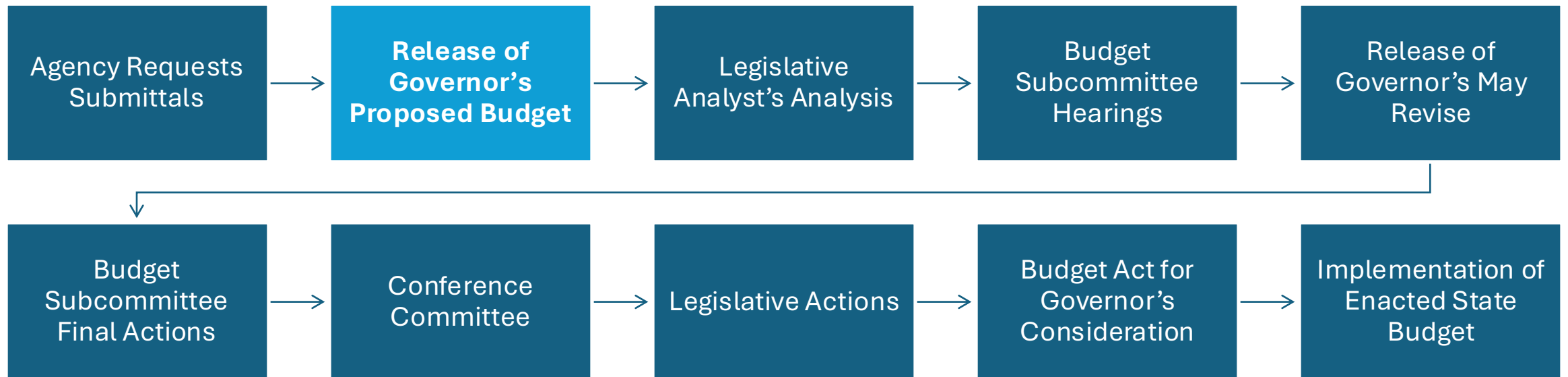




Governor's Proposed 2026-27 Budget

Mt. San Jacinto Community College District
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State Budget Development Process



Budget
Benefit,
Cost, &
Challenge
[1, p. 1]

Benefit:

Surge in state revenues in 2025 boosting overall revenue outlook

Cost:

Federal tax legislation, higher tariffs, & restrictive immigration policy

Challenge:

Balancing the budget for the coming fiscal year & following year



Budget Overview

[1, p. 2]

- **General Fund revenues higher by more than \$42B over budget window than projected by 2025 Budget Act**
- **Projected shortfall of \$2.9B**
 - Constitutional funding requirements
 - Need for adequate discretionary budget reserve
 - Higher program costs
- **Budget does not include new significant spending – focuses on continued implementation of previous investments**

Economic Forecast [1, pp. 168-172]

- Upward revision to near term economic growth while maintaining moderate growth in outyears
- Inflation revised lower but projected to remain above 2%
- No payroll job growth through 2026 followed by marginal increases in 2027 through 2030



Budgetary Risks

[1, pp. 2-3]

- **Stock market & asset price declines**
- **Unpredictable federal policies & associated impact on inflation, labor market, & overall demand**
 - Tariffs
 - Immigration

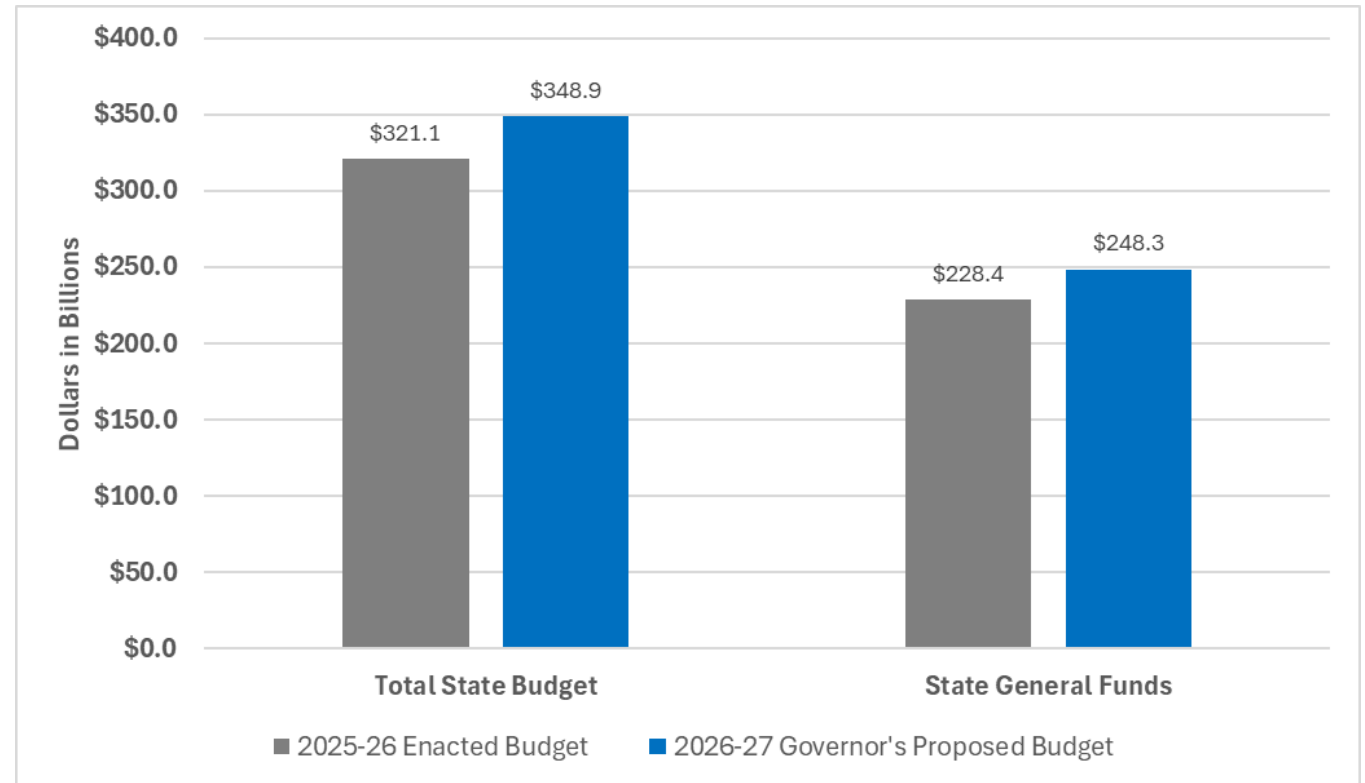


Federal Policy Changes [1, p. 3]

- **H.R. 1 of 2025**
 - Changes to HHS programs projected to result in \$1.4B in costs to General Fund for 2026-27
 - Adds nearly \$300M in costs to CalFresh
 - These costs are in addition to the natural growth in program cost & caseload since 2025 Budget Act

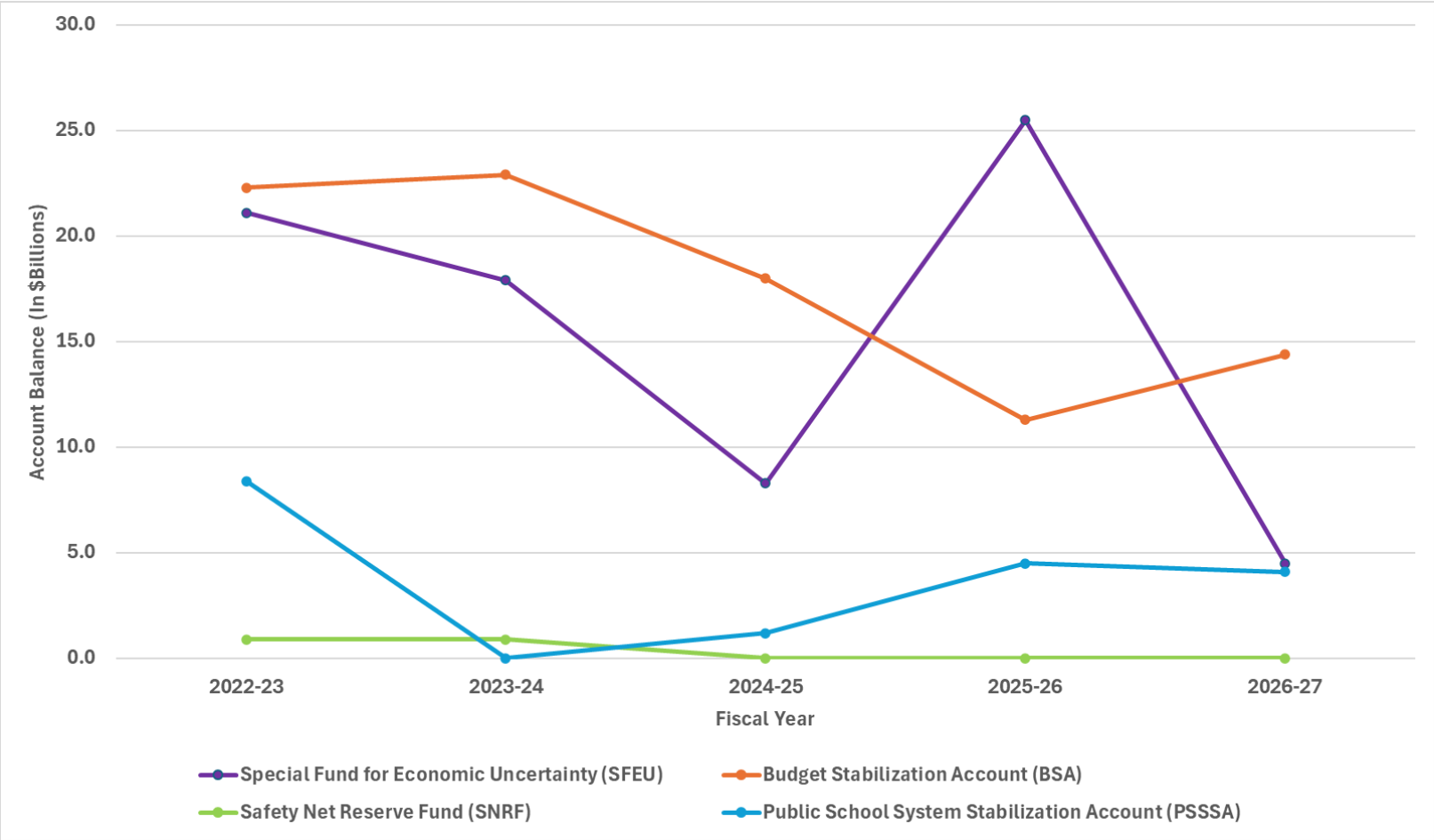


2026-27 Proposed vs. 2025-26 Enacted State Budget [2, p. 3]

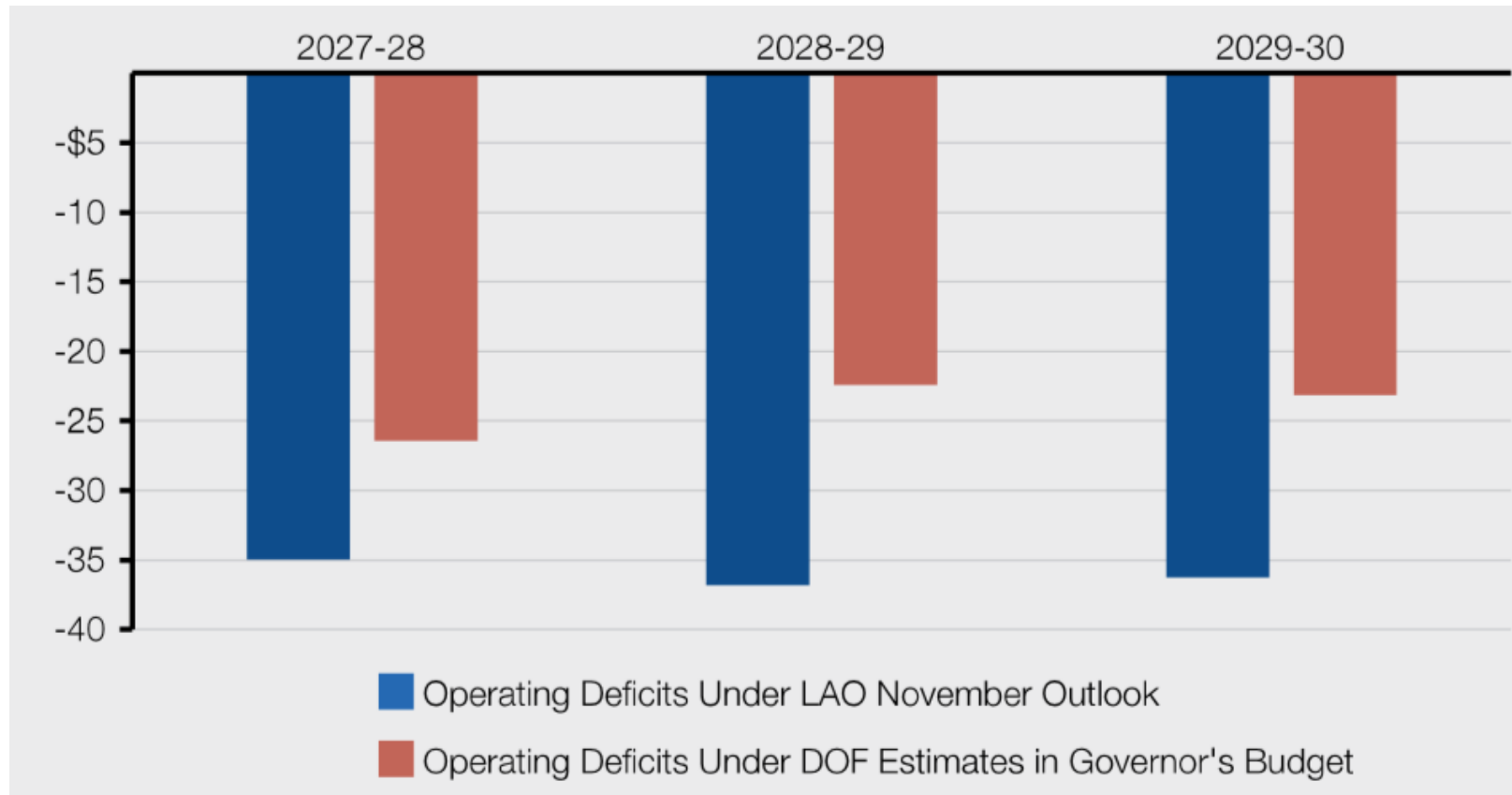


Budgetary Reserves in 2026-27 [1, pp. 3-4]

Total reserves of approximately \$23B



Chronic Multiyear Budget Deficits [3, p. 8]



Balancing for Two Budget Years [1, p. 2]

“The Administration intends to build on this budget proposal in May with a revised plan – reflecting updated revenue and spending data – that balances the Budget in both the 2026-27 and 2027-28 fiscal years with adequate budget reserves.”



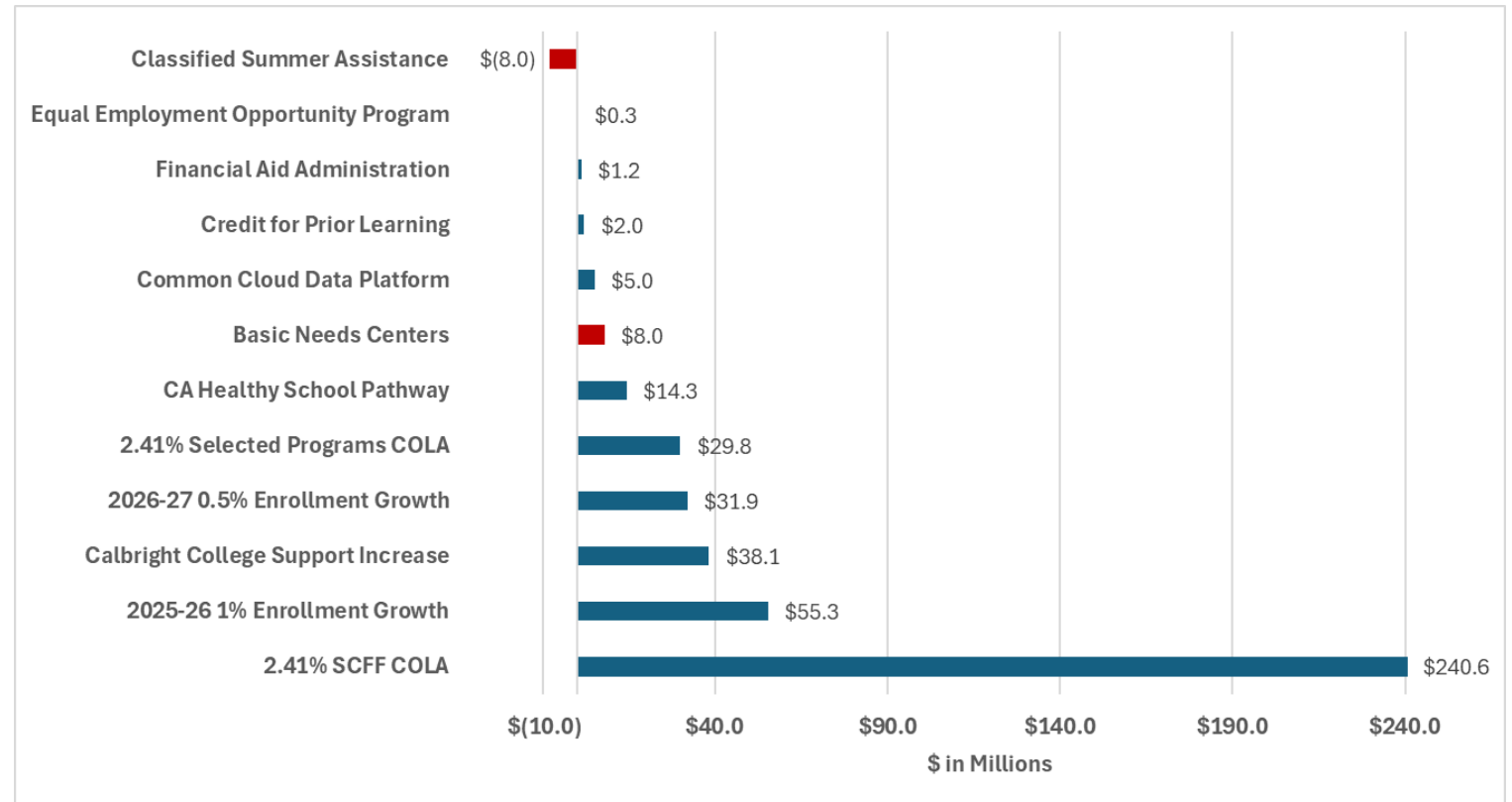
Proposition 98 Funding [2, p. 6]

Source	2024-25 Revised	2025-26 Revised	2026-27 Proposed	Change from 2025-26 (Amount)	Change from 2025-26 (Percent)
ALL PROPOSITION 98 PROGRAMS (\$ in Millions)					
General Fund	\$91,197	\$87,473	\$89,877	\$2,404	2.7%
Local Property Tax	\$32,636	\$33,947	\$35,604	\$1,657	4.9%
Totals	\$123,833	\$121,420	\$125,481	\$4,061	3.3%
COMMUNITY COLLEGES ONLY (*) (\$ in Millions)					
General Fund	\$9,794	\$8,441	\$9,326	\$885	10.5%
Local Property Tax	\$4,335	\$4,558	\$4,785	\$227	5.0%
Totals	\$14,129	\$12,999	\$14,111	\$1,112	8.6%

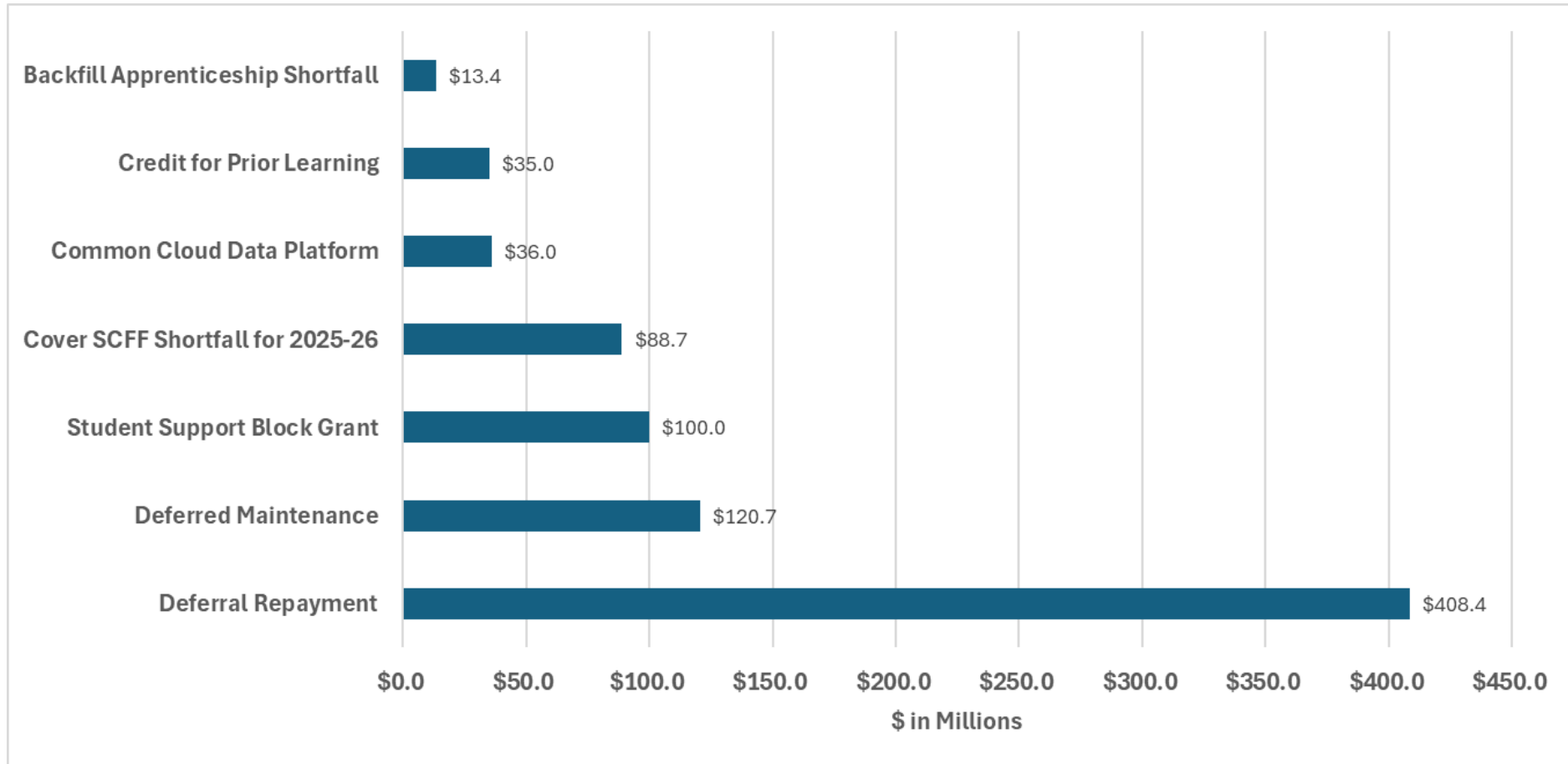
(*) CCC totals include resources that go to the K-12 system via the Adult Education, Apprenticeship, & K-12 Strong Workforce programs.

Community College System Ongoing Adjustments, \$418.1M [2, p. 8]

- **2.41% COLA**
 - SCFF Apportionments
 - Select Categorical
- **1.5% Enrollment Growth**
 - 2025-26: 1.0%
 - 2026-27: 0.5%



Community College System One-Time Adjustments, \$802.2M [2, p. 8]



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