City Council

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(Total 28.5 FTE)

^{*} includes 2 FTE in City Clerk's Office

2013 Adopted Budget

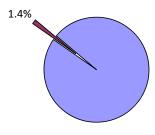
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Department Description:

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The City Clerk is responsible for maintaining and preserving the records of the City Council from 1854 to the present.

City Council's Portion of General Fund Spending



Department Facts

• Total General Fund Budget: \$3,037,495

• Total Special Fund Budget: \$0

• Total FTEs: 28.50

- \bullet There are seven part time Councilmembers representing the seven wards of the City.
- Councilmember are elected by wards to serve four year terms.
- The current term ends on December 31st, 2015.

Recent Accomplishments

- Considered approximately 2,734 legislative items as part of the weekly City Council meetings.
- Contracted with over 50 local non-profits to provide services to residents.

2013 Adopted Budget

City Council

Fiscal Summary

	2011 Actual	2012 Adopted	2013 Adopted	Change	% Change	2012 Adopted FTE	2013 Adopted FTE
Spending							
1000: General Fund	2,851,977	3,097,800	3,037,495	(60,304)	-1.9%	28.50	28.50
Financing							
1000: General Fund	196,593	483,328	367,095	(116,233)	-24.0%		

Budget Changes Summary

The Saint Paul City Council operations budget will continue to support the work of the City's Legislative body in 2013. Financing changes in 2013 include an adjustment to the funding support for Housing and Redevelopment Authority commissioners and staff. Relative to 2012 Adopted, Council operations will reduce spending through a variety of line-item spending reductions.

1000: General Fund City Council

	Change	Change from 2012 Adopted		
	<u>Spending</u>	<u>Financing</u>	<u>FTE</u>	
Current Service Level Adjustments	(21,540)	(116,233)	-	
Subtotal:	(21,540)	(116,233)		
Mayor's Proposed Changes				
Budget Reductions				
Council operations will reduce spending in several areas, including telephones, travel expenses, and salary savings.				
Spending reductions	(30,976)	-	-	
Subtotal:	(30,976)	-	-	
Adopted Changes				
Fringe Benefits				
The department realized savings in the general fund due to reduced costs for employee and retiree health insurance.				
Net change from fringe benefit savings	(7,788)	-	-	
Subtotal:	(7,788)	-	-	
Company 1000 Budget Changes Total	(60,304)	(116,233)	-	

Spending Reports

CITY OF SAINT PAUL Department Budget Summary (Spending and Financing)

Department: CITY COUNCIL

	2010 Actuals	2011 Actuals	2012 Adopted	2013 Adopted	Change From 2012 Adopted
Spending by Fund					
1000 GENERAL FUND	2,937,197	2,851,977	3,097,800	3,037,495	(60,304)
TOTAL SPENDING BY FU	ND 2,937,197	2,851,977	3,097,800	3,037,495	(60,304)
Spending by Major Account					
EMPLOYEE EXPENSE	2,697,655	2,685,853	2,821,934	2,773,130	(48,805)
SERVICES	130,359	149,609	184,455	172,955	(11,500)
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES	13,318	15,161	90,710	90,710	
TRANSFER OUT AND OTHER SPEND	95,866	1,354	700	700	
TOTAL SPENDING BY MAJOR ACCOUNT	2,937,197	2,851,977	3,097,800	3,037,495	(60,304)
Financing by Major Account					
GENERAL FUND REVENUES	288,176	196,593	483,328	367,095	(116,233)
SPECIAL FUND REVENUES					
TOTAL FINANCING BY MAJOR ACCOUN	T 288,176	196,593	483,328	367,095	(116,233)

CITY OF SAINT PAUL Spending Plan Summary

Department: CITY COUNCIL Fund: 1000 GENERAL FUND

Division: CITY CLERK

	Spending				Personnel					
								C		Change From
	2010 Actuals	2011 Actuals	2012 Adopted	2013 Adopted	2012 Adopted	2010 Actuals	2011 Actuals	2012 20 Adopted	13 Adopted	2012 Adopted
Spending by Major Account										
EMPLOYEE EXPENSE	117,110	99,497	130,706	118,975	(11,732)					
SERVICES	61,073	33,624	36,000	35,900	(100)					
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES		980	26,500	26,500						
TRANSFER OUT AND OTHER SPEND			200	200						
TOTAL FOR DIVISION	178,184	134,101	193,406	181,575	(11,832)					
Spending by Accounting Unit										
1000025 RECORDS MANAGEMENT	178,184	134,101	193,406	181,575	(11,832)		1.00	1.00	1.00	
TOTAL FOR DIVISION	178,184	134,101	193,406	181,575	(11,832)		1.00	1.00	1.00	

CITY OF SAINT PAUL Spending Plan Summary

Department: CITY COUNCIL Fund: 1000 GENERAL FUND

Division: COUNCIL ADMINISTRATION

	Spending				Personnel					
				C	hange From				С	hange From
	2010 Actuals	2011 Actuals	2012 Adopted	2013 Adopted	2012 Adopted	2010 Actuals	2011 Actuals	2012 2 Adopted	013 Adopted	2012 Adopted
Spending by Major Account										
EMPLOYEE EXPENSE	2,537,130	2,544,011	2,647,162	2,610,725	(36,438)					
SERVICES	69,204	115,903	148,373	136,973	(11,400)					
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES	13,318	14,181	64,210	64,210						
TRANSFER OUT AND OTHER SPEND		1,354	500	500						
TOTAL FOR DIVISION	2,619,651	2,675,448	2,860,245	2,812,408	(47,837)					
Spending by Accounting Unit										
1000001 CITY COUNCIL LEGISLATI	2,619,651	2,675,448	2,860,245	2,812,408	(47,837)		28.15	27.15	27.15	
TOTAL FOR DIVISION	2,619,651	2,675,448	2,860,245	2,812,408	(47,837)		28.15	27.15	27.15	

CITY OF SAINT PAUL Spending Plan Summary

Department: CITY COUNCIL Fund: 1000 GENERAL FUND

Division: **UTILITIES RATE INVESTIGATION**

_	Spending				Personnel					
	Change From							C	hange From	
	2010 Actuals	2011 Actuals	2012 Adopted	2013 Adopted	2012 Adopted	2010 Actuals	2011 Actuals	2012 Adopted	2013 Adopted	2012 Adopted
Spending by Major Account										
EMPLOYEE EXPENSE	43,414	42,346	44,066	*	(636)					
SERVICES	82	82	82	82						
TRANSFER OUT AND OTHER SPEND	95,866									
TOTAL FOR DIVISION	139,362	42,428	44,148	43,512	(636)					
Spending by Accounting Unit										
1050200 UTILITIES RATE INVEST	139,362	42,428	44,148	43,512	(636)		0.35	0.35	0.35	
TOTAL FOR DIVISION	139,362	42,428	44,148	43,512	(636)		0.35	0.35	0.35	

Financing Reports

CITY OF SAINT PAUL Financing by Company and Department

Department: CITY COUNCIL Budget Year: 2013

Company: 1000 GENERAL FUND

					Change From	
	2010	2011	2012	2013	2012	
	Actuals	Actuals	Adopted	Adopted	Adopted	
Account Description						
FILING FEE FOR VACATION OF RE	900	1,400				
REGULATORY FEES HISTORY	85,933	87,765	85,540	85,540		
APPLICATION FEE	19,775	21,775	14,000	14,000		
MISCELLANEOUS FEES	680	1,300				
COPIES	144	32				
TRANSFER FR SPECIAL REVENUE FU	180,188	84,322	383,788	267,555	(116,233)	
OUTSIDE CONTRIBUTION DONATIONS	455					
REFUNDS OVERPAYMENTS	75					
SUBPOENA WITNESS	26					
R 1000 GENERAL FUND	288,176	196,593	483,328	367,095	(116,233)	
	200 476	106 502	483 338	267.005	(116,233)	
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City of Saint Paul Financing Plan by Department

Department: CITY COUNCIL

Company: 1000 GENERAL FUND

		2010	2011	2012	2013	Change From 2012
Account	Account Description	Actuals	Actuals	Adopted	Adopted	Adopted
1000001	CITY COUNCIL LEGISLATIVE	19,789	21,775	14,000	14,000	
1000025	RECORDS MANAGEMENT	1,710	2,732			
1050200	UTILITIES RATE INVEST ADMIN	85,933	87,765	85,540	85,540	
TOTAL FOR	R FEES SALES AND SERVICES	107,432	112,271	99,540	99,540	
1000001	CITY COUNCIL LEGISLATIVE	180,718	84,322	383,788	267,555	(116,233)
1000025	RECORDS MANAGEMENT	26				
TOTAL FOR	R TRANSFERS IN OTHER FINANCING	180,744	84,322	383,788	267,555	(116,233)
TOTAL FO	DR 1000 GENERAL FUND	288,176	196,593	483,328	367,095	(116,233)