

**THIS IS THE CITY OF MERCED'S PRELIMINARY DRAFT  
BUDGET FOR FISCAL YEAR 2008-2009 (July, 2008 – June 2009)**

The following material reflects the recommendation of the City Manager of the City of Merced for the City budget for Fiscal Year 2008-2009.

The City Council will study and consider the recommendations, and act to approve a final budget no later than June 30, 2008. (City Council action is scheduled for the regular Council meeting on June 16, 2008, pending further Council direction.)

Once the final budget is adopted by the City Council it will be posted on the Web site, and also will be available for review at the front counter.