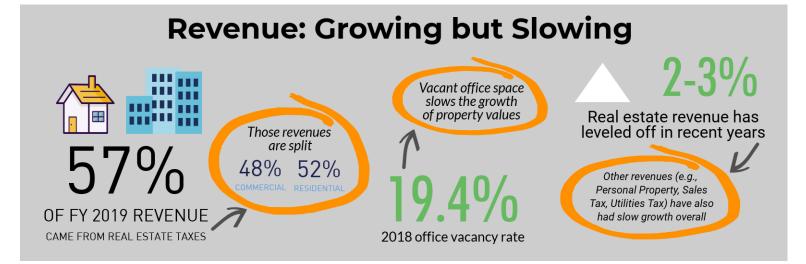
UNDERSTANDING ARLINGTON'S FY2020 BUDGET

Another tough decision-making process lies ahead for Arlington County, as it looks to balance revenues and expenditures for the coming fiscal year.

\$20M-\$35M GAP ANTICIPATED IN THE FY2020 BUDGET

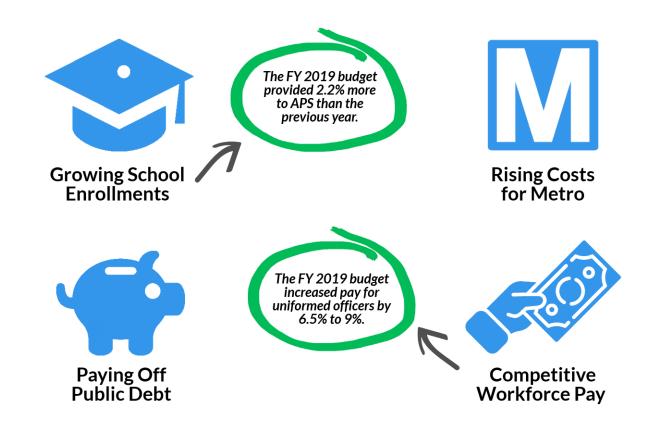


Revenue growth for FY 2020 is not keeping pace with growth in basic costs.



Additional Budget Challenges

For the next several years, Arlington County must continue to address growing budget pressures as it maintains its commitment to fund County and community priorities.



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Closing the Gap

Addressing the shortfall in the FY 2020 could require cuts to County services. Schools, public safety, and human services make up more than half of the overall budget.

\$1.276B

TOTAL IN FY 2019

*1.8% increase over previous year





Schools \$500.83M



Environmental Services \$99.17M



Debt/Capital \$67.8M



Metro \$40.6M



Public Safety \$146.47M



Constitutional Officers & Courts \$75.55M



Parks & Rec, Libraries \$56.75M



Planning & Development \$20.18M



Human Services \$138.91M



Non-Departmental/ Regional Funds \$72.8M



Management & Administration \$50.5M

Revenue Options on the Table

Avoiding significant service cuts would require raising taxes or fees, potentially including taxes on residential and commercial real estate. Here's what that would mean.

CURRENT REAL ESTATE TAX RATE \$0.993

per \$100 of assessed value
*\$1.006 with stormwater tax included



- / Yields **\$7.6M** in revenue
- Adds **\$63/year** to the average homeowner's tax bill

WHAT WE NEED FROM YOU

There are two key public input opportunities in the budget process.



Proposed budget released **February 2019** County Board gathers feedback Feb.-April 2019

County Board adopts final budget **April 2019**

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