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## Hills limits departments' growth

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EMPLOYEE INSURANCE costs also are helping increase city expenditures in the coming year. Michigan Blue Cross-Blue Shield is increasing the city's rates 30 percent which amount to a \$240,000 increase in basic insurance rates.

The city's debt retirement also shows an increase in 1988-89. This primarily because of the transfer of principal and interest payments on ecity's 37 million general obligation bonds for the three-year road improvement program.

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The new budget also reflects increases due to maintenance and operating costs for the city's new parks system, including the 210-acre Heri-

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tage Park and 15-ncre youth athletic Ploneer Park, Costick said.
"We bought into a program in 1985 in parks and roads, quality of life, lots of improvement and we're paying for it," Costick said.
The voter-approved, five-year, half-mill tax for parks development can be used only for construction and development of the parks system, including the historic Eleanor Spicer estate house, Rosch said.

A 4-PERCENT salary increase for

employees, including department heads, is planned. The budget also includes the addition of five new full-time positions — one police officer, one police dispatcher and three maintenance workers for the Department of Special Services for parks and recre-

program and parts maintenance.
The proposed budget also reflects a 14-percent increase for the city's share of costs for the with the city of the cost of the city's share of costs for the with the city of the cost of the c

Police: \$6.4 million to \$7.06
 million. The budget reflects a 9-percent increase, not including positions financed by federal grants.

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• Fire: \$1.5 million to \$1.6 million. The budget covers the "peak hour staff," which provides staff during morning and evening rush hours.

Special services: In addition to maintaining recreational programs, the budget addresses financing for maintenance and operations of the

### Hills seeks tax increase

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"Our activity hasn't dropped but our revenue has," Costick sald, adding that construction is active, but much of it continues on permits issued the previous budget year.
The proposed budget includes projected revenue from building fees of 31 million, a \$325,000 decrease from the current year's projected revenue of \$1,325,000, which city officials

doubt will be reached by June 30. In 1985-87, building fees generated \$1.4 million and \$1.6 million in 1985-86. Elimination of federal shared revenues also is pinching the proposed budget. The city's last payment of \$225,000 two years ago was split be-tween the current budget year and the previous year. Sof June 30, the current budget's year's \$112,000 share will be gone.



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