



Henrietta Fire District

2026 Budget Hearing
October 21, 2025



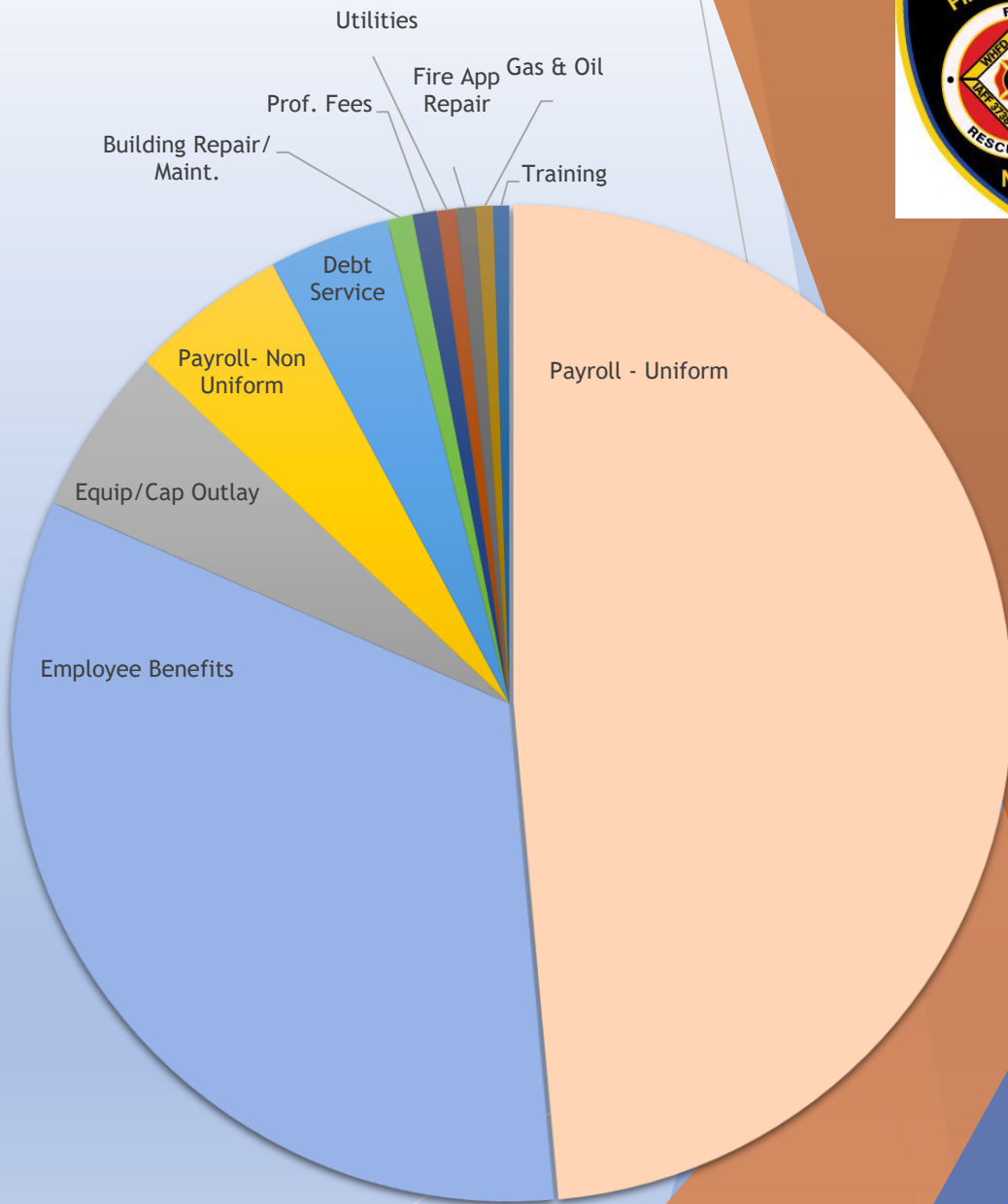
2026 Tax Cap Summary				
	2025 Tax Levy	\$ 20,942,910.00		
x	Tax base growth factor	1.0113		
+	2024 PILOT	\$ 54,000.00		
x	Allowable levy growth factor	1.02		
-	Anticipated 2025 PILOT	\$ 55,000.00		
+	Carryover	-		
=	2026 Tax Levy Limit	\$ 21,603,236.00		
	2026 Proposed Tax Levy- approved 9/16/25	\$ 21,580,401.00		
	Difference= Under the tax cap	\$ 22,835.00		



Account	Revenue Category	2025	2026
A2401	Interest Income *	\$ 200,000.00	\$ 330,000.00
A2701	Refunds of Expenditures / Misc.	\$ 20,000.00	\$ 0.00
A2702	Insurance Reimbursements	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 30,000.00
A2705	Gifts & Donations	\$ 50,000.00	\$ 50,000.00
A1081	PILOT Income	\$ 54,000.00	\$ 55,000.00
Sta. 6	Inter-fund Transfer	\$ 250,000.00	\$ 300,000.00
	Revenue Total	\$ 584,000.00	\$ 765,000.00
	* Favorable rates on CD's		
A5031	Appropriated Fund Balance	\$ -	\$ 1,317,000.00



2026 Proposed Appropriations		\$ 23,662,401
Expense by Category		
	2026 Proposed	% of total Budget
Payroll - Uniform	\$ 10,381,000.00	43.88%
Employee Benefits	\$ 7,966,000.00	33.67%
Equip/Cap Outlay/Reserves	\$ 1,962,000.00	8.30%
Payroll- Non-Uniform	\$ 939,000.00	3.97%
Debt Service	\$ 791,501.00	3.34%
Building Repair/Maintenance	\$ 191,000.00	0.81%
Utilities	\$ 172,200.00	0.73%
Fire Apparatus/Vehicle Repair	\$ 170,000.00	0.72%
Training	\$ 128,000.00	0.54%
Gas & Oil	\$ 125,000.00	0.53%
Professional Fees, Legal	\$ 99,500.00	0.42%
	\$ 22,925,201.00	96.92%
	Top 11 expense categories account for 97% of the total budget	





Account	Expense Detail	2025	2026	Diff
	Salary - Uniform	\$ 9,637,000.00	\$ 10,381,000.00	\$ 744,000.00
	Salary - Non-Uniform	\$ 800,000.00	\$ 939,000.00	\$ 139,000.00
A3401.1	Total Personnel	\$ 10,437,000.00	\$ 11,320,000.00	\$ 883,000.00
	Truck Capital Reserves	\$ 500,000.00	\$ 1,044,000.00	\$ 544,000.00
	Building Capital Reserves	\$ 150,000.00	\$ 175,000.00	\$ 25,000
A3401.2	Equipment	\$ 648,000.00	\$ 743,000.00	\$ 95,000.00
A3410.4	Contractural Expenses	\$ 1,620,550.00	\$ 1,622,900.00	\$ 2,350.00
A9010.8	State Retirement	\$ 135,000.00	\$ 176,000.00	\$ 41,000.00
A9015	Fire & Police Retirement	\$ 3,000,000.00	\$ 3,307,000.00	\$ 307,000.00
A9025.8	Local Service Award	\$ 164,000.00	\$ 175,000.00	\$ 11,000.00
A9030.8	Social Security	\$ 834,960.00	\$ 906,000.00	\$ 71,040.00
A9040.8	Workers' Compensation	\$ 183,700.00	\$ 187,000.00	\$ 3,300.00
A9085.8	Hospital, Medical, Dental Ins	\$ 2,950,000.00	\$ 3,120,000.00	\$ 170,000.00
A9040.4	Accidental Ins. -Volunteers	\$ 13,000.00	\$ 11,000.00	\$ (2,000.00)
A9045.8	Life Insurance	\$ 61,000.00	\$ 65,000.00	\$ 4,000.00
A9055.8	Disability Insurance	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 2,000.00	\$ -
A9608.8	Suppl Retired Disabled Firefighter	\$ 39,800.00	\$ 17,000.00	\$ (22,800.00)
A9710.6	Serial Bonds - Principal	\$ 415,000.00	\$ 430,000.00	\$ 15,000.00
A9710.7	Serial Bonds - Interest	\$ 372,900.00	\$ 361,501.00	\$ (11,399.00)
		\$ 21,526,910.00	\$ 23,662,401.00	\$ 2,135,491.00



Expense Change by Category	2025		2026		\$ Increase	% Increase
BUDGET	\$ 21,526,910.00		\$ 23,662,401.00		\$ 2,135,491.00	9.92%
PR:						
Uniform	\$ 9,637,000.00	45%	\$ 10,381,000.00	44%		
Non-Uniform	\$ 800,000.00	4%	\$ 939,000.00	4%		
Benefits	\$ 7,383,460.00	34%	\$ 7,966,000.00	34%		
	\$ 17,820,460.00	83%	\$ 19,286,000.00	82%	\$ 1,465,540.00	8.1%
Reserves	\$ 650,000.00	3%	\$ 1,219,000.00	5%		
Capital	\$ 648,000.00	3%	\$ 743,000.00	3%		
Debt	\$ 787,900.00	4%	\$ 791,501.00	3%		
	\$ 2,085,900.00	10%	\$ 2,753,501.00	12%	\$ 667,601.00	32%
Contractual	\$ 1,620,550.00	8%	\$ 1,622,900.00	7%	\$ 2,350.00	.1%
TAX LEVY	\$ 20,942,910.00		\$ 21,580,401.00		\$ 637,491.00	3%



2025 Tax Rate was \$3.475 per thousand		
2026 Proposed Tax Rate = \$2.806 per thousand		
This is a decrease of \$.669 from 2025		
		Exceeded
Rate History:	Per 1,000	Tax Cap
2022	3.18	No
2023	3.35	Y
2024	3.30	Y
2025	3.475	Y
Proposed 2026	2.806	No

	Tax Rate/1,000		Avg. home value	Annual cost
2025	\$ 3.475		\$ 200,000.00	\$ 695.00
2025	\$ 2.806		\$ 250,000.00	\$ 701.50
	2026 estimated annual cost increase			\$ 6.50



Fund Balance	2025 Estimate	Notes
	At 10/20/25	
Assigned Appropriated Fund Balance	\$ 1,317,000.00	Any excess funds would be used to offset the 2025 Tax Levy
Unassigned Unappropriated Fund Balance	\$ 3,308,865.00	These funds remain unassigned/unallocated per the District's Fund Balance Policy (target 15% of budget)
TOTAL	\$ 4,625,865.00	
Estimated Reserve Balances*		Notes
Truck Capital Reserve	\$ 697,500.00	Reserve funds at year end for purchase/major repair of apparatus
Cap Bldg & Improvement Reserve	\$ 740,000.00	Reserve funds at year end for significant facilities projects
TOTAL	\$ 1,435,000.00	
* Expenditures from these reserve accounts are subject to a permissive referendum		