Tax Increment Financing Past, Present & Future

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Community stability

• A community's success also requires regularly revitalized community activity, the maintenance and renewal of infrastructure and the provision of public goods, buildings and services like police, schools, hospitals and public recreation areas.



Community stability

- A community's economic growth is an important government function that requires coordination with the private sector.
- When impediments arise, they can often be remediated by a combination of private sector and government activity.
- The system operates best when government and private sector actors work in harmony to achieve compatible goals by using their own tools and TIF can provide a framework for that cooperation.







Not all TIFs Created Equal

- Creature of each individual state
 - Allowed in 49 States
 - Some use liberally other constrict their use
- Minnesota TIFs now have two basic purposes
 - Move development forward that otherwise would not occur, the "but for" test
 - Finance public infrastructure related to development



Tax Increment Financing

- Sets aside a portion of future taxes
 - The increase in taxes generated by a new development
- Dedicates those funds to pay costs related to development
 - Infrastructure, land acquisition and remediation costs
- Taxes are still paid
 - Still also pay voter approved Levies and other local Levies



TIF as a Tool for Redevelopment

- Redevelopment has more costs associated with it than development on clean and unbuilt parcels
 - Assembling parcels with different owners
 - Environmental cleanup costs
 - Demolition expenses
 - Site prep work
- <u>Public/Private partnership</u> in which developers invest in real estate while city assists with property assembly, clean-up and infrastructure costs
- Adds value with increases in employment, greater amenities and more housing, recreation, dining and shopping







Tax Increment Financing in Minnesota

- Have been around since 1960s
- Minnesota's first occurred in 1969
- Shakopee first (TIF #1) was the KMART Distribution Center pre-1977
- Under the old Statute. was used for economic development, redevelopment, senior affordable housing and infrastructure costs



What Did TIF #1 Help Fund?

- Water Tower, well and water main
- Upgrade to CR 83 (twice)
- Upgrade to HWY 101 Intersections
- Upgrade to RR Crossings
- Downtown Streetscape
- Upper Valley Drainageway
- South Bypass
- Mini Bypass
- Chaska Sewer Interceptor
- Community Center
- Block 3 & 4 Acquisition
- Downtown Alley Improvements
- Upper Valley/Rahr Sewer
- Schleper Stadium



Types of Districts / Durations

Type of District	Duration In Statute (Years of Increment)		
Redevelopment	25 years (26)		
Housing	25 years (26)		
Economic Development	8 years (9)		
Renewal & Renovation	15 years (16)		
Soils Condition	20 years (21)		

Other Types:

- Pre-1979 districts
- Uncodified law districts
- Hazardous Substance Subdistricts (HSS)

Types of Districts – 2016 Reported Data

Type of District	Number	Percent	Revenue (\$millions)	Percent
Redevelopment	800	48%	\$162.2	78%
Housing	520	31%	\$24.9	12%
Economic Development	299	18%	\$14.4	7%
Renewal and Renovation	26	2%	\$5.0	2%
Soils Condition	10	1%	\$0.2	<1%
Pre-1979	2	0%	\$0	0%
Uncodified	8	<1%	\$0.8	<1%
Total	1,665	100%	\$207.6	100%
Metro	614	37%	\$175.7	85%
Greater MN	1,051	63%	\$31.9	15%

Due to rounding, sums may not equal totals.

History of TIF In Minnesota

• 1940s TIF language enacted

• 1969-1974 Various statutes apply TIF; usage spreads

• 1979 TIF Act = uniformity/process; rapid growth

• 1988-1990 Reforms and controls

• 1990s Change continues, controls loosened

• 2001 Tax reform changes landscape

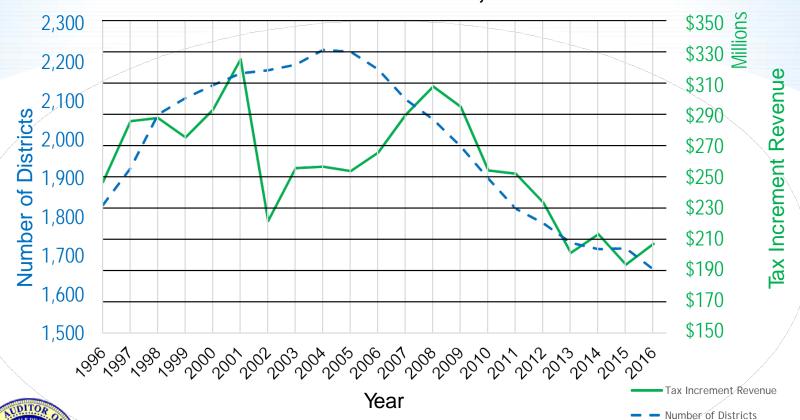
• Recent years Modest, infrequent changes

Result: Complex law; rules vary by time of certification



Historical TIF Usage







Recent Law Changes

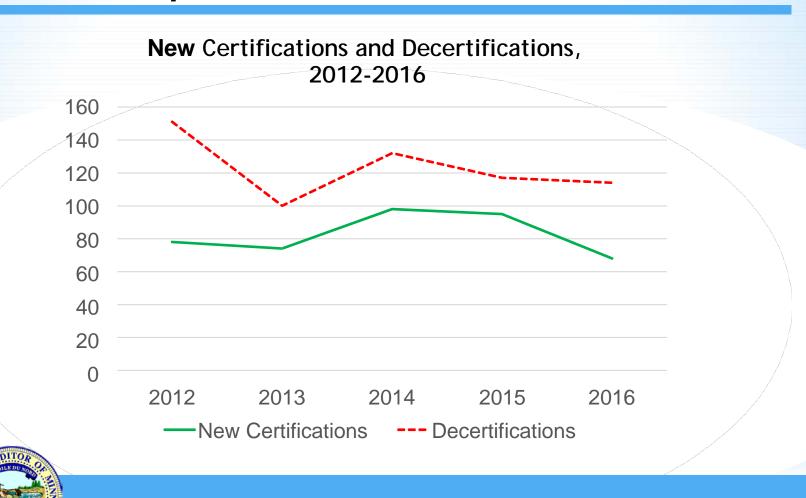
Interfund loans

- Authorize up to 60 days after transfer/expenditure
- Resolution before/after TIF plan approval
- Terms may be modified
- May structure as draw-down or line-of-credit
- Report on annual reporting forms

Economic development districts for Workforce Housing

- Assist rental housing under certain conditions/findings
- County and school district must approve
- MHFA challenge program income limits
- Technical changes

Decertifications Outpace New Certifications



Early Decertification

Full Duration vs. Early Decertification, 2012-2016

District Type (Max Duration)	Decertified Districts	Lasted Full Duration	Decertified Early	
			%	Average Years
Redevelopment (25 years)	323	49%	51%	11
Housing (25 years)	159	19%	81%	12
Economic Development (8 years)	117	77%	23%	3
Renewal & Renovation (15 years)	13	54%	46%	7
Soils Condition (20 years)	2	0%	100%	17

Measurement details available on request



- Improvements and expenses in Minnesota can be funded by:
 - Pay-as-you-go notes "Pay Go"
 - Revenue Bonds or Notes
 - General Obligation Bonds
 - Interfund loans



- Improvements and expenses in Minnesota can be funded by:
- Today, most City of Shakopee TIF Districts are Pay Go
 - Developer pays its expenses up front
 - Reimbursed through TIF payments twice a year by a note at state regulated interest rate
 - Don't always get fully reimbursed
 - Sometimes pays off early



- TIF #1 KMART Distribution Center 1976
 - \$22,583,300 market value today
 - \$797,002 total annual taxes
 - \$103,312 city taxes
- TIF #2 Elderly Housing (Levee Drive) Decertified 1997
 - \$5,080,000 market value today
 - \$57,668 total annual taxes
 - \$14,361 city taxes



- TIF #3 Downtown Streets & Sidewalks 1982
 - Decertified in 2000
- TIF #4 Canterbury 1984 Decertified 1994
 - \$11,000,000 market value today
 - \$406,790 total annual taxes
 - \$52,769 city taxes



- TIF #6 Shakopee Valley Motel 1985
 - Decertified in 1997
- TIF #7 MEBCO 1989 Decertified 1998
 - +3,150,000 market value today
 - \$57,530 total annual taxes
 - \$14,983 city taxes



- TIF #9 FMG TSUMURA 2000 Decertified 2009
 - Property was redeveloped under TIF#12
- TIF #10 River City Center 1999 Will be Decertified 2024
 - Redevelopment TIF with Senior Housing
 - Bonded
 - \$9,650,000 market value today
 - \$128,105 total annual taxes
 - \$56,635.46 TIF





- TIF #11 Seagate 2000 Decertified 2009
- City/EDA \$3,591,195 towards land, fill and grading and parking land
- 800+ jobs
 - \$22,000,000 market value today
 - \$815,584 annual taxes
 - \$105,710 city taxes



- TIF#12 Challenge Printing 2005 Decertified 2014
- Added on to building, renovated huge structure
 - \$21,000,000 market value today
 - \$800,720 annual taxes
 - \$103,794 city taxes



- TIF#13 Open Systems 2007 Decertified 2015
- \$188,000 TIF and corporate HQ
 - \$3,000,000 market value today
 - \$114,016 annual taxes
 - \$14,260 city taxes







- TIF#14 J&J/SanMar 2014 Decertified 2022
 - Pay go
 - \$23,000,000 market value
 - \$852,748 annually in taxes
 - \$16,106 city/\$15,198 County
 - \$330,386 TIF Annual Payment
- TIF#15 Trident/All Saints 2039 decertified
 - Pay go \$1,000,000 towards 20% affordable units
 - \$11,450,00 current market value
 - \$4,144 original net tax capacity
 - \$202,578 annually in taxes
 - \$155,500 annual TIF payment
 - Payoff likely to occur in 2024









Rahr Expansion TIF #16 – 2016 Decertified in 2025

- Pay go
- Kept one of our oldest & important industries
- Expanded employment
- Transformed our West End of city
- If Rahr had relocated or reduced operations:
 - Significant tax impacts increasing tax burden on all residents
 - \$1.88 million towards infrastructure and site work





- TIF#17 4th Ave & Shenandoah
 - Owned by an affiliate of USAA
 - \$60,000,000 market value
 - \$2,227,780 in annual taxes
 - \$35,235 city taxes
 - Interfund loans
 - \$886,612 TIF



No monies go to Amazon – all to infrastructure
 Paying the city for the reconstruction of 4th Avenue \$2,319,076 (40.7%)
 Paying the County for County Highway 83 in concrete \$3,379,250 (59.3%)







Current Canterbury TIF #18

- One of the largest underutilized sites in the city
- Major barrier to access as public roads end into the property
- Up to \$33 million for Public Infrastructure
 - Roads to connect the community
 - 12th Avenue needs to be reconstructed even without Canterbury
 - Pay Go and TIF Bonds
 - Utilities
 - Storm Drainage
- \$350+ million total investment by Canterbury



Riverfront Bluff TIF #19

- Pay go
- Cleaning up a garbage dump
- Reimbursing the city for property acquisition
- Undergrounding utilities along the river bluff
- Expanding SPUC water line capacity
- Improving three roads
- Streetscape









Old city hall TIF #20

- Removing old foundation walls and asbestos lining
- Removing bedrock
- Building walls to hold up sidewalks, streets and railway
- Reimbursing the city for property demolition
- Paying for 70% of new concrete alley
- Upgrading utilities
- Streetscape on Holmes and Second







Southbridge Soils TIF #21

Paying for the removal of a garbage dump

Pay go



Bottom Line

- TIF has created new jobs
 - Now we need to use ED TIF for higher wage jobs
- TIF puts costs on developer who is reimbursed for expenses only if successful economic growth
- Reimbursed up to the max amount of TIF in TIF Plan



Impact of TIF on Taxes?

- No direct impact to individual taxpayer
 - Uses the "new" tax which would not exist w/o the development
 - Taxing jurisdictions still get tax prior to TIF
- Taxes do not go up due to a TIF
- TIF Districts still pay other new tax levies
- Commercial TIF still pay Fiscal Disparities and State Tax



TIF Impact to School District

- Large fixed costs and primarily funded through state funding formula based upon # of pupils
- Still pay new levies
- Still contribute to State Taxes
- Increased school population?
 - Not with these projects
 - Targeting young professionals and active older adults



Not all projects should use TIF

- New residential development on clean undeveloped land is not eligible (residential subdivisions)
- New ED TIF should deliver high wage jobs
- City carefully weighs TIF or any other incentive development tool with our financial consultants
- Very small part of city growth attached to TIF
- TIF Districts have accelerated because of growth in value



Questions

