



# BALLOT QUESTIONS FACT SHEET

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## WHAT IS A M&O OVERRIDE?

The continuation of the Maintenance & Operations (M&O) Override supports maintaining smaller class sizes, competitive teacher salaries, performing arts and athletics, Career and Technical Education (CTE), Gifted, ELL and many extra-curricular programs. Overrides are approved by voters for a term of seven years.

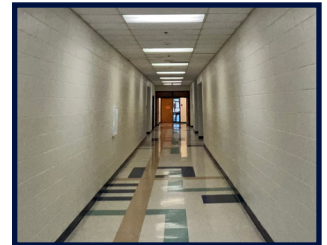
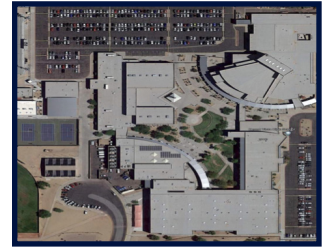
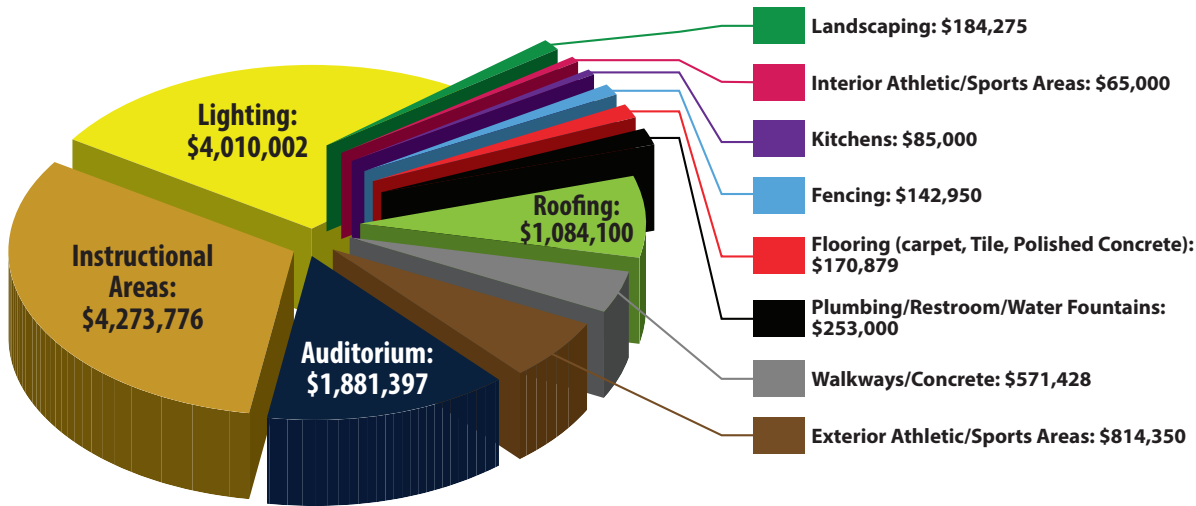
## WHAT IS A DAA OVERRIDE?

The State of Arizona allocates funds for school districts based on a set formula. District Additional Assistance (DAA) funds (formerly known as capital funds) are allocated on a per-student basis and are used for items expected to last more than one year such as furniture, fixtures and technology.

Voters will be asked to approve the renewal of an \$8,700,000 DAA Override to address capital needs for items such as student laptops, teacher and staff technology districtwide, textbooks, student furniture and equipment.

## WHAT IS A BOND AND HOW WILL BOND MONIES BE USED AT DESERT VISTA?

The \$100 million-dollar bond will invest \$13,536,157 in capital improvements at Desert Vista High School. These bond improvements include things such as roofing, science labs, interior and exterior lighting for the school and athletic fields.



## EXTRA CREDIT

An analysis of ballot questions projected that if all 3 Tempe Union High School District ballot measures are passed, Tempe Union High School District will maintain the lowest Union High School District tax rate in Maricopa County.

