## SUNSHINE COAST REGIONAL DISTRICT STAFF REPORT

**TO:** Finance Committee (Round 1 Budget) – November 25 and 26, 2024

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SUBJECT: 2025 ROUND 1 BUDGET PROPOSAL FOR VARIOUS FUNCTIONS – CORPORATE FLEET

RATE INCREASE [210, 212, 216, 218, 313, 370, 650]

## RECOMMENDATION(S)

THAT the report titled 2025 Round 1 Budget Proposal for Various Functions – Corporate Fleet Rate Increase [210, 212, 216, 218, 313, 370, 650] be received for information.

#### **BACKGROUND**

As part of the Budget Process staff report potential budget adjustments to the Board. Budget Proposals provide the detail to support the potential adjustment and allow the Board to make informed decisions regarding funding projects or service enhancements, as well as ways to reduce the budget.

#### **DISCUSSION**

#### 2025 R1 Budget Proposal

1	Function Number – Project Title:	[210, 212, 216, 218, 313, 370, 650] – Various Functions – Corporate Fleet Rate Increase			
	Risk Factor:	LOW: Minimal / None			
	Category:	Non-Mandatory Base Budget Increase Requests			
	Geographic Areas Affected:	Various			
	2025 Funding Required:	\$87,300 (on going)			
	Funding Source(s):	Taxation/ Internal Recoveries/User Fees			
	Rationale / Service Impacts:	Based on an internal review of the fleet recovery rate, an increase in the rate is being recommended. This budget proposal requests an ongoing base budget lift for those services impacted by this increase (based on an assessment of current budgets). Fleet services ended 2023 in a deficit position and are forecasting a deficit for 2024. The increase in the fleet recovery rate is critical to ensure sustainable			

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		funding for the service, and this budget request supports those services most impacted by the increase.	
	HR Implications	<ul><li>☐ Additional FTE ☐ Existing FTE</li><li>☒ No Additional FTE or Resourcing</li><li>☐ Term or Student (TIME)</li></ul>	
	Future Financial Implications and Life Cycle Cost Breakdown	210 \$20,300 Taxation; 212 \$8,900 Taxation; 216 \$6,000 Taxation; 218 \$4,500 Taxation; 313 \$4,700 Internal Recoveries; 370 \$32,000 User Fees; 650 \$10,900 Taxation	
	Asset Management Implications:	n/a	
	Climate Action Plan Goal and Impact (if applicable)	n/a	

# Financial Implications

N/A

Reviewed by:					
CAO		Legislative			
CFO		Manager			
GM	X – S. Gagnon	Other Staff			