

City of Aurora



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MEMORANDUM

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FROM: Stacey L. Peterson, Chief Financial Officer

DATE: April 13, 2026

SUBJECT: Treasurer's Report –March 2026

Attached for your information is the Treasurer's Report for the month ended March 31, 2026. Please note that this is a cash-basis report.

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Included below are the ending balances as of March 31, 2026, for both fund and cash balances. Of these two amounts, cash balance is the more meaningful metric since this represents liquid cash and/or invested assets which can be used (or easily sold) to support and fund current operations. While ending fund balance is also an important measurement of the City's financial health, it usually includes illiquid assets or future cash receipts or disbursements such as receivables (including property tax) due to the City and accounts payable/accrued expenses. The enterprise funds' fund balances reflect net short-term assets and liabilities, to more accurately present resources available to finance current operations.

As of March 31, 2026, the General Fund is reporting a net deficit of \$24,188,030.37. The General Fund balance is \$5,886,443.02 with a cash balance of \$9,705,855.54. The attached supplemental chart shows the General Fund revenues are 9% and expenses are 18% of the annual budget. Expenses typically exceed revenues in the first quarter of each year as the City does not receive property taxes during this time frame.

Through March 31, 2026, the HOME Program Grant Fund shows a fund balance of negative \$74,157.18 and a negative cash balance of \$82,142.53. This is due to the timing of grant funding revenues that are funded on a reimbursement basis.

Through March 31, 2026, the Block Grant Fund shows a negative fund balance of \$275,655.62 and a negative cash balance of \$442,655.62. This is due to the timing of grant funding revenues that are funded on a reimbursement basis.

Through March 31, 2026, the Section 108 Loan Fund shows a negative fund balance of \$110,638.00 and a cash balance of \$32,612.04. This is due to the timing of payments made and revenues received.

Through March 31, 2026, the TIF #11 Benton/River Fund shows a negative fund balance of \$7,239.51 and a cash balance of \$260.49. This is due to the timing of payments made with redevelopment agreements and TIF funds received.

Through March 31, 2026, the TIF #13 River/Galena Fund shows a negative fund balance of \$1,490,248.32 and a cash balance of \$9,751.68. This is due to the timing of payments made with redevelopment agreements and TIF funds received.

Through March 31, 2026, the TIF #14 Lincoln/Westin fund shows a negative fund balance of \$4,343,922.79 and a cash balance of \$156,077.21. This is due to the timing of payments made with redevelopment agreements and TIF funds received.

Through March 31, 2026, the TIF #20 River Vine Fund shows a negative fund balance of \$14,826.32 and a cash balance of \$173.68. This is due to the timing of payments made with redevelopment agreements and TIF Funds received.

If there are any questions on the attached report, please contact me by phone at (630) 256-4799 or by email: petersons@aurora.il.us.

CERTIFICATION OF ATTACHED FINANCIAL REPORTS

As required per Illinois Statute 65 ILCS 5/3.1-35-45 I, Stacey Peterson, Chief Financial Officer of the City of Aurora, hereby affirm that I have reviewed the March 31, 2026, year-to-date financial information and reports which, to the best of my knowledge, appear accurate and complete.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Stacey L. Peterson", is written over a horizontal line.

Stacey L. Peterson
Chief Financial Officer/City Treasurer

Major Governmental Funds

Fund	Fund Description	YTD Revenues	YTD Expenses	YTD Net	Fund Balance	Cash Balance
101	GENERAL	22,038,788.80	46,226,819.17	(24,188,030.37)	5,886,443.02	9,705,855.54
120	EQUIPMENT SERVICES	1,493,404.11	1,129,509.28	363,894.83	1,275,184.18	1,276,837.79
130	TRANSFORMATIONAL	67,809.99	206,728.50	(138,918.51)	12,955,701.62	7,020,319.84
140	2022B TAXABLE GO BONDS	5,991.57	-	5,991.57	859,656.25	859,656.25
209	HOTEL / MOTEL TAX	204,269.48	331,250.00	(126,980.52)	3,738,338.43	3,652,931.63
401	DEBT SERVICE	2,732,227.57	-	2,732,227.57	19,298,422.30	19,294,071.47
Total Major Governmental Funds		26,542,491.52	47,894,306.95	(21,351,815.43)	44,013,745.80	41,809,672.52

Non-Major Governmental Funds

Fund	Fund Description	YTD Revenues	YTD Expenses	YTD Net	Fund Balance	Cash Balance
202	MFT-REBUILD ILLINOIS	46,118.82	31,068.08	15,050.74	4,088,702.67	5,212,351.80
203	MOTOR FUEL TAX	1,499,178.26	277,162.27	1,222,015.99	17,886,701.06	17,975,444.95
208	SANITATION	625,398.91	437,011.68	188,387.23	2,550,227.52	2,098,821.35
211	WIRELESS 911 SURCHARGE	61,173.56	749,184.35	(688,010.79)	7,436,823.56	6,794,348.84
212	MUNICIPAL MOTOR FUEL TAX	381,250.11	6,245.28	375,004.83	1,984,691.71	1,858,187.83
213	HOME PROGRAM	-	21,076.82	(21,076.82)	(74,157.18)	(82,142.53)
214	EMERGENCY SOLUTIONS GRANT	-	-	-	26,459.29	26,459.29
215	GAMING TAX	1,137,903.86	2,294,465.36	(1,156,561.50)	11,850,661.28	5,501,348.81
217	ASSET FORFEITURES-STATE	20,033.18	10,000.00	10,033.18	105,294.55	106,073.27
218	ASSET SEIZURE	439.78	-	439.78	46,242.78	66,074.78
219	FOREIGN FIRE INSURANCE TAX	8,858.74	60,650.49	(51,791.75)	1,286,084.40	1,286,084.40
220	BLOCK GRANT-INCOME	12,391.58	-	12,391.58	602,068.66	610,226.66
221	BLOCK GRANT	-	11,040.52	(11,040.52)	(275,655.62)	(442,655.62)
222	SECTION 108 LOAN	11,670.03	20,824.52	(9,154.49)	(110,638.00)	32,612.04
223	TIF #10 GALENA/BROADWAY	24,202.51	-	24,202.51	125,428.55	24,441.22
224	TIF #11 BENTON/ RIVER	2.78	-	2.78	(7,239.51)	260.49
225	TIF #12 OGDEN/75TH	1,273.43	-	1,273.43	170,032.09	170,032.09
226	TIF #13 RIVER/GALENA	-	-	-	(1,490,248.32)	9,751.68
227	TIF #14 LINCOLN/WESTIN	134,278.28	-	134,278.28	(4,343,922.79)	156,077.21
228	TIF #15 COMMONS/NEW YORK	16,537.80	-	16,537.80	1,872,724.96	1,872,724.96
229	TIF #16 NEW YORK/RTE 59	-	-	-	-	-
230	TIF #17 FARNSWORTH/BILTER	148,625.05	15,497,057.00	(15,348,431.95)	24,752,768.13	24,752,768.13
231	TIF #1 FUND-CBD AREA	-	-	-	198,981.97	52,475.22
233	TIF #3 RIVER CITY	-	-	-	1,002,525.70	1,002,525.70
234	TIF #4 FUND-BELL GALE	379.19	-	379.19	62,868.56	62,868.56
235	TIF #5 FUND W RIVER AREA	18,393.52	1,036.21	17,357.31	2,546,617.76	2,546,617.76
236	TIF #6 FUND E RIVER AREA	19,285.63	419.43	18,866.20	1,701,722.68	1,748,022.68
237	TIF #7 W FARNSWORTH AREA	9,337.96	-	9,337.96	1,057,141.05	1,057,141.05
238	TIF #8 E FARNSWORTH AREA	28,384.44	3,236.63	25,147.81	2,899,953.19	2,899,953.19
239	TIF #9 STOLP ISLAND	1,216.03	-	1,216.03	142,161.45	119,944.55
242	TIF #18 DAC	-	-	-	4,331,599.85	18,616.00
243	TIF #19 110 CROSS	-	-	-	20,956.29	20,956.29
244	TIFF #20 RIVER VINE	-	-	-	(14,826.32)	173.68
251	SSA #14 FUND-SULLIVAN	624.54	-	624.54	50,692.72	50,692.72
254	BUSINESS DISTRICT TAX #1	4,289.95	(344,784.41)	349,074.36	530,636.50	530,636.50
255	SHAPE FUND	59,077.62	1,546,562.88	(1,487,485.26)	8,257,804.69	8,257,804.37
256	EQUITABLE SHARING - JUSTICE	17,294.35	22,729.47	(5,435.12)	1,736,009.03	1,736,009.03
257	EQUITABLE SHARING - TREASURY	256,471.96	-	256,471.96	2,497,465.04	2,497,465.04
262	SSA #24 FUND-EAGLE POINT	1,150.63	-	1,150.63	148,346.71	148,346.71
266	SSA #ONE-DOWNTOWN (94)	7,217.48	7,051.59	165.89	813,021.53	813,021.53
275	SSA# 34 OSWEGO	497.08	-	497.08	53,291.94	53,291.94
276	SSA# 44 BLACKBERRY TRAIL	146.08	-	146.08	34,124.99	34,124.99
280	STORMWATER MGMT FEE FUND	790,767.19	71,314.75	719,452.44	13,736,365.16	15,505,693.65
281	LTCP FEE	591,186.18	215,669.48	375,516.70	4,178,405.87	3,919,131.26
287	ARPA FUND	-	-	-	-	-
311	WARD #1 PROJECTS FUND	28,033.25	11,475.35	16,557.90	896,715.96	896,745.17
312	WARD #2 PROJECTS FUND	22,350.09	10,813.99	11,536.10	419,905.38	420,531.49
313	WARD #3 PROJECTS FUND	21,588.96	11,448.94	10,140.02	343,692.14	343,692.14

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Non-Major Governmental Funds (continued)

Fund	Fund Description	YTD Revenues	YTD Expenses	YTD Net	Fund Balance	Cash Balance
314	WARD #4 PROJECTS FUND	27,406.67	12,529.56	14,877.11	862,215.67	862,215.67
315	WARD #5 PROJECTS FUND	24,541.36	19,406.14	5,135.22	640,300.07	640,300.07
316	WARD #6 PROJECTS FUND	20,750.55	6,844.25	13,906.30	259,657.36	259,657.36
317	WARD #7 PROJECTS FUND	20,033.48	6,924.22	13,109.26	174,792.03	174,792.03
318	WARD #8 PROJECTS FUND	23,153.08	20,007.43	3,145.65	426,888.66	426,888.66
319	WARD #9 PROJECTS FUND	20,914.35	15,774.22	5,140.13	255,560.55	253,810.55
320	WARD #10 PROJECTS FUND	22,305.93	6,716.08	15,589.85	417,315.38	418,686.38
340	CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS FUND	448,766.46	632,885.00	(184,118.54)	28,971,893.80	33,268,939.67
342	2008B TIF BOND PROJ TIF 3	-	-	-	-	-
345	KANE / DUPAGE FIRE IMPACT FEE	40,734.07	-	40,734.07	1,196,020.61	1,196,020.61
346	KENDALL / WILL FIRE IMPACT FEE	22,911.60	-	22,911.60	1,322,888.50	1,322,888.50
347	PUBLIC WORKS IMPACT FEE	2,250.49	-	2,250.49	257,386.54	257,386.54
353	2017 GO BOND PROJECT	-	-	-	46,931.55	46,931.55
354	2022 GO BOND PROJECT	-	-	-	-	-
355	2023 GO BOND PROJECT	-	-	-	-	302,612.82
356	2025A GO BOND PROJECT	2,733.51	-	2,733.51	203,680.88	1,353,515.27
357	2025B GO BOND PROJECT	21,099.40	-	21,099.40	300,000.00	300,000.00
358	2025C GO BOND PROJECT	563,859.06	6,632,871.14	(6,069,012.08)	52,759,527.25	55,256,467.53
Total Non-Major Governmental Funds		7,268,488.82	28,326,718.72	(21,058,229.90)	204,224,288.48	209,106,886.08

Enterprise Funds

Fund	Fund Description	YTD Revenues	YTD Expenses	YTD Net	Fund Balance	Cash Balance
504	AIRPORT	312,942.59	156,332.04	156,610.55	12,304,512.71	2,211,495.18
510	WATER & SEWER	11,619,613.84	6,195,466.16	5,424,147.68	49,034,069.54	46,431,018.56
520	MOTOR VEHICLE PARKING	214,744.24	193,684.89	21,059.35	1,746,790.00	1,549,890.49
530	TRANSIT CENTER	416,968.82	466,602.12	(49,633.30)	2,150,003.35	2,960,406.39
550	GOLF	113,511.10	259,214.80	(145,703.70)	994,053.09	1,450,626.12
Total Enterprise Funds		12,677,780.59	7,271,300.01	5,406,480.58	66,229,428.69	54,603,436.74

Internal Service Funds

Fund	Fund Description	YTD Revenues	YTD Expenses	YTD Net	Fund Balance	Cash Balance
601	PROPERTY & CASUALTY INSURANCE	2,362,874.34	5,378,085.00	(3,015,210.66)	1,027,203.88	10,903,707.38
602	EMPLOYEE HEALTH INSURANCE	6,848,916.59	5,548,209.20	1,300,707.39	2,954,101.24	3,822,188.61
603	EMPLOYEE COMP BENEFITS	992,442.16	1,631,975.44	(639,533.28)	750,820.82	21,843,784.73
Total Internal Service Funds		10,204,233.09	12,558,269.64	(2,354,036.55)	4,732,125.94	36,569,680.72

Fiduciary Funds

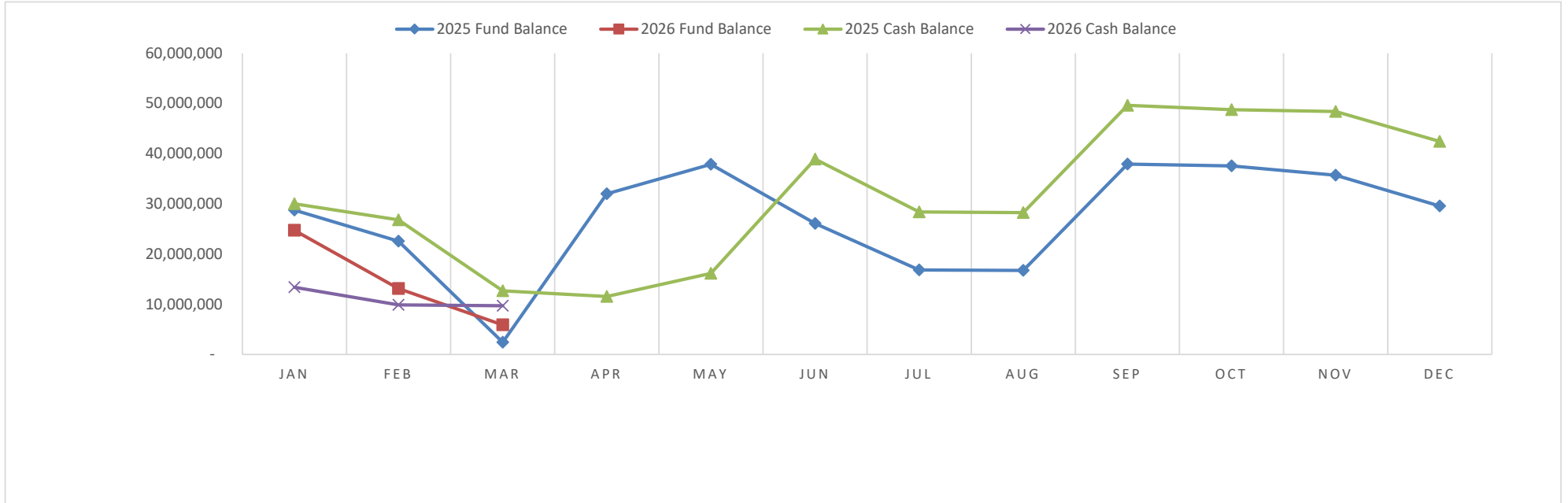
Fund	Fund Description	YTD Revenues	YTD Expenses	YTD Net	Fund Balance	Cash Balance
731	SECT 125 MEDICAL CARE	48,195.84	87,192.16	(38,996.32)	9,526.18	9,526.18
732	SECT 125 DEPENDENT CARE	9,494.10	31,715.85	(22,221.75)	30,942.24	30,942.24
741	POLICE CHARITABLE	0.67	-	0.67	4,477.29	4,477.29
Total Fiduciary Funds		57,690.61	118,908.01	(61,217.40)	44,945.71	49,422.77
GRAND TOTAL		56,750,684.63	96,169,503.33	(39,418,818.70)	319,244,534.62	342,139,098.83

City Of Aurora
YTD Variance Report - General Fund
March 31, 2026

	<u>FY 2025 Budget</u>	<u>FY 2025 Actual</u>	<u>Over / (Under)</u> <u>\$</u>	<u>% Variance</u>	<u>FY 2026 Budget</u>	<u>FY 2026 YTD</u>	<u>% YTD</u>
OPERATING GENERAL FUND REVENUES							
Property Taxes	87,642,400	87,384,357	(258,043)	(0.29%)	91,973,800	1,046	0%
Other Taxes (Intergovernmental Revenue)	88,686,000	91,301,422	2,615,422	2.95%	86,146,000	4,774,582	6%
Licenses, Permits and Fees	8,705,363	10,327,498	1,622,135	18.63%	9,505,467	1,685,419	18%
Intergovernmental Revenue(Grants)	40,943,500	40,749,077	(194,423)	(0.47%)	37,566,100	9,371,451	25%
Charges for Services	14,969,150	14,439,906	(529,244)	(3.54%)	16,585,625	4,382,007	26%
Special Assessments	3,472,750	4,062,374	589,624	16.98%	3,757,250	736,929	20%
Investment Income	1,254,351	1,370,315	115,964	9.24%	1,252,251	261,711	21%
Interfund Transfers/Deferred Inflows	7,751,000	10,180,892	2,429,892	31.35%	3,331,000	825,645	25%
TOTAL GENERAL FUND REVENUE	<u>253,424,514</u>	<u>259,815,841</u>	<u>(6,391,327)</u>	<u>(2.52%)</u>	<u>250,117,493</u>	<u>22,038,789</u>	<u>9%</u>
OPERATING GENERAL FUND EXPENSES							
95 Non-Departmental	12,816,300	9,575,000	(3,241,300)	(25.29%)	1,000,000	250,000	25%
10 Executive	6,672,501	5,970,515	(701,986)	(10.52%)	9,245,766	1,458,355	16%
11 Law	2,878,192	2,661,992	(216,200)	(7.51%)	2,019,891	375,741	19%
12 Information Technology	17,321,910	15,657,593	(1,664,317)	0.00%	15,203,507	2,802,733	18%
13 Community Services	5,323,413	4,325,012	(998,401)	(18.75%)	6,494,958	1,024,072	16%
14 Community Affairs	3,926,803	3,068,239	(858,564)	(21.86%)			
16 Communication & Marketing	3,130,769	3,061,154	(69,615)	(2.22%)	5,301,366	1,150,912	22%
18 Development Services	14,755,994	11,168,527	(3,587,467)	(24.31%)	9,664,909	1,614,883	17%
25 Finance	5,011,915	4,722,501	(289,414)	(5.77%)	4,767,777	969,828	20%
30 Fire	65,652,978	65,227,726	(425,252)	(0.65%)	65,996,122	11,266,622	17%
35 Police	100,730,430	100,099,812	(630,618)	(0.63%)	104,646,065	20,140,108	19%
40 Public Works	19,234,816	16,957,924	(2,276,892)	(11.84%)	17,841,450	3,299,049	18%
44 Public Facilities	14,461,584	11,847,691	(2,613,893)	(18.07%)	11,386,343	1,874,518	16%
TOTAL GENERAL FUND EXPENSE	<u>271,917,605</u>	<u>254,343,685</u>	<u>(17,573,920)</u>	<u>(6.46%)</u>	<u>253,568,154</u>	<u>46,226,819</u>	<u>18%</u>
NET SURPLUS / (DEFICIT)	(18,493,091)	5,472,155			(3,450,661)	(24,188,030)	
BEGINNING FUND BALANCE		24,602,318				30,074,473	
ENDING FUND BALANCE		<u>30,074,473</u>				<u>5,886,443</u>	

2025 v 2026 Fund and Cash Balance - General Fund

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
2025 Fund Balance	28,747,151	22,549,056	2,425,234	31,994,648	37,876,043	26,089,480	16,813,184	16,731,864	37,914,304	37,573,494	35,709,647	29,578,478
2026 Fund Balance	24,718,819	13,114,816	5,886,443									
2025 Cash Balance	30,031,376	26,829,166	12,678,211	11,545,398	16,130,376	38,928,755	28,389,484	28,270,932	49,625,051	48,764,850	48,411,396	42,439,138
2026 Cash Balance	13,382,495	9,894,747	9,705,856									



Note: The fund balance changes drastically throughout the year because the timing of revenues received is inconsistent throughout the year, while expenses stay fairly consistent. Below are fund balance averages for 2025 and 2026, with a percentage of annual expenditures to the annual budget.

2025 Average Fund Balance	27,000,215
2026 YTD Average Fund Balance	14,573,359
2025 Expenses v Budget	95%
2026 YTD Expenses v Budget	25%