CITY OF BUCKEYE, ARIZONA



IMPACT FEE SPECIAL REPORT

FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2014



CITY OF BUCKEYE FINANCE DEPARTMENT

August 28, 2014

City of Buckeye Clerk and interested constituents:

The Finance Department of the City of Buckeye has prepared the annual report for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2014 on the sources and uses of impact (development) fees as required by Arizona Revised Statutes.

Arizona Revised Statutes §9-463.05.G requires that any municipality that assesses impact (development) fees must submit an annual report that includes the following information:

The amount assessed by the municipality for each type of development fee;

- The balance of each fund maintained for each type of development fee assessed as of the beginning and end of the fiscal year;
- The amount of interest or other earnings on the monies in each fund as of the end of the fiscal year;
- The amount of development fee monies used to repay:
- Bonds issued by the municipality to pay the cost of a capital improvement project that is the subject of a development fee assessment;
- Monies advanced by the municipality from funds other than the funds established for development fees in order to pay the cost of a capital improvement project that is the subject of a development fee assessment;
- The amount of development fee monies spent on each capital improvement project that is the subject of a development fee assessment and the physical location of each capital improvement project; and
- The amount of development fee monies spent for each purpose other than a capital improvement project that is the subject of a development fee assessment.

This required report must be submitted to the city clerk within ninety days following the end of each fiscal year. Copies are to be made available to the public on request. The City intends to make this report available on its web site at www.buckeyeaz.gov, select Departments, select Finance, select Reports. State statutes provide that the annual report may contain financial information that has not been audited.

Arizona statutes, Section 9-463.05(B) allow municipalities to impose certain fees called impact or development fees for the purpose of providing a revenue stream to provide necessary public infrastructure to meet the needs of new development, a concept sometimes referred to as "growth pays for growth". While impact fees are assessed only against new development, some necessary public infrastructure may also require the use of general revenues when the infrastructure benefits both new development and existing residents, such as the construction of a regional park. A copy of A.R.S. Section 9-463.05 with those requirements is attached as part of this report.

As impact fees are collected, Arizona statutes require that they be deposited in a separate fund. Impact fees may be used only for the purpose(s) for which they were assessed and collected. Impact fees are generally used for capital improvements or similar capital

expenditures directly attributable to new growth and development. Impact fees cannot be used for maintenance of those capital improvements or general governmental operations.

IMPACT FEE CATEGORIES

The City of Buckeye assesses and collects impact fees in support of the following categories of government services:

- Water System construction, expansion and improvements;
- Waste Water System (sewer) construction, expansion and improvements;
- Fire and Emergency Medical services;
- Police services:
- Parks and Recreation construction, expansion and improvements;
- Library construction, expansion and improvements;
- Streets construction, expansion and improvements; and
- General Government (collected only until December 2011).

The City Council adopted new Impact Fees based on Senate Bill 1525. These new impact fees will be in effect August 1, 2014. Ordinance 09-14 adopts the new fees by reference and incorporates it into the City Code as Chapter 18.

The Finance Department welcomes your comments and inquiries throughout the year.

Respectfully,

City of Buckeye Finance Department

CITY OF BUCKEYE, ARIZONA UNAUDITED IMPACT FEE SUMMARY

For FY 2013-2014

	7/1/2013 Beginning Balance	Rev	FY 2013 enues	4 enditures	(6/30/2014 Ending Balance
Water	\$ 5,058,529	\$	72,306	\$ 57,393	\$	5,073,442
Wastewater	4,499,544		436,031	81,279		4,854,296
Fire	3,418,436		841,612	1,636,334		2,623,714
Police	400,593		293,210	9,055		684,748
Parks	3,901,877		542,934	332,729		4,112,082
Library	1,677,129		80,955	92,177		1,665,907
Streets	3,504,647		237,587	162,495		3,579,739
Gen Government	1,499,739		228	150,407		1,349,560
Total	\$ 23,960,494	\$	2,504,863	\$ 2,521,869	\$	23,943,488

The combined total has decreased based on the lower impact fee amounts and the transfer to Festival Fire CIP.

CITY OF BUCKEYE, ARIZONA SCHEDULE OF IMPACT FEE COLLECTIONS AND USES

WATER SYSTEM CONSTRUCTION, EXPANSION and IMPROVEMENTS

	Fiscal Year Ended				
		6/30/2013		6/30/2014	
Sources:					
Impact Fees Collected	\$	26,549	\$	71,496	
Interest Earned	\$	4,722	\$	810	
Total Sources	\$	31,271	\$	72,306	
Uses:					
Mandated Impact Fee Study		6,861		26,142	
Contractual Svc - Buckeye Water Partners		16,940		300	
Rainbow and Roosevelt Utility Canal		1,044		30,951	
Total Uses	\$	24,845	\$	57,393	
Excess/ <deficiency> of Current Sources Over/<under> Current Uses</under></deficiency>		6,426		14,913	
Fund Balance, Beginning July 1		5,052,103		5,058,529	
Fund Balance, Ending June 30	\$	5,058,529	\$	5,073,442	

NOTE: All amounts are unaudited as permitted by ARS §9-463.05(H)

No major project(s) completed during FY 2014

CITY OF BUCKEYE, ARIZONA SCHEDULE OF IMPACT FEE COLLECTIONS AND USES

WASTWATER (SEWER) SYSTEM CONSTRUCTION, EXPANSION and IMPROVEMENTS

	Fisca	al Year Ende	ed
	6/30/2013		6/30/2014
Sources:			
Impact Fees Collected	\$ 345,052	\$	435,801
Interest Earned	\$ 2,704	\$	230
Total Sources	\$ 347,756	\$	436,031
Uses:			
Mandated Impact Fee Study	7,637		30,708
N. Miller Road Sewer Analysis	24,529		5,945
Beloat Wastewater Plant Expansion	2,000,000		
WIFA Bond payment Sewer Expansion	6,000,000		
Reimbursement	250,000		44,626
Total Uses	\$ 8,282,166	\$	81,279
Excess/ <deficiency> of Current Sources Over/<under> Current Uses</under></deficiency>	(7,934,410)		354,752
Fund Balance, Beginning July 1	12,433,954		4,499,544
Fund Balance, Ending June 30	\$ 4,499,544	\$	4,854,296

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No major project(s) completed during FY 2014

CITY OF BUCKEYE, ARIZONA SCHEDULE OF IMPACT FEE COLLECTIONS AND USES FIRE and EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES

			Fiscal Year End	ed	
		6/30/2013		6/30/2014	
Sources:					
Impact Fees Collected	\$	569,222	\$	841,000	
Interest Earned	\$	3,200	\$	612	
Total Sources	\$	572,422	\$	841,612	
Uses:					
Fire Station #3 (Verrado) Building		17,025		-	
Mandated Impact Fee Study		3,754		-	
Radio Tower 180 Ft		28,107		-	
Vehicle Lease Payment		215,109		215,109	
Transfer to Festival CIP Fire Fund				1,408,878	
Preparation for Festival Station				12,347	
Total Uses	\$	263,995	\$	1,636,334	
Excess/ <deficiency> of Current Sources Over/<under> Current Uses</under></deficiency>		308,427		(794,722)	
Fund Balance, Beginning July 1		3,110,009		3,418,436	
Fund Balance, Ending June 30	\$	3,418,436	\$	1,408,878 12,347 \$ 1,636,334 (794,722) 3,418,436	

NOTE: All amounts are unaudited as permitted by ARS §9-463.05(H)

Major project(s) completed during FY 2014
Planning and programming started at Sundance Crossings.

CITY OF BUCKEYE, ARIZONA SCHEDULE OF IMPACT FEE COLLECTIONS AND USES POLICE SERVICES

	Fiscal Year Ended			
		6/30/2013		6/30/2014
Sources:				
Impact Fees Collected	\$	244,638	\$	293,183
Interest Earned	\$	9		
Transfer from General Fund	\$	386,991	\$	27
Total Sources	\$	631,638	\$	293,210
Uses:				
Communication Equipment/Software		569,395		-
Mandated Impact Fee Study		2,319		9,055
Total Uses	\$	571,714	\$	9,055
Excess/ <deficiency> of Current Sources Over/<under> Current Uses</under></deficiency>		59,924		284,155
Fund Balance, Beginning July 1		340,669		400,593
Fund Balance, Ending June 30	\$	400,593	\$	684,748

NOTE: All amounts are unaudited as permitted by ARS §9-463.05(H)

Major project(s) completed during FY 2014 Planning and programming started at Sundance Crossings.

CITY OF BUCKEYE, ARIZONA SCHEDULE OF IMPACT FEE COLLECTIONS AND USES

PARKS and RECREATION CONSTRUCTION, EXPANSION and IMPROVEMENT

	Fi	scal Year End	ed
	6/30/2013		6/30/2014
Sources:			
Impact Fees Collected	\$ 479,088	\$	542,301
Interest Earned	\$ 3,979	\$	633
Total Sources	\$ 483,067	\$	542,934
Uses:			
Community Park (Sundance) and Equipment	2,163,493		-
Skyline Park	57,737		301,654
Mandated Impact Fee Study	4,845		24,596
City Lake			6,479
Total Uses	\$ 2,226,075	\$	332,729
Excess/ <deficiency> of Current Sources Over/<under> Current Uses</under></deficiency>	(1,743,008)		210,205
Fund Balance, Beginning July 1	5,644,885		3,901,877
Fund Balance, Ending June 30	\$ 3,901,877	\$	4,112,082

NOTE: All amounts are unaudited as permitted by ARS §9-463.05(H)

Major project(s) completed during FY 2014

No project was completed, but work on the Skyline Park continues.

CITY OF BUCKEYE, ARIZONA SCHEDULE OF IMPACT FEE COLLECTIONS AND USES

LIBRARY CONSTRUCTION, EXPANSION and IMPROVEMENTS

Fiscal Year Ended 6/30/2013 6/30/2014 Sources: **Impact Fees Collected** \$ 71,280 80,685 Interest Earned \$ \$ 2,109 270 \$ \$ 80,955 **Total Sources** 73,389 **Uses:** Property Purchase Yuma and Dean 514,136 Plan and Program for Yuma and Dean 88,788 Mandated Impact Fee Study 3,389 4,193 \$ 518,329 \$ 92,177 **Total Uses** Excess/<Deficiency> of Current Sources (444,940)(11,222)Over/<Under> Current Uses Fund Balance, Beginning July 1 2,122,069 1,677,129 Fund Balance, Ending June 30 1,677,129 1,665,907

NOTE: All amounts are unaudited as permitted by ARS §9-463.05(H)

Major project(s) completed during FY 2014
Planning and programming started at Sundance Crossings.

CITY OF BUCKEYE, ARIZONA SCHEDULE OF IMPACT FEE COLLECTIONS AND USES

STREETS CONSTRUCTION, EXPANSION and IMPROVEMENTS

Fiscal Year Ended 6/30/2013 6/30/2014 Sources: **Impact Fees Collected** \$ 188,753 237,019 Interest Earned \$ \$ 3,420 568 \$ \$ 192,173 237,587 **Total Sources Uses:** I-10 Miller Road / Interchange Report 146,402 27,211 Capital purchase (new truck) 104,333 381,263 Mandated Impact Fee Study 6,963 30,951 \$ 534,628 \$ 162,495 **Total Uses** Excess/<Deficiency> of Current Sources (342,455)75,092 Over/<Under> Current Uses Fund Balance, Beginning July 1 3,847,102 3,504,647 Fund Balance, Ending June 30 3,504,647 3,579,739

NOTE: All amounts are unaudited as permitted by ARS §9-463.05(H)

No major project(s) completed during FY 2014

CITY OF BUCKEYE, ARIZONA SCHEDULE OF IMPACT FEE COLLECTIONS AND USES GENERAL GOVERNMENT

		Fiscal Year End	led
	6/30/2013		6/30/2014
Sources:			
Impact Fees Collected	\$ -	\$	-
Interest Earned	\$ 2,193	\$	228
Total Sources	\$ 2,193	\$	228
Uses:			
Contractual Services	2,335		-
Property Purchase Yuma and Dean	713,375		
Plan and Program Yuma and Dean			64,371
Mandated Impact Fee Study	61,649		83,816
Regional Cost Reimbursement Matrix	20,118		2,220
Total Uses	\$ 797,477	\$	150,407
Excess/ <deficiency> of Current Sources Over/<under> Current Uses</under></deficiency>	(795,284)		(150,179)
Fund Balance, Beginning July 1	2,295,023		1,499,739
Fund Balance, Ending June 30	\$ 1,499,739	\$	1,349,560

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Major project(s) completed during FY 2014

Purchase Sundance Crossings at Yuma and Dean completed.

Planning and programming started at Sundance Crossings.

EXHIBIT A TO ORDINANCE NO. 39-11

[Revised Development Impact Fee Schedule]

See following pages.

Water, Wastewater, Water Resources, and Reclaimed Water Development Fees

Zone 4 and Zone 5 do not have any utility infrastructure planned for the period covered by the June 2009 Development Fee Study and, therefore, no water, wastewater, water resources or reclaimed water fees have been assessed. Prior to any new construction in Zone 4 and Zone 5 requiring utility infrastructure, a revised infrastructure improvements plan and development fee study will be required to be established the appropriate fee for each.

Zone 1

All Development Meter Size/Type (inches)	Water	Wastewater	Water Resources	Recisimed Water	Total
1.0 or less (all types)	\$3,395	\$4,042	\$294	\$127	\$7,858
1.5 Displacement	4,243	5,053	370	160	9,826
2.0 Displacement	8,487	10,105	740	320	19,652
2.0 Comp or Turb.	13,579	16,169	1,180	510	31,438
3.0 Compound	27,158	32,338	2,350	1,020	62,866
3.0 Turbine	29,704	35,369	2,570	1,110	68,754
4.0 Compound	42,435	50,527	3,680	1,590	98,232
4.0 Turbine	50,922	60,633	4,410	1,910	117,875
6.0 Compound	84,870	101,055	7,350	3,180	196,454
6.0 Turbine	106,087	126,319	9,190	3,970	245,566
8.0 Compound	135,791	161,688	11,760	5,080	314,319
8.0 Turbine	152,765	181,899	13,230	5,720	353,614

Zone 2

All Development Meter Size/Type (inches)	Water	Wastewater	Water Resources	Reclaimed Water	Total
1.0 or less (all types)	\$2,280	\$5,861	\$294	\$127	\$8,562
1.5 Displacement	2,850	7,326	370	160	10,706
2.0 Displacement	5,700	14,652	740	320	21,412
2.0 Comp or Turb.	9,121	23,443	1,180	510	34,253
3.0 Compound	18,241	46,886	2,350	. 1,020	68,497
3.0 Turbine	19,951	51,281	2,570	1,110	74,913
4.0 Compound	28,502	73,259	3,680	1,590	107,031
4.0 Turbine	34,202	87,911	4,410	1,910	128,433
6.0 Compound	57.004	146,518	7,350	3,180	214,051
6.0 Turbine	71.254	183,147	9,190	3,970	267,562
8.0 Compound	91,206	234,429	11,760	5,080	342,474
8.0 Turbine	102,606	263,732	13,230	5,720	385,289

Zone 3

All Development Meter Size/Type (inches)	Water	Wastewater	Water Resources	Reclaimed Water	Total
1.0 or less (all types)	\$4,472	\$4,313	\$294	\$127	\$9,206
1.5 Displacement	5,590	5,391	370	160	11,511
2.0 Displacement	11,180	10,782	740	320	23,022
2.0 Comp or Turb.	17,888	17,252	1,180	510	36,829
3.0 Compound	35,775	34,504	2,350	1,020	73,649
3.0 Turbine	39,129	37,738	2,570	1,110	80,547
4.0 Compound	55,898	53,912	3,680	1,590	115,081
4.0 Turbine	67,078	64,695	4,410	1,910	138,093
6.0 Compound	111,797	107,824	7,350	3,180	230.151
6.0 Turbine	139,746	134,780	9,190	3,970	287,686
8.0 Compound	178,875	172,519	11,760	5,080	368,234
8.0 Turbine	201,235	194,084	13,230	5,720	414,268

Non-Utility Development Fees – Library, Park, Police, Fire, and General Government All Zones

Residential (per unit)	Parks & Recreation	Library	Police	Fire/EM\$	Streets	General Government	Total
Single Family Detached	\$1,109	\$165	\$506	\$1,178	\$246	\$0	\$3,204
All other Housing Types	\$832	\$124	\$380	\$884	\$124	\$0	\$2,344
Nonresidential (per 1,000 sf)							
Com / Shop Ctr 25,000 SF or less	NA	NA	\$592	\$1,378	\$1,619	\$0	\$3,589
Com / Shop Ctr 25,001-50,000 SF	NA NA	NA	\$592	\$1,378	\$1,501	\$0	\$3,471
Com / Shop Ctr 50,001- 100,000 SF	NA	NA	\$592	\$1,378	\$1,314	\$0	\$3,284
Com / Shop Ctr 100,001-200,000 SF	NA NA	NA	\$592	\$1,378	\$1,137	\$0	\$3,107
Com / Shop Ctr over 200,000 SF	NA NA	NA	\$592	\$1,378	\$976	\$0	\$2,946
Office / Inst 10,000 SF or less	NA	NA	\$592	\$1,378	\$756	\$0	\$2,726
Office / Inst 10,001-25,000 SF	NA NA	NA	\$592	\$1,378	\$612	\$0	\$2,582
Office / Inst 25,001-50,000 SF	NA	NA	\$592	\$1,378	\$522	\$0	\$2,492
Office / Inst 50,001-100,000 SF	NA	NΑ	\$592	\$1,378	\$445	. \$0	\$2,415
Office / Inst over 100,000 SF	NA NA	NA	\$592	\$1,378	\$379	\$0	\$2,349
Business Park	NA	NA	\$592	\$1,378	\$425	\$0	\$2,395
Light Industrial	NA ·	NA	\$415	\$965	\$232	\$0	\$1,612
Warehouse	NA NA	NA.	\$415	\$965	\$165	\$0	\$1,545
Manufacturing	NA	NA.	\$415	\$965	\$127	\$0	\$1,507

- 9-463.05. <u>Development fees; imposition by cities and towns; infrastructure improvements plan; annual report; limitation on actions; definition</u>
- A. A municipality may assess development fees to offset costs to the municipality associated with providing necessary public services to a development, including the costs of infrastructure, improvements, real property, engineering and architectural services, financing, other capital costs and associated appurtenances, equipment, vehicles, furnishings and other personalty.
- B. Development fees assessed by a municipality under this section are subject to the following requirements:
- 1. Development fees shall result in a beneficial use to the development.
- 2. Monies received from development fees assessed pursuant to this section shall be placed in a separate fund and accounted for separately and may only be used for the purposes authorized by this section. Monies received from a development fee identified in an infrastructure improvements plan adopted or amended pursuant to subsection D of this section shall be used to provide the same category of necessary public service for which the development fee was assessed. Interest earned on monies in the separate fund shall be credited to the fund.
- 3. The schedule for payment of fees shall be provided by the municipality. The municipality shall provide a credit toward the payment of a development fee for the required dedication of public sites, improvements and other necessary public services included in the infrastructure improvements plan and for which a development fee is assessed, to the extent the public sites, improvements and necessary public services are provided by the developer. The developer of residential dwelling units shall be required to pay development fees when construction permits for the dwelling units are issued, or at a later time if specified in a development agreement pursuant to section 9-500.05. If a development agreement provides for fees to be paid at a time later than the issuance of construction permits, the deferred fees shall be paid no later than fifteen days after the issuance of a certificate of occupancy. The development agreement shall provide for the value of any deferred fees to be supported by appropriate security, including a surety bond, letter of credit or cash bond.
- 4. The amount of any development fees assessed pursuant to this section must bear a reasonable relationship to the burden imposed upon the municipality to provide additional necessary public services to the development. The municipality, in determining the extent of the burden imposed by the development, shall consider, among other things, the contribution made or to be made in the future in cash or by taxes, fees or assessments by the property owner towards the capital costs of the necessary public service covered by the development fee.
- 5. If development fees are assessed by a municipality, such fees shall be assessed in a nondiscriminatory
- 6. In determining and assessing a development fee applying to land in a community facilities district established under title 48, chapter 4, article 6, the municipality shall take into account all public infrastructure provided by the district and capital costs paid by the district for necessary public services and shall not assess a portion of the development fee based on the infrastructure or costs.
- C. A municipality shall give at least sixty days' advance notice of intention to assess a new or modified development fee and shall release to the public a written report that identifies the methodology for calculating the amount of the development fee, explains the relationship between the development fee and the infrastructure improvements plan, includes documentation that supports the assessment of a new or modified development fee and identifies any index or indices to be used for automatic adjustment of the development fee pursuant to subsection F of this section and the timing of those adjustments. The municipality shall conduct a public hearing on the proposed new or modified development fee at any time after the expiration of the sixty day notice of intention to assess a new or modified development fee and at least thirty days prior to the scheduled date of adoption of the new or modified fee by the governing body. A development fee assessed pursuant to this section shall not be effective until seventy-five days

after its formal adoption by the governing body of the municipality. Nothing in this subsection shall affect any development fee adopted prior to July 24, 1982.

- D. Before the assessment of a new or modified development fee, the governing body of the municipality shall adopt or amend an infrastructure improvements plan. The municipality shall conduct a public hearing on the infrastructure improvements plan at least thirty days before the adoption or amendment of the plan. The municipality shall release the plan to the public, make available to the public the documents used to prepare the plan and provide public notice at least sixty days before the public hearing, subject to the following:
- 1. An infrastructure improvements plan may be adopted concurrently with the report required by subsection C of this section, and the municipality may provide for and schedule the notices and hearings required by this subsection together with the notices and hearings required by subsection C of this section.
- 2. A municipality may amend an infrastructure improvements plan without a public hearing if the amendment addresses only elements of necessary public services that are included in the existing infrastructure improvements plan. The municipality shall provide public notice of those amendments at least fourteen days in advance of their effective date.
- E. For each necessary public service that is the subject of a development fee, the infrastructure improvements plan shall:
- 1. Estimate future necessary public services that will be required as a result of new development and the basis for the estimate.
- 2. Forecast the costs of infrastructure, improvements, real property, financing, other capital costs and associated appurtenances, equipment, vehicles, furnishings and other personalty that will be associated with meeting those future needs for necessary public services and estimate the time required to finance and provide the necessary public services.
- F. A municipality may automatically adjust a development fee on an annual basis without a public hearing if the adjustment is based on a nationally recognized index applicable to the cost of the necessary public service that is the subject of the development fee and the adjustment mechanism is identified in the report required by subsection C of this section. The municipality shall provide public notice of those adjustments at least thirty days in advance of their effective date.
- G. Each municipality that assesses development fees shall submit an annual report accounting for the collection and use of the fees. The annual report shall include the following:
- 1. The amount assessed by the municipality for each type of development fee.
- 2. The balance of each fund maintained for each type of development fee assessed as of the beginning and end of the fiscal year.
- 3. The amount of interest or other earnings on the monies in each fund as of the end of the fiscal year.
- 4. The amount of development fee monies used to repay:
- (a) Bonds issued by the municipality to pay the cost of a capital improvement project that is the subject of a development fee assessment.
- (b) Monies advanced by the municipality from funds other than the funds established for development fees in order to pay the cost of a capital improvement project that is the subject of a development fee assessment.
- 5. The amount of development fee monies spent on each capital improvement project that is the subject of a development fee assessment and the physical location of each capital improvement project.
- 6. The amount of development fee monies spent for each purpose other than a capital improvement project that is the subject of a development fee assessment.
- H. Within ninety days following the end of each fiscal year, each municipality shall submit a copy of the annual report to the city clerk. Copies shall be made available to the public on request. The annual report may contain financial information that has not been audited.
- I. A municipality that fails to file the report required by this section shall not collect development fees until the report is filed.

- J. Any action to collect a development fee shall be commenced within two years after the obligation to pay the fee accrues.
- K. For the purposes of this section, "infrastructure improvements plan" means one or more written plans that individually or collectively identify each public service that is proposed to be the subject of a development fee and otherwise complies with the requirements of this section, and may be the municipality's capital improvements plan.