# C546. REPORT ON PROPOSED FINAL BUDGET FOR 2017/2018 to 2019/2020 MTREF

### Purpose:

To request Council approval of the proposed final operating and capital budget for 2017/2018 to 2019/2020.

## **Authority:**

Chris Hani District Municipality Council

### Legislative framework:

Municipal Finance Management Act 56 of 2003;

Municipal Budget and Reporting Regulations; and

National Treasury MFMA Budget Circulars.

### Background:

In terms of section 16(1) of the MFMA, read together with regulation 16 and 17 of the Municipal Budget and Reporting Regulation (MBRR), a municipality must for each financial year approve an annual budget for the municipality before the start of the financial year.

Section 17(1) of the MFMA further states that an annual budget must be a schedule in a prescribed format and further outlines the contents that should be included in such annual budget.

The prescribed format referred to is outlined in regulation 9 of the MBRR, which states that "the annual budget and supporting documentation of a municipality must be in a format specified in Schedule A and include all the required tables, charts and explanatory information

The final budget presented to council recognises the funding streams of council that have remained the same as in the previous budget year being mainly service charges for water and sanitation services and grant funding from both national and provincial government departments. Other revenue addition to above is investment revenue and sundry revenue that also includes the output VAT on conditional grants.

The expenditure of the municipality is as a result of employee related costs and councillors allowances, expenditure on operating and capital grants, transfers and grants to the municipal entity and adopted schools, contracted services, debt impairment, depreciation on property plant and equipment and other expenditure that includes general expenses and repairs and maintenance.

### **Exposition of facts:**

The final budget for 2017/2018 MTREF period, was preceded by a draft budget that was tabled in Council on 22 March 2017 and IDP/Budget roadshows that took place during the month of April in different local municipalities.

The allowable increases (parameters) of 6,1% for the budget year and 5,9% and 5,8% for the two outer years as determined by National Treasury in MFMA Circular 85 dated 09 December 2016 were taken into account during this process.

The salaries budget recognises current salary levels and potential increases for cost of leaving and general annual increase that will be effected on 01 July 2017.

All Directorates were requested to provide further input to the operational budget based on their needs and also taking into account the constraints presented by the limited revenue sources.

Provincial allocations (including agency functions) made/expected to the district were confirmed for current and outer budget years. No budget provision has been made in instances where current/outer year allocations were not confirmed by the provincial government department.

The final budget proposes tariff increase for all municipal services that are namely, water, sanitation and municipal health services. The proposed increases are attached to the annexure that contains the executive summary.

All budget related policies have undergone an extensive review by management and political leadership. The policies that will still receive attention and be considered for adoption in June are Investments Policy, Supply Chain Management Policy, Irregular Expenditure Policy and Infrastructure Supply Chain Management Policy.

The municipality has also made a provision for the budget of Chris Hani Development Agency without any increase and for the Bursary Fund that the agency does on behalf of the municipality.

The outcome of the final budget process was a deficit of non-cash operating deficit of R246 million after contribution to the non-cash items like depreciation on assets and debt impairment. This depreciation has however decreased by R91 million when compared to the draft budget that was tabled in council in March due to interest on debtors that has been taken into account at R103 million for the next financial year.

The deficit should be closely monitored by the municipality as it cannot afford to continue in this state as this will negatively affect infrastructure improvements, as depreciation that is not reflecting a cash reserve for infrastructure replacement might negatively affect provision of basic services.

The capital programmes funded from capital grants were budgeted to the extent of funds allocated by the national and provincial departments and R97 million from municipal reserves. The total municipal deficit when taking into account the funding of the municipal movable assets and municipal building amounts to R343 million, again reflecting a decrease of R91 million when compared to the draft budget that was tabled in Council in March for the reasons stated in the later paragraph.

Table 1: PROPOSED FINAL BUDGET SUMMARY 2017/18 TO 2019/20 MTREF

Chris Hani District Municipality Consolida	ated Final Budge	et Summary 201	7/18 MTREF			
Description	Current Year 2016/17			2017/18 Medium Term Revenue & Expenditure Framework		
R thousand	Original Budget 2016/17	Adjusted Budget 2016/17	Full Year Forecast	Budget Year 2017/18	Budget Year + 1 2018/19	Budget Year + 2 2019/20
Total Revenue (excluding capital						
transfers and contributions)	893 554	914 248	_	1 039 393	1 089 621	1 104 550
Total Expenditure	1 214 243	1 299 122	_	1 285 881	1 338 868	1 407 080
Operating Surplus/(Deficit)	(320 689)	(384 874)	_	(246 488)	(249 247)	(302 530)
Capital Revenue	611 798	570 851		514 254	454 250	365 503
Capital Expenditure	741 325	691 078	-	611 254	557 070	474 492
Surplus/(Deficit)	(450 216)	(505 101)		(343 488)	(352 067)	(411 519)

The table above reflects a budgeted deficit of R343 million which is a decrease of R91 million in the budgeted deficit when compared to the draft budget, and R161 million decrease when compared to the second adjustment budget, which translate to 32% decrease in the budgeted deficit for 2017/18 financial year, but the deficit is increasing to R352 million and R411 million in the two outer years respectively.

The holistic review of municipal tariffs and cost of operating water and sanitation services as trading services is urgently needed to address the deficit reflected in the coming year and the two outer years.

### PROPOSED 2017/2018 MTREF FINAL BUDGET:

The following tables (table 2 to 6) illustrate the anticipated proposed revenue and expenditure streams for the MTREF:

Table 2: 2017/2018 – Operating Revenue: Tables A1: R1,039 billion

Chris Hani District Municipality Operating Revenue by Source Final Budget 2017/18 MTREF						
Description	Current Ye	ear 2016/17	2017/18 Medium Term Revenue & Expenditure Framework			
R thousand	Original Budget	Adjusted Budget	Budget Year   Budget Year   Budget   2017/18   + 2018/19   + 201			
Revenue By Source						
Service charges - water revenue	142 846	142 846	151 560	160 653	170 292	
Service charges - sanitation revenue	33 558	33 558	35 940	38 097	40 383	
Rental of facilities and equipment	_	_	_	_	_	
Interest earned - external investments	28 284	28 284	33 154	35 110	37 146	
Interest earned - outstanding debtors			103 234	35 110	37 146	
Transfers recognised - operational	607 504	628 198	629 804	655 558	644 525	
Other revenue	80 362	80 362	85 502	90 576	96 010	
Gains on disposal of PPE	1 000	1 000	200	200	200	
Total Revenue (excluding capital	893 554	914 248	1 039 394	1 015 304	1 025 702	
transfers and contributions)						

Operating revenue has increased by 14% (R125,146 million), from R914 million on the second adjustment budget to R1,039 billion in the current financial year. When compared to the draft budget tabled in Council in March it has increased by R106 million or by 11,3%.

### This increase was influenced by the following additional revenues:

Interest on external investments at R2 million;

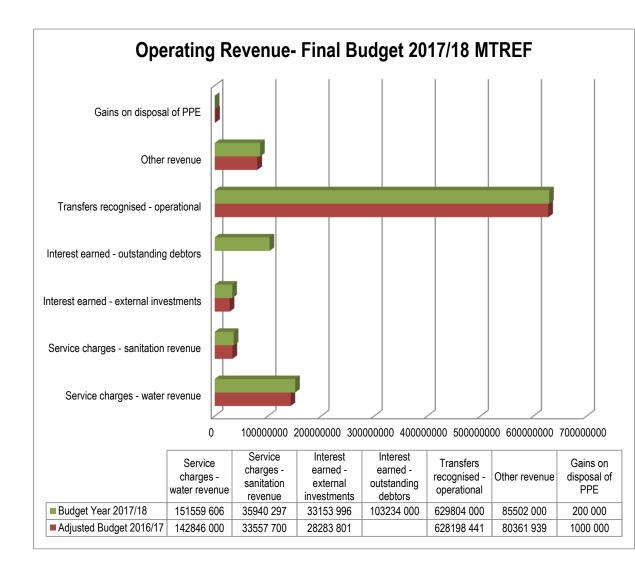
Interest on outstanding debtors at R103 million; and

Transfers recognised operational at R2 million.

The R2 million for transfers recognised operational was from Human Settlements for Emergency Housing in the entire district.

Revenue increase was significantly influenced by the increases in service charges for Water and Sanitation at 6%, other revenue by 6% and Investment Revenue by 17%. Operating revenue reflects 5% and 1% increase in the outer years and the 1% increase in 2019/20 budget year was influenced by a decrease in transfers recognised-operational, whilst other revenue sources were budgeted in line with the CPIX increases.

Figure 1: 2017/2018 proposed – Final Operating Revenue



Grants and Subsidies represent the combination of all grants and subsidies utilised to fund the operating budget including provincial agency grants. This also includes the Equitable Share, Finance Management Grant (FMG), and allowable portion of the MIG to fund the Project Management Unit (PMU) and deliver VIP toilet facilities and Extended Public Works Programme, etc.

Investment revenue comprises of anticipated interest on surplus funds invested, that are not immediately required for service delivery. Service charges are estimated water and sanitation revenue from the WSA/WSP function undertaken by the District municipality.

Other revenue comprises the anticipated sundry revenue such as administration fees on salary deductions, sale of tender documents etc.

and includes the input VAT realised on expenditure of conditional grants.

Table 3: 2017/2018 Final- Operating Expenditure: Table A1- R1,285 billion

Chris Hani District Municipality Final Op	erating Expenditu	re 2017/18 M	ITREF		
Description	Current Ye	ar 2016/17	2017/18 Medium Term Reven Expenditure Framework		
R thousand	Original Budget	Adjusted Budget	Budget Year 2017/18	Budget Year + 2018/19	Budget Year + 2019/20
Expenditure By Type					
Employee related costs	312 011	326 038	349 188	370 139	392 347
Remuneration of councillors	11 954	11 744	12 578	13 333	14 133
Debt impairment	196 237	196 237	200 000	200 000	200 000
Depreciation & asset impairment	130 000	129 991	180 000	190 800	202 248
Finance charges	400	1 100	1 200	1 272	1 348
Bulk purchases	17 050	23 050	24 894	26 387	27 971
Contracted services	16 000	62 991	32 956	25 008	26 508
Transfers and grants	18 540	20 540	20 198	21 290	22 447
Other expenditure	512 052	527 431	464 868	490 640	520 079
Loss on disposal of PPE					
Total Expenditure	1 214 243	1 299 122	1 285 881	1 338 868	1 407 080

Operating expenditure has increased by 1% (R14,3 million) when compared to the draft budget that was tabled in Council in March, from R1,271 billion to R1,285 billion and has decreased by 1% (R13,2 million) when compared to the second adjustment budget from R1,299 billion to R1,285 billion.

The increase was influenced by increases in the following expenditure items when compared to the draft budget:

Debt Impairment increased by 2%;

Depreciation and Asset Impairment increased by 3,5%; and

Other Expenditure increased by 1%.

The increase in other expenditure was influenced by the R2 million grant from Department of Human Settlements and an increase of R2,5

million in computer and software licencing, that was not accommodated in the draft budget.

The decrease was influenced by increases and decreases in the following expenditure items when comparing the final budget with the second adjustment budget:

Employee related costs and Councillors Allowances increased by 7%;

Water bulk purchases increased by 8%;

Contracted Services decreased by 48%; and

Other Expenditure decreased by 11,9%.

Other expenditure includes MIG operating expenditure, equitable share funded IDP programmes, operating conditional grants expenditure, payment of CSPS, indigent subsidy, other general running costs like telephone, stationery etc and repairs and maintenance for water and sanitation services function, repairs on municipal vehicles and municipal buildings.

The expenditure to the agency function of roads carried on behalf of the Department of Roads and Public Works is budgeted for under the operating expenditure in line with the operating revenue.

Figure 2: 2017/ 2018 proposed Final—Operating Expenditure:

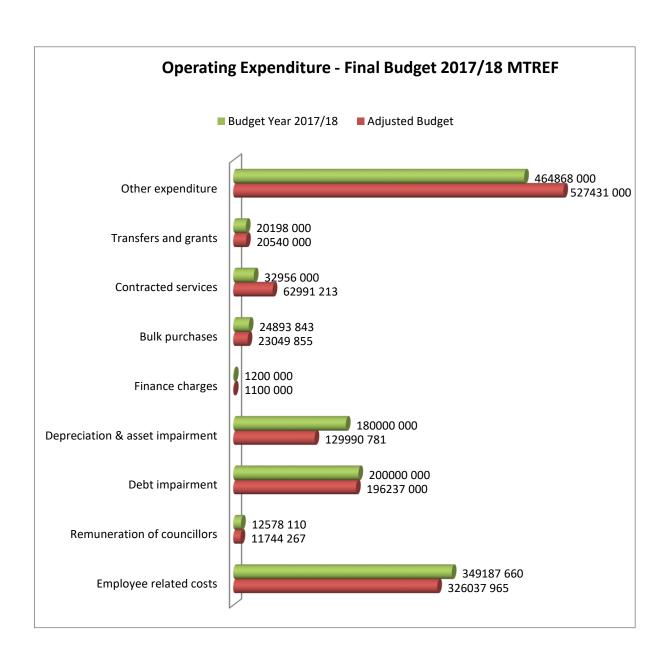


Table 4: IDP Equitable Share Funded Projects/Programmes - 2017/18

	ADJUSTED	PROPOSED FINAL	
DEPARTMENT	BUDGET 2016/17	BUDGET 2017/18	VARIANCE
	R'000	R'000	R'000
Municipal Managers Office	19 437	10 420	9 017
Municipal Health & Community Services	16 430	13 550	2 880
Corporate Services	20 210	14 200	6 010
Budget & Treasury Office	2 000	3 200	-1 200
Integrated Planning & Development	53 011	45 000	8 011
Technical Services	2 200	2 200	-
TOTAL	113 288	88 570	24 718

The above table reflects a decrease in equitable share programmes by 22% when compared to the second adjustment budget and an increase of 4% (R3,3 million) when compared to the draft budget that was tabled in Council in March.

The final budget has taken into account programmes that will be funded by other sector departments and programmes that are already catered for under general expenses.

The decrease was also influenced by the deficit that the municipality is faced and therefore justifying a need to cut on some expenditure items and unfunded mandates.

Table 5: EPWP projects 2017/18 MTREF

EPWP PROJECTS 2017/18 BUDGET YEAR						
DEPARTMENT	ADJUSTED BUDGET 2016/17	PROPOSED FINAL BUDGET 2017/18	VARIANCE			
	R'000	R'000	R'000			
Municipal Manager	-	1 500	-1 500			
Municipal Health & Community Services	2 517	1 637	880			
Corporate Services	2 280	3 280	-1 000			
Integrated Planning & Development	3 000	3 620	-620			
TOTAL	7 797	10 037	-2 240			

EPWP operating revenue has increased by 1% (R 2.2 million), from R7,7 million to R10 million in the coming year. The increase was influenced by an increase in the allocation for the coming financial year. The outer years are not provided for as the allocation for EPWP is provided for one financial year. The change presented in the final budget from the draft budget is the movement of SPU budget from Municipal Health & Community Services to Strategic Management in the Municipal Managers Office. The R1,5 million is meant for war rooms and non-profit organisations.

Table 6: 2017 / 2018 Final— Capital Revenue: Table SA 18, - R 514,2 million,

Description	Current Ye	Current Year 2016/17		2017/18 Medium Term Revenue & Expenditu Framework		
R thousand	Original Budget 2016/17	Adjusted Budget 2016/17	Budget Year 2017/18	Budget Year 2018/19	Budget Year 2019/20	
Capital Transfers and Grants						
National Government:	539 702	519 151	504 254	454 250	365 503	
Municipal Infrastructure Grant (MIG)	200 261	177 710	220 754	219 986	237 503	
Regional Bulk Infrastructure(RBIG)	207 815	207 815	208 500	132 000	25 000	
Water Services Infrastructure Grant (WSIG)	97 097	97 097	75 000	102 264	103 000	
Municipal Water Infrastructure Grant (MWIG)	34 530	34 530	_	_	_	
ACIP	_	2 000	_	_	_	
Provincial Government:	72 096	51 700	10 000	_	-	
Provinical Treasury	42 096	21 700	10 000	_	_	
DHS Unblocking	30 000	30 000	-	-	-	
Total Capital Transfers and Grants	611 798	570 851	514 254	454 250	365 503	

MIG, RBIG and WSIG are conditional grants allocated in the DORB to specified approved projects. Provincial treasury/COGTA and DHS

unblocking are also conditional grants received from the provincial state departments for specified projects.

The 10% overall decrease in capital grant funding was influenced by the following grants:

MIG increased by 24%;

RBIG increased by 1%;

WSIG decreased by 23%;

COGTA decreased by 54%; and

There was no provision for ACIP and DHS Unblocking in the coming financial year there was no indication from the user department.

MIG allocation was adjusted for 5% funding of operating expenses of the Project Management Unit (PMU) and for the operating projects to fund VIP toilets.

There is no change in the capital budget from the draft budget that was tabled in Council in March.

Table 6: 2017 / 2018 Final- Capital Expenditure: R611,2 million

Chris Hani District Municipality Capital Expe	nditure by v	ote Final Bud	lget 2017/18 N	MTREF	
Description	Current Ye	ear 2016/17		Revenue & ework	
R thousand	Original Budget	Adjusted Budget	Budget Year 2017/18	Budget Year + 2 2019/20	
Capital ecpenditure -vote					
Multi-year expenditure to be appropriated					
Vote 7 - Technical Services	611 798	570 851	514 254	454 250	365 503
Capital multi-year expenditure sub-total	611 798	570 851	514 254	454 250	365 503
Single-year expenditure to be appropriated					
Vote 1 - Council					
Vote 2 - Municipal manager					
Vote 3 - Budget & Treasury	49 527	75 227	42 000	44 520	47 191
Vote 4 - Community Services					
Vote 5 - Corporate Services	80 000	45 000	55 000	58 300	61 798
Vote 6 - Planning & Development					
Capital single-year expenditure sub-total	129 527	120 227	97 000	102 820	108 989
Total Capital expenditure-vote	741 325	691 078	611 254	557 070	474 492

The capital expenditure is made up of the R514 million from conditional grants and R97 million from Asset Financing Reserve. The R97 million is meant to fund municipal assets and CHDM village. There is change on the capital expenditure from the draft budget that was presented in Council in March.

Proposed tariffs for 2017/18 Budget Year:

**Water Related Tariffs:** 

**Domestic/Household Consumptive Tariffs:** 

TARIFFS	CHDM Current Tariff 2016/2017	CPIX Increase (6,1 %)	CHDM Proposed Tariff after CPIX (6,1 %) Increase for 2017/2018
WATER			
Water Consumption (Domestic/Household use)			
0-6	8.66	0.53	9.19
7-15	10.02	0.61	10.63
16-30	12.28	0.75	13.03
31-45	15.29	0.93	16.22
46-60	16.70	1.02	17.72
61 or more	18.85	1.15	20.00

# **Institutional/NGO's Tariffs:**

TARIFFS	CHDM Current Tariff 2016/2017	CPIX Increase (6,1 %)	CHDM Proposed Tariff after CPIX (6,1 %) Increase for 2017/2018
WATER			
Water Consumption (Institutional, etc)			
0-200kls per month	10.24	0.62	10.86
201-2500 kl per month	11.32	0.69	12.01
2501 or more kl per month	12.39	0.76	13.15

# **Business Tariffs:**

TARIFFS	CHDM Current Tariff 2016/2017	CPIX Increase (6,1 %)	CHDM Proposed Tariff after CPIX (6,1 %) Increase for 2017/2018
WATER			
Water Consumption (Business & other use)			
0 – 5 000 kl / month	13.14	0.80	13.94
5001 -25000 kl / month	13.36	0.81	14.17
25 001- 50000 kl/month	13.57	0.83	14.40
50 001- or more kl / month	13.57	0.83	14.40

# **Basic Water Tariffs:**

TARIFFS	CHDM Current Tariff 2016/2017	CPIX Increase (6,1 %)	CHDM Proposed Tariff after CPIX (6,1 %) Increase for 2017/2018
WATER			
Water Consumption (no meter/unread meter) - Flat Rate (Per Month)			
Domestic/Household	91.00	5.55	96.55
Institutional	118.30	7.22	125.52
Business & other	127.40	7.77	135.17

# **CONSUMPTIVE SANITATION TARIFFS:**

TARIFFS	CHDM Current Tariff 2016/2017	CPIX Increase (6,1 %)	CHDM Proposed Tariff after CPIX (6,1 %) Increase for 2017/2018
SANITATION			
Sewerage charges (waterborne sewer system)  Domestic / Households Full - Standard			
Single residential properties- 70% of water consumption to a maximum of 35kl of sewerage per month (70% of 50kl water = 35 kl of sewerage)			
Step 1 (0to 4kl) - Per kl	7.84	0.48	8.32
Step 2 (4.1kl to 7.35kl) - Per kl	8.21	0.50	8.71
Step 3 (7.36kl to 14 kl) - Per kl	15.46	0.94	16.40
Step 4 (14.1 kl to 24.5 kl) - Per kl	16.90	1.03	17.93
Step 5 (24.6kl to 35 kl) - Per kl	17.74	1.08	18.82
Commercial - Standard - Per kl			
95% of water consumption	10.96	0.67	11.63
Industrial - Standard - Per kl			
95% of water consumption	10.96	0.67	11.63
Government - Standard - Per kl			
National / Provincial – 95% of water consumption	10.96	0.67	11.63
Schools / Sport Bodies / Churches / Charities - Standard - Per kl			
Any educational activity / sporting activity / religious activity / charitable activity	10.96	0.67	11.63
Miscellaneous - Standard - Per kl			
All consumers who do not fall within the above categories	10.96	0.67	11.63
Homeless people shelters / Homes catering for physically or mentally challenged individuals - Standard - Per kl per person			

### **Financial Implications:**

Increase in uncollectable consumer service debtors, thus increasing the provision for debt impairment;

Decrease in grant funding, thus decreasing projects funded from conditional grants; and

The budget deficit that is limited to non-cash items and assets that are funded from municipal reserves.

### Other Implications:

The funding and balancing of the budget needs to be monitored closely moving forward into future years; and

Strict implementation of cost containment measures to improve the deficit budget.

### Other parties consulted:

HOD'S

Communities within Chris Hani Mayoral Committee

#### **Resolutions:**

### It was resolved that:

- Council approve the final operating and capital budget for 2017/18
   MTREF as reflected in table A1;
- 2) Council **approve** the operating expenditure of R1,285 billion and operating revenue of R1,039 billion as reflected in Table A4;
- 3) Council **approve** the capital expenditure of R611 million and capital revenue of R514 million as reflected in Table A5;

- 4) Council **approve** the municipality's annual budget, and specifically appropriating the amount for the different votes, and for single year and multi-year capital expenditure as reflected in Tables A2 and A3;
- 5) Council **approve** tariff increases as 6% for Municipal Health tariffs, water and sanitation. Sanitation be calculated as a step tariff for 70% of water consumption.
- 6) Council **approve** the following budget related policies:
  - a. Indigent Policy with no amendments;
  - b. Debt and Credit Control Policy with amendments;
  - c. Tariff Policy amendments;
  - d. Asset Management Policy with amendments;
  - e. Inventory Management Policy with amendments

# C547. REPORT ON THE PROPOSED THIRD BUDGET ADJUSTMENT FOR 2016/2017 to 2018/2019 MTREF

### Purpose:

To request Council for the approval of the proposed adjustments to Operating and Capital budget for 2016/2017 to 2018/2019, taking into account the performance of the municipality as reported to Council at mid- year report, taking into account the impact of high spending expenditure items and grants that would not be realized.

### **Authority:**

Chris Hani District Municipality Council

### Legislative framework:

Municipal Finance Management Act (MFMA), Act 56 of 2003 Municipal Budget and Reporting Regulations; Division of Revenue Act 2016; MFMA Budget Circulars

### **Background:**

In terms of section 28 of the MFMA, read together with regulation 23 of the MBRR a municipality may adjust an approved annual budget at any time after the midyear budget and performance assessment report has been tabled to council but, by not later than 28 February of the current financial year.

A municipality may adjust its budget, if the municipality has received additional revenues as contemplated in section 28(2)(b) of the MFMA in a national or provincial adjustment budget.

The first adjustment budget that was dealing with roll overs from 2015/16 was tabled before Council on 09 November 2016. On implementation of the current year budget and on consideration of the mid-year report that was tabled in Council on 31 January 2017, it was apparent that budget adjustments need to be made on certain revenue and expenditure items, and the second adjustment budget was passed in February 2017 and the proposed adjusted budget is tabled for Mayoral Committee consideration as we have received additional capital revenue from department of water and sanitation for RBIG.

### **Exposition of facts:**

The increase in the operating revenue was influenced by a R3 million increase in investment revenue and this was influenced by transfers that were made by national government which yielded additional revenue in this item.

At the end of March the municipality had already received R26 m in investments and therefore the increase was influenced by the current performance and investments that will mature before the end of the financial year

The increase in the operating expenditure was significantly influenced by the increases in debt impairment, depreciation and asset impairment and finance charges and a decrease in employee related costs and other expenditure.

The increase in the capital revenue/ expenditure was significantly influenced by the additional funding received from the department of water and sanitation for implementation of RBIG projects and the same department taking away ACIP.

The proposed third budget adjustment for 2016/17 financial year results into budgeted cash deficit and the deficit will be funded from the municipal reserves. This is however not a good sign for the municipality as reserves are meant to deal with infrastructure replacement and additions.

Transfers and grants continue to be the largest revenue source for the district municipality as it is clear that revenue collection from trading services needs to improve for the municipality to get a better revenue base to support service delivery.

# Adjustment Budget Summary Analysis of Revenue and Expenditure

The following tables (table 1 to 4) illustrate the adjusted revenue and expenditure streams.

**Table 1:2016/2017 Adjusted Revenue and Expenditure Summary:** 

Description R thousand	Previous Year	Performance	2016/17 Medium Term Revenue & Expenditure Framewor					
	Final Adjusted Budget 2015/16	Audited Resutls	Original Budget	2nd Adjustment Budget	3rd Adjustment Budget	% incr/(decr)		
Operating Revenue	840 292	950 187	893 554	914 248	917 248	2%		
Operating Expenditure	1 496 312	1 421 586	1 214 243	1 299 122	1 329 894	2%		
Operating Surplus/(Deficit)	(656 020)	(471 399)	(320 689)	(384 874)	(412 647)	7%		
Operating Revenue	840 292	950 187	893 554	914 248	917 248	0%		
Capital Revenue	764 761	704 226	505 173	570 851	693 942	22%		
Total Revenue	1 605 053	1 654 413	1 398 726	1 485 099	1 611 190	8%		
Operating Expenditure	1 496 312	1 421 586	1 214 243	1 299 122	1 329 894	2%		
Capital Expenditure	807 828	620 880	634 700	691 080	814 171	18%		
Total Expenditure	2 304 140	2 042 466	1 848 943	1 990 201	2 144 065	8%		
Total Surplus/(Deficit)	(699 087)	(388 053)	(450 216)	(505 102)	(532 876)	5%		

The **statement of financial performance** measures performance of the institution and also assists as a monitoring tool on the cash flow projections. This statement summarizes revenue and expenditure, considering cash and non-cash items that affect performance of resources. The figures shown below are an analysis of Operating and Capital Revenue against Operating and Capital Expenditure.

During the second adjustment budget, the Municipality had an operating deficit of R384.8 million in comparison to the first adjustment budget deficit of R340.6 million taking into account the non-cash items (depreciation, indigent subsidy and debt impairment). The third adjustment budget however presents an operating budget deficit of

R412,6 million. This presents an increase in operating deficit by 7% when compared to the second adjustment budget.

When the capital revenue and expenditure is taken into account total deficit amounts to R532,9 million and on the second adjustment budget was R505 million an increase of R27,9 million or 5,5% when compared to the second adjustment budget.

Table 2: Operating Revenue - Third Adjustment Budget 2016/17 MTREF

Chris Hani District Municipality Operating Revenue 3rd Adjustment Budget 2016/17						
Description	Current Y	ear 2015/16	2016/17 Medium Term Revenue & Expenditure Framework			
R thousand	Original Budget 2015/16	Adjusted Budget 2015/16	2nd Adjustment Budget 2016/17	3rd Adjustment Budget 2016/17	%Variance	
Revenue By Source						
Service charges - water revenue	179 997	129 860	142 846	142 846	0%	
Service charges - sanitation revenue	42 370	30 507	33 558	33 558	0%	
Rental of facilities and equipment	955	955	_	_	0%	
Interest earned - external investments	28 988	28 988	28 284	31 284	11%	
Transfers recognised - operational	573 878	579 128	628 198	628 198	0%	
Other revenue	45 859	45 859	80 362	80 362	0%	
Gains on disposal of PPE	2 500	1 000	1 000	1 000	0%	
Total Revenue (excluding capital transfers and contributions)	874 547	816 297	914 248	917 248	0%	

The table above reflects an increase in operating revenue by R3 million, being an additional revenue from interest generated from investments, which was an increase of 11%, but looking at the overall budget the increase was very minimal to have a significance.

Table 3: Operating Expenditure - Third Adjustment Budget 2016/17 MTREF

Chris Hani District Municipality Operating Expenditure 2016/17 3rd Adjustment Budget						
Description	Current Y	ear 2015/16	2016/17 Medium Term Revenue & Expenditure Framework			
R thousand	Original Budget 2015/16	Adjusted Budget 2015/16	2nd Adjusted Budget 2016/17	3rd Adjusted Budget 2016/17	Percentage Variance	
Expenditure By Type						
Employee related costs	259 220	270 855	326 038	325 038	0%	
Remuneration of councillors	10 923	10 866	11 744	11 744	0%	
Debt impairment	100 065	347 065	196 237	200 000	2%	
Depreciation & asset impairment	115 434	115 434	129 991	158 000	22%	
Finance charges	701	401	400	1 100	175%	
Bulk purchases	25 822	16 500	23 050	23 050	0%	
Other materials		_	_	_		
Contracted services	20 672	12 271	62 991	62 991	0%	
Transfers and grants	20 658	18 040	20 540	20 540	0%	
Other expenditure	408 952	523 854	528 130	527 431	0%	
Total Expenditure	962 447	1 315 286	1 299 122	1 329 895	2%	

The above table reflects a 2% increase or R30,7 million increase in operating expenditure.

# The increase was influenced by increases and decreases in the following expenditure items:

- Decrease in employee related costs by R1 million;
- Decrease in other expenditure by R700 thousand;
- Increase in debt impairment by R3,7 million;
- Increase in depreciation and asset impairment by R28 million; and
- Increase in finance charges by R700 thousand.

The overall increase in other expenditure is R30,7 million. The major increase in depreciation and asset impairment was informed by the audited figures of 2015/16 financial year and the department realized that it has missed the opportunity to adjust in the second adjustment budget to avoid unauthorized expenditure at year end. The expenditure for operating conditional grants (FMG, Roads subsidy, EPWP and MIG operational portion), equitable share programs and CSPS are accounted for under other expenditure together with general expenses.

## Capital Revenue / Expenditure Table 4

Description	Current Ye	2016/17 Medium Term Revenue & Expenditure Framework			
R thousand	Original Budget 2015/16	Adjusted Budget 2015/16	2nd Adjustment Budget 2016/17	3rd Adjustment Budget 2016/17	Percentage Variance
Capital Transfers and Grants					
National Government:	594 253	594 253	519 151	642 242	123 091
Municipal Infrastructure Grant (MIG)	189 142	189 142	177 710	177 710	_
Regional Bulk Infrastructure	275 503	275 503	207 815	332 906	125 091
Rural Households Infrastructure	4 000	4 000	_	-	_
Municipal Water Infrastructure Grant	120 608	120 608	34 530	34 530	-
Water Services Infrastructure Grant	_	_	97 097	97 097	-
Water Services Operating Grant (WSOP)	5 000	5 000	-	- "	_
ACIP	_	_	2 000		(2 000
Provincial Government:	70 000	194 860	51 700	51 700	_
Provinical Treasury	70 000	70 000	21 700	21 700	_
DHS Unblocking	_	124 860	30 000	30 000	_
Total Capital Transfers and Grants	664 253	789 113	570 851	693 942	123 091

The above table reflects a net increase in capital revenue and expenditure by R123 million. The factors influencing the increase the transfer is R125 million received from RBIG and R2 million that was taken away by ACIP.

The total capital expenditure is R814 million which is made up of R693,9 million from grant funding and R120 m from internally generated funds. The expenditure for CHDM Village has been split over the MTREF period as the project is multi year.

# **Financial Implications:**

Increase in capital budget.
Increase in operating budget.
Cash deficit budget of R54,5 million

## Other Implications:

Changes in the approved budget on what was communicated with communities.

### Other parties consulted:

**Mayoral Committee** 

#### Resolution:

#### It was resolved that:

- 1) Council **approve** the proposed third adjustment budget;
- 2) Council **approve** the R3 m increase in operating revenue;
- 3) Council **approve** the R30,7m increase in operating expenditure;
- 4) Council **approve** the R123 m increase in capital revenue and expenditure;
- 5) Council **approve** the R917 m budget for operating revenue and R1,329 billion budget for operating expenditure; and
- 6) Council **approve** the R693 m budget for capital revenue and R814 million budget for capital expenditure.