# 2019 Budget Priorities Update

City of Topeka March 20, 2018



### **2019 Budget Priorities**

#### **2018 Adopted Priorities**

- Investing in Infrastructure
- Continuing a Commitment to Public Safety
- Continuing a Commitment to Developing Neighborhoods
- Selected Strategic Investments toward Quality of Life
- Improving Fiscal Sustainability
- Improving Performance and Cost-Effectiveness

#### **2019 Budget Priorities**

- Retain 2018 priorities
- Amend 2018 priorities

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### Public Input



## Which budget priority is most important to you?

- Infrastructure (streets, water mains, snow removal)
- Public Safety (police and fire)
- Quality of Life (zoo, bikeways, entertainment)

Community Development (neighborhoods, code enforcement, abandoned structures)

# Updates

- Opening Section
  - Performance and Cost Effectiveness priority move
  - Use of Existing Resources
- Public Safety
  - Police Recruitment
- Quality of Life
  - Public Health impact

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### **Next Steps and Questions**

- Proposed Adoption April 3
- Ongoing Public Input for 2019 Operating Budget