Human Resources Department

Mission

To provide the tools, support, and staffing needed by the City of Aurora in order to serve citizens and city employees; to provide excellent customer service through knowledgeable employees who treat customers with courtesy, dignity, and respect; to establish a citywide framework of effective and consistent policies; to provide quality training to employees based on their needs; to facilitate effective communication throughout the city; and to safeguard the integrity and confidentiality of all personnel records and services.

Major Functions

- Provide quality training to improve the skills and performance of city employees.
- Develop management's skills for dealing with difficult personnel problems.
- 3. Negotiate the city's five collective bargaining agreements and three association agreements.
- 4. Administer union contracts.
- 5. Handle union grievances on behalf of the city.
- 6. Conduct labor/management meetings in order to facilitate communication with unions.
- 7. Recruit qualified employees for open positions within the city.
- 8. Promote and foster good employee relations through the development and consistent application of policies.
- 9. Establish and maintain eligibility lists for civil service positions as required to meet the city's needs.
- Conduct promotional examinations for the police sergeant and lieutenant ranks as well as the fire lieutenant and captain ranks.
- 11. Conduct police officer and firefighter entry testing.

- 12. Review and update the civil service tests based upon revised job descriptions.
- 13. Administer the city's self-insurance programs for all civil liability claims, workers' compensation claims, preferred providers organization benefits, health maintenance organization benefits, and retiree benefits through coordination with the city's third-party administrators, medical providers, and other related professionals.
- 14. Purchase and maintain the required excess liability, excess workers' compensation, and property and casualty policies necessary to supplement the city's self-insured programs.
- 15. Administer occupational healthcare, return-to-work/light duty programs and evaluate, negotiate, and settle or clear litigated and non-litigated workers' compensation claims through the use of third-party administrators and defense counsel.
- 16. Maintain legally required documentation on all city employees.

Budget Summary

Expenditures	2019 Actual	2020 Original Budget	2021 Budget
Salary & Benefits	995,403	1,099,752	1,228,211
Other Non-Capital	405,165	590,442	496,304
Capital		•	
Total	1,400,568	1,690,194	1,724,515

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Staffing

Full-Time Positions	2019	2020	2021
Director	1	1	1
Assistant Director	1	2	2
Administrative Aide	2	1	1
Confidential Secretary	0	1	1
HR Generalist	3	2	2
Training & Development Mgr.	0	0	1
Subtotal - Full-Time Positions	7	7	
Seasonal Positions			
College Intern	1	1	1
Seasonal Worker I	0	0	6
Subtotal - Seasonal Positions	1	1	7
TOTAL	8	8	15
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Note: Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, 6 seasonal workers will be budgeted through 2022 to provide health and temperature screening at the entrances to the municipal buildings.

Short-Term Goals (2021)

- 1. Streamline and implement an online workflow process to improve office efficiency and stakeholder support.
- Implement a citywide online training program to support employee development and future city staffing needs.
- 3. Develop a plan to monitor compliance of emergency preparedness and ongoing safety issues as related to Human Resources purview.

Long-Term Goals (2022 and Beyond)

 Implement best practices in performance management to improve accountability, employee morale, and organizational efficiencies (Ongoing).

2020 Major Accomplishments

- Developed an online civil service testing process.
- Developed a succession planning program for departments and divisions.
- · Developed a formal on-boarding process for new hires.

2019 Major Accomplishments

- Identified ways to improve employee engagement.
- Updated the Human Resources internal and external webpages.
- Provided ongoing wellness programs for the employees.

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Performance Measures

	2019	2020	2020 Estimated	2021	
Measure	Actual	Budget	Actual	Budget	
Health/Wellness Seminars Provided	30	40	10	25	
Safety Awareness Seminars Provided	20	30	20	20	
Management Training Participants	225	300	100	200	
Customized Training Participants	40	50	30	40	
Computer Training Participants	150	200	50	100	
Personnel Requistions Processed	103	80	100	80	
New Hires Processed-Regular	70	75	45	75	
New Hires Processed-Seasonal	110	125	55	100	
Workers Comp. Claims Processed	230	200	120	150	
Workers Comp. Claim Settlements	25	20	25	20	
Employees Completing Professional Training Programs	980	1,000	1,100	1,100	

Note: Due to the impact of COVID-19, several of the performance measures fell short of the 2020 targets.

Budget Highlights

In light of the COVID-19 pandemic during 2020, the 2021 budget will permit the Human Resources Department to maintain the service level of the prior year.

FY 20	21	COST BRE	EAKDOWN	BY ACCOUNT	(LAST FOUR NU	JMBERS)	
Budget Year:	2021	PERSONN	NEL (10, 2	L (10, 20 ACCOUNTS)			
Priority No:	0	Acct No	10-01	Salaries/Full-	Time Regular	109,500	
Strategic Plan T	ask No:	Acct No	20-01	Health Insura	Health Insurance		
		Acct No	20-04	Retiree Healt	h Insurance	10,000	
ision Package Name: Acct No 20-10 FICA/Seocial Secur					Security	6,800	
Position)		Acct No	20-11	FICA/Medica	ire	1,600	
Description of Decision Package:				Pension/IMR	F	14,900	
nizational developn	nent and	SERVICE	S/CHARG	ES (30, 40, 50	ACCOUNTS)		
training programs. Develop and implement health and development						(
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		Acct No					
		Acct No					
		Total Cos	159,900				
2021	2022	2	2023	2024	2025	Total	
159,900	165,50	00 17	1,300	177,300	183,500	857,500	
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DECISION PACKAGE (NON-CIP)	FY 202	21	COST BRE	AKDOWN	BY ACCOUNT	(LAST FOUR N	UMBERS)
Department/Division Number and Name:	Budget Year:	2021	PERSON	VEL (10, 2	0 ACCOUNTS)	COST
1006 Human Resources	Priority No:	0	Acct No	10-07	Part-Time/Se	asonal	63,300
Submitted By:	Strategic Plan T	ask No:	Acct No	20-10	FICA/Social	Security	4,000
LaDonna B. Carr	SII LE A-		Acct No	20-11	FICA/Medica	are	1,000
Decision Package Name:			Acct No				0
6 Greeters - Seasonal Workers			Acct No				0
Description of Decision Package:							0
Provide staff to screen the public and employees before they enter city			SERVICE	S/CHARC	ES (30, 40, 50	ACCOUNTS)	
buildings to prevent the spread of COVID 1	Part-time Seasor	nal II, Step	Acct No				0
1 - Pay rate \$11.71 hr 9 months.			Acct No				0
			Acct No				0
							0
Benefits of Decision Package:			SUPPLIE	S (60 ACC	COUNTS)		
Safeguard the public and employees from po	ossibly contracting	and/or	Acct No				0
spreading the COVID-19 virus.			Acct No				0
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Impact of Not Approving the Decision Pack	tage:		CAPITAL	OUTLAY	(70 ACCOUN	TS)	
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			Acct No				0
			Total Cos	68,300			
YEAR	2021	2022	2	2023	2024	2025	Total
Annual Cost	68,300	70,700)	0	0	0	139,000
Funding Sources							
General Fund	68,300	70,700)	0	0	0	139,000
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Comments							

DECISION PACKAGE (NON-CIP)	FY 20	21	COST BRE	EAKDOW	N BY ACCOUNT	(LAST FOUR N	UMBERS)	
Department/Division Number and Name:	Budget Year:	2021	PERSON	NEL (10,	20 ACCOUNTS)	COST	
1006 Human Resources	Priority No:	0	Acct No				0	
Submitted By:	Strategic Plan T	Task No:	Acct No				0	
Alisia Lewis			Acct No				0	
Decision Package Name:			Acct No				0	
HR Analyst (Contractual Position)			Acct No				0	
Description of Decision Package:							0	
The contracted position will be responsible	for the oversight an	nd	SERVICE	S/CHAR	GES (30, 40, 50	ACCOUNTS)		
management of all HRIS systems. Will collect, compile, and analyze HR				32-20	Contracted S	ervices	64,000	
data and metrics and apply data to make rec	ommendations rela	ited to	Acct No				0	
recruitment, retention, and legal compliance		a report	Acct No	Tage			0	
pertaining to labor negotiations and other related reports.			Acct No				0	
Benefits of Decision Package:			SUPPLIE	S (60 AC	COUNTS)			
The position will allow the HR department	to work on process		Acct No				0	
improvements such as payroll integration, d	ata driven recruitm	ent plans,	Acct No				0	
and work flow management.			Acct No				0	
			Acct No				0	
			Acct No				0	
Impact of Not Approving the Decision Pack	age:		CAPITAL OUTLAY (70 ACCOUNTS)					
Negative impact on the HR's ability to respon		division	Acet No				0	
needs effectively and efficiently. There is a	significant need for		Acct No	t a m			0	
department modernization and technology e	nhancement.		Acct No				0	
			Acct No				0	
			Total Co	64,000				
YEAR	2021	2022		2023	2024	2025	Total	
Annual Cost	64,000	0		0	0	0	64,000	
Funding Sources				7.25				
General Fund	64,000	0		0	0	0	64,000	
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ACCOUNT NUMB	ER ACCOUNT DESCRIPTION	2018 ACTUAL	2019 ACTUAL	2020 YEAR TO DATE	2020 ORIGINAL BUDGET	2021 BUDGET	2021-2020 CHANGE
101-1006-419 101-1006-419 101-1006-419 101-1006-419	.10-01 FULL-TIME/REGULAR .10-07 PART-TIME/SEASONAL .10-10 PRIOR YEAR RETRO .10-31 OVERTIME/REGULAR .10-50 SUPPLEMENT-VACTN BUY BACK	551,501 22,925 0 211 14,538	577,508 12,870 1,044 0	482,078 16,329 0 182 15,411	619,613 6,820 0 1,000 13,200	743,705 40,584 0 500 11,760	124,092 33,764 0 500- 1,440-
LEVEL 21L3	.10-52 SUPPLEMENT-OTHER TEXT LANGUAGE TRANSLATION - 2 EMPLOYMOPT OUT INSURANCE MISC	5,432 EES		5,649 MT 3,120 2,400 1,400 5,920	5,386	6,920	1,534
	.10-55 SUPPLEMENT-Y/E PAYOUT .10-70 LONGEVITY PAY IES	27,512 661 622,780	27,795 0 640,802	0 0 519,649	30,000 0 676,019	35,700 0 839,169	5,700 0 163,150
101-1006-419 101-1006-419 101-1006-419 101-1006-419 101-1006-419	.20-01 EMPLOYEE HEALTH INSURANCE .20-04 RETIREE HEALTH INSURANCE .20-10 FICA/SOCIAL SECURITY .20-11 FICA/MEDICARE .20-12 PENSION/IMRF .20-37 INSURANCE/WORKERS COMP .20-40 TUITION REIMBURSEMENT	119,478 36,055 38,219 9,189 82,501 12,000 39,894	105,607 30,359 37,086 8,917 73,354 12,000 26,036	88,975 5,887 30,623 7,162 68,552 9,000 16,761	118,633 23,549 38,950 9,478 84,535 12,000 62,000	95,703 14,261 46,387 11,127 104,197 12,000 50,000	22,930- 9,288- 7,437 1,649 19,662
LEVEL 21L3	TEXT 2014 DP - TUITION REIMBURSEMENT		TEXT A	TM			
101-1006-419	ONGOING-SUBJECT TO BUDGETARY (.20-43 TERMINATION BENEFITS .20-52 PROGRAM-EMPLOYEE ASSISTNC	CONSTRAINTS 7,212 22,090	15,146 22,090	13,941 11,045	18,588 26,000	20,890 26,000	2,302
LEVEL 21L3	TEXT CONTRACT WITH PRESENCE ST. JOSE	PH HOSPITAL	TEXT A	MT 5,000 5,000			
101-1006-419	.20-54 PROGRAM-TRAINING	12,974	24,006	9,338	30,000	25,000	5,000-
LEVEL 21L3	TEXT EMPLOYEE CUSTOM TRAINING COMPUTER TRAINING, EMPLOYEE DI MANAGEMENT TRAINING, CPR TRAIN SERVICE TRAINING	EVELOPMENT, NING, CUSTOMER		5,000			
				5,000	120 000		19 645
	YEE BENEFITS	379,612	354,601	261,284	423,733	405,565	18,168-
	.32-10 TEST-NEW HIRES/P&F	94,889	145,937	66,648	79,600	82,000	2,400
LEVEL	TEXT		TEXT A	MT			

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ACCOUNT NUMB	BER ACCOUNT DESCRIPTION	2018 ACTUAL	2019 ACTUAL	2020 YEAR TO DATE	2020 ORIGINAL BUDGET	2021 BUDGET	2021-2020 CHANGE
21L3	BOTH POLICE AND FIRE TESTING POLYGRAPH, PSYCHOLOGICAL, A 2018 DP- TEST NEW HIRES POLIC 2021: \$82,000 2022: \$84,500	WILL BE CONDUCTED AND PHYSICALS CE AND FIRE		,000			
101 1006 416	9.32-11 TEST-NEW HIRES/OTHER	12,351	24,450	7,389	32,000	32,800	800
LEVEL	TEXT	12,331	TEXT AM		32,000	32,800	800
21L3	POLYGRAPH, PRE-EMPLOYMENT PHY 2018 DP- TESTING OF NEW HIRES 2021: \$32,800			,800			
	2022: \$33,700		32	,800			
101-1006-419	9.32-12 TEST-CURRENT EES/P&F	81,915	88,634	32,196	159,200	120,000	39,200-
LEVEL 21L3	TEXT BOTH POLICE AND FIRE PROMOTIONAL TESTING 2018 DP-TESTS FOR CURRENT EMPLOYEES/POLICE &FIRE		TEXT AM	T .000			
	2021: \$120,000 2022: \$168,800			,000			
101-1006-419	9.32-13 TEST-CURRENT EES/OTHER	12,785	15,249	7,998	42,500	30,000	12,500-
LEVEL 21L3	TEXT FIRST RESPONDERS MEDICAL - RI 2018 DP-TEST FOR CURRENT EMPI	ANDOM TESTING	TEXT AM	T			
	2021: \$30,000 2022: \$45,000	50125	30	,000			
	2022. 945,000		30	,000			
101-1006-41	9.32-14 RESEARCH-NEW/CURRENT EN	ES 5,250	0	0	10,000	7,500	2,500-
LEVEL 21L3	TEXT TO SUPPORT RESEARCH ACTIVITIES PRODUCTIVITY CONCERNS	ES RELATED TO EMPLOYEE	TEXT AM	T ,500			
			7	,500			
101-1006-41	9.32-20 CONTRACTED SERVICES	14,640	43,500	45,833	50,000	64,000	14,000
LEVEL 21L3	TEXT PER R18-256 AGREEMENT EXPIRES MOVED TO INSURANCE FUND		TEXT AM				
	2021 DP- HR ANALYST (CONTRACT	TUAL POSITION)		,000			

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ACCOUNT NUME	BER ACCOUNT DESCRIPTION	2018 ACTUAL	2019 ACTUAL	2020 YEAR TO DATE	2020 ORIGINAL BUDGET	2021 BUDGET	2021-2020 CHANGE
101-1006-419	0.32-43 INTERPRETER 0.32-50 TEMPORARY SERVICES	1,134 5,040	660 6,916	180 415	1,200	1,200 10,000	0
LEVEL 21L3	TEXT UPDATING EMPLOYEE INFORMATION	AND FILES		MT 0,000 0,000			
101-1006-419	9.32-52 ARBITRATION SERVICES	47,273	16,086	6,595	60,000	60,000	0
LEVEL 21L3	TEXT TO PARTICIPATE IN POTENTIAL AT PROCEEDINGS WITH FIRE LOCAL 1514 AND 3298, APPO, AND PO	99, AFSCME LOCALS		MT 0,000 0,000			
101-1006-419	9.32-99 OTHER	239,126	106,653	167,479	197,300	199,600	2,300
LEVEL 21L3	TEXT TO SUPPORT LEGAL AND OTHER HR MANAGEMENT MATTERS RELATED PLAN ADMINISTRATION, HEALTH ADMINISTRATION, RELATED TO CONSULTANTS 2018 DP- ADDITIONAL PROFESSION 2021: \$79,600	INSURANCE BENEFITS RFPS/RFQS AND		MT 0,000 9,600			
	2022: \$82,000		19	9,600			
* PROFI	ESSIONAL FEES	514,403	448,085	334,733	641,800	607,100	34,700-
101-1006-419	9.38-01 EQUIPMENT 9.38-15 EQUIPMENT-COPIER IRS & MTCE, SERVICES	3,161 3,161	265 4,160 4,425	1,430 1,430	4,000 4,000	4,000 4,000	0 0
	9.40-40 LIABILITY INSURANCE	18,000 18,000	8,000	6,003	8,000	8,000	0
101-1006-419	9,42-01 EDUCATION/TRAINING	18,002	2,033	691	7,800	6,800	1,000-
LEVEL 21L3	TEXT SHRM CONFERENCE HR LEGAL UPDATE ILLINOIS SHRM CONFERENCE CIVIL SERVICE TRAINING WORKERS COMP UPDATE M. LANGE NOTARY TRAINING			MT 2,500 300 3,000 300 300 200			

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ACCOUNT NUMBER ACCOUNT DESCRIPTION	2018 ACTUAL	2019 ACTUAL	2020 YEAR TO DATE	2020 ORIGINAL BUDGET	2021 BUDGET	2021-2020 CHANGE
ORGANIZATIONAL SKILLS			200 6,800			
101-1006-419.42-03 TRAVEL/MEETINGS * TRAVEL & PROFESS DVLPMT	188 18,190	230 2,263	0 691	1,500 9,300	1,500 8,300	1,000-
101-1006-419.44-04 TELEPHONE-MOBILE	1,182	1,174	1,554	1,710	3,560	1,850
LEVEL TEXT 21L3 **IT COMM** 5/28/20 CELL PHONE CHARGES \$40 X 12 L. CARR A. LEWIS IPAD CHARGES \$20 X 12 A. LEWIS T. MOSS - CELL PHONE MIFI \$36 X 12 MARIA VELAZQUEZ 3 SEASONAL EMPLOYEES PHONES * * COMMUNICATION CHARGES 101-1006-419.45-01 DUES 101-1006-419.45-02 SUBSCRIPTIONS 101-1006-419.45-03 POSTAGE LEVEL TEXT 21L3 HUMAN RESOURCES	1,182 2,400 1,015 2,340	1,174 2,976 481 3,994 TEXT A	480 480 240 480 1,440 3,560 1,554 219 135 1,265	1,710 3,000 700 4,000	3,560 3,000 700 4,000	1,850 0 0 0
CIVIL SERVICE			500 4,000			
101-1006-419.45-04 U.P.S./FED EX 101-1006-419.45-07 COPIER COSTS 101-1006-419.45-12 ADVERTISING/PUBLICATION 101-1006-419.45-18 PROMO MATERIALS/SERVICES 101-1006-419.45-22 NOTARY REGISTRATE/STAMP	2,334 2,615 2,896 107	115 3,051 1,389 2,996 54	103 697 742 275 54	300 4,000 8,000 3,000	300 4,000 6,000 3,000	2,000- 0 0
LEVEL TEXT 21L3 NEW NOTARY		TEXT A	MT 100 100			
101-1006-419.45-98 BUDGET CONTING/RECISION 101-1006-419.45-99 OTHER * OTHER SERVICES & CHARGES	0 0 13,787	0 893 15,949	434- 3,056	0 500 23,600	90,764- 500 69,164-	90,764- 0 92,764-
101-1006-419.61-01 OFFICE-DIRECT 101-1006-419.61-02 OFFICE-CENTRAL STORES	2,895 1,022	4,215 616	2,908 500	4,000 1,500	4,000 1,500	0

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ACCOUNT NUMBER ACCOUNT DESCRIPTION	2018 ACTUAL	2019 ACTUAL	2020 YEAR TO DATE	2020 ORIGINAL BUDGET	2021 BUDGET	2021-2020 CHANGE
101-1006-419.61-09 CUSTOM PRINTING	3,625	8,448	760	10,000	10,000	0
LEVEL TEXT 21L3 CONTRACT BOOKS			AMT 10,000 10,000			
101-1006-419.61-10 BOOKS/PERIODICALS/VIDEOS 101-1006-419.61-13 FIRST AID 101-1006-419.61-20 FLOWERS/PLANTS 101-1006-419.61-41 FURNITURE/FIXTURES	0 243 3,137 0	1,854 3,307 0	2,162 2,403 0	500 500 5,000 6,000	500 500 5,000 6,000	0 0 0
LEVEL TEXT 21L3 OFFICE FURNITURE		TEXT A	AMT 6,000 6,000			
101-1006-419.61-79 COFFEE 101-1006-419.61-80 OTHER * SUPPLIES-GENERAL	1,612 12,534	2,622 21,155	946 9,679	1,500 29,000	1,500 29,000	0 0 0
101-1006-419.89-01 PROPRIETARY FUNDS * ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES	68,098- 68,098-	95,886- 95,886-	68,774- 68,774-	126,968- 126,968-	94,492- 94,492-	32,476 32,476
** HUMAN RESOURCES	1,515,551	1,400,568	1,069,305	1,690,194	1,741,038	50,844