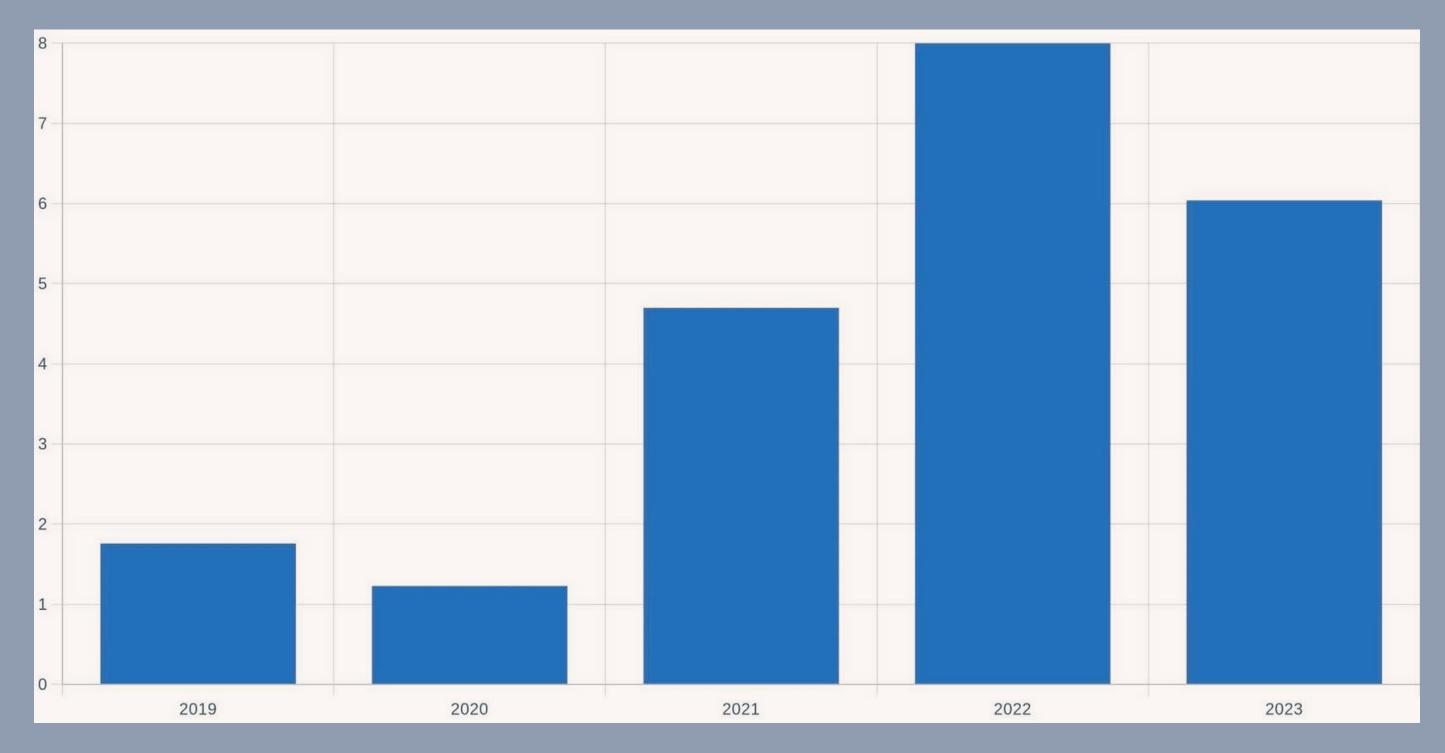


# What Does the Current Rising Inflation Look Like?

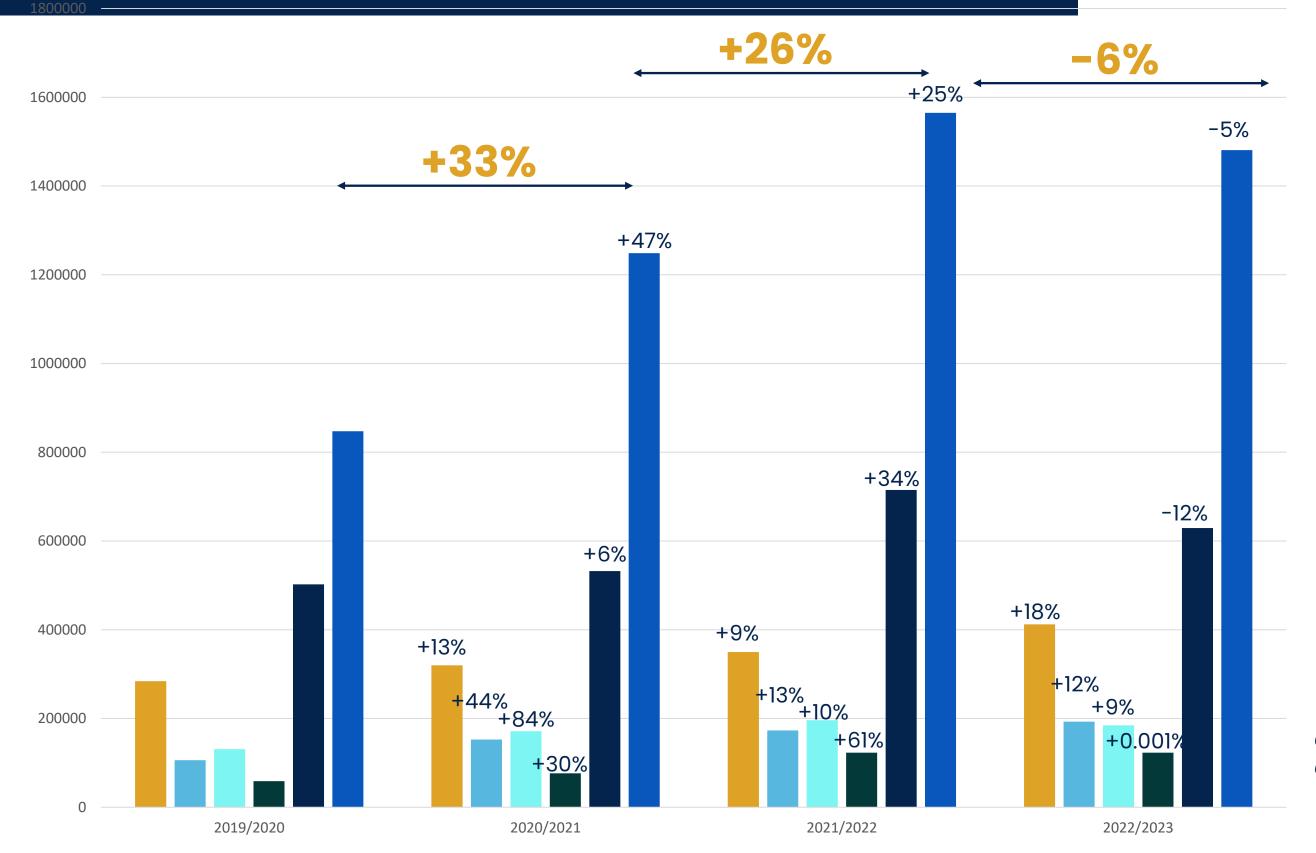
### USD Inflation Since 2019 (%)



- There has been a 17.67% cumulative price increase between 2019 and today.
- A \$1.18 todaybuys what a \$1bought in 2019.

<sup>\*</sup>Graph Courtesy of the Bureau of Labor Statistics CPI

# How Does the Current Rising Inflation Affect the District?



Total 57%
Increase from
FY 2019/2020
to FY
2022/2023

- Health Care
- Software Support
- Insurance
- Fuel Costs
- Repair & Maintenance
- Edison
- -5% reduction in Edison to reduction in consumption.
- Reduction in Repair & Maintenance in 2022/2023 is due to projection, additional projects completed by end of FY may push total higher.

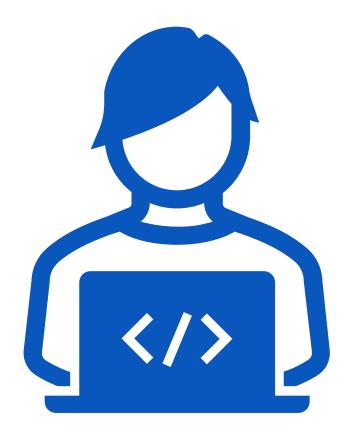
#### **Health Care**





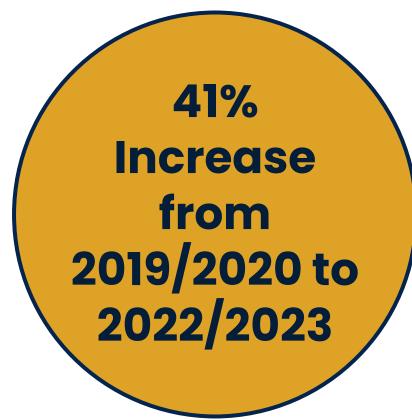
Software Support





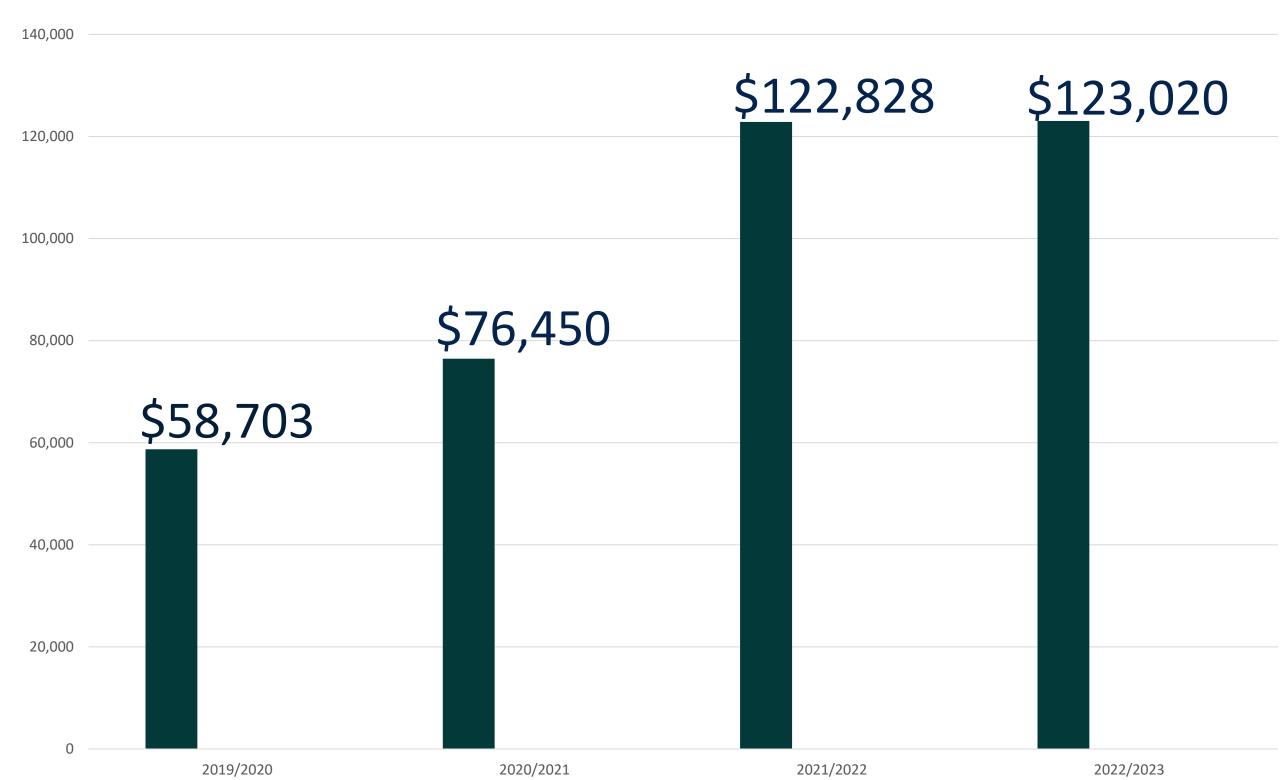
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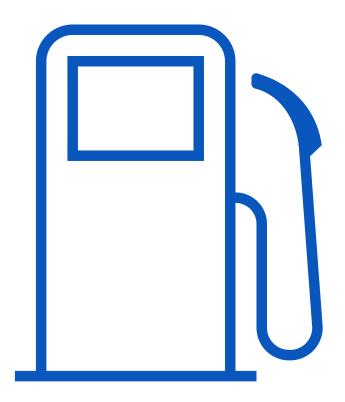




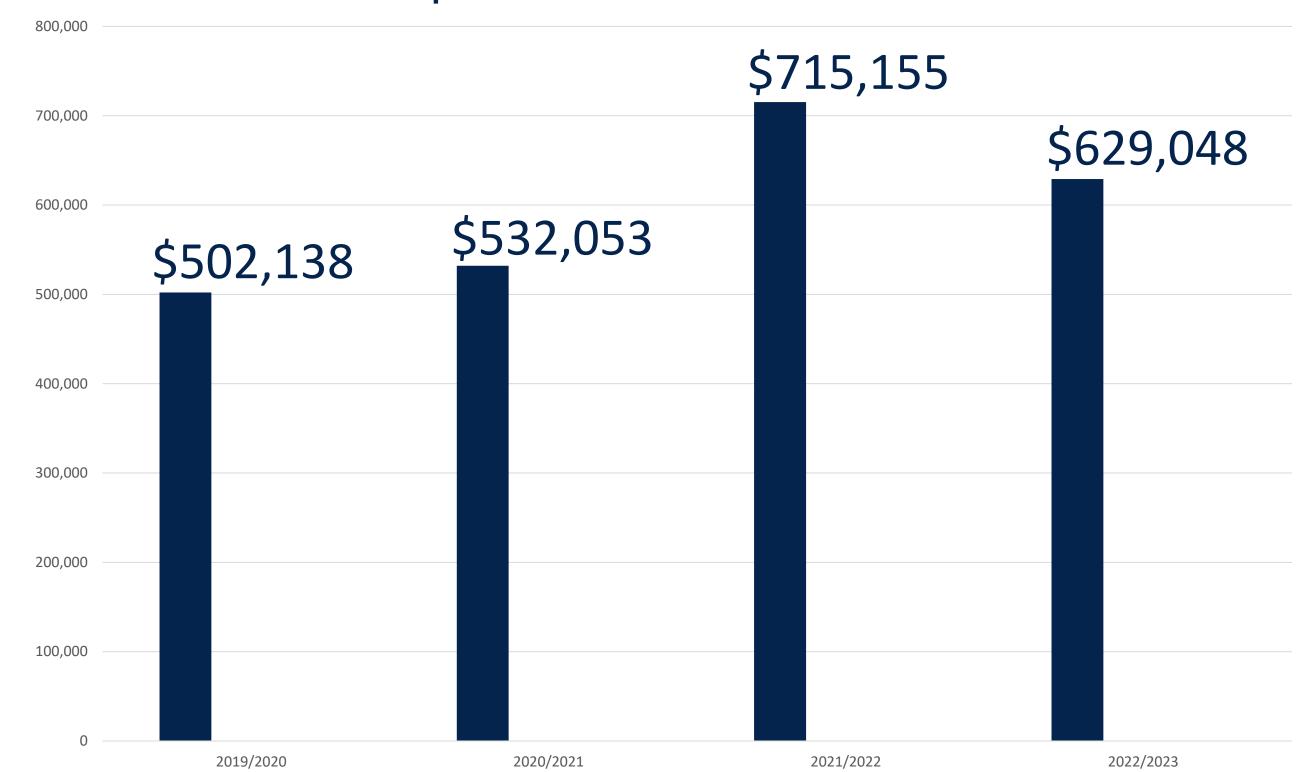


#### **Fuel Costs**

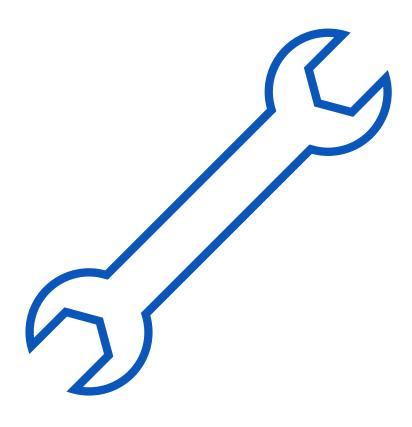




#### Repair and Maintenance

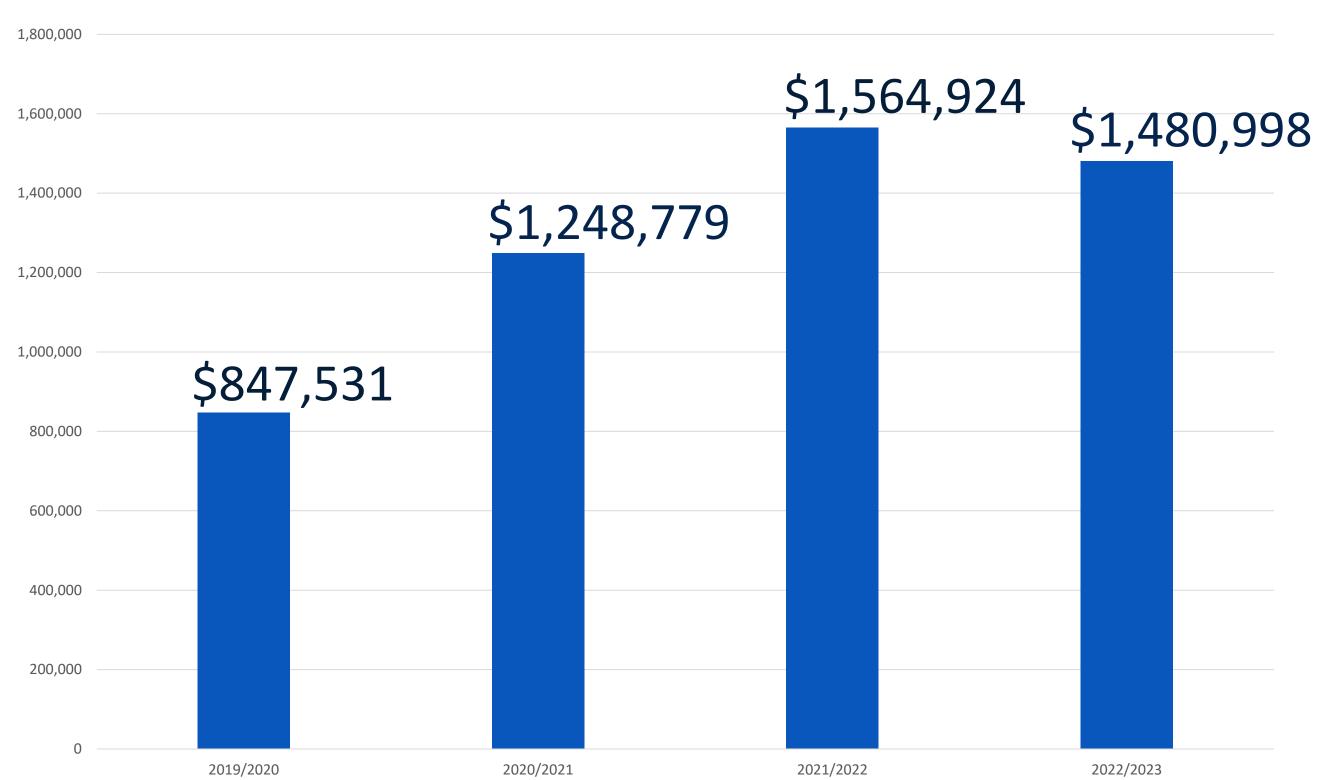


25% Increase from 2019/2020 to 2022/2023

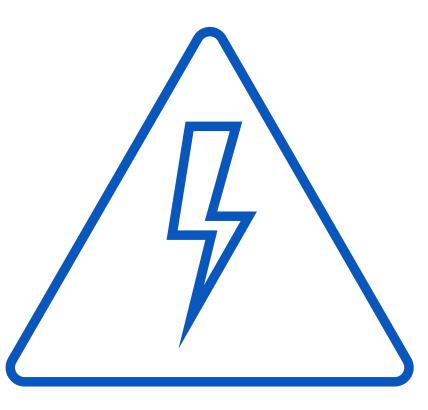


• Reduction in Repair & Maintenance in 2022/2023 is due to projection, additional projects completed by end of FY may push total higher.

#### Edison

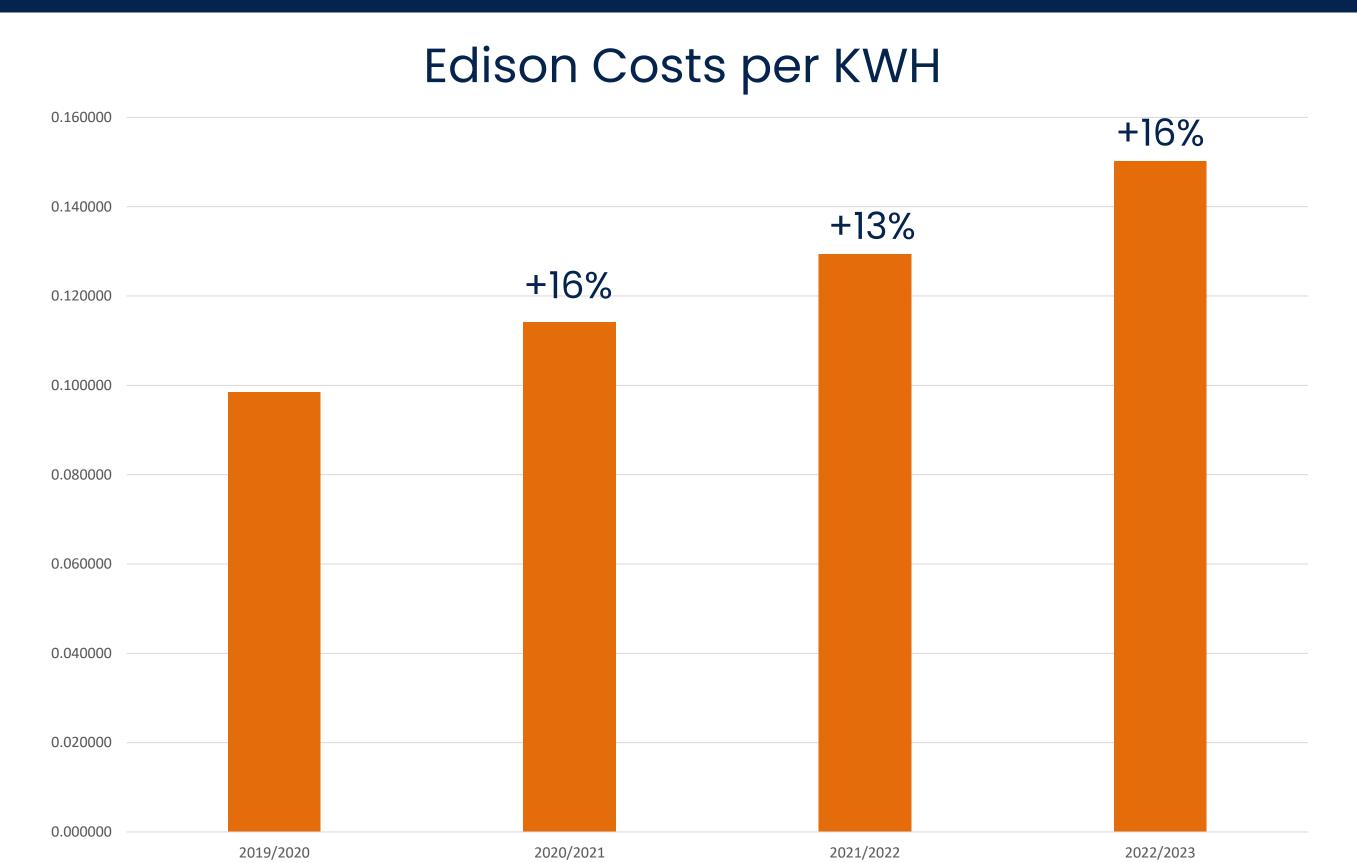


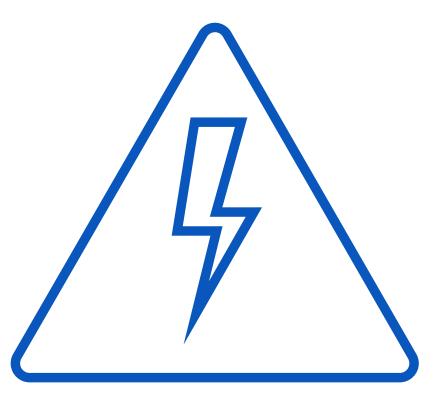
75% Increase from 2019/2020 to 2022/2023



-5% reduction due to reduction in consumption.

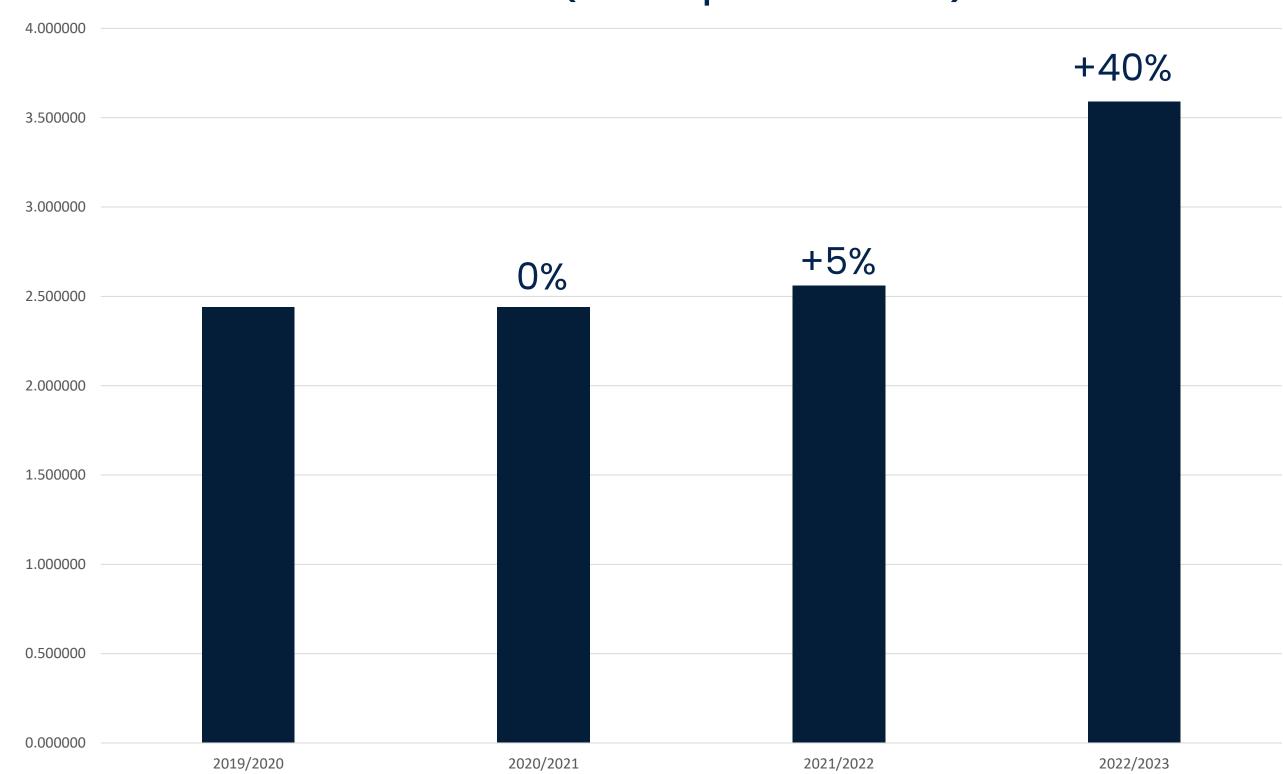
### Item Cost Increases FY 2019/2020 to 2022/2023





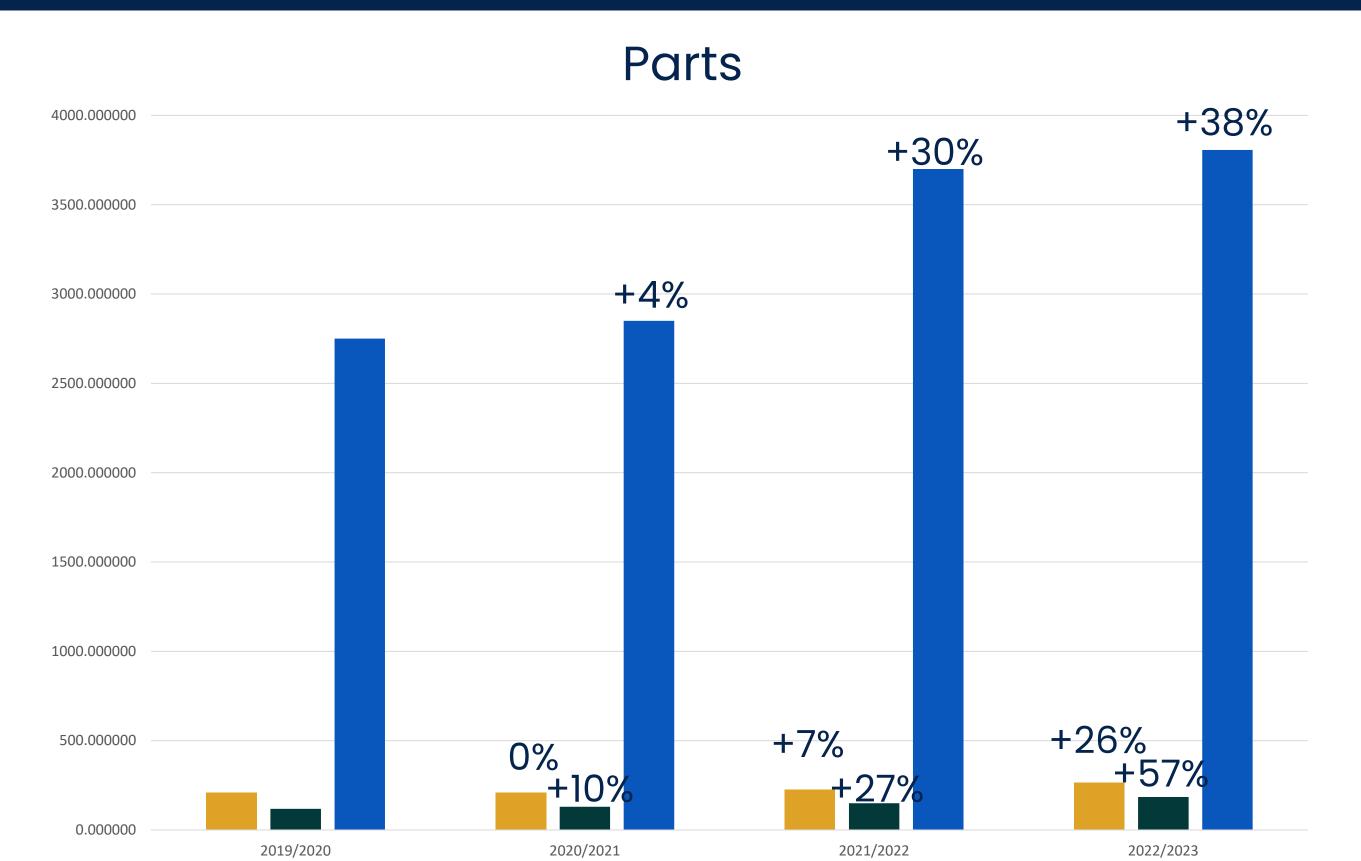
# Item Cost Increases FY 2019/2020 to 2022/2023





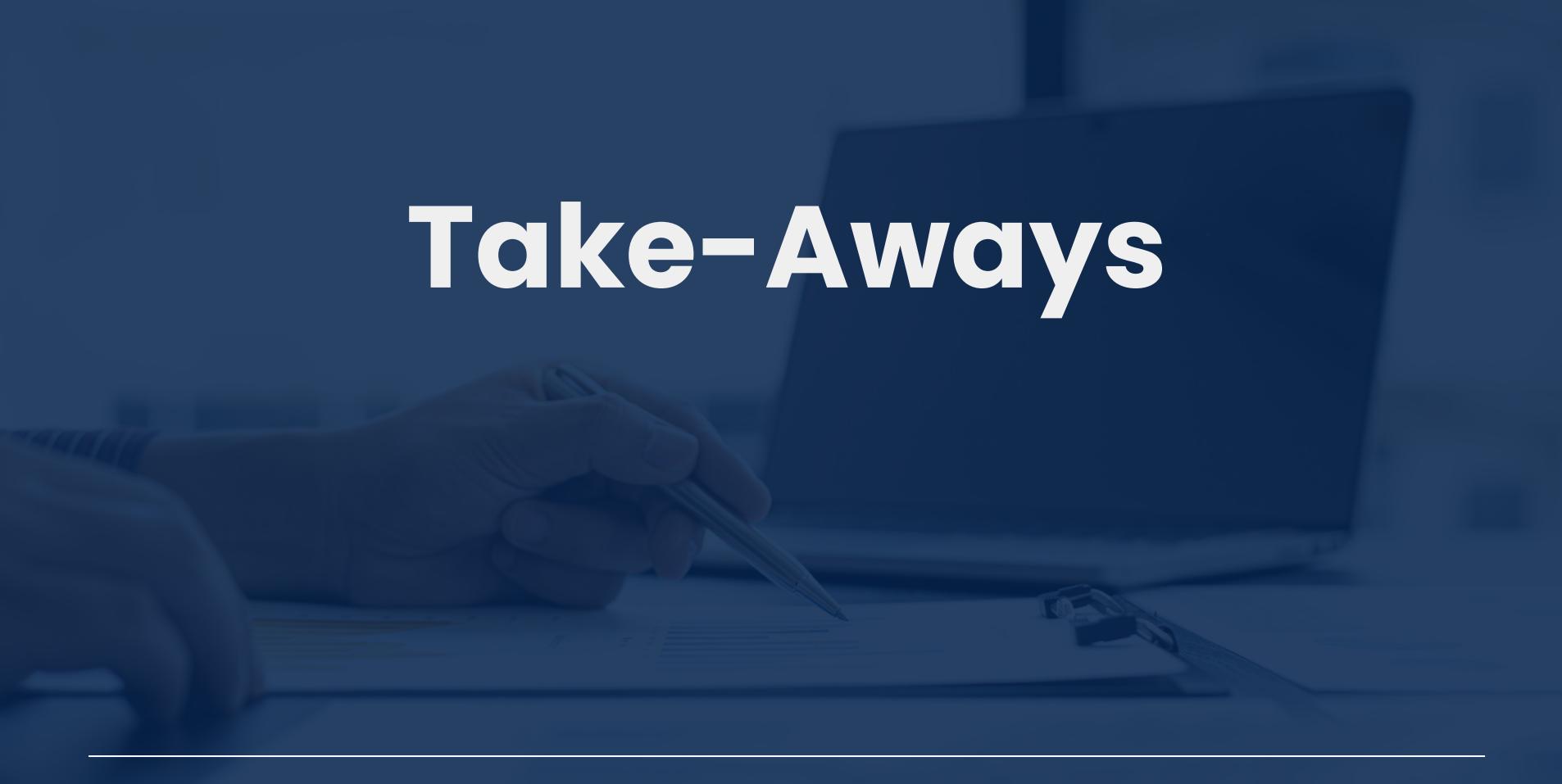


# Item Cost Increases FY 2019/2020 to 2022/2023



Total 38%
Increase
from
2019/2020 to
2022/2023

- Flex Couplings
- Brass Saddles
- Hydrants



## Key Take-Aways



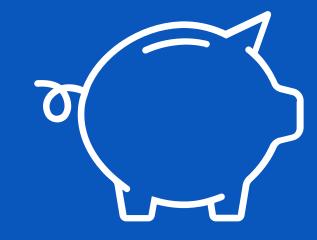
While some of the largest District costs have gone up an average of 60% since 2019, the District has kept its rate increases at only 6% per year.

While keeping rates as low as possible is one of the District's goals, we also have a responsibility to ensure the longevity and reliability of District services to its customers.



Long-term Capital Improvement Projects have had to be deferred as a result of budget increases.





As it stands, the District is not currently able to honor the commitment we made to repay the loans we have taken out of reserves.