

# Public Safety Sales Tax Proposed Election

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City of Mesa

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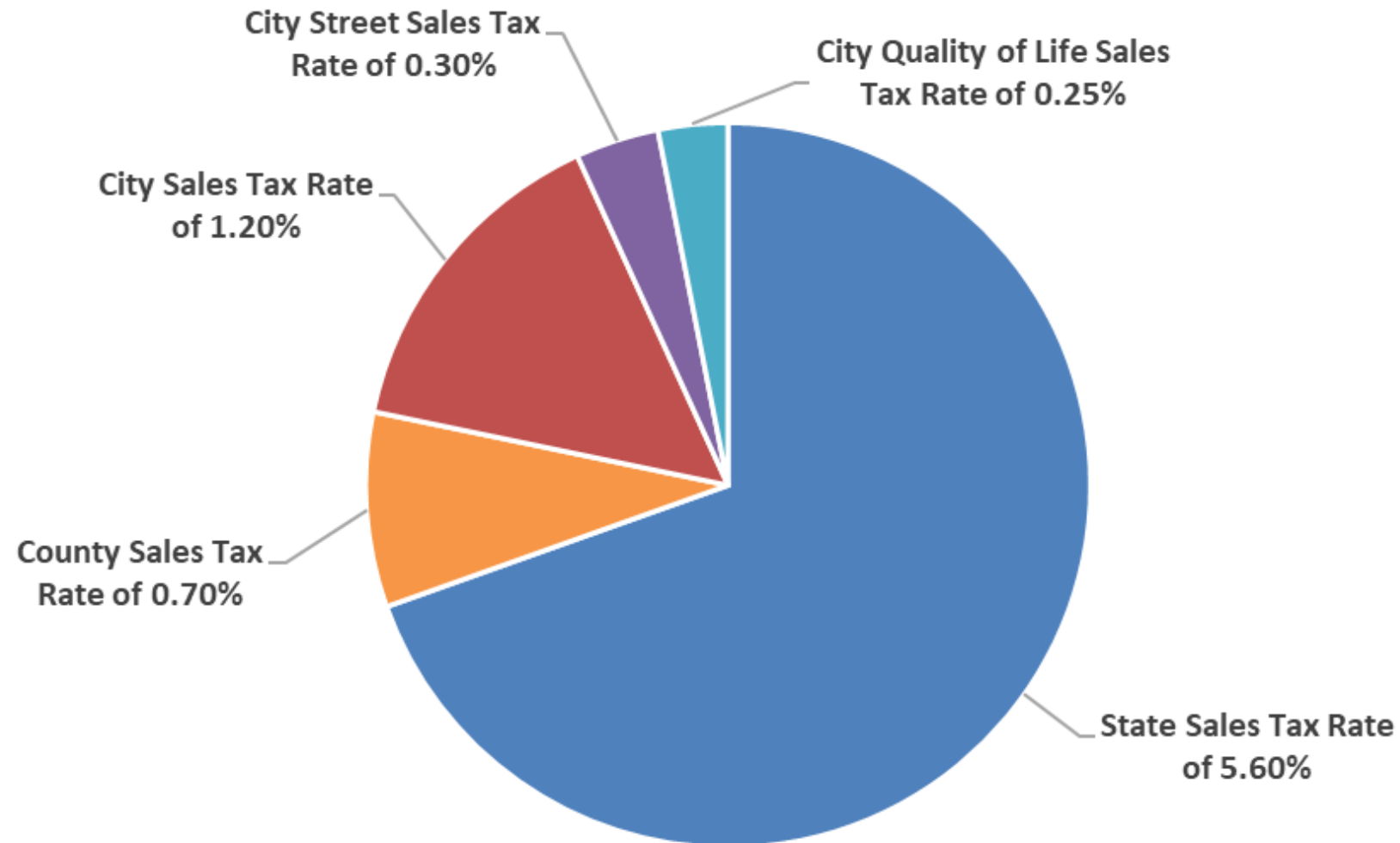
# Public Safety Challenges



The Police Department and the Fire and Medical Department are facing similar challenges

- Population growth
- Overall increased calls for service
- Mental Health related calls increasing
- Geographical issues as East side of the City becomes more populated
- Call concurrency as West side of the City becomes more populated

## Sales Tax Rates In the City of Mesa Total of 8.05%



# Sales Tax - Current Rate Structure

<u>Fund</u>	<u>Rate</u>	<u>FY 18/19 Forecast Revenues</u>	<u>FY 19/20 Forecast Revenues</u>
General Fund	1.20%	\$116.9M	\$121.7M
Quality of Life	0.25%	\$24.4M	\$25.4M
Local Streets	0.30%	\$29.2M	\$30.4M
<b>Total – Current Rates</b>	<b>1.75%</b>	<b>\$170.5M</b>	<b>\$177.5M</b>

# Impact of Increased Sales Tax

## 0.25% Rate Adj (2.0% Total City Rate)

	FY 18/19*	FY 19/20	FY 20/21**	FY 21/22	FY 22/23
Retail	\$4.3	\$13.2	\$12.7	\$12.9	\$13.6
Rental	1.4	4.1	4.1	4.3	4.4
Rest & Bar	0.8	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.6
Utilities	0.6	2.1	2.2	2.2	2.2
Miscellaneous	0.4	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2
Contracting	0.9	2.5	2.3	2.1	2.4
Total	\$8.4	\$25.5	\$24.9	\$25.2	\$26.4

\* FY 18/19 assumes March 1, 2019 effective date

\*\* Includes economic correction

# Allocation of Increased Sales Tax

## 60/40 Split of Projected Incremental Revenue

	FY 18/19*	FY 19/20	FY 20/21**	FY 21/22	FY 22/23
Police	\$5.0	\$15.3	\$14.9	\$15.1	\$15.9
Fire and Medical	\$3.4	\$10.2	\$10.0	\$10.1	\$10.5
Total	\$8.4	\$25.5	\$24.9	\$25.2	\$26.4

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# Public Safety Operational Resources

- Police Department
  - Sworn Officer/Sergeant in FY 22/23 \$166K - \$217K
  - Civilian Patrol Support in FY 22/23 \$69K - \$110K
  - \$15M estimated to cover about 65 positions and related expenses
- Fire and Medical Department
  - Sworn Fire Fighter/Captain in FY 22/23 \$167K - \$215K
  - Civilian Technical Support in FY 22/23 \$83K - \$117K
  - \$10M estimated to cover about 45 positions and related expenses
- Some one-time/lifecycle needs addressed while phasing in staff
  - Driving track, CAD replacement, heart monitor replacements, etc.



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# Sales Tax Rate Comparison

City Rate Comparison	Retail	Contracting	Utilities	Food
Chandler	1.50%	1.50%	<b>2.75%</b>	1.50%
Gilbert	1.50%	1.50%	1.50%	1.50%
Scottsdale	1.65%	1.65%	1.65%	1.65%
Mesa	1.75%	1.75%	1.75%	<b>0.00%</b>
Peoria	1.80%	1.80%	<b>3.30%</b>	<b>1.60%</b>
Tempe	1.80%	1.80%	1.80%	1.80%
Surprise	2.20%	<b>3.70%</b>	2.20%	<b>0.00%</b>
Queen Creek	2.25%	<b>4.25%</b>	2.25%	2.25%
Phoenix	2.30%	2.30%	<b>2.70%</b>	<b>0.00%</b>
Apache Junction	2.40%	2.40%	<b>3.40%</b>	2.40%
Avondale	2.50%	2.50%	2.50%	2.50%
Goodyear	2.50%	<b>3.50%</b>	2.50%	<b>2.00%</b>
Fountain Hills	2.60%	2.60%	2.60%	2.60%
Glendale	2.90%	2.90%	2.90%	<b>2.50%</b>
Buckeye	3.00%	3.00%	3.00%	3.00%
Carefree	3.00%	<b>4.00%</b>	3.00%	<b>2.00%</b>
Cave Creek	3.00%	<b>5.00%</b>	3.00%	3.00%