ENGINEERING 321

DEPARTMENT: Engineering

PROGRAM MANAGER: City Engineer

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:

The Engineering Department partners with the Public Works and Water Utility Superintendents to plan, develop, and maintain public infrastructure, including city streets, sanitary sewers, water supply systems, storm sewers, drainage systems, street lighting, parks, and city-owned lands. The department also manages the necessary equipment to maintain this infrastructure.

The Engineering Department's functions are divided into seven areas: Engineering (321), Highway (331), Sanitary Sewer (Fund 61), Solid Waste Collection (Fund 19), Street Lighting (351), Parks (551), and Weed Control (361). Engineering activities include overseeing private development and issuing permits such as fill permits, driveway approach permits, and stormwater management reviews for new subdivisions and planned developments.

The department also develops plans and specifications for reconstructing city streets, storm sewers, and other public facilities, addresses drainage concerns, and provides both localized and regional design solutions.

SERVICES:

- Administrative and engineering services for divisions and departments.
- Support to the Common Council, Board of Public Works, Plan Commission, and Board of Water Commissioners.
- Project oversight and design review for public construction projects, private developments, and zoning submissions.
- Address citizen concerns about public/private construction and drainage.
- Maintain official maps and records for zoning, sanitary and storm sewers, stormwater management, and water systems.
- Establish and maintain GIS mapping and inventory, supporting other departments.
- Develop and manage a 5-year local road program in collaboration with Public Works.
- Maintain records of city-wide capital asset costs in partnership with the Finance Department.

STAFFING:

Authorized Positions (FTE)	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
City Engineer	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Assistant City Engineer	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	N/A
Engineering Technician	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00
Engineering Intern	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50
Engineering Admin Assistant	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	2.00
Clerical Aide	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	N/A
Total	8.25	8.25	8.25	8.25	8.25	7.50

Note: The City restructured in 2024, eliminating the need for an Assistant City Engineer.

ACTIVITY MEASURES:

Activity	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Plats of Survey Reviewed	110	90	90	60	125	TBD
Preliminary Plats	3	1	5	5	5	TBD
Final Plats	3	1	5	4	5	TBD
Certified Survey Maps	6	5	4	4	5	TBD
Soil Disturbance Permits	6	5	15	5	10	TBD
Fill Permits	4	5	15	5	10	TBD
Driveway Approach Permits	102	100	125	40	100	TBD
Culvert Permits	16	21	20	24	25	TBD
Land Combinations	3	2	3	2	5	TBD
Active Subdivisions/Developments	3	8	15	18	20	TBD
Utility Permits	140	145	160	180	200	TBD
Property Drainage Concerns	30	50	10	15	20	TBD
Condo Plats	8	2	2	1	4	TBD
Concept Reviews	4	5	2	2	4	TBD
Easements	56	50	60	40	60	TBD

Note: 2024 estimates are based on previous years' data, adjusted for anomalies.

BUDGET SUMMARY:

Department staffing is expected to decrease slightly to 7.50 FTEs in 2025. The Engineering Department aims to maintain service levels, meet regulatory compliance, and utilize available funds to enhance infrastructure.

		2025 ORIGINAL	2025 DEPT REQ	2024 PROJECTED	2024 AMENDED	2023 ACTIVITY
GL NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	BUDGET	BUDGET	ACTIVITY	BUDGET	
	Dept 0321 - ENGINEERING					
PERSONAL SE	•					
01-0321-5111	SALARIES-FT	555,788	553,746	475,000	475,000	513,341
01-0321-5113	SALARIES-PT	9,360	9,360	2,685	2,685	3,262
01-0321-5117	SALARIES-OT	500	500	•	500	•
01-0321-5133	LONGEVITY	565	565	790	790	660
01-0321-5134	HOLIDAY PAY	32,344	32,075	31,065	31,948	27,512
01-0321-5135	VACATION PAY	41,597	38,691	45,000	37,606	33,964
	PERSONAL SERVICES	640,154	634,937	554,540	548,529	578,739
EMPLOYEE BE	NEFITS					
01-0321-5151	FICA	48,972	48,573	40,000	40,000	42,640
01-0321-5152	RETIREMENT	40,968	40,634	33,800	33,800	36,918
01-0321-5153	RETIREE GROUP HEALTH	1,043	1,034	1,527	1,527	567
01-0321-5154	GROUP HEALTH & DENTAL	110,687	110,687	100,300	100,300	83,945
01-0321-5155	LIFE INSURANCE	2,004	1,984	3,251	3,251	1,824
01-0321-5156	WORKERS COMPENSATION INS	5,442	7,902	7,236	7,236	8,233
01-0321-5199	ALLOCATED PAYROLL COST	(223,100)	(183,300)	(183,300)		
	EMPLOYEE BENEFITS	(13,984)	27,514	2,814	2,814	(45,173)
CONTRACTUA	SERVICES					
01-0321-5216	ENGINEERING SERVICES	300,000	300,000	402,000	402,000	407,857
01-0321-5219	OTHER PROFESSIONAL SERVICES	10,000	15,000	11,000	11,000	9,183
01-0321-5223	FILING FEES	·	,	100	100	30
01-0321-5242	EQUIPMENT MAINTENANCE	2,800	2,800	3,820	3,820	3,159
01-0321-5257	SOFTWARE MAINTENANCE	13,550	13,550	15,700	15,700	9,095
	CONTRACTUAL SERVICES	326,350	331,350	432,620	432,620	429,324
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SUPPLIES 01-0321-5312	OFFICE SUPPLIES	1,750	1,750	1,750	1,750	1,900
01-0321-5312	PRINTING	300	300	300	300	334
01-0321-5329	OPERATING SUPPLIES	1,200	1,475	1,200	1,200	844
01-0321-5331	FUEL/LUBRICANTS	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,000	1,482
01-0321-5332	VEHICLE SUPPORT	2,000	2,000	2,600	2,000	2,600
	SUPPLIES	7,250	7,525	7,850	7,250	7,160
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SERVICES & C		500	500	500	500	F.40
01-0321-5415 01-0321-5421	TELEPHONE OFFICIAL NOTICES/ADVERTISING	500	500	500	500	546
01-0321-5421	OFFICIAL NOTICES/ADVERTISING SUBSCRIPTIONS	1,000 500	1,000 500	1,000 500	1,000 500	993 540
01-0321-5424	MEMBERSHIPS/DUES	3,675	3,675	1,500	4,025	1,504
01-0321-5425	CONFERENCES & SCHOOLS	2,250	2,250	6,150	6,150	3,708
01-0321-5428	ALLOCATED INSURANCE COST	1,210	1,150	1,150	1,150	1,000
01-0321-5432	MILEAGE & TECHNOLOGY	500	500	500	500	457
01-0321-5433	EQUIPMENT RENTAL	2,500	2,500	2,500	2,500	1,975
	SERVICES & CHARGES	12,135	12,075	13,800	16,325	10,723
CLAIMS CONT						
01-0321-5726	RIB. AND AWARDS EMPLOYEE RECOGNITION	400	400	400	400	253
01-0021-0120	CLAIMS, CONTRIB. AND AWARDS	400	400	400	400	253
		100	100	.50	100	200
	Totals for dept 0321 - ENGINEERING	972,305	1,013,801	1,012,024	1,007,938	981,026

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HIGHWAYS and PARKS 331, 551

DEPARTMENT: Highways and Parks

PROGRAM MANAGER: Superintendent of Public Works

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:

The Highways and Parks Department is responsible for constructing, operating, and maintaining the City's public infrastructure. This includes City streets, storm sewers, sidewalks, forestry, street signs, street lighting, public parks, bike trails, City-owned lands, and drainage ways.

Specifically, the department maintains:

- 182 miles of City streets
- 51 miles of sidewalk
- 16 parks
- Over 90 miles of storm sewers
- 3,400 catch basins and manholes

- 177 vehicles
- Public right-of-way land
- 5 Highway Department buildings
- 10,000+ curbside trees

The department also undertakes major special projects annually to reduce capital expenditures and save tax dollars.

SERVICES:

- Facility Maintenance: Maintain buildings and grounds at the Public Works facility.
- Materials Storage: Store materials for the Highway and other departments.
- **Vehicle & Mechanical Maintenance**: Provide maintenance services for vehicles and equipment across departments, including Public Works, Police, and Fire.
- Fuel System Management: Manage and maintain the fueling system for all City entities.
- Pavement & Lot Maintenance: Perform annual pavement marking and maintain City parking lots.
- **Signage**: Repair and replace street signs, install new signage and handle signage in new developments.
- Road & Sidewalk Repairs: Conduct spot paving, pothole patching, curb/gutter repairs, and sidewalk maintenance.
- **Storm Sewer Maintenance**: Maintain and repair storm sewers, catch basins, and retention ponds.
- **Winter Services**: Remove snow and ice from City streets, parking lots, cul-de-sacs, and sidewalks.
- Groundskeeping: Mow grass and weeds on rural roadsides and City-owned lands.
- **Recycling Center Operations**: Manage the City of Franklin Recycling Center and handle wood mulch production/distribution for residential use.
- Crack Sealing: Perform annual crack sealing to extend pavement lifespan.
- Street Lighting: Maintain City-owned street lighting systems.
- Street Sweeping: Sweep streets and parking lots in spring and fall.

- Litter & Animal Removal: Pick up litter and remove animal carcasses from roadways and public areas.
- **City Department Support**: Assist other departments with labor and equipment to reduce operating costs.
- **Event Support**: Provide workforce support for City-sponsored events like the 4th of July and St. Martin's Fair.
- Fire Station Maintenance: Maintain and landscape all City fire stations.

STAFFING:

Authorized Positions (FTE)	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Superintendent	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Asst. Superintendent	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Mechanic	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Asst. Mechanic	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
2 nd Assistant Mechanic	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	1.00	1.00
Foreman	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	2.00	2.00
Forester	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Arborist	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	1.00	1.00
Heavy Equipment Operator	7.00	7.00	7.00	7.00	6.00	6.00
Light Equipment Operator	8.00	8.00	6.00	6.00	4.00	4.00
Light Equipment Operator - Parks	1.00	1.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00
Laborer	N/A	N/A	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Seasonal Help-Highway	.75	.75	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Seasonal Help-Parks	1.00	1.00	0.35	0.35	0.35	0.35
DPW Deputy Clerk	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Total	24.75	24.75	23.35	23.35	23.35	23.35

Note: In 2024, three positions were retitled.

Special Projects for 2025:

- Continue updates to LED street lighting.
- Re-ditching, culvert replacement, and road repairs as part of the 2025 Road Program.
- Tree removal and replanting efforts, with approximately 100 trees removed and 180 planted.
- Upgrades to the Ken Windl Pavilion and various City signage.
- Ongoing roadside brush and tree removal for safety and road longevity.

MEASURES OF ACTIVITY AND SERVICES PROVIDED BY THE DEPARTMENT:

Activity – General Labor	2020 Hrs./%*	2021 Hrs./%	2022 Hrs./%	2023 Hrs./%	2024 Hrs./%	2025 Hrs./%
Street Maintenance	13,4267/	13,996/	13,018/	13,795/	13,795/	TBD
	32%	34%	32%	32%	32%	
Forestry, Street Lighting, City	9,453/	7,905/	8,951/	11,356/	11,356/	TBD
Land/Buildings/Dept Assist.	22.5%	19%	22%	27%	27%	
City Parks	6,921/	7,676/	7,015/	6,590/	6,590/	TBD
	16.5%	18%	17%	15%	15%	
Training	164**/	376/	596/	497/	497/	TBD
	0.5%	0.5%	1%	1%	1%	
Equipment Maintenance	4,558/	4,245/	4,487/	4,565/	4,565/	TBD
	11%	10%	11%	11.5%	11.5%	
Misc.	832/	1,075/	727/	586/	586/	TBD
	2%	3%	2%	1%	1%	
Supervision	4,507/	4,523/	4,223/	3,536/	3,536/	TBD
	10.5%	11%	10%	8%	8%	
Clerical	1,720/	1,731/	1,718/	1,679/	1,679/	TBD
	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%	
Recycling	450/	181/	207/	230/	230/	TBD
	1%	0.5%	1%	.5%	.5%	

^{*2020} Training hours were decreased due to COVID-19 canceling many courses/classes.

Note: 2024 estimates are based on data from previous years, adjusted for any anomalies observed.

Activity - Forestry	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Curbside Trees	9,862	9,931	9,847	9,969	10,106	TBD
Trees Pruned	1,431	990	770	1,600	1,740	TBD
Trees Removed – curbside	121	57	66	151	100	TBD
Trees Removed – rural	50	75	125	100	100	TBD
Trees Planted	245	162	80	150	324	TBD

Note: 2024 estimates are based on data from previous years, adjusted for any anomalies observed.

Note: We will need to plant more development and replace trees with more developments.

Activity - Highway	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Street miles crack sealed	10	12	20	20	21	TBD
Miles of Streets	180	182	182	182	182	TBD
Vehicles maintained	177	177	177	177	177	TBD
Catch basin/manholes repaired	150	140	160	107	90	TBD
Street Lighting maintained	950	950	950	950	950	TBD
Street Signs maintained	5,600	5,625	5,625	5,625	5,625	TBD
Miles of Sidewalk	50	51	51	51	53	TBD
Acres of Municipal Landscaping	12.75	12.75	12.75	12.75	12.75	TBD
maintained						

Note: 2024 estimates are based on data from previous years, adjusted for any anomalies observed.

Activity - Parks	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Acreage of parks	251.5	251.5	274	274	274	TBD
Acres of Parks mowed/maintained	85	85	85	85	85	TBD
"Active Parks"						
Recreational Facilities Maintained	19	19	19	19	19	TBD
Miles of bike trail maintained	12.5	12.5	12.5	12.5	12.5	TBD
Park permits (5 pavilions)	74	207	139	160	138	TBD
Baseball field permits (4 fields)	10	68	160	134	144	TBD

Note: 2020 rentals down due to COVID-19

Note: 2024 estimates are based on data from previous years, adjusted for any anomalies observed.

The department is responsible for various infrastructure projects, seasonal road maintenance, and assisting other City departments in reducing overall costs.

BUDGET SUMMARY:

- 1) **Operating Costs:** Some operating accounts will slightly increase in 2025 due to general inflation and supply chain issues affecting necessary materials.
- 2) **Vehicle Replacement:** Delays in vehicle replacement have led to increased maintenance costs. The department requires additional funds to maintain aging equipment.

		2025	2025	2024	2024	2023
		ORIGINAL	DEPT REQ	PROJECTED	AMENDED	ACTIVITY
GL NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	BUDGET	BUDGET	ACTIVITY	BUDGET	
	Dept 0331 - HIGHWAY		Ī			
PERSONAL SE						
01-0331-5111	SALARIES-FT	1,201,449	1,307,445	1,141,675	1,141,675	1,117,626
01-0331-5117	SALARIES-OT	59,705	59,900	55,900	59,900	57,571
01-0331-5118	COMPTIME TAKEN	4 0 4 0	4 0 4 0	30,000	30,000	36,966
01-0331-5133	LONGEVITY	1,840	1,840	1,735	1,735	1,490
01-0331-5134	HOLIDAY PAY	86,020	92,096	82,720	82,723	71,637
01-0331-5135	VACATION PAY	84,811	88,745	81,505	81,506	79,110
	PERSONAL SERVICES	1,433,825	1,550,026	1,393,535	1,397,539	1,364,400
EMPLOYEE BE	MEEITS					
01-0331-5151	FICA	109,657	118,546	106,910	106,912	99,448
01-0331-5151	RETIREMENT	127,566	135,378	133,745	133,747	146,856
01-0331-5152	RETIREE GROUP HEALTH	10,184	11,081	9,675	9,675	4,946
01-0331-5154	GROUP HEALTH & DENTAL	237,805	280,090	251,685	251,689	208,667
01-0331-5155	LIFE INSURANCE	4,651	5,037	7,040	7,042	4,327
01-0331-5156	WORKERS COMPENSATION INS	21,387	34,388	28,480	28,482	25,813
01-0331-5199	ALLOCATED PAYROLL COST	(21,840)	(19,920)	(19,920)		(18,240)
01 0001 0100	EMPLOYEE BENEFITS	489,410	564,600	517,615	517,627	471,817
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CONTRACTUA	L SERVICES					
01-0331-5236	PAVEMENT MARKING	112,000	112,000	110,000	110,000	83,062
01-0331-5245	RADIO MAINTENANCE	3,000	3,000	3,000	3,000	4,094
01-0331-5297	REFUSE COLLECTION	3,000	3,000	1,000	3,000	•
01-0331-5299	SUNDRY CONTRACTORS	43,700	43,700	43,700	43,700	17,805
	CONTRACTUAL SERVICES	161,700	161,700	157,700	159,700	104,961
SUPPLIES						
01-0331-5312	OFFICE SUPPLIES	2,200	2,200	2,200	2,200	2,399
01-0331-5313	PRINTING	600	600	300	600	185
01-0331-5326	UNIFORMS	8,000	8,000	8,000	8,000	7,354
01-0331-5328	EDUCATION SUPPLIES	2,000	2,000	1,000	2,000	391
01-0331-5331	FUEL/LUBRICANTS	180,150	180,150	180,150	180,150	143,716
01-0331-5332	VEHICLE SUPPORT	250,000	250,000	250,000	250,000	263,645
01-0331-5342	CONSUMABLE TOOLS	27,000	27,000	27,000	27,000	26,366
01-0331-5343	SIGN SUPPLIES	25,000	25,000	25,000	25,000	20,107
01-0331-5345	OFF-ROAD MAINT. SUPPLIES	8,000	8,000	4,000	8,000	3,013
01-0331-5346	TRAFFIC SAFETY	6,000	6,000	6,000	6,000	6,807
01-0331-5347	SAFETY COMPLIANCE	20,000	20,000	20,000	20,000	25,318
01-0331-5355	CULVERT SUPPLIES	15,000	15,000	15,000	15,000	8,936
01-0331-5362	SAND DE-ICER	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	0.40
01-0331-5364	SALT DE-ICER	278,000	278,000	278,000	278,000	249,651
01-0331-5381	STREET MAINT, MATERIALS	150,000	150,000	125,000	151,605	118,467
01-0331-5382	EQUIPMENT ATTACHMENT REPLACEMENTS	15,000	18,000	040.050	15,000	070.055
	SUPPLIES	987,950	990,950	942,650	989,555	876,355

		2025	2025	2024	2024	2023
		ORIGINAL	DEPT REQ	PROJECTED	AMENDED	ACTIVITY
GL NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	BUDGET	BUDGET	ACTIVITY	BUDGET	
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SERVICES & C	HARGES					
01-0331-5412	ELECTRICITY-TORNADO SIRENS	5,500	5,500	5,500	5,500	5,079
01-0331-5415	TELEPHONE	11,500	11,500	9,500	8,500	10,358
01-0331-5419	TRAFFIC SIGNAL ELECTRICITY	4,000	4,000	4,000	4,000	8,453
01-0331-5420	TRAFFIC SIGNAL MAINTENANCE	2,000	2,000	2,645	100	189
01-0331-5421	OFFICIAL NOTICES/ADVERTISING	2,000	2,000	2,345	750	241
01-0331-5424	MEMBERSHIPS/DUES	1,000	1,000	835	800	335
01-0331-5425	CONFERENCES & SCHOOLS	5,400	5,400	5,000	5,400	4,509
01-0331-5428	ALLOCATED INSURANCE COST	63,640	60,605	60,605	60,605	52,700
01-0331-5433	EQUIPMENT RENTAL	40,000	40,000	35,000	35,000	42,355
01-0331-5436	STORMWATER DISCHARGE PERMIT	12,500	12,700	17,500	12,500	12,275
01-0331-5437	LANDFILL DISPOSAL TAXES	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	8,060
	SERVICES & CHARGES	152,540	149,705	147,930	138,155	144,554
FACILITY CHAI	RGES					
01-0331-5551	WATER	3,000	3,500	3,000	3,000	2,523
01-0331-5552	ELECTRICITY	13,000	18,000	13,000	13,000	12,224
01-0331-5553	SEWER	13,500	18,000	13,500	12,000	12,600
01-0331-5554	NATURAL GAS	12,000	18,000	10,000	12,000	9,038
01-0331-5559	BUILDING MAINTENANCE-OTHER	55,000	55,000	73,635	45,000	38,793
	FACILITY CHARGES	96,500	112,500	113,135	85,000	75,178
	Totals for dept 0331 - HIGHWAY	3,321,925	3,529,481	3,272,565	3,287,576	3,037,265

		2025 ORIGINAL	2025 DEPT REQ	2024 PROJECTED	2024 AMENDED	2023
GL NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	BUDGET	BUDGET	ACTIVITY	BUDGET	
	Dept 0551 - PARKS					
PERSONAL SERVIC	·					
01-0551-5111	SALARIES-FT	200,857	198,892	140,000	186,243	128,491
01-0551-5113	SALARIES-PT	13,519	26,491		12,994	
01-0551-5115	SALARIES-TEMP			14,230		10,551
01-0551-5117	SALARIES-OT	3,000	3,000	4,950	3,000	6,424
	PERSONAL SERVICES	217,376	228,383	159,180	202,237	145,466
EMPLOYEE BENEFI	TS					
01-0551-5151	FICA	16,660	17,502	11,500	15,471	10,308
01-0551-5152	RETIREMENT	14,192	14,907	12,400	13,055	13,460
01-0551-5153	RETIREE GROUP HEALTH	1,547	1,531	1,000	1,397	504
01-0551-5154	GROUP HEALTH & DENTAL	31,579	31,579	27,000	51,132	24,735
01-0551-5155	LIFE INSURANCE	679	669	450	1,024	407
01-0551-5156	WORKERS COMPENSATION INS	3,394	5,283	3,370	4,437	2,910
	EMPLOYEE BENEFITS	68,051	71,471	55,720	86,516	52,324
CONTRACTUAL SER	RVICES					
01-0551-5247	PARKS MAINTENANCE	75,000	85,000	70,045	70,046	72,397
	CONTRACTUAL SERVICES	75,000	85,000	70,045	70,046	72,397
SUPPLIES						
01-0551-5326	UNIFORMS	700	700	700	700	700
	SUPPLIES	700	700	700	700	700
SERVICES & CHARG						
01-0551-5415	TELEPHONE	2,200	2,200	1,600	1,600	1,788
01-0551-5432	MILEAGE & TECHNOLOGY	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,000	1,910
	SERVICES & CHARGES	4,200	4,200	3,600	3,600	3,698
FACILITY CHARGES						
01-0551-5551	WATER	3,300	3,300	2,500	2,500	2,975
01-0551-5551.9820	WATER-Kayla's Playground	3,000	600	_,000	600	_,0.0
01-0551-5552	ELECTRICITY	11,000	11,000	9,000	11,000	9,134
01-0551-5553	SEWER	,	1,100	-,	800	-, -
01-0551-5553.9820	SEWER-Kayla's Playground		300		300	
01-0551-5554	NATURAL GAS	6,400	6,400	3,910	6,400	3,994
	FACILITY CHARGES	20,700	22,700	15,410	21,600	16,103
	Totals for dept 0551 - PARKS	386,027	412,454	304,655	384,699	290,688

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STREET LIGHTING 351

DEPARTMENT: Street Lighting

PROGRAM MANAGER: Superintendent of Public Works

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:

The Street Lighting division is responsible for providing and maintaining street lighting throughout the City, ensuring safety and visibility for residents and commuters, particularly at critical intersections and along significant streets. Enhanced street lighting is provided in the following areas:

Street:	From:	To:
S. 27th Street	W. College Avenue	W. Villa Drive
S. 60th Street	W. Ryan Road	W. Franklin Drive
S. 76th Street	W. Loomis Road	W. Terrace Drive
W. College Avenue	S. 27th Street	3000 block
W. Drexel Avenue	S. 27th Street	S. 31st Street
Franklin Business Park	All	All
S. Legend Drive	W. Loomis Road	8100 Legend Drive
W. Loomis Road	City Hall area	
S. Lovers Lane Rd	W. College Avenue	W. Rawson Avenue
Northwestern Mutual Way	S. 27th Street	Parking structure
W. Oakwood Road	S. 27th Street	S. 34th Street
W. Rawson Avenue	W. Hawthorne Lane	S. 27th Street
S. Riverwood Drive	S. 27th Street	Goodwill Store
W. Ryan Road	S. 27th Street	S. 68th Street
Schlueter Parkway	W. Drexel Avenue	S. Legend Drive
W. Speedway Drive	S. Lovers Lane	W. Forest Home Avenue
W. Sycamore Street	S. 27th Street	West End
W. Wheaton Way	S. 27th Street	West

SERVICES:

- Maintain City-owned street lights along major streets.
- Manage contracts with WE Energies for leased street lights at intersections.
- Plan and order additional street lights for new developments.

STAFFING:

The Highway Department handles maintenance and management for the Street Lighting division. The staff has initiated a cost-saving program using unspent lighting budgets to purchase and install LED lights, replacing existing High-Pressure Sodium (HPS) bulbs. This initiative has resulted in up to 20% energy savings, with payback periods ranging from 2 to 5 years. The focus is replacing lights at intersections that remain on all night, followed by other City-owned and WE Energies leased lights. Additionally, the division has begun a GPS-based inventory of street lights, identifying opportunities to remove unnecessary lights, further reducing costs.

ACTIVITY MEASURES:

Activity	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Rental (WE Energies)	826	851	860	860	865	TBD
City Owned Street Lights	1890	1890	1937	1937	1937*	TBD

^{*}Future lighting projects on S. Lovers Lane Road could impact the totals, but specific figures are currently unavailable.

Note: This does not include lighting owned and maintained by the City for various departments, which include Police (120), Library (25), City Hall (40), and DPW (50).

Note: 2024 estimates are based on data from previous years, adjusted for any anomalies.

City of Franklin, WI Street Lighting - Dept 351

DESCRIPTION	2025 ORIGINAL BUDGET	2025 DEPT REQ BUDGET	2024 PROJECTED ACTIVITY	2024 AMENDED BUDGET	2023 ACTIVITY
Dept 0351 - STREET LIGHTING		1			
SERVICES					
MAINTENANCE SERVICE	75,000	80,000	75,125	75,125	73,017
CONTRACTUAL SERVICES	75,000	80,000	75,125	75,125	73,017
GES					
STREET LIGHT RENTAL	200,000	200,000	200,000	200,000	184,038
BUSINESS PARK UTILITIES	15,000	15,000	15,000	15,000	12,758
TUCKAWAY SHORES ST LIGHTING	2,400	2,400	2,400	2,400	2,400
ELECTRICITY	95,000	130,000	95,000	95,000	94,911
FACILITY CHARGES	312,400	347,400	312,400	312,400	294,107
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Totals for dept 0351 - STREET LIGHTING	387,400	427,400	387,525	387,525	367,124
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WEED CONTROL 361

DEPARTMENT: Weed Control

PROGRAM MANAGERS: City Clerk and Weed Commissioner

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:

City ordinances and state statutes prohibit noxious weeds from growing beyond certain heights. The weed commissioner is responsible for inspecting and responding to weed ordinance complaints. If weeds are not cut, the weed cutter is used to remove the vegetation, and the property owner is charged for the cost of the weed cutting.

STAFFING:

Actual cutting is done through a contracted service.

ACTIVITY MEASURES:

Activity	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Weed notifications	125	105	64	69	100	TBD
Weed cutting invoices	30	21	21	7	25	TBD

Note: 2024 estimates are based on previous years' data, adjusted for anomalies.

City of Franklin, WI Weed Control - Dept 361

GL NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	2025 ORIGINAL BUDGET	2025 DEPT REQ BUDGET	2024 PROJECTED ACTIVITY	2024 AMENDED BUDGET	2023 ACTIVITY
	Dept 0361 - WEED CONTROL					
CONTRACTUAL	_ SERVICES					
01-0361-5237	WEED CUTTING	4,000	7,000	4,000	4,000	3,195
	CONTRACTUAL SERVICES	4,000	7,000	4,000	4,000	3,195
SERVICES & CHARGES						
01-0361-5421	OFFICIAL NOTICES/ADVERTISING	150	150	110	50	108
	SERVICES & CHARGES	150	150	110	50	108
	Totals for dept 0361 - WEED CONTROL	4,150	7,150	4,110	4,050	3,303