We promised to build a long-term, sustainable budget

And we kept that promise.

- Built up our reserves
- Balanced budget without cutting critical services
- Did not raise taxes on DE families or businesses
- Did not borrow money
- Did not lay off state employees or cut pay
- Maintained triple A bond rating
### Year in Review: Sustainable Finances

*Directing surpluses into savings and one-time investments allowed for continuation of essential state services*

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Less Resources: Allows for budget growth
### YEAR IN REVIEW: COVID-19 RESPONSE

**CARES Act Funds:**

$965 million allocated to date

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83% spent supporting Delaware businesses
Our budget continues investments in key areas

**OUR PRIORITIES:**
**FISCAL YEAR 2022**

- **REBUILDING**
  OUR ECONOMY

- **INVESTING**
  IN OUR SCHOOLS

- **STRENGTHENING**
  OUR COMMUNITIES
LONG-TERM FINANCIAL SUSTAINABILITY

FY 2022 Financial Plan

- Appropriates less than 98% of revenues
- Fully funds Rainy Day Fund
- Budget growth within DEFAC 3.5% benchmark
- Allocates $260.5 million to one-time funding in the Capital Budget
- Sets aside $131.0 million in reserve
Revenue Volatility with Stable Budget Growth

FY 22 Forecast

Revenue Resolution Growth  Budget Growth

FY16  FY17  FY18  FY19  FY20  FY21  FY22
✓ Further dedicates significant State funding to address the ongoing pandemic

✓ Substantially increases Opportunity Fund investments in our schools for mental health services and supports for English learners and low-income students

✓ Makes historic investments in clean water, economic development and school construction, including fulfilling our commitment to Wilmington schools

✓ Takes the next steps to provide secure facilities for the Family Court in Kent and Sussex Counties

✓ Provides tax relief for low-income residents and those who lost their jobs as a result of the ongoing pandemic
Providing Tax Relief to Those Most Impacted

**Individuals**

- Exempts 2020 *unemployment insurance* (UI) benefits from State personal income taxes ($25 million over 2 years)
- Creates a state *Refundable Earned Income Tax Credit* (EITC) ($4.5 million)

**Employers**

- Dedicates Coronavirus Relief Funds to *replenish the UI Trust Fund*, protecting employers from future tax increases (~ $225 million to date)
- Exempts UI contributory employers from 2020 COVID-related claims costs ($21 million)
- Saves an estimated 2,000 new employers from pandemic related rate increases
INVESTING IN STATEWIDE SCHOOL INFRASTRUCTURE

- Wilmington Education Initiatives: $70 million
- Appoquinimink: $31.4 million
- Capital: $34.2 million
- Cape Henlopen: $14.2 million
- Indian River: $34.6 million
PREPARING FOR THE ECONOMY OF THE FUTURE

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

$50 MILLION

STRATEGIC FUND
$20 MILLION

SITE READINESS
$10 MILLION

GRADUATION LAB SPACE
$10 MILLION

TRANSPORTATION INFRASTRUCTURE FUND
$10 MILLION
CLEAN WATER FOR ALL DELAWAREANS

CLEAN WATER INITIATIVE

$50 MILLION

ESTABLISH CLEAN WATER TRUST FUND

CLEAN WATER STATE REVOLVING FUND $22.5 MILLION

DRINKING WATER STATE REVOLVING FUND $22.5 MILLION

RESOURCE, CONSERVATION AND DEVELOPMENT $5 MILLION
INVESTING IN DOWNSTATE JUDICIAL FACILITIES

$50 MILLION

NEW KENT & SUSSEX FAMILY COURT FACILITIES
### General Fund Operating Budget
- GF Operating Budget Growth 3.5%
- **Total**: $4,706.0 M

### Grants-in-Aid
- **Total**: $55.5 M

### Bond and Capital Improvements Act
- State Capital Projects: $517.3 M
  - GO Bonds: $237.7 M
  - Cash: $260.5 M
  - Other: $19.0 M
  - Transportation: $377.1 M
- **Total**: $894.4 M

### One-Time Supplemental
- **Total**: $35.7 M

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The FY 2022 Financial Plan sets aside **$131.0 million** in the Budget Stabilization Fund above the constitutionally mandated set asides.
• $10 million increase in funding for low-income students, English learners and mental health supports

• $60 million annually by 2025 - More than doubles Opportunity Funding for public schools across our state
EDUCATION INVESTMENTS

• Double funding for Early Childhood Assistance Program
  • Expanding access to high-quality early education programs for disadvantaged children by FY24

• Equalize K-3 special education funding by FY24
EDUCATION INVESTMENTS: HIGH-QUALITY EDUCATION

County Ombudsperson

- $1 million to provide intervention regarding disparate discipline, access to school programs, and otherwise unfair treatment of students

Maintain Expansion of Mental Health Supports

- $3 million to replace expiring federal funding for mental health supports initiated in FY 21

Investing in Schools

- $19.9 million - Current year growth and projected school year 2020 – 2021 enrollment growth

Investing in Educators

- $22.4 million - Salary increase and steps for teachers and paraprofessionals
EDUCATION: SUPPORTING HIGHER EDUCATION

• **$30 million** – Funding for *deferred maintenance, capital improvements and technology upgrades* at the University of Delaware, Delaware State University and Delaware Technical Community College

• **$15 million** – Funding for the *Higher Education Economic Development Investment Fund* to improve job growth and economic development

• **$1.1 million** – Expansion of University of Delaware *scholarship funds for resident students*

• **$752,200** – Funding to expand *Social Work* and other programs at Delaware State University

• **$1 million** – *Career Pathways* program at Delaware Technical Community College

• **$769,500** – Funding for first phase of a *compensation stabilization plan* to reduce faculty and staff turnover at Delaware Technical Community College
Providing health care for low-income Delawareans

- $12.5 million – State share of the Medicaid program
- $2 million – Additional funding for the Children’s Health Insurance Program (CHIP) due to reductions in federal funding

Helping those afflicted by substance use

- $810,000 – Funding to expand the Delaware Treatment Referral Network, withdrawal management services and syringe distribution

Providing services in the community for the most vulnerable

- $3.5 million – Funding for community supports for aging and those with disabilities

Supporting our health care workers

- $500,000 – Create the Health Care Provider State Loan Repayment Program
INVESTING IN
SAFETY AND SECURITY

Comprehensive response to the pandemic

- **$30 million** – One time funding to support testing, contact tracing, AND vaccination to fight against COVID-19
- **$3 million** – Matches $8 million in federal funds for an expansion of the Public Health laboratory
- Target remaining **CARES Act funding** to those areas requiring continued support

Providing transparency in policing

- **$3.6 million** in one-time and contingency funding for the development and deployment of body cameras

Quality Forensic Services

- **$482,800** in increased staffing and operating costs for the Division of Forensic Services
WORKFORCE INVESTMENTS

• $22.7 million - $500 increase across the board for state employees
  • Includes funding to phase in a gradual movement to a minimum wage for state employees of $15/hour.

• $14.5 million – Salary steps for Education, Higher Education and state agencies
Improving Schools for All Delaware Children

$185 million – School construction and renovation
$15 million – School building deferred maintenance
$30 million – Higher Education campus improvements

Investing in Small Businesses & Infrastructure

$20 million – Strategic Fund investments to support jobs in DE
$2 million – Delaware Prosperity Partnership
$8 million – Research Collaboration
$10 million – Graduation Lab Space
$15 million – Higher Education Economic Development Fund
$10 million – Transportation Infrastructure Investment Fund
$10 million – Site Readiness Fund
## HIGHLIGHTS: GOVERNOR CARNEY’S FY 2022 CAPITAL BUDGET

### Building Strong Communities
- **$4 million** – Strong Neighborhoods
- **$6 million** – Affordable Housing
- **$5.5 million** – Downtown Development Districts
- **$8 million** – Preserving Historical and Recreational sites
- **$2.75 million** – Libraries
- **$1 million** – Purpose Built Communities

### Protecting Natural Resources for Future Generations
- **$50 million** – Clean Water Trust Fund
- **$10 million** – Open Space
- **$10 million** – Farmland Preservation
- **$5 million** – Beach Preservation
- **$2.9 million** – Cover Crop Program
- **$1.7 million** – Conservation Cost Share
- **$500,000** – Delaware Bayshore
Safe and Stable Communities

$50 million – Kent/Sussex Family Court facilities
$8.3 million – Public safety communications
$3.5 million – Troop 6 (Prices Corner)
$3 million – Public Health laboratory renovations/expansion
$2.1 million – Howard R. Young Correctional Center infirmary renovations
$1.5 million – Volunteer Fire Service Revolving Loan Fund

Investing in State facilities

$34.9 million – State agency minor capital improvements and deferred maintenance
$6.7 million – Herman Holloway Campus improvements
$1.3 million – Fire Training/Fire School improvements
$800,000 – Carvel State Office building mechanical upgrades
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January 28: Governor Carney proposes recommended budget for FY 2022.

Joint Finance Committee (JFC) Hearings: Committee members consider Governor Carney's recommended operating budget and hold hearings to discuss budget items with agencies and advocates.

Mark-up: JFC reviews budget proposals.

The General Assembly passes appropriation bills, and the Governor signs by June 30.

The new fiscal year begins July 1.
Office of the Governor

JOHN CARNEY

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