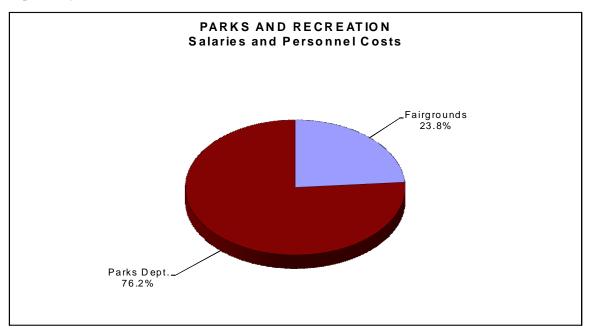


PARKS AND RECREATION

Parks and Recreation consists of only the Fairgrounds Department and the Parks Department. The Parks Department comprises 81.61% of all costs generated by the Parks and Recreation Departments. Salaries and Personnel Costs from both departments make up 66.80% of the Parks and Recreation budget, whereas Operating and Training Costs constitute 33.18% of the Parks and Recreation budget. Information Technology and Capital Acquisitions make up 0.02% and 0.00% respectively. The table below shows a break down of the Salaries and Personnel Costs.



PARKS & RECREATION	2011 Total	2012 Total	2013 Full-	2013 Part-	2013 Total	2013 Total
	FTE's	FTE's	Time	Time	FTE's	Cost
Fairgrounds	6.27	6.00	6.00	0.00	6.00	\$ 335,427
Parks Department	16.40	17.20	17.00	0.00	17.00	\$ 1,076,368
TOTAL FTE	22.67	23.20	23.00	0.00	23.00	\$ 1,411,795

HISTORY OF FULL TIME EQUIVALENTS

PARKS AND RECREATION EXPENSE BUDGET

CATEGORY	201	1 ACTUAL	2012	2 ADOPTED	2013	ADOPTED
Salaries and Personnel Costs	\$	1,223,040	\$	1,330,830	\$	1,411,795
Operating Costs	\$	540,049	\$	576,581	\$	701,253
Information Technology Costs	\$	377	\$	5,405	\$	480
Capital Acquisitions	\$	6,980	\$	34,000	\$	-
Prior Period Corrections	\$	(925)	\$	-	\$	-
TOTAL	\$	1,769,521	\$	1,946,816	\$	2,113,528



FAIRGROUNDS

MISSION

The mission of the Fairgrounds department is to provide well maintained Fairgrounds to educate, to inform and to entertain while providing an assembly facility for youth and adults in Fort Bend County.

GOALS

GOAL 1

Provide Customer Service to the general public.

Objective 1 Provide affordable rental facilities to the public.

PERFORMANCE MEASURES	2011 ACTUAL	2012 ACTUAL	2013 PROJECTED
Number of rental inquiry calls per year	2,600	2,860	3,000
Number of rentals per year	818	908	990
Number of satisfied rentals	818	908	990
Personnel & Operating Expenses/ Revenue Received	\$173,649/ \$160,245	\$170,230/ \$176,269	\$162,128 \$193,896

FAIRGROUNDS

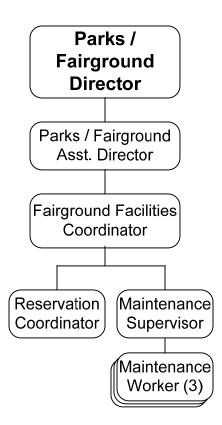
FUND: 100 General ACCOUNTING UNIT: 100655100 Fairgrounds

EXPENSE BUDGET							
CATEGORY	2011	ACTUAL	2012	ADOPTED	2013	ADOPTED	
Salaries and Personnel Costs	\$	331,912	\$	341,919	\$	335,427	
Operating Costs	\$	44,215	\$	49,154	\$	53,216	
Information Technology Costs	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	
Capital Acquisitions	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	
TOTAL	\$	376,126	\$	391,073	\$	388,643	

2013 AUTHORIZED POSITIONS

Job Title	Job Code	Grade	Count
Maintenance Worker	J05010	G05	3
Clerk III	J07008	G07	1
Fairgrounds Supervisor	J08020	G08	1
Fairgrounds Facility Coordinator	J09034	G09	1
Total Authorized Positions			6

ORGANIZATION CHART



MISSION

The mission of the Parks And Recreation Department is to provide a quality park system for the residents of Fort Bend County; to develop and maintain regional parks that will serve both active and passive recreational needs, preserve natural and historic resources, and provide appropriate recreation programs and activities for youth, adult, and senior citizens in accordance with the adopted master plan and needs assessment.

GOALS

GOAL 1

Provide for a professionally diverse staff in the County Parks and Recreation Department to plan, direct, manage and maintain the Parks and Recreation System and its many components.

GOAL 2

Acquire and develop parkland as regional level parks to complement, not compete, with the parks already provided by other entities in the County, to meet the passive and active recreational needs of the increasing population.

GOAL 3

Work with the cities to jointly develop regional size parks that meet the larger needs of the area. Develop a "Shared Vision" of Parks and Recreation Facilities that provides for a hierarchy of facilities to be provided throughout the County.

GOAL 4

Work with the cities, landowners and interested organizations along the Brazos River and other waterways to develop "Corridors" along the rivers to protect the natural environment, provide access to the river in the floodway and floodplain.

GOAL 5

Support and encourage the continuance of and development of recreation activities for youth and senior citizens.

GOAL 6

Develop partnerships with youth and adult sports associations to provide land to develop ball fields.

GOAL 7

Consider the provision of land for specialized recreational sports facilities as desired by the citizens of the County.

GOAL 8

Provide protection, conservation, and enhancement of woodlands, waterways, historical sites and other natural resources.

PROJECTIONS FOR THE NEXT 10 YEARS

In the *Fort Bend County Master Plan and Needs Assessment* goals for the County Parks were established and priorities in five-year increments were developed.

Barker Reservoir – The proposed improvements on a portion of 2,000 acres leased from the Corps of Engineers includes: an access road, parking lot, and trail, concession stand with restrooms and meeting room, ball fields to be improved through lease agreements, landscaping, trees and a maintenance facility. This could be considered as a satellite sports complex. Estimated development costs: \$1,750,000. Project has been completed and will be put into operation in the 2013 budget year.

Trails – As trails were the number one choice of the respondents to the surveys, funds should be provided for the creation and extensions for partnerships with cities and other entities to provide such facilities. Estimated development costs: \$1,500,000

Renovations, Contingency, and Expansion – Funds should be allocated for future land acquisition and renovation of existing facilities. CIP for Kitty Hollow Park Expansion 2010/2011 Budgeted \$383,000. Project has been completed and will be put into operation in the 2013 budget year. Additional funding has been set aside for water and sewer projects in the 2013 budget year.

Additional Staffing and Equipment – It is recognized that additional facilities require additional staff and equipment. Staff and equipment will be utilized at more than one facility. The 2013 budget added 2 additional staffing for the maintenance of the Cinco Ranch, Four Corners, and the northwestern part of the county.

PERFORMANCE MEASURES	2011 ACTUAL	2012 ACTUAL	2013 PROJECTED
Number of request for reservations to use the parks	918	1,010	1,111
Percent of satisfied customers	100%	100%	100%
Revenues Received	\$32,390	\$40,150	\$46,275
Personnel Operation Expenses	\$401,746	\$413,798	\$426,212

FUND: 100 General

ACCOUNTING UNIT: 100660100 Parks Department

EXPENSE BUDGET						
CATEGORY	201	1 ACTUAL	2012	ADOPTED	2013	3 ADOPTED
Salaries and Personnel Costs	\$	891,128	\$	988,911	\$	1,076,368
Operating Costs	\$	495,835	\$	527,426	\$	648,037
Information Technology Costs	\$	377	\$	5,405	\$	480
Capital Acquisitions	\$	6,980	\$	34,000	\$	-
Prior Period Corrections	\$	(925)	\$	-	\$	-
TOTAL	\$	1,393,394	\$	1,555,742	\$	1,724,885

2013 AUTHORIZED POSITIONS

Job Title	Job Code	Grade	Count
Parks Operator II	J05012	G05	8
Clerk III	J07008	G07	1
Parks Maintenance Supervisor	J08035	G08	1
Parks Operation Supervisor	J08036	G08	1
Parks Recreation Coordinator	J09101	G09	1
Personnel Coordinator	J09102	G09	1
Assistant Parks Director	J13054	G13	1
Parks Director	J15018	G15	1
Subtotal			15

2013 NEW POSITIONS						
Job Title	Job Code	Grade	Count			
Parks Operator II	J05012	G05	1			
Lead Parks Operator	J06OST	G06	1			
Total New Positions			2			

ORGANIZATION CHART

