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Introduction

Cost Center Performance Plan

Project Scope: The Cost Center Performance Plan (CCPP) is a comprehensive report from the County Executive Office (CEO) Division of Budget and Research that examines department cost center operations and how the County measures the outputs, the outcomes, the efficiencies, and the effectiveness of program performance both financially and operationally.

The purpose of the Cost Center Performance Plan is to identify issues, changes, and best practices on an annual basis early in the budget process. The objective of this project is to present the analysis to County staff, the Board of Supervisors, and the public to highlight the County's efforts toward continuous improvement and the effects of financial and programmatic changes to service delivery in a standard report format.

Project Overview: This analysis includes a department's cost centers, the objective of each of the cost centers, a list of the performance measures included in order to explain performance-tracking relative to the cost center objective (the department may or may not be using all measures).

The CCPP team was given the following context when looking at department operations: "For you as a manager, tax payer or interested person, knowing what the cost center is charged to do how would you want to measure its efficiency and effectiveness at doing what it is doing? What are its outputs and outcomes?"

After completing a holistic review for each of the department's cost centers the team questioned:

- Are there other things the department does that are not reflected in the cost centers? If so, what are appropriate department or division measures that capture that activity?
- What is the objective of the cost center?
- What measures would tell you how well the cost center is meeting its objective?
- Compare existing measures: What new measures do cost centers need or what measures need modified?

The published report is a graphical representation of department organizations, budget, general fund contribution, staffing levels and performance measures. Each department is listed in order of the budget book by their respective functional area.

Performance management is an integrated County-wide leadership and management approach that fosters continuous improvement, demonstrates goal attainment and facilitates transparency and accountability in management. The County Board of Supervisors has adopted ACE values for the County organization; Accountability, Customer-focus, and Efficiency. The County's strategic management cycle helps to ensure this vision is obtained.

How Does the County Achieve ACE? *Accountability* ~ *Customer- focus* ~ *Efficiency* Santa Barbara County Strategic Management Cycle



The Strategic Management Cycle

The first step in the Strategic Management Cycle is the biennial Strategic Scan. In 2005, given the rapid rate of change and the ever larger policy level issues to be addressed, the County embarked upon a Strategic Scan effort.

Strategic Scan: For the first time, the organization set forth an alternative model or approach to the scan, *scenario planning*. Among the many tools available for fostering strategic thinking and creating a desired future, scenario planning stands out for its ability to capture a wide range of possibilities in rich detail. Through a process to identify emerging trends, via scanning the environment demographics, and identifying uncertainties, scenarios can be constructed that can assist in critical issue identification, decision making and policy setting. Throughout the 2005 Strategic Scan meetings, the Board was given an overview of the key trends within the following nine major areas: Population, Land Use/ Housing/ Agriculture, Employment, Poverty, Education, Health, Crime/Public Safety and the Economy. Based on an analysis of the trends, key **critical issues** to the County were identified and include:

- Financial Stability of County
- Stability of Agriculture
- Highly Efficient Transportation System
- Housing for all Segments of the Population
- Service Delivery (Provide Well Educated Trained Workforce)
- Environmental/Open Space Preservation
- Maximize Health Care & Social Service Delivery





Strategic Scan -Countywide -Community-based Organizations -Departments Policy & Operating Plans Performance Measurement & Financial Reports

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These critical issues are used to help decision makers focus their budgeting conversations on community outcomes.

Strategic Goals: Departments are required to identify for all cost center programs: the related strategic goal and where applicable the critical issue most directly affected by the program outcomes. County Goals which were adopted by the Board of Supervisors April 21, 1998 are as follows:

- **Goal I:** An efficient government able to anticipate and respond effectively to the needs of the community through a strong, professionally managed County organization.
- Goal II: A safe and healthy community in which to live, work, and visit.
- Goal III: A community that is economically vital & sustainable.
- Goal IV: A high quality of life for all residents.
- **Goal V**: A County government that is accessible, open, and citizen-friendly.
- **Goal VI**: A community that fosters the safety and well-being of families and children.

The Strategic Goals set the stage for department policy plan alignment.

Countywide Strategic Planning Process: In order to budget by performance, Santa Barbara County departments rely on the Countywide Strategic Plan to provide an overarching guide to define and measure expected outcomes of government service delivery and resource allocation to programs and projects by which those services are delivered. The County's Strategic Planning Process is outlined below:



Based on this strategic planning process, the Countywide Strategic Plan includes six Strategic Goals, three key organizational values - ACE, and six broad policy plan areas which, when coupled with the organizational structure and supporting systems, enable the County to achieve plan priorities.

Together, these strategic plan elements become the platform of performance-based budgeting. Departments are required to link their departmental strategic plans to the Countywide Policy Model.

The County's Policy Model, illustrated below, shows the relationship between the Strategic Scan, Critical Issues, Board Strategic Goals, the county's organization structure, supporting systems, and the six general policy plan areas:

Santa Barbara County Policy Model



Policy and Operating Plans: Performance Budgeting A performance budget is a budget structured and presented by programmatic Cost Centers (rather than line items) that integrates results-oriented strategic planning with measurable outcomes - allowing for budget decisions that are informed by Cost Center information and drivers behind cost and performance.

Performance budgeting ensures that the County has organizational accountability: focuses resources - personnel and funding on results; *transparency*: communicates the results and costs of programs provided to citizens; performance management: provides performance and expenditure information about department programs to make management decisions; continuous improvement to service delivery: provides information to improve service delivery performance. Performance budgeting changes the discussion from what is spent to what is accomplished.



The annual budget process includes performance measure review by the department, CEO, and Board of Supervisors. The community is also given the opportunity to provide input about performance measures at this time. The budget, once approved, becomes the County Operational Plan including all published departmental performance measures.

Strategic Management Summary: Strategic planning involves identifying the legislated services and customer demands / expectations provided by departments. An overall vision for the County is provided by the Board of Supervisors which Strategic Goals to address Critical Issues identified out of the biennial Strategic Scan. A department is required to assess where it falls into that structure and at what service level.

Those services are broken down into delivery components and then put into logical divisions with sub-divisions and program cost centers. From the program perspective, individuals within a program should be able to identify their portion of the service delivery and provide management with feedback on the quality, timeliness, cost, and staff resources needed for integration into program performance measures.

The following sections outline the cascading levels of performance measures in County departments including: Countywide, Functional Area, Department mission, Division core services, Sub-division quality outcomes, Program Cost Center service delivery outputs, and Project / Individual service delivery input measures.

Levels of Performance Reporting

The cascading levels of performance measures in County departments include: Countywide, Functional Area, Program Cost Center, and Individual Measures. These are illustrated in the following chart and each are then explained, in turn.



Countywide Measures: Certain measures, called Countywide measures are reported for every department using identical language and calculations to ensure consistency among departments. Most countywide measures are gauges of department administrative effectiveness. These administrative effectiveness measures include Human Resources, Risk, and Finance. Future countywide measures will also include Capital Improvement Program "on time, on budget" measures. All of these measure descriptions are released in the budget instructions annually.

Centrally Reported Countywide Measures by Department

- The Countywide measures being reported from central databases are:
- Worker Compensation Claims Department Target, Risk Central Reporting
- General Liability Claims Department Target, Risk Central Reporting
- ٠ Financial Expenditure Variance – total actual expenditures / adjusted budget, FIN
- Financial Revenue Variance total revenue collected / adjusted budget, FIN
- Lost Time We will be tracking two types of lost time for reporting purposes: 1) standard DEN reported ٠ measure, and 2) the standard measure less paternity and maternity leave
- Capital Improvement Program "On time, on budget" project actual schedule vs. planned; project actual expenditures vs. budget
- a centralized data source is established.



• Employee Performance Reviews - total EPRs completed by anniversary / total EPRs due (including probationary evaluations). This is a standardized measure to be reported by individual departments until Functional Area Measures: Functional Area scorecard blueprints will be defined by Assistant County Executive Officers in conjunction with department heads. At the Functional Area, reported measures will focus on each department's core mission. These are critical measures that capture progress and performance toward department goals (which may be contained in department strategic plans) and address county strategic goals and critical issue areas. Certain cross-cutting measures, whose performance can be attributed to two or more departments, are also reported at the Functional Area level.

Department-wide Effectiveness Measures:

Department-wide effectiveness measures are Key Performance Indicators that indicate how well a department is delivering core services that achieve its mission. These measures appear prior to the Use of Funds summary table in the Operating Plan, and measure the performance of major departmental efforts including departmental performance on countywide measures.

Division Core Service Measures:

Division Core Service measures are Key Performance Indicators that indicate the efficiency of a division's delivery of core services.

Subdivision Quality Outcome Measures:

Subdivision Quality Outcome measures are Key Performance Indicators that indicate the quality of service delivery.

Program Cost Center Service Delivery Output Measures: The Countywide standard is to have at least one reported outcome or activity measure per program cost center. Departments are encouraged to have more than one measure for a holistic program assessment. Measures should relate to a department's core mission and goals. Holistic program measurement includes cost, guality, timeliness, and customer satisfaction.

Project Activity Measures: These are measures that can be linked to a project or an employee's performance within a program. Performance measures that measure individual performance need to be approached with CAUTION due to the liability of union contract and confidentiality protections under the Civil Service Act. Prior to their use in this way, the individual employee needs to be able to understand how their efforts contribute to their program, department, functional area, and countywide goals and critical issues for pride of ownership and civic responsibility.

Performance Management Best Practices

County of Santa Barbara Best Practices: The central oversight process for tracking performance trends is the CEO guarterly Operational Review Meeting (ORM). The ORM is the department director's chance to highlight performance measures for either praise or help. The under performance response would be created by a combination of input from the CEO and at the department / division / subdivision / program levels. The CEO ORM process will not limit the response to just the department, but consider the situation at a Countywide level as well.

Additionally, a performance management team across departments has emerged out of the performance management process. This interdepartmental team meets guarterly in a town hall format to review issues and network among team members. A glossary of common performance management terms and FAQs is being developed for staff in order to provide common language for County of Santa Barbara performance management.

Measuring Individual Performance

Performance management occurs when the department starts managing the performance measure outcomes. There are consequences to measuring performance. The biggest area of concern to staff is how the outcomes of performance measures affect on individual employee performance review. The County's formal policy is to let the employee and the manager include performance measures in the Employee Performance Review (EPR) where pertinent.

Performance Reporting - Stakeholders / Public Information

Government performance stakeholders include all community members. The California Records Act allows the public to request information about government activities expect for the following: Litigation, Personnel Issues,

and "Draft" documents. What is public information and how we communicate results to performance stakeholders is outlined below:

- Annual Operating Budget
- Governmental Performance Reports
- Funding Agency Reports Grants, Federal, State, Foundations
- International City/County Management Association (ICMA) Non Profit

ICMA Center for Performance Management

The International City/County Management Association, Center for Performance Management (CPM) provides standard demographic data reports across all member jurisdictions. The County is a member of CPM and has been an award winning member for over a decade. The Center has many benefits; one is tracking best practices for continuous improvement. Benchmarking with like functions in other jurisdictions or compared to a national standard allows members to identify top performers and network for best practices and process improvements. ICMA CPM prepares special data reports for the County including FY 2007-08 benchmark data (included for participating departments after CCPP functional area dividers). The County utilizes data in the Center for Performance Management to prepare board reports, budget documents and other public performance reports to indicate like comparisons for similar services. The County Executive Office has a goal to report all available data across functional areas for the best possible comparison data. Other organizations such as Government Finance Officers' Association provide performance awards that the County recently received for the FY 2008-09 Operating Plan. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board is implementing performance measure guidelines for financial reporting that need to be considered as well.

What Other Jurisdictions are Doing

A new method of performance stakeholder communication and reporting under development is Constituent Scorecards - Example: City of Long Beach, Miami-Dade County websites. The Constituent Scorecard's are generally administered by the Public Information Office.

Performance Measure Analysis: Management needs to work with trends of performance to identify issues before they happen. The policy for consistent performance measurement under-performance is that oversight staff is required to conduct an in depth interview with the affected program manager, identifying the cause(s) behind the outcome. The following checklist was created by County managers for reference when assessing performance measures and their results:

Performance Measure Analysis Checklist - examine the measure itself, does it measure what you want, does it do it correctly?

Technical Questions

- Are the data accurate? Are the data complete?
- Is your measure properly constructed?
- Are you measuring what you intended to measure?
- Was your target achievable? Or was it a "stretch" goal?

Practical Questions

- Did unexpected events (e.g. Emergency Operations Center activation) interfere?
- Were sufficient resources devoted to achieving the goal?
- Are some regions/cost centers/units achieving the goal? What are they doing?
- Is the measure important to your organization?
- Did management regularly review the measure?



Conclusion

By applying our strategic management cycle policies to performance guidelines and the incorporation of new performance initiatives, the County is maintaining its focus on the ACE vision. In summary, County and department strategic plans set "investment" priorities. Strategic initiatives are identified to communicate what they are going to do that is new to address strategic goals. Note that these allocations are the same in that they are one-time projects with capital costs. The recurring performance measurement of these one-time projects help monitor results and allows the policy makers to make informed resource allocation decisions. The County and individual Departments have capacity ceilings (dollars/staff) that limit how much of what kinds of financial investments can be made from year to year. A new way of looking at budgeting:

- On-going programs and processes: the Operational Budget
- New buildings and other investments: the Capital Budget
- Allocations of all types that focus on implementing Board strategy: the Cost Center Performance Plan

The Cost Center Performance Plan provides the Board with a department's resource allocations and how those resources are organized, tracked, and reported. The County Executive Office would like to thank all those who participated in the creation of this plan and a special thanks to the Budget and Research CCPP team for their insight and dedication in consolidating information from various tracking systems, working with department staff, and learning a brand new software in order to present the Board and Departments with an easy to understand, cohesive budget planning tool.

How to Read the Cost Center Performance Plan

The Cost Center Performance Plan follows the same organizational layout as the County's Operating Plan with departments by functional area. The functional areas that have departments reporting data to the International City/County Management Association (ICMA) will have benchmark charts from ICMA's Center for Performance Measurement (CPM) comparing the County's performance against the performance of other CPM participants in our size class. After the ICMA benchmarks, each department will have overview pages that outline the main functions of the department and key trend charts that look at performance indicators over an eight year period.

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County Executive Office

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COUNTY EXECUTIVE OFFICE DEPARTMENTAL OVERVIEW

COUNTY EXECUTIVE OFFICE KEY TREND ANALYSIS

The mission of the County Executive Office is to utilize structured management systems to deliver County services in accordance with the Board of Supervisors' strategic goals, operational priorities, and budgeted resources.

The County Executive Office has a staff of 22.8 full-time equivalents (FTEs) and is a single division department organized into four program cost centers, as described below.

Executive Management:

The County Executive Officer, Michael F. Brown, exercises overall responsibility for sound and effective management of County government. The County Executive Office (CEO) acts as a key resource to the Board of Supervisors, providing administrative, fiscal, operational, and organizational policy recommendations to the Board, and is responsible to ensure that the entire organization faithfully implements the Board's policies. It is the CEO's role to detect and report horizonal issues, opportunities and trends to the Board in time to take appropriate action, and to keep the Board informed of the socioeconomic and political environment of the County through the strategic scan and the strategic planning process.

Budget and Research:

Budget and Research is responsible for preparing and submitting a fiscally sound performance-based operating budget and a five-year capital budget annually to the Board of Supervisors for consideration and adoption. This group produces a state-of-the-art program performance based budget that is recognized nationally. It has responsibility for establishing and maintaining budget control systems and ensuring adherence to budget principles and policies, as well as monitoring the fiscal condition of the County and assisting departments in meeting their budgets. In addition, Budget and Research coordinates responses to Grand Jury reports and makes appropriate recommendations to the Board of Supervisors, reviews action items on the Board of Supervisors weekly agenda, negotiates and completes annexations with cities and special districts, and conducts a myriad of special studies and projects as appropriate to meet Board and/or departmental requirements.

Clerk of the Board:

The Clerk of the Board (COB) serves as Clerk to the Board of Supervisors (BOS), Board of Directors of the Flood Control and Water Conservation District, Water Agency Board, Redevelopment Agency Board, and Assessment Appeals Board. The COB prepares and posts agendas consistent with the open meetings provisions of the Ralph M. Brown Act, records and maintains minutes, and acts as custodian of the BOS official record from 1850 to the present. In addition, the COB administers the Assessment Appeals Board Program, publishes updates to the Santa Barbara County Code and receives, files and distributes to appropriate County departments all claims filed against the County.

Legislative Advocacy:

Legislative Advocacy is responsible for maintaining a vigilant presence in Sacramento and Washington D.C., to ascertain which state and federal proposals are beneficial and which are damaging to the County or its citizens, makes recommendations to the Board of Supervisors to support and/or oppose them as appropriate, and then advocate in accordance with the directions received. Staff also works with its legislative advocates to obtain authors for the bills that the Board has sponsored and to support their passage, as well as maintain and enhance funding for local projects and services.





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Assessment Appeals Program 4030 \$101.3K / \$77.3K FTE: 0.7

To promote an efficient and responsive government, ensure that 100% of all assessment appeals cases filed as of November 30 of the current year are properly noticed and scheduled to be heard within 2 years of filing per R & T code (excluding waivers)

Sub-Divn 06: Legislative Program 199 Obj: Maintain a presence in Sacramento and Washington. D.C. regarding state and federal proposals.

> Legislative Advocacy Program 6000 \$236.1K / \$236.1K FTE: 0.4

To seek legislative solutions for addressing the County's critical issues, receive State Funding for projects identified as part of the County's legislative platform.

To seek legislative solutions for addressing the County's critical issues, receive Federal funding for projects identified as part of the County's legislative platform.

To seek legislative solutions for addressing the county's critical issues, obtain bill sponsors for legislation identified as part of the County's legislative platform

County Counsel

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COUNTY COUNSEL DEPARTMENTAL OVERVIEW

COUNTY COUNSEL KEY TREND ANALYSIS

The mission of the County Counsel is to maintain the legal integrity of the County. The department functions as the County's civil lawyers. The department advises and advocates to protect and promote clients' policies and actions.

The County Counsel strives to continually deliver quality professional legal services; reliable, timely and useful advice; and exemplary and effective advocacy. Basic services include: resolving major land use, employment and civil rights litigation; attendance and advice at public meetings; communicating and collaborating with clients to solve legal problems; providing legal opinions; reviewing and drafting legal documents; facilitating dispute resolution; providing training to staff, county departments, and public officials; and effectively advocating the positions of clients before courts and administrative agencies.

The department's strategy is to continue to improve services through better timing (the "early eye" in contracts, land use, and risk management), collaboration (internal and external), and communication (responsiveness and quality).

The department has one cost center, County Counsel, and a total of 42.2 FTE staff, of which 28 are attorneys. The department is located in Santa Barbara.

County Counsel

Three subdivisions are included in the cost center: Administration, which oversees the general administration of the department; Advisory, which advises the Board of Supervisors, County departments, agencies and planning commission; and Litigation, which processes all litigation on behalf of the County.



The trend of Child Protective Services Appearances shows a gradual increase until FY 2006-2007, with a slight decrease thereafter. Several factors contribute towards the increasing number of court appearances. There have been more trials set by parent's attorneys. In addition, there are more continuances because of case backlog due to the number of trials. The department is taking on more complex cases and more cases involving private attorneys, who tend to set more trials that often last longer. There have also been a number of detentions, some of them involving families with five or six children.

The number of legal services requests is contingent on incoming written requests to County Counsel from other county departments. Finishing the request by the negotiated target date depends on the difficulty of the request, staffing availability of County Counsel, and whether there are other items the staff is working on at the same time.

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Court Special Services

Court Special Services

Santa Barbara County Court-Special Services supports the efforts of the Santa Barbara Superior Court, whose mission is to resolve disputes arising under the law in a fair, accessible, effective, timely and efficient manner, to interpret and apply the law consistently, impartially, and independently, and to protect the rights and liberties guaranteed by the Constitutions of California and the United States.

Administration:

Court-Special Services are budgeted in two divisions with the first titled Grand Jury and the second titled Court-Special Services. The Grand Jury division is comprised of both the Civil and Criminal Grand Jury programs. The Court-Special Services division is comprised of Alternate Public Defender/Conflict Defense Services, Witness Services, Court Administered Dispute Resolution (CADRe), Juvenile Justice Commission/Delinguency Prevention Commission, Pre-Trial (Own Recognizance and Jail Overcrowding) Services, and Revenue Collections programs.

With the passage of the Lockyer-Isenberg Trial Court Funding Act of 1997 (AB233), the primary responsibility for funding of court operations shifted to the State. As part of AB233, the County is required to make a financial contribution to the State for court funding, which is fixed by statute and determined using the County's Fiscal Year 1994-95 base year expenditures for court operations, and for fine and forfeiture revenue remitted to the State. In addition, the County now retains certain revenues previously remitted to the State. Along with the shift of financial responsibility, most of the Court's operating budget also shifted to the State. As a result, the budget presented here includes only the annual contribution to the State and Court-Special Services programs, which continue to be the responsibility of the County and are funded by the County.

In Fiscal Year 2002-03, County funded Court programs and various grants were removed from the Court-Special Services operating budget to the Court operating budget. The transfer resulted from Senate Bill 2140 defining "trial court employee" as any employee subject to the Court's right to control the manner and means of his/her work and is paid from the Court's budget regardless of the funding source. The County funded Court programs transferred include Revenue Collections, Pre-Trial Services (Own Recognizance and Jail Overcrowding), and Court Administered Dispute Resolution (CADRe). The transfer enables the Court to manage all aspects of employees administering County funded Court programs. The County continues to be charged costs associated with the transferred programs and records the charges within the Court-Special Services operating budget in a line item entitled "Contractual Services." The transfer resulted in a decrease of staff from 28 for Fiscal Year 2002-03 to zero for subsequent fiscal years.

Grand Jury:

The Civil Grand Jury investigates and makes recommendations for improvements in the operations of numerous government agencies, cities and districts throughout Santa Barbara County. A separate Criminal Grand Jury is formed by random draw from trial jury lists, when necessary, to hear criminal indictments sought at the discretion of the District Attorney's Office

Court-Special Services:

The Court Special Services Division provides several functions: (1) protects the rights of indigent defendants by providing alternate public defense to them when the Public Defender has a conflict of interest and is unable to represent such defendants; (2) reviews backgrounds of arrestees to determine if they can be released on their own recognizance or must post bail while awaiting trial or other adjudication thereby mitigating jail overcrowding; and (3) provides a proactive collection process to collect the fines imposed by the courts as a deterrent to crime and to offset the costs of Courts Special Services and statewide court operations.







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Sub-Divn 04: Appropriate Dispute Resolution Obj: Offers litigants alternative dispute resolution: mediation, arbitration, evaluation.





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NOTE: This cost center is for fiscal tracking purposes only.



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District Attorney's Office



DISTRICT ATTORNEY DEPARTMENTAL OVERVIEW

DISTRICT ATTORNEY KEY TREND ANALYSIS

The mission of the District Attorney's Office is to promote prevention, protect the rights and ensure the safety of the citizens of California within the County of Santa Barbara through criminal and civil prosecution and enforcement remedies.

The District Attorney's Office is primarily responsible for prosecution of adult and juvenile offenders for felony and serious misdemeanor crimes or civil violations countywide. A team of 147 deputy district attorneys, criminal investigators, victim advocates and legal support staff housed in three branch offices are organized to review, file and prepare cases for prosecution, while assisting victims to recover from their losses, also participating in proactive efforts to deter crime. The District Attorney's Office encompasses six cost centers, as described below.

Administration:

Under the leadership of District Attorney Christie Stanley, the office is engaged in numerous community and multi-agency collaborative initiatives to protect and enhance public safety. Executive and management staff provide overall policy development, program management, fiscal and personnel administration, technology management and community relations. Automation staff manage the department's PC network in three branch locations and administer the DAMION case management system.

Criminal Prosecution:

Criminal Prosecution is comprised of multiple programs dedicated to prosecution of adult criminal violations. Deputy District Attorneys are assigned to felony and misdemeanor prosecution teams that prosecute cases through the Courts, from arraignment through adjudication and sentencing. Several vertical units consisting of an attorney, investigator and victim advocate are assigned to provide a coordinated focus on domestic violence, elder abuse and sexual assault cases. The Bureau of Investigation, the law enforcement division of the District Attorney's Office, is staffed with sworn peace officers and investigative assistants. Their principal mission is to provide investigative enhancement to cases filed such as locating and interviewing witnesses, evidence analysis and preparation of exhibits required for trials. They also conduct detailed investigations into matters such as consumer fraud, environmental crimes, elections violations, official misconduct and investigations into the abuse of judicial process such as perjury, witness intimidation, falsification of evidence and conspiracy to obstruct justice.

Juvenile Programs:

Juvenile prosecution is staffed by attorneys assigned to review cases referred by law enforcement agencies or Probation staff, filing petitions and appearing in the Juvenile Courts in Santa Barbara and Santa Maria to adjudicate the cases. Their focus includes prosecution and diversion of juvenile offenders who commit felony and misdemeanor criminal offenses.

Victim Witness Services:

The Victim Witness Assistance Program provides support to victims through the court process, refers victims for services needed to recover from crimes and assists victims of violent crimes to file claims for state reimbursement of losses experienced.

Civil Enforcement:

The Civil Enforcement program reviews complaints involving consumer fraud, environmental and zoning violations, filing civil complaints and obtaining penalties, injunctions or other legal remedies to resolve consumer or environmental complaints. Welfare Fraud Investigations:

Welfare Fraud Investigations is a contract program with the Department of Social Services

(DSS) that investigates fraudulent receipt of aid and secures cost recovery or criminal penalties where appropriate. The unit investigates suspected violations of statutory law or DSS regulations, taking appropriate action when fraud is identified to recover funds.





Public Defender's Office

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PUBLIC DEFENDER DEPARTMENTAL OVERVIEW

PUBLIC DEFENDER KEY TREND ANALYSIS

The mission of the Public Defender's Office is to provide competent and professional legal counsel to indigent defendants in criminal cases, minors brought before the juvenile court, those alleged to be in need of restriction due to mental illness or a developmental disability, and other cases of people entitled to representation in the courts of Santa Barbara County. The cost centers of the Law Office of the Public Defender are Administration, Adult Legal Services, Juvenile Legal Services, Investigative Services, and Support Services.

All employees are located in offices adjacent to Court facilities in Santa Maria (Superior Court and Juvenile), Lompoc (Superior Court), and Santa Barbara (Superior Court and Juvenile). The Law Office employs 35 FTE attorneys including three that have varying degrees of administrative functions and a support staff of 37 FTE's, including a business manager, departmental analyst, information systems administrator, investigators, social service practitioners, paralegal, legal secretaries, accounting assistant, interpreters, and data entry operators.

Administration:

Responsible for general department issues including but not limited to accounting, budget, computer systems, facilities risk management, and personnel.

Adult Legal Services:

Provides legal counsel to indigent adults accused of criminal actions and those alleged to be in need of restriction due to mental illness or a developmental disability. A small potion of this caseload is devoted to clients eligible for Mental Health Treatment Court and Therapeutic Court.

Juvenile Legal Services:

Provides legal counsel to juveniles accused of criminal activities.

Investigative Services:

Provides investigator activities and services in support of the Department's attorneys preparing to represent their clients.

Support Services:

Provides support of Legal Secretaries, Legal Interpreters, and data entry operations in support of Attorneys, Investigators, and Management.











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Public Safety

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ICMA Center for Performance Measurement[™] Service Area: FLEET MANAGEMENT

Performance of the fleet management service can be accessed using several core outcome-oriented measures, including: timeliness, customer satisfaction, number of vehicles exceeding replacement criteria, and expenditures per vehicle. Variations in performance may relate to differences in types of vehicles maintained, preventive maintenance and replacement policy, and jurisdiction specific characteristics such as climate. Some high expenditures can be attributed to jurisdiction-specific, single-event incidents. For complete access to raw data and all jurisdiction comments, visit http://icma.org/cpm.



Number of vehicles exceeding replacement criteria may vary depending upon the amount of capital expenditure funding.







Public Safety

Where call volume is low, area served may be large (n = 139). Inservice apparatus (n = 103) may not reflect paid-on-call jurisdictions. Fire Department



FIRE DEPARTMENTAL OVERVIEW

FIRE DEPARTMENT KEY TREND ANALYSIS

The mission of the Fire Department is to serve and safeguard the community from the impact of fires, medical emergencies, environmental emergencies, and natural disasters through education, code enforcement, planning and prevention, rescue, and emergency response.

The three divisions of the Fire Department are Administration and Support Services, Code Regulation and Planning, and Emergency Operations. The Fire Department has a staff of 285.3 full time equivalent employees and serves the unincorporated area of the County, the City of Buellton, the City of Goleta, the City of Solvang and private lands in the National Forest via 16 fire stations and 3 offices located throughout the County. In addition, the Fire Department's Hazardous Materials Unit (HMU) serves all County residents.

Administration and Support Services:

Administer and direct the department through personnel management, employee training, financial management, purchasing, vehicle and facilities maintenance, public education, information systems and communication. Provide direction in the prevention and extinguishment of fires, and the provision of emergency medical services, environmental protection, and fire code enforcement. Provide leadership in functional consolidations for all neighboring fire departments.

Code Regulation and Planning:

Promote public safety through the continuous application and monitoring of regulatory codes and standards to maintain a safely built and maintained community. Strive to be accessible, user friendly and still meet the intent of the safety codes. Provide fire cause and origin investigation services, code enforcement services where voluntary compliance cannot be obtained, and inspection of sensitive or hazardous facilities. Coordinate the implementation of state mandated hazardous materials regulatory programs, and oversee the remediation of sites contaminated by leaking underground fuel tanks.

Emergency Operations:

Reduce the loss of life and damage to the environment and property by responding promptly to all emergencies with effective complements of personnel and equipment to mitigate emergencies. Prevent the loss of life and reduce the consequences of injury and illness to citizens and emergency personnel by responding promptly to all medical/rescue emergencies with well-trained and equipped personnel and raise the level of emergency medical capabilities. Promote effective community relations and provide accurate and timely information to the news media, business, and the general public.





This key trend represents the workload related to the majority of Divisions, Sub-Divisions, and Programs within Fire of responding to all emergencies with effective complements of personnel and equipment to mitigate emergencies. This is a Fire key trend measurement since responding promptly to all emergencies reduces the loss of life and damage to the environment and property. Call volume has increased 47% over the past ten years to 11,392 calls per calendar year. Medical calls now account for 60% of total calls.

This key trend represents the quality related to the Emergency Operations Division, Operations and Response Sub-Division. Programs' main purpose of arriving on scene within 5 minutes to all emergencies. This is a Fire key trend measurement since arriving on scene within 5 minutes to all emergencies prevents the loss of life and reduces the consequences of injury and illness to citizens and emergency personnel. This measure was created in 2001-2002 and over the last eight years it has gone from a high of 70% and stabilized between 50% and 55%. Although the target is 90% many factors contribute to response times like the size of the response area and the location of the responding station(s).



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Public Safety



Sub-Divn 01: Administration

Obj: Provide direction and

leadership through strategic

planning to other divisions.

Administration

Program 6010

\$2.9M / \$272.2K

FTE: 13.0

Maintain the number of lost hours due to injuries at 14,000

Assure that 90% of customer survey forms received are

Complete 100% of 20 background investigations for new

hours or less for all safety members.

firefighters within 60 days of interviews.

satisfactory or better.

Sub-Divn 04: Logistics Sub-Divn 02: Public Education Sub-Divn 03: Training Obj: Procures & distributes Sub-Divn 05: Finance Obj: Provide Essential fire & life Obj: Develops, coordinates, services & supplies for facilities, Obj: Responsible for all fiscal safety information to reduce schedules and presents training maintenance, communications, aspects of the department. incidences. to fire personnel. & vehicles. **Public Education** Training Logistics Finance Program 6012 Program 6014 Program 6011 Program 6015 \$91.0K / \$91.0K \$618.7K / \$618.7K \$472.9K / \$472.9K \$712.2K / \$712.2K FTE: 3.9 FTE: 4.5 FTE: 7.4 FTE: 0.8 "Mobile Ensure continuous quality Take action on 90% of 1000 Prepare and send 80% of 65 Provide Home improvement (CQI) by incident reimbursement Earthquake Safety" disaster total written requests for providing skills maintenance services and supplies on billings to the appropriate training for mobile home park Form 19's within 7 days of forest agency within one program for 100% of 51 residents in at least 15 of 26 Santa Barbara County month of receipt of completed mobile home parks within receipt. accredited Emergency form 42's. Santa Barbara County Fire Department jurisdiction. Medical Technician/ Provide on-scene Logistics Paramedics (EMT-P). support for 100% of 10 emergencies within county Provide fire safety education/ information to an estimated within 3 hours of request.

Support Services

\$5.3M / \$2.7M FTE 33.1

> Finalize transactions on 100% of requests for services and supplies (F-19) received by the cut-off date, by the end of the current FY.

Program: Title from CCID Number from CCID Budget/GFC from CCID (Financial Data by Prog)

FTE: CCID

Division: # & Title from CCID

Cost Center Report

Budget/GFC from CCID

(Financial Data by Cost Ctr)

Sub-Divn: # & Name from Cost

Center Report

Obj: from CCID Inventory

Budgets shown in Millions (\$M) or Thousands (\$K)

Program Budgets are \$Total Uses / \$Total General Fund Contribution



As an efficient and responsive government, the County will maintain a productive workforce through a countywide Lost Time Rate of 5.9% or less.

As an efficient and responsive government, the County will maintain a quality workforce through completing 95 -100% of departmental Employee Performance Reviews (EPRs) by the Anniversary Due Date.

training for 80% of an estimated 1500 third grade students in both public and private schools in the Santa Barbara County Fire Department's jurisdiction using the fire safety trailer.

Sub-Divn 06: Information Technology Obj: Implements computerized tools for administration, communication, reporting.

Information Technology Program 6016 \$469.7K / \$469.7K FTE: 3.0

Minimize the amount of unscheduled down-time of mission-critical servers to less than 2% of 8760 hours per vear.

Respond to 90% of help desk requests per year, received Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., within two hours.

Sub-Divn 07: Federal Excess Property Obj: Acquire supplies, equipment, vehicles, etc through the Federal Program.

Federal Excess Property Program 6060 \$51.1K / \$51.1K FTE: 0.5

Conduct 100% of 180 Federal Excess Property Program (FEPP) resource acquisition inspections.

#	of	Federal	Excess	
Pr	opert	y Program	(FEPP)	
ра	rts	ordered	through	
pro	oarar	n.		

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Probation Department



PROBATION DEPARTMENTAL OVERVIEW

PROBATION KEY TREND ANALYSIS

The mission of the Santa Barbara County Probation Department is to serve and protect the community by providing accurate information and recommendations to the court; providing safe. secure and effective juvenile detention and treatment programs; requiring responsible behavior of offenders through enforcing court orders; and facilitating reparation and restitution to victims.

The Probation Department has three service divisions: Juvenile Institutions, Juvenile Services and Adult Services, as well as an Administrative division. The Department has a total of 379.3 FTEs located at 14 program sites and a variety of community locations throughout the County.

Administration:

The Administrative Division assists staff in achieving the department's mission through policy direction, planning, financial and managerial control, personnel staff support, training, collections, information systems, safety programs, equipment and the Community Service Work program.

Juvenile Institutions:

The Juvenile Institutions Division serves and protects the community by operating safe and secure detention and treatment facilities, providing alternative programs to custody for offenders and contracting for shelter care services for status offenders.

Juvenile Services:

The Juvenile Services Division serves and protects the community by providing investigation and offender supervision services for the court, providing services to victims, and providing treatment opportunities to youthful offenders and their families through maximizing collaborative partnerships within the community.

Adult Services:

The Adult Services Division serves and protects the community by providing sentencing recommendations to the court in accordance with sentencing laws, monitoring offenders on behalf of the court, providing services to the victims, and providing offenders with the opportunity for treatment, training and to maintain law abiding behavior while on probation.









Public Safety



Rate of 5.9% or less.

departmental

within 24 hours

As an efficient and responsive government, the County will maintain a quality workforce through completing 95 -100% of

Performance Reviews (EPRs) by the Anniversary Due Date.

% administrative requests responded to

Employee





Delinguent Prevention Medical Care Wards -Intake Program 3200 \$27.5K / \$27.5K FTE: 0.0

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Medium Supervision Program 4125 \$1.1M / \$1.1M FTE: 11.6

Supervise approximately 50% 70% of medium risk offenders at the medium or high risk priority level.

File approximately 2425 violation reports of 1210.1 PC (Prop 36) cases.



Sheriff's Department



SHERIFF DEPARTMENT KEY TREND ANALYSIS

The four divisions of the Sheriff's Department are Law Enforcement Operations, Custody Operations, Administration & Support, and Court Services. The Sheriff's Department has a staffing level of approximately 706 employees and provides services that cover a geographical area of 2,744 square miles, including the unincorporated area plus the cities of Buellton, Carpinteria, Goleta, and Solvang by contract. There are 17 Sheriff's stations and custody facilities within Santa Barbara County. The Department continually evaluates staffing and service levels to maintain an appropriate balance of staff to keep the peace.

The four divisions have the following objectives:

Law Enforcement

Execute court orders; perform preventive police patrols; investigate crimes; apprehend suspects; provide Coroner investigations, inquests and postmortems; provide dispatch services, and furnish contract law enforcement services to the cities of Buellton, Carpinteria, Goleta and Solvang

Administration and Support

Provide facilities for the detention of pre-sentenced and sentenced male and female inmates as mandated by law. Services include booking, housing, transportation, medical services and security. Inmate education, vocation counseling, and community work programs are provided to reduce recidivism and facilitate return to the community.

Custody

Provide administrative and technological support to Sheriff operations and contract cities. Sustain human resource services; meet mandatory training requirements, supply needs, and fiscal supervision.

Court Services

Serve the Superior Court of Santa Barbara County by providing transportation and supervision of inmates to and from courts; rendering Civil Process service throughout the County; and, by providing direct courtroom supervision and security.





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Maintain the amount of unscheduled downtime of servers at or below 2% a vear.

Technology personnel in

responding to Requests for

System Enhancements

(RSE's).





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ICMA Center for Performance Measurement™ Service Area: YOUTH SERVICES

Youth Services performance can be assessed on several core measures, including subsidized childcare slots filled as a percentage of slots available, the percentage of children and youth who successfully completed the conditions of their probation during the reporting period, and the number of investigated and substantiated child abuse and/or neglect calls as a percentage of all investigated cases. Variations in performance may relate to differences in number of FTEs, jurisdiction size, and other issues. For complete access to raw data and all jurisdiction comments, visit http://icma.org/cpm.





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Alcohol, Drug, and Mental Health Services (ADMHS)

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ALCOHOL, DRUG, AND MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES DEPARTMENTAL OVERVIEW

ALCOHOL, DRUG, AND MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES KEY TREND ANALYSIS

The mission of Alcohol, Drug, and Mental Health Services (ADMHS) is to promote the prevention of and recovery from addiction and mental illness among individuals, families, and communities, by providing effective leadership and delivering state of the art, culturally competent services.

ADMHS provides early intervention and treatment services to approximately 14,000 clients and substance abuse prevention services to about 5,000 residents per year. The Department's goal is to move clients towards independence and integration into the community. ADMHS practices a system of care which promotes partnering with Community-Based Organizations (CBOs) and community resources for the prevention, treatment and recovery from addiction and mental illness.

The department has approximately 291.5 FTE staff positions with operations in Santa Barbara, Santa Maria, and Lompoc, as well as partnerships with CBOs throughout the County. ADMHS encompasses six cost centers, as described below.

Mental Health Services Act (MHSA)

MHSA programs are funded by Proposition 63 and are intended to transform the mental health system to be more culturally competent, consumer family member driven, focused on wellness, and collaborative to ensure an integrated service experience.

Administration

Administrative services provides support to all divisions to ensure that alcohol, drug and mental health prevention, and rehabilitation and treatment services are offered in an efficient, cost effective, and safe manner.

Hospital and Jail Services

Hospital and Jail Services provides assessment and treatment to the seriously mentally ill people in Department institutions, with the goal of rebuilding lives and reducing recidivism.

Adult Mental Health Services

Adult Mental Health Services provides intensive mental health recovery model treatment and case management services to mentally ill adults. The Adult System of Care involves the client and family as it treats, rehabilitates, and coordinates the care and safety of seriously mentally ill adults.

Alcohol and Drug Programs

The Alcohol and Drug Program provides and contracts for prevention, intervention, and treatment services that build upon individual, family, and community strengths and assets in order to overcome problems related to alcohol misuse and other drug abuse.

Children's Mental Health Services

Children's Mental Health Services identifies at-risk youth early on, by identifying, intervening, and coordinating the care and safety of seriously emotionally disturbed youth and their families. Individual, family, and group therapy is utilized in order to bring quality to children's lives.





The trend of Psychiatric Health Facility nonacute* hospital days per year has significantly decreased in the last several years from the high of 203 days in FY 2003-204 to the current 75 days in FY 2008-2009. Departmental efforts such as increased utilization review, focused discharge planning, and working closely with the justice system, have been successful at reducing the number of Psychiatric Health Facility nonacute hospital bed days utilized by patients that have been stabilized and are awaiting placement. These efforts have increased the Psychiatric Health Facility's ability to serve more patients in crisis with acute psychiatric symptoms.

*Clients that are not in crisis or acute stages and have decreased symptoms.

The trend for graduates of Adult Drug Court with no new jail time has increased from 83% in FY 2003-2004 to 90% in FY 2008-2009. As a result of improved intervention and treatment services with a trauma focus, increased programmatic supervision, and improved coordination and supervision by Probation and the Criminal Justice System, adult Drug Court clients are achieving better outcomes. Over time, adult drug offenders who successfully graduated from Adult Drug Court have consistently had less jail time in the 12 months after leaving the program than did those that were not successful in the program.





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Maintain a productive workforce through a countywide Lost Time Rate of 5.9% or less.

Maintain a quality workforce through completing 95 -100% of departmental Employee Performance Reviews (EPRs) by the Anniversary Due Date.

Cost Center Performance Plan

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Sub-Divn 05: Quality Care & Compliance Obj: Manage voluntary and nvoluntary inpatient services for acute psychiatric crisis.

> Access Team Program 4555 \$3.0K / \$0.0K FTE: 0.0

Provide face-to-face same dav assessment to 100% of an estimated 100 clients, or 25 clients per quarter, who contact the Access Team with urgent mental health treatment needs.

CARES North Program 4558 \$2.5M / \$1.3M FTE: 7.2

Avoid hospitalization stabilize and community members in crisis such that 80% of the residents arriving at North County CARES in crisis are not hospitalized within 24 hours of a crisis contact

Provide prompt assessment supervision, oversight and referral to 100% of the community members per year who arrive at North County CARES for mental health and/or substance abuse services.







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Child Support Services

Child Support Services

CHILD SUPPORT SERVICES DEPARTMENTAL OVERVIEW

CHILD SUPPORT SERVICES KEY TREND ANALYSIS

The mission of Child Support Services is to serve children and families by establishing parentage and enforcing support orders in a fair and equitable manner.

The department establishes and enforces child and medical support orders through a variety of case management services that include locating non-custodial parents, establishing parentage, and establishing, enforcing, and modifying orders for both child and medical support. The enforcement of child support orders encompasses the collection and distribution of payments and the maintenance of accurate accounting records.

The department has one cost center, Child Support Services. There are 90.6 FTE staff positions, with offices in Santa Barbara and Santa Maria. Services are provided to residents in both the incorporated and unincorporated areas of the County, and when appropriate, to out-of-county residents in cooperation with other country, state, and county jurisdictions.

Child Support Services

Two subdivisions are included in the single cost center. The Administration sub-division administers the delivery of the basic child support case management services, as well as implements Statewide policy and directives and provides expertise to the State Department of Child Support Services. The Collection and Case Management sub-division delivers basic child support activities such as: locating parents and their assets; establishing paternity; gathering all pertinent data to establish fair and equitable child and medical support orders and then enforcing those orders; reconciling accounts; establishing payment plans for arrears; generating wage assignments; and preparing a case for criminal prosecution requests.







Current overall collections are lower than their peak in FY 2003-2004 due to numerous systems conversion activities which diverted staff from core activities and created learning curves on new systems. Collections are expected to increase as the new statewide system stabilizes and efficiencies from the new system are gained.

The trend of establishing an order for support in open cases shows a decrease in FY 2007-2008 due to Statewide CSE
(Child Support Enforcement) system transition and data conversion. The budgeted number reflects an increase to desired goal due to systems stabilization and a workforce experienced with the new system.

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Automation
Program 4000
\$620.0KM / \$0.0K
FTE: 2.0

Ensure that at least 90% of responses received from bi-annual department surveys rate information technology support services as excellent.

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Public Health Department



PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENTAL OVERVIEW

PUBLIC HEALTH KEY TREND ANALYSIS

The mission of the Public Health Department is to improve the health of our communities by preventing disease, promoting wellness, and ensuring access to needed health care.

The Public Health Department has two service divisions, "Community Health" and "Primary Care and Family Health," and two administrative divisions, "Administration and Support" and "Tobacco Settlement." The Department has a total of 544 staff positions in 9 permanent locations and a variety of community service locations throughout the county.

Administration and Support:

Provide an executive focus on community partnerships, leadership, and medical science that is responsive to both internal and external demands for financial planning and accounting, information technology development, human resource guidance, quality improvement, and facility management.

Primary Care and Family Health:

Provide prevention and early intervention health care at seven Federally Qualified Health Centers. Ensure access to necessary medical care, and assessment for children, low-income families, and adults with medical emergencies, and other people with special needs.

Community Health:

Prevent disease and promote healthy behaviors for the entire community by monitoring, investigating, and controlling environmental hazards and communicable diseases. Inform and empower people about nutrition, maternal child and family health, chronic diseases, and human services issues.

Tobacco Settlement:

The Tobacco Settlement Division administers the tobacco settlement revenues and provides staff support to the Tobacco Settlement Advisory Committee (TSAC) and the programs funded through TSAC.







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Ensure that 100% of patients will be financially screened at the time of their visit

Increase the number of Medi-Cal visits by 10% within primary care clinics.

Achieve a 90% retention rate for licensed medical professionals.

California Children's Services (CCS) Therapy Program 1101 \$2.4M /\$0.0K FTE: 21.1

Provide occupational or physical therapy evaluations to at least 80% of California Children's Services (CCS) eligible children within 30 days, per State requirements.

At least 95% of people completing the California Children's Services (CCS) Family Survey will rate the overall experience of getting their child CCS services as good or very good.

Screen 100% of the applications for eligibility prior to authorizing treatment

California Children's' Services (CCS) Administration Program 1199 \$2.6M /\$0.0K FTE: 21.3

At least 95% of people completing the California Children's Services (CCS) Family Survey will rate the overall experience of getting their child CCS services as good or very good.



UR Miscellaneous Program 1579 \$127.8K / \$0.0K FTE: 0.0

100% of patients referred for MIA, TSAC or Maddy will be financially screened for other eligible programs prior to funding from these programs. Medical Social Service Program 1580 \$302.8K /\$0.0K FTE: 3.3

20% of clients who apply for MIA will receive consultation from the Medical Social Worker. Utilization Review Pgm 1583 \$965.3K / \$0.0K FTE: 11.3

Increase funding recovered by obtaining at least \$550,000 Medi-Cal reimbursement for Medically Indigent Adult (MIA) patients subsequently granted retroactive Medi-Cal coverage.

100% of MIA/TSAC patients referred from specialty clinics for cholecystectomy will be authorized if they meet the clinical criteria.



phlebotomy technicians will correctly collect and process patient specimens for clinical lab

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Health Subdivision

Cuyama Primary Care Program 1603 \$55.2K / \$0.0K FTE: 0.4

Increase the number of Preventive Medicine Evaluations that are performed on Santa Barbara Regional Health Authority members by 5% at the Cuyama Clinic.

Santa Maria Primary Care Program 1606 \$3.5M / \$0.0K FTE: 28.3

Increase the number of Preventive Medicine Evaluations that are performed on Santa Barbara Health Regional Authority members by 5% at the Santa Maria Clinic.

Reduce the average number of days to get an appointment in the Santa Maria Internal Medicine and/or Family Practice Clinic to 3 days or less.

100% of patients will have access to an Internal Medicine and/ or Family Practice appointment within 3 days of their request.

80% of patients will keep their appointments, which exceeds the national standard of 70% for community health clinics



HIV Clinic Program 1608 \$75.7K / \$0.0K FTE: 0.4

Preventive Barbara Health 5% at the Calle Real

Medical Residency Program 1609 \$1.2M / \$0.0K FTE: 1.0

Increase the number of Preventive Medicine Evaluations that are performed on Barbara Santa Health Regional Authority members by 5% at the Calle Real Clinics

Reduce the average number of days to get Calle Real Maria Internal Medicine and/ Clinic to 3 days or less

100% of patients will have access to a new Internal Medicine office appointment within 30 days of their request.

Central Supply Program 1690 \$41.5K / \$0.0K FTE: 0.6

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orking 56 .0K	Leaders Encouraging Activity & Nutrition (L.E.A.N.) Grant Program 1257 \$19.4K / \$0.0K FTE: 0.2	Lactation Education/Counseling Program 1258 \$146.7K / \$175.0K FTE: 1.5
of the in the nfants, (WIC) month usively	Support the devel- opment and imple- mentation of student wellness policies in at least two school districts.	At least 25% of the 3,550 infants in the Women, Infants, Children (WIC) program each month will be exclusively breastfed.
90% of nfants, (WIC) cipants better s they		Ensure at least 90% of Women, Infants, Children (WIC) program participants are satisfied or better with the services they received.
itrition		



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Vaccinate at least 1,500 owned dogs and cats for rabies at low cost clinics.

Find homes for 100% of an estimated 3,500 adoptable dogs and cats per year by 2010.

At least 80% of an estimated 200 customers surveyed will report they are satisfied or better with the services received from Animal Services.

> Animal Services Santa Maria Field Program 0750 \$431.2K / (\$100.5K) FTE: 4.4

Following implementation Mobile Chameleon, increase the average number of field service requests handled by each Animal Control Officer by 5% in the first year of utilization.

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Animal Services Veterinary Services Program 0800 \$238.1K / \$72.6K FTE: 1.0

Vaccinate at least 1.500 owned dogs and cats for rabies at low cost clinics.



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Children's Trust Program 7180 \$156.4K / (\$2.0K) FTE: 0.1

The Human Services Unit will process quarterly invoices from nonprofit agencies within 2 business days of receipt of invoice.

Ensure that 80% of Human Services Commissioners and nonprofit grantees will indicate that Human Services staff support is "very good" or "excellent."

Child Abuse Prevention Program 7185 \$46.2K / \$24.2K FTE: 0.2

The Human Services Unit will process quarterly invoices from nonprofit agencies within 2 business days of receipt of invoice.

Ensure that 80% of Human Services Commissioners and nonprofit grantees will indicate that Human Services staff support is "very good" or "excellent."

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Health and Public Assistance



Multi-Disciplinary Interagency System of Care Grant Program 1652	Comprehensive Peri-Natal Outreach Program 7500 \$83.9K / \$0.0K
\$224.8K / \$0.0K FTE: 1.9	FTE: 0.9
Children will remain medically stable in the family home.	

EU 1	Mater
EH	Water
Pgm	4600
NOT	USED





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Social Services Department

Social Services Department

SOCIAL SERVICES DEPARTMENTAL OVERVIEW

SOCIAL SERVICES KEY TREND ANALYSIS

The mission of the Social Services Department is to provide protective services, employment services, and financial assistance that support the residents of Santa Barbara County to become productive and self-sufficient contributors to the community.

The divisions of the Social Services Department are Administration and Support, Systems and Program Development, Client Services and Benefits, and Social Programs with 641.4 personnel FTEs, staffing eleven locations throughout the County. The Social Services Department provides countywide services to residents of both the incorporated and unincorporated areas.

Administration and Support:

The Administration and Support Division supports staff in the achievement of the department's mission through policy direction, financial planning and accounting, human resource guidance, employee relations, facilities management, and special projects. The Division serves as a liaison with other County departments and State and Federal agencies.

Systems and Program Development:

The Systems and Program Development Division provides technological support and program training to all Social Services Department staff and program support for income maintenance staff and leads the implementation of a Benefit Services Center for the Medi-Cal and Food Stamp Programs. This division promotes the department's mission by training staff, providing high quality technical and program support, and maximizing the department's technology utilization.

Client Services and Benefits:

The Client Services and Benefits Division provides eligibility determination and direct assistance for families and individuals to ensure their basic needs are met and to assist them in becoming self-sufficient. Client Services and Benefits programs include Food Stamps, General Relief, Medi-Cal, CalWORKs eligibility, CalWORKs employment services, CalWORKs financial assistance, Child Care assistance and other employment programs under the Federal Workforce Investment Act (WIA).

Social Programs:

The Social Programs Division provides assistance to individuals and families which allows them to remain safely in their home or coordinate appropriate out-of-home placement through the provision of Family Preservation and Protective Services, Adult Protective Services, and In-Home Supportive Services.

Since CalWIN implementation in March 2006, system programming does not allow eligibility workers to deny applications based on client failure to attend appointments or return required documentation needed to establish eligibility. Therefore, it appears as though applications are not being processed in a timely manner. The CalWIN project is aware of this issue and is working to resolve it. In addition, inadequate State funding has led to a staffing shortage at a time when more clients are accessing services.





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<u>Netv</u> j: To provide collaborative	er adults & their
Prograi \$124.3K	Term Network m 5351 / \$88.5K : 0.0
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Community Resources & Public Facilities

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ICMA Center for Performance Measurement[™] Service Area: HOUSING SERVICES

Housing services may be assessed using several key indicators including completion rates for new and rehabilitated low-moderate income housing units. Cycle times for completing rehabilitation projects may also be useful. Variations in performance may be attributed to differences in land and construction costs, availability of materials and contractors to perform construction and rehabilitation work, need for low-moderate income housing, and other factors. For complete access to raw data and all jurisdiction comments, visit http://icma.org/cpm.



Some jurisdictions report that the availability of materials, labor, and financing affects their ability to meet demonstrated need for lowmoderate income housing units.



Local prices for land, materials, and labor influence the number of units that may be completed per \$100,000 of public financial assistance. The availability of outside capital also influences performance on this indicator.





Community Resources & Public Facilities



Some jurisdictions perform only emergency rehabilitation work while others perform full rehabilitation or some combination of emergency and full rehabilitations.



The number of homes available in the low-moderate income price range may influence performance on this indicator.

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ICMA Center for Performance Measurement[™] Service Area: HIGHWAYS AND ROADS

Highways performance can be assessed on several key measures, including expenditures, citizen satisfaction, lane miles, and road conditions. Variations in performance may relate to differences in population density, traffic, construction materials, urban/rural service area, weather, and other issues. Some very high expenditure rates have been attributed to differences in weather conditions during parts of the year. For complete access to raw data and all jurisdiction comments, visit http://icma.org/cpm.





determined individually by each jurisdiction.



Many factors influence road conditions. Satisfactory or better is



Road rehabilitation expenditures are often influenced by climate and traffic conditions, as well as the cost of materials.



Agriculture & Cooperative Extension

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AGRICULTURE & COOPERATIVE EXTENSION DEPARTMENTAL OVERVIEW

AGRICULTURE & COOPERATIVE EXTENSION KEY TREND ANALYSIS

The mission of the Agriculture & Cooperative Extension department is to improve and protect agriculture, natural resources, and the quality of life in Santa Barbara County.

The Agricultural Commissioner & Cooperative Extension Office is primarily responsible for protection of the agricultural industry and the citizens of Santa Barbara County in the areas of pest prevention, pesticide enforcement, and resource protection. The department ensures consumer protection and equity in the marketplace through weight verification in testing of scales in grocery stores, farmer's markets, as well as testing truck scales and gasoline pumps for accuracy. The department also provides research and educational programs for county residents through Cooperative Extension programs.

The department has 33.2 FTE staff with operations in Santa Barbara, Santa Maria, Lompoc, Carpenteria and Solvang. Agriculture & Cooperative Extension has three cost centers, as described below.

Agricultural Commissioner

The department protects California agriculture and facilitates the safe and legal movement of plants, locally and internationally. Certain programs under this cost center function to help provide equity in the marketplace and ensure that the consumer is receiving full and fair measurements. Pest prevention is responsible for protecting agriculture, cities, and native habitats from pests foreign to Santa Barbara County. In addition, other programs protect the public and the environment by ensuring compliance with laws and regulations governing pesticide use.

Cooperative Extension

The University of California Cooperative Extension is an education and research organization which serves the general public. Programs and information are available in the areas of crop production, livestock and range management, organic farming, soils and water, soil fertility management, pest management, foods and nutrition, farm safety, family relations, economics, food handling and safety, youth development, and marine sciences. Seven farm and home advisors, employed by the university, plus support staff, provide services in Santa Barbara County.

Agricultural Advisory Committee

The Committee provides advice to the Board of Supervisors, Planning Commission, and County departments on a variety of agriculturally-related issues such as land use, economics, and export trade and housing.





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The number of plant inspections are contingent upon the number of plant shipments that require inspection. There has been a significant increase of plant shipments coming into Santa Barbara County since FY 1999-2000. The number of FY 2008-2009 inspections is estimated.

The number of pesticide application inspections declined in FY 2006-2007 due to a high turnover rate for biologists. As the department trains new staff, the number of pesticide application inspections increases, as seen in FY 2007-2008 and beyond.





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Community Resources and Public Facilities

Housing and Community Development Department (HCD)

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HOUSING & COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENTAL OVERVIEW

The mission of the Housing and Community Development Department (HCD) is to coordinate the development and implementation of regional strategic housing and community development processes that respect local needs, priorities and our natural environment, which will lead to the development of healthy and viable neighborhoods and an improved quality of life for all of the county's citizens.

HCD has two service cost centers, Housing Development and Grant Administration and Residential Property Management, and one business unit cost center, comprised of the Office of the Director and Fiscal Operations. The department has a total of 12.3 FTE staff located primarily in Santa Barbara as well as a satellite office in Santa Maria.

Housing Development and Grant Administration:

The Housing Development and Grant Administration cost center assesses the county's affordable housing needs annually and provides financial and technical assistance to profit-motivated and non-profit developers of affordable housing projects. Staff provides assistance in project development to planners and administrators in other public agencies and cities. This cost center prepares the Annual Action Plans. oversees the distribution of funds and monitors fund expenditures for the Federal HOME and Federal Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) programs on behalf of the consortiums formed with those cities eligible to receive Federal funds through the HOME Investment Partnerships Program, Federal CDBG, Emergency Shelter Grant (ESG) and Homeless Continuum of Care funding.

Residential Property Management:

The Residential Property Management cost center has the responsibility of setting, maintaining and monitoring standards and conditions of the residential housing units created through the County's Housing Element Programs. This cost center prepares Affordable Housing Agreements with developers, selects qualified homebuyers or renters through a lottery and income certification process, and ensures that the appropriate restrictive covenants are recorded upon home sale. The cost center also monitors homeowner compliance with various restrictive covenants.

Office of the Director and Fiscal Operations:

The Office of the Director includes the Director, a Business Manager and a Cost Analyst. These individuals plan, organize and direct the operations of the Housing and Community Development Department, consult with community groups, identify housing needs and additional funding sources, analyze and interpret legislation and make presentations to the Board of Supervisors.



The County of Santa Barbara provides funding to local agencies to provide permanent housing services for homeless clients. HUD makes a certain amount available each year, and uses a formula to determine the amount to be allocated to Santa Barbara County. The formula takes into account demographic information such as population and poverty statistics. Over the past several years, the amount of funding offered by HUD has remained relatively steady. In FY 2008-09, \$1.1 million in funding is allowing 12 local agencies to provide permanent housing services for 890 homeless clients.







HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT KEY TREND ANALYSIS

HUD grant agreements require that multifamily affordable developments be monitored on a biannual basis. In FY 2007-08, the Department placed a renewed emphasis on fulfilling this requirement, and monitored all developments to establish a base. In FY 2008-09, the Department will monitor half of the developments (15 units). In FY 2009-10, the Department will monitor the remaining half in order to fulfill the biannual monitoring requirement.

The County of Santa Barbara receives funding from HUD to maintain a Homeless Management Information System (HMIS) and provides grants to local agencies serving the homeless. HMIS is a database that collects demographic data related to the homeless population and tracks how homeless services are utilized across the county, which represents valuable information for future planning and resource allocation. Grants to local agencies fund programs such as job training, drug and alcohol treatment, education, and physical and mental health care. The County attained its current level of funding in FY 2004-05, and has maintained that level to date. In FY 2008-09, a total of \$287,500 in grant funding was awarded to the County for HMIS and homeless programs.

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Parks Department



PARKS DEPARTMENTAL OVERVIEW

PARKS KEY TREND ANALYSIS

The mission of the Parks Department is to provide for the health, inspiration and education of the residents and visitors of Santa Barbara County by preserving the County's most valued natural and cultural resources, and by providing opportunities for high quality outdoor recreation and leisure experiences.

The divisions of the Parks Department are Administration & Support Services, South County Parks & Open Spaces, North County Parks & Open Spaces, and the Arts Commission. The department has a total of 83.1 FTE staff providing services to approximately six million annual visitors to 71 day use park and open space locations and two camping parks, and a network of trails and coastal access easements. The Parks Department supports or collaborates with 11 advisory committees and nonprofit organizations, and provides arts and cultural development programs countywide through the Arts Commission.

Administration & Support Services:

The Administration & Support Services Division provides policy direction to three operating divisions to ensure efficient and effective delivery of public services. Administer fiscal operations, leases and concessions, payroll and personnel functions, park reservations and marketing, capital project planning and grants management, implementation of general and community plans; facilitate citizen group participation.

South County Parks & Open Spaces:

The South County Parks & Open Spaces Division provides maintenance, landscaping and visitor services for inland and beach day use parks, open spaces, grounds surrounding County buildings, beach access ways, and trails to ensure safe recreational and leisure opportunities in attractive park and natural settings.

North County Parks & Open Spaces:

The North County Parks & Open Spaces Division provides maintenance, landscaping and visitor services for inland and beach day use parks, camping parks, open spaces, grounds surrounding County buildings, and trails to ensure safe recreational and leisure opportunities in attractive park and natural settings.

Arts Commission:

The Arts Commission Division administers a regional program of arts support and cultural development including the County "One Percent for Art" program and the Public/Private Arts Partnership program. Promote Santa Barbara County as an international cultural arts destination and highlight regional cultural traditions, festivals, institutions, and venues. Operate the Channing Peake and Betteravia public art galleries as well as the biennial "State of the Art" sculpture gallery and City Hall gallery in the City of Santa Barbara. Maintain the archives and art in the County Arts Commission collection. Provide information and referrals for County arts activities and technical assistance to artists, arts and cultural organizations, and the public.





This key trend represents the experience and expectation, full satisfaction within Day Use and Camping parks and is a total of 3 measures within the South County Parks & Open Spaces (1), and North County parks & Open Spaces Divisions (2). This is a Parks key trend measurement since fully meeting expectations is generally a result of other activity and quality measurements. Over the last ten years this measure has remained at or above 90% with only one year slightly dipping to 88%, and is estimated at 90% for 2008-2009.

> This key trend represents the Parks Department's focus on revenue generation, sustainability and enhancement within the North County Parks & Open Spaces Division, Camping Sub-Division. This is a Parks key trend measurement since camping revenue is generally a result of other activity and quality measurements performing well. Over the last ten years this measure has gone from 1% to a low of -9% and a high of 14%, based on many factors within Parks control like service delivery, maintenance, etc., and not within Parks control like weather, economy, etc., and is estimated to go up to 9% for 2008-2009.



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Sub-Divn 06: Marketing Program Obj: Marketing and promotion of park facilities, services, and programs. Includes partnering efforts with cities, special districts, private and nonprofit agencies as well as sponsorships and donations.

> Marketing Program 0206 \$7.3K / (\$7.7K) FTE: 0.0

Further the Parks Department's goal of achieving greater selfsuffiency by securing community, nonprofit, and corporate financial sponsorships and/or donations for no less than 8 new special projects or ongoing Parks' program and services.

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Planning and Development Department

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PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENTAL OVERVIEW

PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT KEY TREND ANALYSIS

The mission of the Planning and Development Department is to plan for and promote reasonable, productive, safe and sustainable use of land to foster economic, social, cultural and environmental prosperity across the county.

The Planning and Development Department includes the following services: Development Services, Long Range Planning, Administration and Agricultural Planning. The department provides quality policy development, planning, permitting and inspection services through a thoughtful, collaborative and professional process under the policy direction of the Board of Supervisors and Planning Commissions. The department has 119.7 positions with offices in Santa Barbara and Orcutt, and a satellite office in the Santa Ynez Valley.

Administration:

The Administration Division provides centralized support services for the department, including clerical, fiscal, personnel, process improvement, automation, mapping, graphics and public hearing support.

Long Range Planning:

The Long Range Planning Division develops, researches, analyzes and communicates land use policies that meet Federal and State mandates in a manner that fosters long range economic, social, cultural and environmental prosperity throughout the County.

Development Review - South:

The Development Review - South Division reviews development projects and associated legislative requests for action by staff, the Zoning Administrator, Planning Commissions or Board of Supervisors based on policies in the general plan, State law and local ordinances through a transparent public process. Ensures project compliance with environmental mitigation measures and conditions of approval.

Development Review - North:

The Development Review - North Division Provides property and permit information to the public, reviews development projects and associated legislative requests for action by staff, the Zoning Administrator, or the Planning Commission based on policies in the general plan, state law and local ordinances through a transparent public process. Ensures compliance with zoning regulations, environmental mitigation measures, and conditions of approval.

Building and Safety:

The Building and Safety Division provides permit information, processes ministerial permits, reviews and approved ministerial zoning permits, enforces the County's ordinances, performs plan reviews and inspects construction projects for compliance with building codes, reviews plans and inspects grading for code compliance, and enforces the Petroleum Ordinances for onshore oil operations. Conducts housing inspections, issues film permits, and provides safety reviews on oil operations for the Energy Division.

Energy:

The Energy Division oversees Santa Barbara County offshore oil and gas activities, the onshore facilities that support those offshore operations and oil refineries, as well as alternative energy projects, including planning, policy development, permit processing, environmental review and risk analyses, permit enforcement and public outreach.

Agricultural Planning:

The Agricultural Planning Division supports the review of development projects and long range planning projects by providing input and technical expertise related to agricultural resources; also develops, researches, analyzes and communicates land use policies related to agricultural subject matter.



To protect County citizens and resources, the Department's goal is to respond to 100% of the housing, building, and zoning code complaints within 24 hours. For the past two years, the Department has achieved this goal, and expects to again achieve this goal in FY 2008-09. In FY 2008-09, an estimated 290 complaints will be responded to within 24 hours.





Planning and Development's goal is to secure community confidence by providing recommendations on planning projects that are accepted by decision-makers 100% of the time. For the past four years, the Department has achieved, or come within 1% of, this target. In FY 2008-09, the Department expects to make recommendations on 260 planning projects, 100% of which will be accepted by decisionmakers.

> Applications for building and grading permits have declined over the past five years. This trend is expected to accelerate in the next 12 months with the current economic down turn. This trend is also mirrored in planning permits and architectural review requests.



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To ensure an efficient and responsive government, the County will maintain the rate of General Liability claims filed at no more than 90 - 100% of the previous year's actual claims filed.

As an efficient and responsive government, the County will maintain the rate of Workers' Compensation claims filed between 90 - 100% of the previous year's actual claims filed.

As an efficient and responsive government, process approximately 35 appeals filed on planning permits.

As an efficient and responsive government, the County will maintain a quality workforce through completing 100% of departmental Employee Performance Reviews (EPRs) by the Anniversary Due Date.

Maintain employee Lost Time Rate at 3.6% or less.

To ensure the County's economic vitality, distribute 100% of approximately 380 monthly invoices within 3 days of the close of the billing period. As an efficient and responsive government, respond within one week to 100% of an estimated 10 customer surveys where the recipient requests a response.

Distribute approximately 4,000 customer service surveys to permit applicants and members of the public.

To ensure the County's economic vitality, maintain accounts with deferred billing to less than \$20,000.

To ensure the County's economic vitality, oversee the collection and accounting of \$8.5 million of permit revenue annually.

As an efficient and responsive government, Planning and Development will secure community confidence by providing recommendations on planning projects that are accepted by decision-makers 100% of the time for approximately 260 planning projects.

As an efficient and responsive government, reach a final decision for 80% of Architectural Review projects requiring Conceptual, Preliminary and Final review; in 3 or less hearings for approximately 145 projects per year.

As an efficient and responsive government, provide accurate and timely noticing for 100% of approximately 210 annual agenda items for the Planning Commission and the Zoning Administrator.

As an efficient and responsive government, schedule and provide support to 100% of 86 regional Board of Architectural Review meetings.

As an efficient and responsive government, complete and post to the website 100% of 48 marked agendas of the County and Montecito Planning Commissions within one week of the hearing.

As an efficient and responsive government, provide accurate and timely noticing for 100% of approximately 22 annual agenda items for the Montecito Planning Commission.

As an efficient and responsive government, complete 100% of 48 Planning Commission hearing minutes per month within two weeks of the hearing.

Performance Measure Legend **PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT** Department-wide Effectiveness Performance Measure Change to Performance Measure Performance Measure to Delete New Performance Measure Div 02 – Development Review Budgets shown in Millions (\$M) or Thousands (\$K) - South \$3.7M / \$626.9K Program Budgets are \$Total Uses / \$Total General Fund Contribution FTE: 18.8 Sub-Div 02: Permitting and Sub-Div 03: Condition Sub-Div 01: Administration Compliance Mitigation Compliance Division: # & Title from CCID Obj: Perform administrative Obj: Land use and compliance Obj: Receive or expend land Cost Center Report Budget/GFC from CCID (Financial Data by Cost Ctr) Sub-Divn: # & Name from Cost Center Report Obj: from CCID Inventory

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functions of the South County Development Review Division	permitting services County Developm District	ent Review	use mitigation trust funds associated with mitigation projects
South Dev Rev Administration Program 2000 \$337.9K / \$337.9K FTE: 1.6	South Dev Rev Permitting Program 2010 \$2.1M / \$354.8K FTE: 15.7	South Dev Rev Compliance Program 2011 \$135.8K / (\$65.8K) FTE: 1.4	Condition Compliance Mitigation Program 2013 \$60.0K / \$0.0K FTE: 0.0
Ensure that staff processing or monitoring planning projects bill at least 70% of working hours to reimbursable projects.	To ensure the County's economic vitality, process 350 discretionary and ministerial planning applications annually. As an efficient and responsive government, conclude staff work on 80% of 90 ministerial permits subject to Architectural Review within two weeks of Preliminary BAR approval and one week from Final BAR for Zone Clearance where no associated discretionary permit is required. As an efficient and responsive government, contact the applicant on 100% of 200 complex ministerial permit applications within 10 working days of receipt of the application with submittal needs and advisory information As an efficient and responsive government, present to decision maker within 4 months of application completeness 95% of approximately 45 projects that require a CEQA exemption. As an efficient and responsive government, present to decision maker within 6 months of application completeness 100% of approximately 15 projects requiring a Negative Declaration. As an efficient and responsive	As an efficient and responsive government, confirm compliance and release of performance securities on 85% of all projects within 5 working days of an applicant's requested date. As an efficient and responsive government, conduct final inspections on 85% of 100 projects for sign-off on conditions of approval within 5 working days of an applicant's requested date. As an efficient and responsive government, conduct preconstruction meeting on 85% of 40 projects requiring permit compliance monitoring within 5 working days of an applicant's requested date.	NOTE: This cost center is for fiscal tracking purposes only.

As an efficient and responsive government, issue complete or incomplete letters to 100% of approximately 200 annual discretionary Development Review project submittals within 30 days of submittal or resubmittal by the applicant.



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Public Works Department



PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENTAL OVERVIEW

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT KEY TREND ANALYSIS

The mission of the Public Works Department is to provide, operate and maintain essential Public Works facilities and services for the community to make everyday life as safe and convenient as possible for the public we serve in Santa Barbara County.

This covers a wide range of responsibilities, including ensuring the purity of the water residents and visitors drink and use for recreation, their safety during flood events, the quality of the roads on which they commute, the accuracy of their property boundaries, the reliability of lights in their neighborhoods, and the cost-effectiveness, consistency and attention to sustainability of their recycling and trash disposal programs. Led by Director Scott McGolpin, the Department consists of five Divisions, which maintain a diverse staff who work in facilities located throughout the South Coast and North County, and are briefly described below.

Administration and Finance:

Serving the other four divisions, this Division provides fiscal management, support services and resource services which enable each of the other 4 divisions to achieve its goals. The Division's Disaster Recovery Program ensures that the County receives the maximum possible reimbursement from State and Federal funding agencies and has secured the cooperation of every city in our county in a Mutual Aid Agreement for times of disaster. The Land Use Development Process Expediting Program streamlines the development review process and supports customers in resolving permit processing issues, and coordinates the post-disaster development process.

Resource Recovery & Waste Management:

Responsible for managing solid waste and utilities in the County, the Division's system consists of collection, diversion, and public education/outreach programs which work in tandem with the operations of four recycling and transfer stations, one household hazardous waste collection center, the Tajiguas Active Landfill, ten closed landfills, and the Laguna Sanitation District Wastewater Treatment Plant in the North County. Extensive public outreach and public response have enabled the County to achieve the current diversion rate of 69% which places Santa Barbara County in the top 10% in California.

County Surveyor:

For over 155 years, this Division has provided quality surveying services through the creation and maintenance of land based records for public and private use. The Field Section provides traditional surveys for County projects and the Office Section assists the general public and private surveyors in resolving various survey and land development related issues. The Division's website provides easy access to information critical to maneuvering through the development process (i.e. County Surveyor's Manual, subdivision maps, etc).

Transportation:

Providing a clear path, smooth ride, and a safe trip to the travelling public, this division maintains over 1,668 lane miles of major roads and local streets in the unincorporated areas of Santa Barbara County. This includes over 112 bridges, 15,000 street trees, 48 signalized intersections and 20,000 street signs as well as sidewalks, ADA compliant curb ramps, pavement markings, painted curbs, raised traffic markers, and drainage facilities.

Water Resources:

The division maintains and clears hundreds of miles of creeks, channels, and rivers, as well as 26 miles of levees in the Santa Maria Valley, providing pro-active Flood Protection to ensure the public's well being in times of flood-related disasters, and promoting Water Conservation and Adequate Water Supplies for the residents and visitors of Santa Barbara County. *Project Clean Water* identifies and implements solutions to creek and ocean water pollution and *The County Water Agency* has among its responsibilities the operation of the County's Cloud Seeding program which augments water supplies in surface reservoirs and ground water basins.



Future increases in waste diversion will require additional infrastructure along with regional commitment of financial resources and flow.





While asphalt prices have continued to increase, Public Works has used innovative technology such as scrub/microseals and surface treatment to stretch available dollars.











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ICMA Center for Performance Measurement™ Service Area: FACILITIES MANAGEMENT

Facilities Management performance can be assessed on several core measures, including customer satisfaction surveys, emergency custodial requests/repairs completed within two hours, non-emergency repairs requests per 100,000 square feet, custodial/repair expenditures per square foot, and response times. Variations in performance may relate to differences in number of FTEs, jurisdiction size, and other issues. For complete access to raw data and all jurisdiction comments, visit http://icma.org/cpm.





The number of repair requests may vary depending upon staff schedules, in-house vs. contractual, and the degree to which daily tasks to be performed are pre determined or revised as needed.

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ICMA Center for Performance Measurement[™] Service Area: FLEET MANAGEMENT

Performance of the fleet management service can be accessed using several core outcome-oriented measures, including: timeliness, customer satisfaction, number of vehicles exceeding replacement criteria, and expenditures per vehicle. Variations in performance may relate to differences in types of vehicles maintained, preventive maintenance and replacement policy, and jurisdiction specific characteristics such as climate. Some high expenditures can be attributed to jurisdiction-specific, single-event incidents. For complete access to raw data and all jurisdiction comments, visit http://icma.org/cpm.







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Support Services

Number of vehicles exceeding replacement criteria may vary depending upon the amount of capital expenditure funding.

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ICMA Center for Performance Measurement[™] Service Area: RISK MANAGEMENT

Risk management performance can be assessed on several core measures, including workers' compensation expenditures, worker days lost per accident, third party vehicle liability, and number of traffic accidents per 100,000 miles driven. Variations in performance may relate to differences in number of FTEs, jurisdiction size, services and facilities provided, and other issues. Some high expenditures can be attributed to jurisdictionspecific, single-event incidents. For complete access to raw data and all jurisdiction comments, visit http://icma.org/cpm.





Some variation may be attributed to difference sin the types of operations undertaken by in-house staff and contracted agencies.

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ICMA Center for Performance Measurement[™] Service Area: HUMAN RESOURCES

Performance of the human resources can be accessed using several core outcome-oriented measures, including: internal customer satisfaction, turnover rates, sick leave hours used, employee grievances, and employee reviews completed on time. Variations in performance may relate to organization of the HR function, number of jurisdictional employees, and key activities performed by the HR function. For complete access to raw data and all jurisdiction comments, visit http://icma.org/cpm.





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ICMA Center for Performance Measurement™ Service Area: INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

Information technology performance can be assessed on several key measures, including service response time, expenditures, and customer satisfaction. Variations in performance may relate to differences in staff size, inhouse vs. contract service, organization of IT function, level of service offered, and other issues. Internal service surveys reflect employee attitudes on the issue at hand, rather than the public or citizen satisfaction level. For complete access to raw data and all jurisdiction comments, visit http://icma.org/cpm.









Auditor-Controller



AUDITOR CONTROLLER DEPARTMENTAL OVERVIEW

AUDITOR CONTROLLER KEY TREND ANALYSIS

The divisions of the Auditor-Controller department are Administration, Auditing, Operations, Financial Reporting and Specialty Accounting Services; within the Operations division is a project-oriented technical team that designs and maintains the County's financial systems. The Auditor-Controller has a staff of 54 employees with centralized operations in Santa Barbara and a satellite office in Santa Maria.

Each division provides certain core services reflected in the performance measures. The Auditor-Controller's management strategy also includes projects that improve service delivery. This is achieved by focusing on two areas, (1) using technology to improve work processes and to make information more available to the community; and (2) by enhancing the financial accountability and integrity of County government.

The five divisions have the following objectives:

Administration

Advise the Board of Supervisors and County management regarding financial matters. Provide leadership and direction to the department. Provide department employees with support, training, tools and facilities.

Audit

To assist the management of the County and Special Districts in carrying out their responsibilities by providing professional audit services such as: Attestation services (financial, grant & compliance audits), internal control reviews, performance reviews (effectiveness/efficiency), fraud/loss investigations, consulting, and special projects.

Operations

Prepare accurate, complete and timely financial records; operate, maintain and enhance Countywide financial and human resource systems and train County employees to use them efficiently; pay all employees on-time; control disbursements and deposits for accuracy, timeliness and cash management; continuously improve customer service to County departments, agencies, and vendors by utilizing new technologies to enhance process efficiency, accuracy and timeliness; allocate and distribute property taxes to all County agencies within established timelines.

Financial Reporting

Provide meaningful and timely financial reports and cost analyses to management, the Board of Supervisors, and the public. Comply with State and Federal reporting requirements and generally accepted accounting principles. Operate, maintain, enhance, and support the County's budget performance system.

Specialty Accounting

To provide accounting and revenue distribution services to County departments, special districts and other agencies by offering and delivering professional assistance in accounting, budgeting, systems, and fiscal advisory services.







The number of direct deposits (VendorLink) as a percentage of all payments increased substantially in fiscal year 2003-04 as a result of a vendor outreach initiative in the Auditor's office. No increase was seen in 2007-08 due to the courts transitioning to a State accounts payable system.

The number of employees receiving online earnings statements as an initiative start in January of 2005 with the goal of increasing the percentage of employees receiving them to 80%.











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Clerk-Recorder-Assessor


CLERK-RECORDER-ASSESSOR DEPARTMENTAL OVERVIEW

CLERK-RECORDER-ASSESSOR KEY TREND ANALYSIS

The divisions of the Clerk-Recorder-Assessor Department are Administration, Elections, Clerk-Recorder, Information Systems, and Assessor, with a staff equating to 109 full time equivalents, net of budgetary salary savings, providing services at three locations in south and north county.

Administration

The Administration Division is primarily responsible for budgeting, accounting, personnel and departmental management. This division coordinates the development, submittal and administration of the departmental budget, assists division managers regarding classification, recruitment, selection and appointment of new employees, and develops and maintains the department's training and orientation program for current and new employees.

Elections

The Election Division is responsible for conducting elections, designing precinct and district boundaries, identifying polling places and recruiting election officers, maintaining voter registration records, processing absentee ballot applications, and verifying petitions. The Division also manages candidate and campaign filings as well as conducting State and Federal voter outreach programs.

County Clerk Recorder

The Recorder Division is responsible for the recording and archiving of official records, maps relating to real property and vital records, the filing of fictitious business statements and notary bond applications, archiving and issuing vital records, and the processing of passport applications.

Information Systems

The Information Systems Division is responsible for providing support and visionary technical direction to all functions of the Clerk-Recorder-Assessor Department in support of each division's mission and goals.

Assessor

The Assessor Division's responsibility, utilizing information systems technology, is to identify, assess, value, and maintain assessments of all real, business, and mineral properties taxable under the authority of the State of California and to create, maintain, and disseminate cadastral (land ownership) maps that accurately describe all Assessment Roll parcels. The division defends property valuations under appeal before the Assessment Appeals Board.





The Elections Division strives to maintain or increase absentee voting at a rate equal to or higher than the previous comparable election. The number of absentee votes has increased over time as seen in the chart.

The Information Technology strives to maintain and provide system enhancements to the Assessor property tax systems. As an example, the use of the Business Property Statement E-File system developed a couple of years ago, continues to grow creating greater customer focus and operating efficiencies in the Assessor.





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Program Budgets are \$Total Uses / \$ Total General Fund Contribution Divn 03 – Clerk Recorder Divn 04 – Information Systems \$4.4M / \$822.1K \$1.6M / \$1.4M FTE: 20.0 FTE: 9.7 Division: # & Title from CCID Cost Center Report Budget/GFC from CCID (Financial Data by Cost Ctr) Sub-Divn 01: IS Development Sub-Divn 02: LAN Sub-Divn 01: Clerk Recorder Obj: Record and archive all and Maintenance Administration Obj: Provide technological Obj: Maintain the department's County official records, vital support and direction to the network connections to records, accept and file all clerk department operations in minimize the amount of filings, and performance of support of the department's unscheduled downtime of Sub-Divn: # & Name from Cost marriage services. Center Report missions and goals. servers.and systems. Descr. From CCID Inventory IS Development and Clerk Recorder LAN Administration Program: Title from CCID Maintenance Program 3000 Program 4001 Number From CCID Program 4000 \$4.4M / \$822.1K \$313.9K / \$259.4K Budget/GFC from CCID \$1.0M / \$1.0M FTE: 20.0 FTE: 2.0 (Financial Data by Prog) FTE: 6.7 FTE: CCID Ensure timely processing of Maintain and provide Resolve computer and official records by recording system enhancements to system downtimes due to and mailing documents the Assessor property tax departmental connection received within 7 business systems. problems within XX hours days of receipt of document. of problem reporting Ensure timely recordation of reconveyance documents within 2 business days of receipt of document. Ensure timely recording of title company official records by recording documents received the same business day.





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General Services Department





GENERAL SERVICES DEPARTMENTAL OVERVIEW

GENERAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT KEY TREND ANALYSIS

The mission of the General Services Department is to provide a full range of business functions, guidance, and expertise that enable county government to deliver public services effectively. General Services' Vision is to be the trusted partner of its customers-the other County departments-for providing exceptional service and innovative business solutions.

In 2008-09, the General Services Department included two primary divisions: Financial Services, Support Services with an adopted 121.14 FTEs. A fourth division, Capital Improvements, is included to provide financial information related to capital projects.

General Services utilizes Internal Service Funds (ISFs) to account for many of the business functions it provides to County departments, including:

• Utilities - within the Support Services Division, this fund accounts for Countywide management of utilities.

• Vehicle Operations and Maintenance - within the Support Services Division, this fund accounts for the maintenance, servicing, and repair of all County vehicles.

 Reprographics & Digital Services – within the Financial Services Division, this new fund accounts for Countywide offset printing, copying, bindery, and imaging services.

• Workers' Compensation Self-Insurance - within the Financial Services Division, this fund accounts for Countywide workers' compensation claims administration, including temporary and permanent disability payments, medical payments, investigative services and litigation costs. In addition, the fund accounts for the Back to Work and Countywide Safety programs.

· General Liability Self-Insurance - within the Financial Services Division, this fund accounts for the administration of Countywide general liability and automobile liability claims, plus earthquake, property. bonding and aviation insurance. In addition, the fund accounts for the County HIPAA compliance program.

• Medical Malpractice Self-Insurance - within the Financial Services Division, this fund accounts for medical malpractice insurance for the Public Health and Alcohol, Drug & Mental Health departments.

Other Countywide business functions provided include facility planning, construction, maintenance, ianitorial, energy management, and real estate services by the Support Services Division; and purchasing, surplus property and mail courier services by the Financial Services Division.

Financial Services:

The Financial Services division delivers accounting, financial analysis, budgeting and administrative services within the department. In addition, it also provides risk management services (including the selffunded workers' compensation, general liability, medical malpractice, and property insurances, plus Countywide safety, back to work, and HIPAA compliance services), purchasing, surplus property handling, mail courier and reprographic services to all County departments and their employees.

Support Services:

The Support Services division provides efficient County facility planning, design, construction, maintenance, janitorial and utility management services. Support Services also provides professional real estate services specializing in public agency acquisitions, leasing, and disposition of real property, and the acquisition, maintenance, and replacement of fleet vehicles.

Capital Improvements:

The Capital Improvements division, managed by the Support Services division, is used to account for the Santa Ynez Airport construction projects, the underground fuel tank remediation projects, and County capital projects managed by General Services.



The trend of service contracts processed through Central Purchasing has remained relatively flat even with the loss of a buyer. The service contract workload has been absorbed by less staff processing a higher workload.

The trend of after hours emergency calls for facility service has increased by 72% from 2000 through 2008. This is indicative of older facilities with higher maintenance costs than the County has available. The Deferred Maintenance program has identified \$15M in unmet facility maintenance needs throughout the County.

The average expenditure per Worker Compensation claim has increased by 21% from 2001-2002 to 2007-2008. The increase reflects increased health care costs and higher The number of Worker Compensation claims has decreased by 13% from 529 to 460 over the same period of time.

> While fleet size and fuel usage has remained relatively flat for the last eight years, the cost of fuel has increased by 161%.







Mail Center Program 1110 \$435.5K / \$261.8K FTE: 4.0

Avg. daily miles for interna mail delivery





Division: # & Title from CCID

Cost Center Report Budget/GFC from CCID

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GENERAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT



NOTE: This cost center is for fiscal tracking purposes only.



CEO/Human Resources



CEO/HUMAN RESOURCES DEPARTMENTAL OVERVIEW

CEO/HUMAN RESOURCES KEY TREND ANALYSIS

The mission of the CEO/Human Resources Department is to provide quality human resources systems, programs, and services to the Board of Supervisors, departments, employees, and applicants in support of the County's mission of providing excellent and cost effective services.

CEO/HR works to align the County's workforce and business systems with the organization's business needs. The CEO/Human Resources Department has a staff of 29.9 full-time equivalents (FTEs) and has three divisions, as described below.

Executive Management and Administration:

The Executive Management and Administration Division focuses on providing executive oversight to ensure that departmental operations remain responsive to the needs of the Board of Supervisors, the County Executive Office, County Departments, employees, employee organizations, and the public. Key responsibilities include goal alignment with Board and CEO priorities, business systems development, technology solutions, change management and workforce communication. This division also provides policy guidance and advice on personnel and organizational issues including labor relations, disciplinary actions, performance management, Civil Service Rules, and various legal mandates.

Human Capital Solutions:

The Human Capital Solutions Division is focused on providing creative and flexible solutions to assist County Management in addressing key workforce issues in a variety of areas including Employee Relations, Benefits, Classification and Compensation, and Equal Employment. This division negotiates Memorandums of Understanding (MOUs) with recognized employee organizations; administers all aspects of employee benefit programs, employee enrollment, and billing and payment to insurance carriers; administers and reviews the County's classification system in order to provide an equitable and effective classification structure that provides operational flexibility and supports the business needs of County departments; and ensures County compliance with federal, state, and local laws, ordinances, and policies related to non-discrimination, anti-harassment and retaliation.

Human Capital Strategies:

The Human Capital Strategies Division is focused on developing comprehensive strategies to assist the County in overcoming the challenges related to recruiting, retaining, and training the County workforce. This division supports County business objectives by providing County departments with qualified pools of applicants in a timely and efficient manner. Through the Employees' University (EU), this division provides training and development opportunities to the County's workforce aligned with the Board of Supervisors' strategic plan and the County's core values of Accountability, Customer Service and Efficiency.





In order to measure the County's ability to recruit and hire a well-qualified work-force, achieve a level of 90% of new hires who remain employed with the County for at least one year in accordance with the Human Capital Plan.

Note: This was a new measure in FY 2006-07.

In order to measure the County's ability to attract a well-educated and trained workforce that delivers high quality service, achieve a level of at least 50% of new hires earning a promotion at least once within three years from their date of hire in accordance with the Human Capital Plan.

Note: This was a new measure in FY 2004-05.



Maintain an average instructor effectiveness rating of 5 on a 6 point scale on 95% of surveys.

Maintain the percentage of EU survey respondents who would recommend EU classes to their colleagues at 95% of all respondents.

Increase employees' capacity to perform their jobs: demonstrated by 70% of approximately 50 Employees' University survey respondents noting that they have been able to apply at least 2 of the 3 items in the action plans they completed during the EU class they attended.

Implement three strategic alignment projects designed to increase the value of the Employees' University by aligning it with the County's strategic prior-

Information Technology Department

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INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY DEPARTMENTAL OVERVIEW

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY DEPARTMENT KEY TREND ANALYSIS

The mission of the Information Technology Department is to enable County departments to provide the best possible services to citizens through innovative IT solutions.

The Information Technology Department (IT) is organized into four divisions: Administration, Applications, Network/Communications and Technical Support. The Department has 46 fulltime-equivalent employees providing technology services countywide.

The Information Technology Department utilizes Internal Service Funds (ISFs) to account for many of the business functions it provides to County departments, including data, network, radio and telephone services.

Administration:

The Administration Services Division supports staff in achievement of the department's mission through financial planning and forecasting, budgeting and accounting, management of the department's revenue, billing and collections processes and provision of administrative services. Key initiatives in the Administrative Division include IT Governance: Determining how best to organize and leverage IT resources, fund IT initiatives and ensure the County maximizes its IT investments; and IT Employee Excellence: Developing plans and programs to recruit, train, develop and retain qualified information technology experts.

Applications:

The Applications Division is responsible for developing, supporting and managing enterprise applications in support of Countywide IT mission and goals.

• Data for Decision-Making: Making County data easily available for analysis and reporting both internally and to external customers;

• Geographic Information System (GIS) Stabilization and Expansion: Tying County data to geographic coordinates for analysis, reporting and mapping;

e-Government

• Website Enhancement: Making it easier for the public to conduct business and find information via the County's web site;

• Online Applications Deployment: Implementing applications that deliver the information and services the customer wants and making them available over the Web;

Network/Communications:

The Network/Communications Division delivers wide area and local area data networks, Internet services, telephone systems, 2-way radio and microwave communications systems, remote computing and telecommuting support.

Technical Support Division:

The Technical Support Division delivers Windows infrastructure and email services, web and SQL database hosting and network security services.





The trend of telephone repair calls for service shows a 60% decline over the last eight years due to phone upgrades and better technology.

The volume of devices supported by the IT network increased by 17% from 2004 through 2008. This trend shows an average of 1.32 devices per FTE demonstrating the use of computers beyond individuals to public terminals and hearing room facilities.



Treasurer-Tax Collector Public Administrator

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TREASURER TAX COLLECTOR PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR **GUARDIAN DEPARTMENTAL OVERVIEW**

The divisions of the Treasurer-Tax Collector-Public Administrator Department are Finance and Administration, Treasury, Property Taxes, Collections, and Public Assistance. The Treasurer-Tax Collector-Public Administrator Department has 53 positions with operations in Santa Barbara and Santa Maria, as well as satellite Veterans offices at the Calle Real complex and in Lompoc. The staff count equates to 49.5 full time equivalents, net of budgeted salary savings.

The emphasis of the Treasurer-Tax Collector-Public Administrator Department is the continuation and enhancement of the following services: investing public funds with the primary objective of preservation of principal; administering the County's debt program; administering the County's deferred compensation plan; collecting property taxes within the timeframes of the Government Code; collecting and processing payments collected on behalf of County departments, schools, and special districts; administering decedent estates and conservatorships; and administering State and Federal benefits for Veterans' programs. Within each of the basic services provided, the Treasurer-Tax Collector-Public Administrator delivers programs that specifically address the County's Strategic Plan through actions required by law or by routine business necessity.

The five divisions have the following objectives:

Finance and Administration

Provide budgetary and administrative activities, general accounting, debt administration, deferred compensation plan administration, and automation. Plan, coordinate and implement all information system applications (both hardware and software) for all divisions. Administer bonded indebtedness issued by the County or districts for the purpose of funding or refunding needed revenue, temporary borrowing, and special improvement/assessment bonds.

Treasury

Receive and steward, apply and pay out all monies belonging to the County, Schools and Special Districts, and all other monies as directed by law. Invest County, schools and special district funds not required for immediate expenditure. The investment of public funds must comply with State statutes and other legal constraints, with goals of preservation of public agency funds, protection of capital, maintenance of sufficient cash flow to meet daily warrant demands, and earning a market rate of return at minimum risk.

Property Taxes

Provide billing, collection, and maintenance of accounting records for all secured, supplemental, and unsecured property taxes levied by the taxing agencies within the County, and the collection and redemption of prior year secured delinquent taxes. Mail notices of delinquent taxes, publish Notice of Impending Default, sell delinguent property after five years at a public auction, and process tax roll corrections, cancellations and refunds. Provide assistance and response to taxpayer inquiries.

Collections

Provide for the collection of unsecured and delinguent unsecured tax payments, Public Health Department patient accounts, Probation/Court fines and restitution payments, Public Defender Legal Services accounts, Department of Social Services accounts, franchise fees, transient occupancy taxes, and miscellaneous accounts.

Public Assistance

Provide administration of State and local veterans' programs and assist veterans and their dependents in filing claims for Veterans' Administration and other federal benefits. Act as administrator/executor of a decedent's estate, as required by Court appointment, provide services for the cremation of deceased indigents, and provide case management of conservatorships as appointed by the Courts for those physically or mentally unable to provide for their own personal needs of physical health, food, clothing, or shelter, or substantially unable to manage their own financial resources, resist fraud or undue influence.

TREASURER TAX COLLECTOR PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR GUARDIAN KEY TREND ANALYSIS

assist 100% of Santa Barbara County veterans seeking Veteran's benefits per quarter. (Applies to approximately 90









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TREASURER-TAX COLLECTOR-PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR-GUARDIAN



Sub-Divn 02: Investments Obj: At a minimal risk and maintaining requisite cash iquidity, maximize the County's cash investment revenue.

> Investments Program 5200 \$227.7K / (\$106.3K) FTE: 1.0

To ensure the financial stability of the County, at a minimal risk, maximize the rate of return on invested County cash by achieving an average investment pool yield throughout the given Fiscal Year equal to, or greater than LAIF's.

Department-wide Effectiveness Performance Measure Change to Performance Measure Performance Measure to Delete New Performance Measure

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TREASURER-TAX COLLECTOR-PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR-GUARDIAN





To ensure the financial stability of the County, annually complete 100% of approximately 50 proof of claim forms prior to the federal bankruptcy court's due date



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General County Programs





GENERAL COUNTY PROGRAMS DEPARTMENTAL OVERVIEW

GENERAL COUNTY PROGRAMS KEY TREND ANALYSIS

General County Programs (GCP) contains those programs and projects which are not directly associated with one specific department. General County Programs has a staff of 31.0 full-time equivalents (FTEs) and is organized into eight divisions, as described below.

Transfers to Other Governments and Organizations:

This division is responsible for making fund transfers to the Cities of Santa Barbara, Santa Maria, and Lompoc for library services in the unincorporated County areas, the Local Agency Formation Commission (LAFCO), and the Montecito Fire District for the Westmont Housing Annexation.

Contributions to Other Funds:

This division processes monthly General Fund Contribution transfers to Public Works-Roads, Sheriff, Public Health, Department of Social Services, Alcohol, Drug and Mental Health Services (ADMHS), Courts and Debt Service.

Redevelopment Agency:

The Santa Barbara County Redevelopment Agency (RDA) manages redevelopment activities within the 423 acre Isla Vista Redevelopment Project Area. The objectives of the RDA are to eliminate blight, encourage housing rehabilitation, develop public infrastructure improvements, address parking issues, acquire environmentally sensitive property, construct a community center and increase public open space.

Special Construction Funds:

This division contains two sub-divisions (Criminal Justice Facility Construction Fund, Courthouse Construction Fund) whose purpose is to purchase, lease, construct, rehabilitate or maintain criminal justice and court facilities, and criminal justice information systems. Revenue is generated through the collection of fines, penalties and forfeitures for criminal offenses and traffic violations.

Organization Development:

The sub-divisions in this division were established to support special programs and projects directed by the Board of Supervisors that have no direct relationship to one individual department. The Countywide Performance Measures and Project Reporting projects are budgeted in this division.

Reserves and Designations:

This division documents the status of various Countywide designations (both increases and releases) and which projects are funded by the designations.

Developing Programs:

This division contains new programs to the County that are in the developing state of their life-cycle. When fully developed and stabilized, the programs may transition to a department for management. This division funds the Emergency Operations, the County of Santa Barbara TV, the Public Information Office programs and oversees the spending of the franchise grant funds for Public and Educational Access.

First 5 Children and Families Commission:

The First 5 Children and Families Commission of Santa Barbara County is committed to working with families and communities to improve the lives of young children and their families through a countywide, comprehensive, integrated and sustainable system of support and services that promotes optimal childhood development. This division is organized into seven sub-divisions with a staff of sixteen FTEs.



First 5, Early Care and Education measure:

Support approximately 275 individuals in the early care and education (ECE) workforce to continue their professional development.

Note: New measure in FY 2006-07.



Department-wide Effectiveness Performance Measure Change to Performance Measure Negative \$ or Performance Measure to Delete New Performance Measure

GENERAL COUNTY PROGRAMS

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General County Programs





