,252			 24,168,309
Fund Balances:								
Restricted for TPDF	\$	-	-		9,247,067		-	9,247,067
Restricted for LIFT fund	\$	-	-		-		7,075,462	7,075,462
Committed for event support program	\$	-	-		-		-	-
State Required Contingency	\$	2,000,000	-		-		-	2,000,000
Designated Contingency	\$	13,749,999	-		-		-	13,749,999
Undesignated (cash flow)	\$	11,566,084	 125,273				-	 11,691,357
Total fund balances	\$	27,316,083	125,273		9,247,067		7,075,462	43,763,885
Total liabilities and fund balances	\$	27,902,940	\$ 184,473	\$	32,769,319	\$	7,075,462	\$ 67,932,194

Total Lodging Sales Shown by Month of Sale, Year-to-Date September 30, 2023



	Current Year	Prior Year	(%) Change	YTD (%) Change	3% Over Prior Year	3-Year Average
Month of lodging sales:						
July	\$ 61,055,925	\$ 64,793,944	-6%	-6%	\$ 66,737,762	\$ 54,604,010
August	50,578,203	54,692,346	-8%	-7%	56,333,117	47,922,718
September	-	57,239,527	-	-	58,956,713	49,386,630
October	-	74,593,066	-	-	76,830,857	67,418,788
November	-	55,871,136	-	-	57,547,271	49,240,006
December	-	53,239,883	-	-	54,837,079	46,336,030
January	-	34,343,181	-	-	35,373,476	30,208,671
February	-	33,341,232	-	-	34,341,469	30,422,143
March	-	46,282,906	-	-	47,671,393	43,921,438
April	-	49,432,439	-	-	50,915,412	50,105,424
May	-	51,494,222	-	-	53,039,049	52,235,413
June	-	58,245,242	-	-	59,992,599	58,628,893
Total lodging sales	\$111,634,128	\$ 633,569,124	- ————————————————————————————————————		\$652,576,198	\$580,430,164

History of Total Sales by Month Shown by Month of Sale, Year-to-Date September 30, 2023



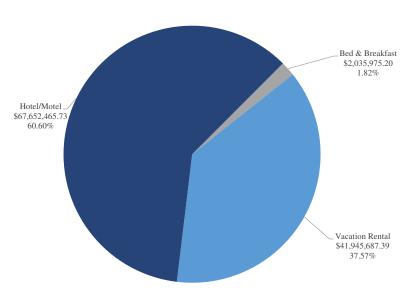
	FY20		FY21	FY22	FY23	FY24
Month of lodging sales:						
July	\$ 44,385,965	\$	32,547,111	\$ 66,470,974	\$ 64,793,944	\$ 61,055,925
August	41,113,655		34,663,339	54,412,470	54,692,346	50,578,203
September	39,869,174		36,683,164	54,237,200	57,239,527	-
October	50,148,618		53,914,047	73,749,252	74,593,066	-
November	42,190,154		36,458,675	55,390,208	55,871,136	-
December	39,595,569		33,578,528	52,189,677	53,239,883	-
January	25,561,453		24,245,119	32,037,713	34,343,181	-
February	26,696,319		23,933,141	33,992,055	33,341,232	-
March	14,208,120		36,243,884	49,237,522	46,282,906	-
April	2,402,461		45,171,098	55,712,735	49,432,439	-
May	6,624,541		49,864,809	55,347,208	51,494,222	-
June	22,108,839		57,868,695	59,772,742	58,245,242	-
Total lodging sales	\$354,904,866	\$	465,171,612	\$ 642,549,756	\$ 633,569,124	\$ 111,634,128

Total Lodging Sales by Type Shown by Month of Sale, Year-to-Date September 30, 2023

		Hotel/Mot	tel		Vacation Re	ntals	Bed & Breakfast					Grand Totals				
Month of room sales:	Current Year	Prior Year	% Change	YTD % Change	Current Year	Prior Year	% Change	YTD % Change	Current Year	Prior Year	% Change	YTD % Change	Current Year	Prior Year	% Change	YTD % Change
July	\$ 36,061,896	\$ 38,479,968	-6.3%	-6.3%	\$ 23,900,879	\$ 24,895,873	-4.0%	-4.0%	\$ 1,093,151	\$ 1,418,102	-22.9%	-22.9%	\$ 61,055,925	\$ 64,793,944	-5.8%	-5.8%
August	31,590,570	32,640,866	-3.2%	-4.9%	18,044,808	20,930,596	-13.8%	-8.5%	942,825	1,120,885	-15.9%	-19.8%	50,578,203	54,692,346	-7.5%	-6.6%
September	-	36,154,263	-		-	19,751,254	-		-	1,334,010	-		-	57,239,527	-	
October	-	49,526,518	-		-	23,162,880	-		-	1,903,668	-		-	74,593,066	-	
November	-	36,409,635	-		-	18,215,757	-		-	1,245,744	-		-	55,871,136	-	
December	-	35,732,202	-		-	16,449,683	-		-	1,057,998	-		-	53,239,883	-	
January	-	17,421,646	-		-	16,475,423	-		-	446,112	-		-	34,343,181	-	
February	-	18,042,813	-		-	14,816,148	-		-	482,272	-		-	33,341,232	-	
March	-	27,366,159	-		-	18,112,839	-		-	803,907	-		-	46,282,906	-	
April	-	30,413,085	-		-	17,958,606	-		-	1,060,748	-		-	49,432,439	-	
May	-	32,264,948	-		-	18,095,053	-		-	1,134,222	-		-	51,494,222	-	
June		35,537,144	-			21,569,296	-			1,138,803	-			58,245,242	-	
Total	\$ 67,652,466	\$ 389,989,246		<u>-</u>	\$ 41,945,687	\$ 230,433,408	-	<u> </u>	\$ 2,035,975	\$ 13,146,470			\$ 111,634,128	\$ 633,569,124		

Total Lodging Sales by Type Shown by Month of Sale, Year-to-Date September 30, 2023

Total Lodging Sales by Type, Year-to-Date



Year-to-Date Lodging Sales by Type, Compared to Prior Year

