

Welcome
**Austin Interfaith
Accountability Session**

Tuesday September 16, 2014

7:00 PM

Temple Beth Shalom



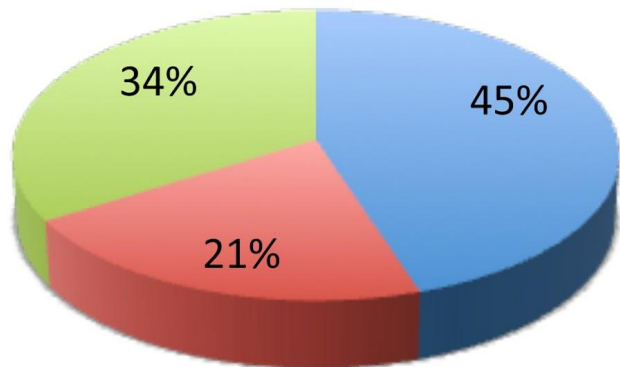
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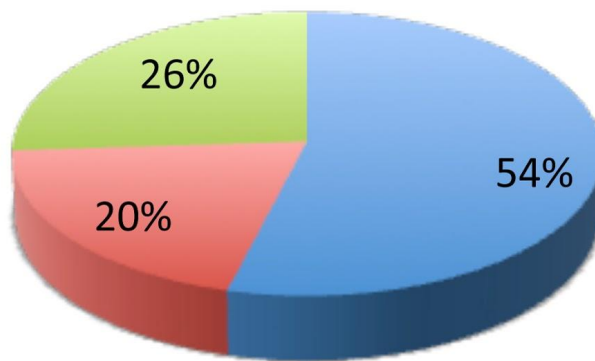
"Let Justice Roll Down Like Waters..."

Tax Burden Shift: City, County, ISD

Property Tax Share -- 2000



Property Tax Share – 2012



- Single family homes
- Commercial Property
- Oil and Gas, Other

Source: Texas Comptroller's Office, referenced by *Austin American Statesman*: "Appeals Shift Tax Burden," 9/28/13.

Poverty Rates by Age Group, Race and Ethnicity

City of Austin

American Community Survey, 2012, 1-year Estimates Series, Table B17001

City of Austin
Overall Poverty
= 20.3%

Table B17001 Poverty Rates (1)

Category or Group	Overall Population	Hispanic White	African American	Hispanic	Asian
Overall Population	20.3%	11.7%	30.6%	31.1%	16.2%
Under Age 5	23.5%				9.2%
Under Age 18	30.0%	8.0%	52.7%	44.8%	6.0%
Age 65 Plus	9.0%	6.4%	13.3%	14.4%	12.6%

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Austin MSA

American Community Survey, 2012, 1-year Estimates Series, Table B17000

Austin Area
Overall Poverty
= 15.5%

Table I: Poverty Rates (1)

Category or Group	Overall Population	non-Hispanic White	African American	Hispanic	Asian
Overall Population	15.5%	9.0%	27.6%	24.5%	11.7%
Under Age 5	22.1%				4.8%
Under Age 18	21.2%	7.3%	42.2%	32.8%	6.0%
Age 65 Plus	6.9%	4.8%	13.6%	13.6%	13.4%

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State of Texas

American Community Survey, 2012, 1-year Estimates Series, Table B17001

Texas
Overall Poverty
= 17.9%

Table 1: Poverty Rates (1)

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Overall Population	17.9%	9.6%	24.9%	26.2%	12.0%
Under Age 5	29.3%				10.9%
Under Age 18	25.8%	10.8%	34.5%	35.1%	12.6%
Age 65 Plus	11.6%	7.0%	20.3%	22.7%	11.8%

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Child Poverty
in City of Austin
= 30%

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Poverty In Texas: Austin is Winning!

	Austin	Region	Texas
Overall	20.3%	15.5	17.9%
Children	30%	21.2%	26%

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Racial Disparity in Poverty Children Under 5 Years (2012)

< 7%

White

44%

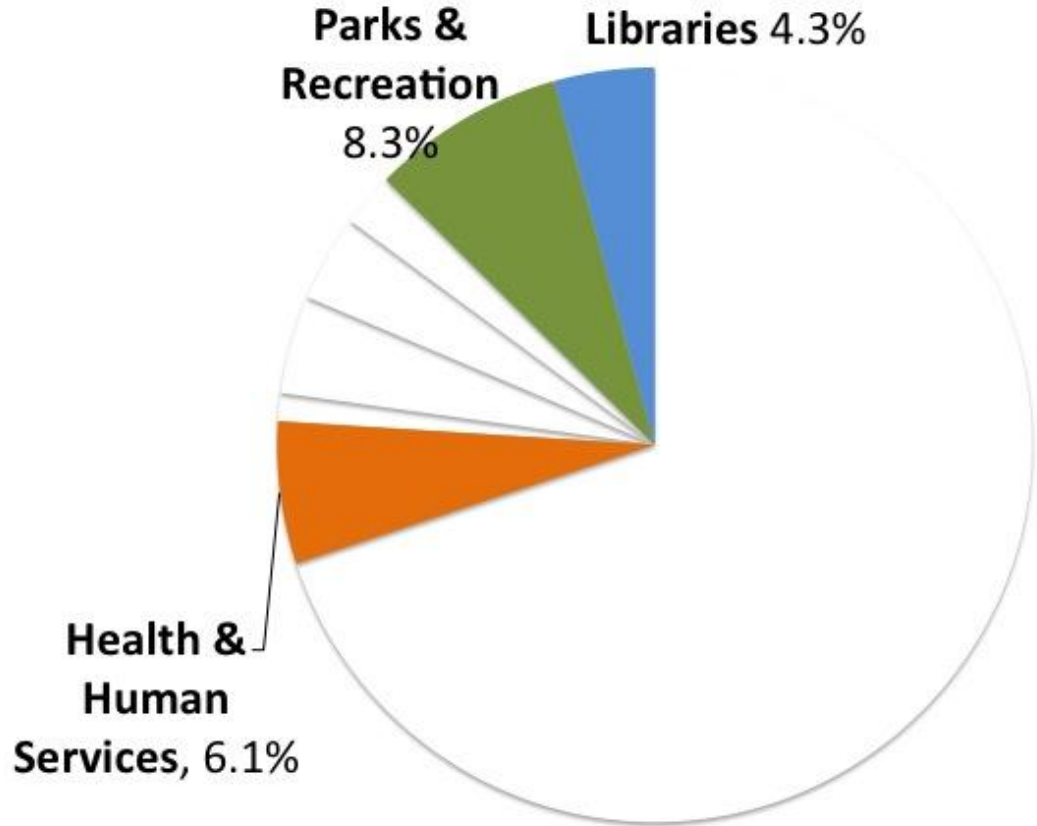
Latino

53%

Black

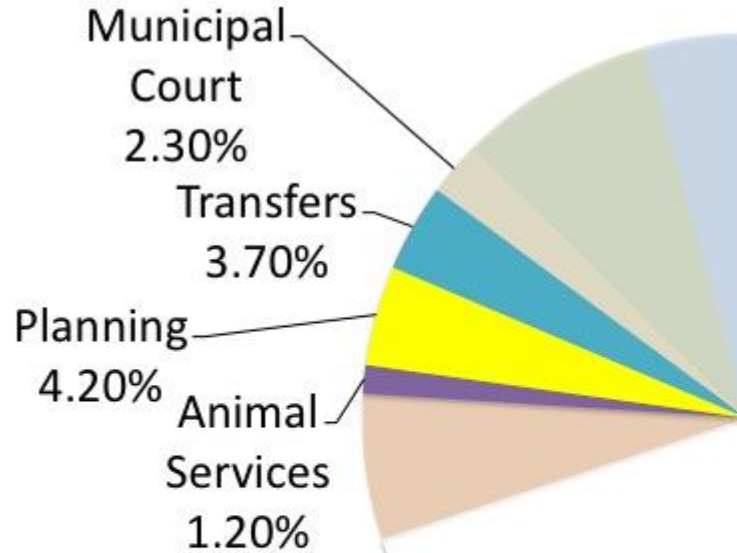
City Investments in Austin Children

Less than
19 cents per
dollar of
General Fund
spending



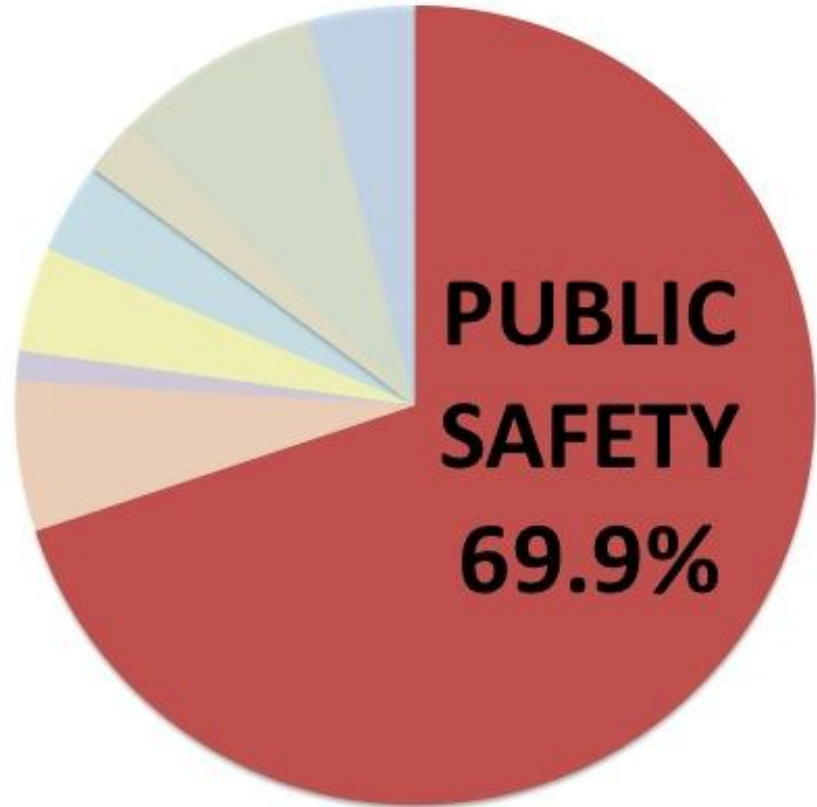
City Investments in Other Things

11 more cents
per dollar of
General Fund
spending



City Investment in Public Safety

70 cents per
dollar of
General Fund
spending



City of Austin Budget Priorities



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Austin Interfaith Issues Agenda

- Good Jobs/Living Wage
- Creative Education for a Creative Economy
- Community Resources and Neighborhood Safety
- Affordable Housing
- Affordable Healthcare
- Energy and the Environment
- Immigration

