# **Finance**

Agency Number: 33

Budget Function: General Government

The mission of the City Finance Department is to enhance the financial health of the City and provide stewardship of City resources through financial information, advice and support to the public, employees, City agencies and policymakers.

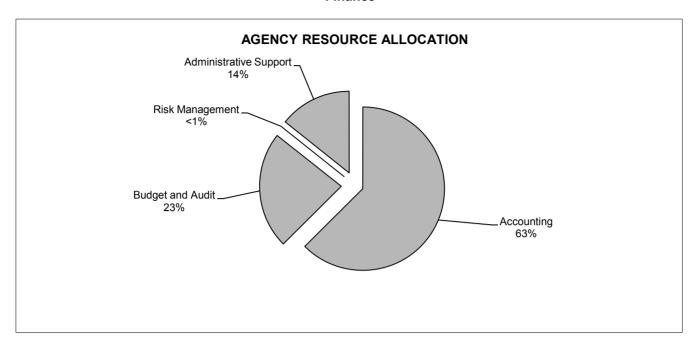
Major Service	 2013 Actual	_/	2014 Adopted		2014 Projected		2015 Request		2015 xecutive	2015 Adopted		
Accounting	\$ 1,814,079	\$	1,966,407	\$	1,977,093	\$	1,958,962	\$	2,058,266	\$	2,073,489	
Budget and Audit	709,638		751,236		758,003		756,115		760,300		766,169	
Risk Management	31,622		(1,515)		(1,864)		(5,967)		(4,281)		(1,983)	
Administrative Support	 454,364		459,856		459,066		466,857		469,665		473,482	
Agency Total	\$ 3,009,703	\$	3,175,984	\$	3,192,298	\$	3,175,967	\$	3,283,950	\$	3,311,157	

## **Adopted Budget Highlights**

The Budget includes:

- 1. Funding for the continuation of existing services, including implementation of the Enterprise Resource Planning (ERP) system.
- 2. Funding totaling \$17,300 has been reallocated to the Permanent Salaries and Benefits accounts to fund potential reclasses resulting from a reorganization of the Finance Department's General Accounting Section.
- 3. Funding of \$89,007 for a new Data Projects Coordinator position, as recommended in the Racial Equity and Social Justice Report. This position will help support efforts related to presentation of city, state, and national data on outcomes and performance associated with equity.

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## **Budget Service Descriptions:**

### **Accounting**

Responsible for the ongoing accounting operations of the City including, but not limited to, accounts payable and receivable, revenue accounting, cash accounting, bank reconciliations, City loan programs and related internal control systems, as well as capital asset management and financial statement preparation. Responsible for the development, coordination and implementation of the City's accounting and financial reporting systems, including the City's Annual Report. Serve as liaison to independent auditors. In conjunction with Information Technology staff and software vendors, develop and oversee the utilization of the City's automated financial accounting system. The City's enterprise accounting staff analyze and interpret accounting data and perform internal accounting functions for the City's Housing Operations Unit, as well as provide financial/management assistance to the City's various enterprises and utilities. Maintains a centralized payroll system for all City agencies. Includes responsibility for processing and maintaining systems for deductions/billing for employee health and life insurance, deferred compensation, worker's compensation, unemployment compensation, Wisconsin Retirement System, flexible spending, direct deposit, income continuation insurance, as well as a variety of other payroll deductions. Assists Human Resources with labor negotiation strategies and contract administration. Responsible for directing and coordinating the procurement of equipment, supplies and services required by the City. Program functions include developing City purchasing policies and procedures, encumbrance management, negotiating and administering contracts, providing support, information, and/or making recommendations on type or availability and costs (considering benefits, effectiveness, and efficiency) of equipment, supplies and services.

Service Summary										
		2013 Actual		2014 Adopted		2015 Adopted				
Total Expenditures Less Inter-Agency Billings	\$	2,194,281 380,202	\$	2,335,663 369,256	\$	2,496,639 423,150				
Net Total	\$	1,814,079	\$	1,966,407	\$	2,073,489				

## **Budget and Audit**

Responsible for preparing the City's annual capital and operating budgets, as well as providing assistance to City agencies with budget development and analysis. Performs financial, compliance and performance reviews of City agencies and other entities which have contracts with the City. Prepares report on federal and state financial assistance and the City's indirect cost allocation plan. Coordinates the City's efforts to identify and secure outside grant funding.

Service Summary											
		2013 Actual		2014 Adopted	_A	2015 dopted					
Total Expenditures Less Inter-Agency Billings	\$	747,510 37,872	\$	790,138 38,902	\$	791,902 25,733					
Net Total	\$	709,638	\$	751,236	\$	766,169					

### **Risk Management**

Responsible for administration of the City's general liability, auto liability, property and other miscellaneous insurance programs and acts as the liaison between the City and the Wisconsin Municipal Mutual Insurance Company (WMMIC). Risk Management also monitors the insurance requirements of City contracts and investigates the appropriateness of claims against the City. Risk Management is also responsible for the implementation, administration and continued enhancement of the City Safety and Worker's Compensation programs.

Service Summary											
		2013 Actual		2014 Adopted		2015 Adopted					
Total Expenditures Less Inter-Agency Billings	\$	295,240 263,618	\$	314,620 316,135	\$	316,805 318,788					
Net Total	\$	31,622	\$	(1,515)	\$	(1,983)					

# **Administrative Support**

Provides clerical and office services to City agencies. In addition to Administrative Support Team staff who are assigned to various City agencies to assist with both special projects and day-to-day operations, a centralized Document Services Unit provides confidential word processing services, as well as software support to City agencies, application conversion, website administration and assistance with agency budget preparation. This Unit develops and prepares newsletters and brochures, complex financial schedules, database management, routine documents, and can provide Braille output of a variety of documents upon request.

Service Summary											
		2013 Actual		2014 Adopted		2015 Adopted					
Total Expenditures Less Inter-Agency Billings	\$	511,528 57,164	\$	516,601 56,745	\$	525,476 51,994					
Net Total	\$	454,364	\$	459,856	\$	473,482					

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Summary by Major Object of Expenditure

		2013 Actual	 2014 Adopted	2014 d <u>Project</u>		2015 I Request		2015 Executive		 2015 Adopted
Permanent Salaries	\$	2,501,919	\$ 2,524,757	\$	2,513,489	\$	2,501,154	\$	2,566,716	\$ 2,607,116
Hourly Employee Pay		5,222	10,602		8,358		13,086		13,086	13,291
Overtime Pay		562	3,033		13,530		10,000		10,000	10,157
Fringe Benefits		783,608	885,318		898,592		878,367		920,788	906,861
Purchased Services		408,310	476,953		507,433		540,197		540,197	540,197
Supplies		36,994	44,400		37,475		41,000		41,000	41,000
Inter-Departmental Charges		11,944	11,959		14,459		11,828		11,828	12,200
Debt/Other Financing Uses		0	0		0		0		0	0
Capital Assets	_	0	 0	_	0	_	0		0	 0
Total Expenditures	\$	3,748,559	\$ 3,957,022	\$	3,993,336	\$	3,995,632	\$	4,103,615	\$ 4,130,822
Inter-Agency Billings		738,856	 781,038		801,038		819,665		819,665	819,665
Net Budget	\$	3,009,703	\$ 3,175,984	\$	3,192,298	\$	3,175,967	\$	3,283,950	\$ 3,311,157