# Santa Clara Stadium Authority

Action on the Stadium Authority Financial Status Report for the Quarter and Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 2020

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## Financial Status Report for the Quarter and Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 2020



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## Financial Status Highlights

- NFL Events experienced improved performance due to additional playoff games
- Non-NFL Events performed at a \$2.7 million loss
  - Not recommended for payment at this time; still under review including \$1.2 million in other expenses received in the 4<sup>th</sup> Quarter
- Capital Improvement Program expenditures continue at a slow pace
- Concern over unpaid invoices and future General Fund impact



## **Methodology and Limitations**

- Information for NFL and Non-NFL event statistics and financial information related to Stadium Manager expenses are provided by ManagementCo.
- Some source documentation reviewed for Non-NFL events and review continues to progress.
- For Shared Expenses and NFL related financials, detailed review of financial information or source documentation is not conducted, however sampling is completed by KPMG.
- Firm contracted to review and evaluate Non-NFL event financial information from prior years – report expected later this year.



#### **NFL Events**

- Total of 12 NFL Games in FY2019/20
  - Two preseason games, eight regular season games and two playoff games
  - A total of 804,000 tickets were sold, up 23.4% vs. prior year
    - An average of 2.8% increase in ticket sales per game
  - Stadium Authority received \$8.4 million in NFL ticket surcharge revenue based on 10% of ticket sales to NFL events
  - City of Santa Clara received \$250,000 in Senior & Youth Fees based on \$0.35/ticket to NFL events



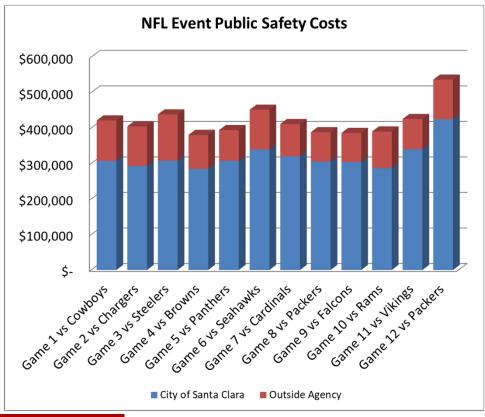
### **NFL Events - Parking**



- A total of 81,000 cars were parked in offsite parking lots, average of 20% increase per game
- A total of 6,900 cars were parked in the Tasman Lots, average of 21% increase per game
- Generating \$34,000 in parking fees to General Fund



#### **NFL Public Safety Costs**



- Public safety costs amounted to \$5.4 million:
  - \$3.8 million (70%) are direct City costs
  - \$1.6 million (30%) are outside agency costs
  - \$476,000 were covered by the offsite parking fee
  - \$1 million still unpaid



#### **Non-NFL Events**

- Eight ticketed Non-NFL events compared to twelve in prior year
- A total of 184,000 tickets were sold, down 45%
  - Stadium Authority received \$735,000 in Non-NFL ticket surcharge revenue based on \$4 per ticket sold to all non-NFL events (one-half for stadium operations and one-half for Stadium Authority Discretionary Fund)
- Total of 79 non-ticketed events with 33,500 attendees, decrease 21% in event count, 6% decrease in attendees



# Non-NFL Ticketed Events 75% Lost Money

FY2019/20 Ticketed Non-NFL Events Revenue and Expenditure Summary In Millions \$

Ticketed Event	Revenue	Expense	Net
Monster Jam	\$ 1.6	\$ 2.0	\$ (0.4)
Bay Area Wedding Fair	0.0	0.0	0.0
USWNT vs South Africa	0.3	0.1	0.2
ICC: Chivas vs Benfica	1.2	1.5	(0.3)
Rolling Stones: No Filter Tour	11.4	10.5	0.9
High School Football Series	0.1	0.1	0.0
Pac-12 Championship	3.1	5.7	(2.6)
Redbox Bowl	4.6	5.2	(0.6)
Total Ticketed Non-NFL Net Revenue to date	\$ 22.3	\$ 25.1	\$ (2.8)

<sup>\*</sup>Numbers may vary due to rounding

- 6 of 8 ticketed events lost or did not make money
- Largest loss was Pac-12 Championship – last year to be held at Levi's



#### **Non-NFL Events Loss**

## Levi's® Stadium Net Revenue for Non-NFL Events by Event Type FY 2019/20 Quarter 4

Event Type	No. of Events	Net Revenue
Ticketed Events		
Concerts	1	\$ 856,583
Sporting Events		
Football (Non-NFL)	3	(3,170,926)
Soccer	2	(65,295)
Miscellaneous Events	2	(458,609)
Subtotal Ticketed Events	8	\$ (2,838,247)
Subtotal Ticketed Events - Other Expenses (2)		\$ (167,217)
Subtotal Non-Ticketed Non-NFL Events (weddings, corporate events, etc)	79	\$ 1,492,331
Subtotal Other Operating Expenses		\$ (1,227,881)
Total Non-NFL Event Net Revenue	87	\$ (2,741,014)
Total Estimated Performance Rent paid to the General Fund(1)		\$ -

<sup>(1)</sup> Performance Rent is calculated as 50% of the net revenue from Non-NFL events less performance-based credit of 50% of fixed ground rent

<sup>(2)</sup> Other Expenses not attributable to a specific event



- \$2.7 million loss for FY2019/20
- Special Events generate revenue
- Non-NFL Football events biggest loss
- Other Operating Expenses in question

#### **Non-NFL Events Loss**

#### <u>Timeline</u>

- March 2019 ManCo was unable to provide a projection for Non-NFL Events for FY 2019/20 during budget development process
- Board approved \$5.8 million budget for Non-NFL Event Net Revenue for FY2019/20 given no support from ManCo for submitted budget
- February 2020 ManCo projected "TBD" for FY2019/20
- March 2020 ManCo projected \$1.7 million to \$2 million loss for FY2019/20
- June 2020 \$2.7 million loss for FY2019/20 was reported with an invoice for immediate payment
  - Payment in litigation and detailed review in progress



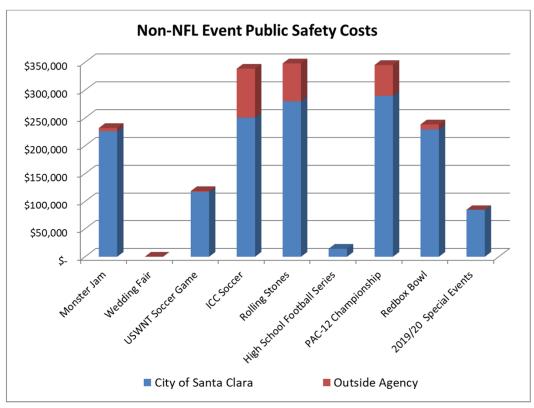
### Non-NFL Events – Parking Down



- A total of 17,000 cars were parked in offsite parking lots, <u>down</u> <u>40%</u>
- Generated \$99,000 in offsite parking fees



#### Non-NFL Events – Public Safety Costs



- Public safety costs amounted to \$1.7 million:
  - \$1.5 million (88%) are direct City costs
  - \$200,000 (12%) are outside agency costs
  - \$99,000 were covered by the offsite parking fee
  - \$826,000 still unpaid



## **Operating Budget Summary**

- Total Operating Revenues of \$97.8 million or 133% of annual budget
  - Over budget due to non-NFL event revenue recorded at gross;
     ManagementCo provided budget net of expenses
- Total Operating Expenses of \$73.2 million or 100% of annual budget
  - Excess revenues were distributed in FY 2020/21 for the operating reserve, subordinate loan debt service (49ers diverted a portion for revolving loan repayment), and capital reserve



## Stadium Builder Licenses (SBLs)

- Value of currently active SBLs is \$531.7 million (60,237 or 91% of 65,879 sellable SBLs)
- A total of 86% of principal value has been collected as of March 31, 2020 (\$458.9 million)
- 1,310 new SBLs were sold with total face value of \$7.9 million



## **Growing Discretionary Fund**

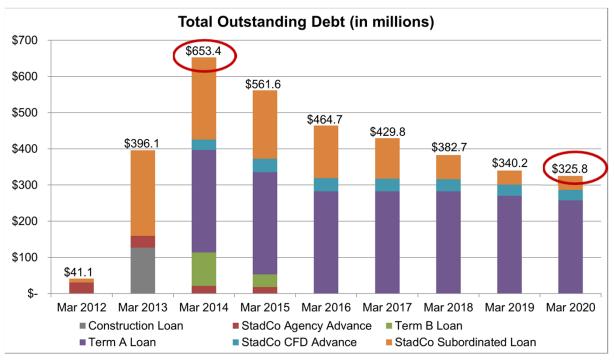
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Discretionary Fund - Accrual Basis						
		Beginning			Ending	
	Fiscal Year	Balance	Revenue	Expenses	Balance	
	2014/15	\$ -	\$ 715,770	\$ 714,028	\$ 1,742	
	2015/16	1,742	1,238,542	699,129	541,155	
	2016/17	541,155	1,164,698	1,209,342	496,511	
	2017/18	496,511	768,564	-	1,265,075	
	2018/19	1,265,075	796,294	101,267	1,960,102	
	2019/20	1,960,102	367,748	-	2,327,850	

- Current balance is \$2.3 million
- Discretionary fund previously used to pay NFL public safety costs above the public safety threshold



#### **Over Half of Debt Paid**



Total principal reduction of \$15 million



#### Only 1% of Capital Budget Expended

- Total Capital Budget of \$14 million
- \$132,000 or 1% spend on Stadium CIP costs
  - Completed multiple Public Safety Purchases
    - Kawasaki Mule and Upgrades, 2 Auto Pulse Automated Compressors, Lifepack Monitor, Mobile Radio, Diesel Particulate Filter and Chemical Warfare Detector
- Projects halted due to State procurement and prevailing wages



## Concern over Future General Fund Impact

#### **Net General Fund Impact**

For Stadium Authority Fiscal Year to Date Ending March 31, 2020

Ground Rent	\$ 355,000
Performance Rent	
Senior and Youth Fee	250,000
Tasman Lots Parking Fee	34,410
Sales Tax	834,314

Assume no
Performance Rent
for upcoming year

Total Net General Fund Impact \$ 1,473,724



#### Other Issues / Updates

- Total unpaid invoices \$1.9 million NFL / \$1.1 million Non-NFL
- Non-NFL Events documentation review in progress for \$2.7 million loss / also under litigation
  - No payment recommended at this time
  - Increase of \$1.2 million in "Other Operating Expenses" in 4<sup>th</sup> Quarter, under review and at question
- Shared Stadium Manager expenses review in progress delay due to COVID-19 limited access
- Capital Improvement Program expenditures continue at a slow pace



### Other Issues / Updates

- Non-NFL Event audit report for prior years expected later this year
- Financial Management System award October 13 Agenda
- Other expenses for Stadium Manager General and Administration – reviewing supporting documentation and explanation of additional services
- SBL scanning project will require project manager and workplan



#### Recommendation

Note and file the Santa Clara Stadium Authority Financial Status Report for the Quarter and Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 2020.



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