

Our BUDGET & Our RESPONSIBILITIES as CITIZENS

'When the district government prepare or implement annual budget, it is making important decision regarding provision of water and sanitation, waste disposal, education, public health, traffic control , public safety, and community infrastructure'. Therefore, it is our responsibility that we as citizens:

- **Seek, receive and analyze information about the budget**
- **Participate in consultations organized by the district government**
- **Question the wrong priorities**
- **Give our suggestions and feedback**
- **Create public awareness**
- **Hold our elected leaders accountable**

'We demand that under the Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Local Government Act 2012, it shall be the responsibility of district councils, municipal committees, municipal corporation Peshawar, and union councils to:

- **Provide us access to all the relevant information**
- **Consult us before deciding budget priorities for next year**
- **Submit the Draft Budget in the Council for debate**
- **Publish taxation proposals for our feedback**
- **Proactively share information about monthly receipt and expenditures with the Council and citizens**