# REVISED MINNESOTA'S

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**COVID-19 RECOVERY BUDGET** 



2022-2023 BUDGET RECOMMENDATIONS

## **Budget Priorities**



**Ensuring students catch up on learning** 



**Supporting working families** 



Supporting small businesses and driving economic recovery



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Projected Budget Shortfall	Projected Surplus		
Uses \$1.53 Billion of the Budget Reserve (Includes \$491 Million Transfer Required by Law)	Restores Full Reserve*		
Caps Stadium Reserve at \$100 Million	Caps Stadium Reserve at \$100 Million		
Net New Investments: \$1.3 Billion	Net New Investments: \$1.61 Billion  Reductions: \$85 Million		
Reductions: \$150 Million			
Net New Revenue: \$1.66 Billion	Net New Revenue: \$670 Million		

Tax Cuts for Working Families: \$230 Million

Tax Cuts for Working Families and Small Businesses:

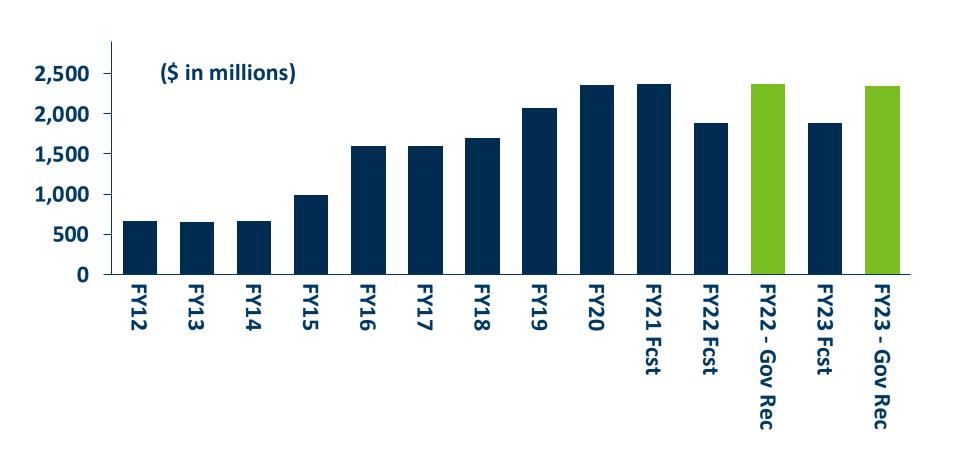
\$1 Billion

\*\$34 Million to Backfill for Revising BRC Proposals

# FY 2022-23 Revised Budget

(\$ in millions)	February FY 2022-23	Revised March FY 2022-23	\$ Change
Beginning Balance	\$3,748	\$3,542	\$(206)
Revenues	50,917	51,582	\$666
Spending	50,657	52,270	\$1,613
Budget Reserve	1,886	2,343	457
Cash Flow Account	350	350	-
Stadium Reserve	201	100	(101)
<b>Budgetary Balance</b>	\$1,571	\$61	\$(1,510)

# **Restores the Budget Reserve**



### Reductions to Previous Revenue Proposals

- Removes Cigarette Tax Increase
- Removes Estate Tax Increase
- Reduces Corporate Franchise Tax Rate Increase from 11.25% to 10.8%

### **Additional Tax Cuts for Working Families**

### Builds on the Success of the Working Family Credit

- Expands eligibility for 19 and 20 year-olds
- Expands the tax credit for low-wage working adults, who do not claim dependents
- Increases the maximum credit amount and phase-outs for each of the brackets

### Property Tax Refund Modifications

- Expands the maximum property tax refund available for renters
- Excludes veterans disability compensation from income used to determine property tax refunds for renters and homeowners
- Eliminates Income Taxes on Unemployment Insurance Benefits for Benefits up to \$10,200

# Adopts Federal Changes for Individuals and Small Business

- Adopts modified conformity for the Shuttered Venues Operators Grant and the Paycheck Protection Programs to exclude the first \$350,000 from income for forgiven loan amounts.
- Provides additional funding for Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) grants for taxpayer assistance.
- Adopts additional federal changes that benefit individuals and businesses, including:
  - rules for depreciating equipment and business deductions,
  - expansion of charitable contribution limits,
  - natural disaster relief provisions,
  - exclusion of discharge of indebtedness on principal residence, and
  - deduction for tuition and fees.

# Reduction Decreases and Additional Investments

#### K-12 Education

- Provides additional funding for Compensatory Aid
- Provides expanded access to tutoring services

### Higher Education

Additional funding for Minnesota State

### Public Safety/Corrections

- Eliminates the reduction to county grants for community services and provides a funding increase
- Additional funding for State Patrol operations
- Provides funding for MN Heals grants

#### Health and Human Services

- Eliminates TANF Refinancing and reinvests those dollars in families affected by COVID
- Restores funding for Medical Education and Research Costs (MERC)

# Spending By Bill Area – General Fund

(\$ in millions)	FY 2021	FY 2022-23	FY 2024-25
E-12 Education	\$83	\$745	\$1,078
Higher Education	(4)	170	210
Property Tax Aids & Credits	0	49	79
Health & Human Services	42	214	178
Public Safety & Judiciary	50	147	132
Transportation	14	25	13
Environment	3	41	25
Agriculture & Housing	(1)	24	2
Jobs, Economic Development & Commerce	47	80	16
State Government & Veterans	(5)	66	65
Debt Service	0	4	5
Capital Projects & Grants	0	48	33
Total	\$229	\$1,613	\$1,837