CITY OF APPLETON 2023 BUDGET
INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
Information Technology Director: Corey J. Popp

MISSION STATEMENT

The Information Technology Department serves to provide all City departments with reliable, timely and accurate computer applications, as well as planning and implementation of technology related hardware and services that are both cost-effective and responsive to departmental needs.

DISCUSSION OF SIGNIFICANT 2022 EVENTS

The Information Technology staff continued to support the City's departments, staff, and citizens' increasing dependence on reliable IT services through a focus on shoring up staff, processes, and network security. Some examples of accomplishments in 2022 are:

Strategy

- Began reorganizing the IT Department around a global standard for IT service offerings called the Information Technology Infrastructure Library framework (ITIL).
- Contracted with a vendor for a 4-part security and network infrastructure assessment.
- Renamed the Network and Mainframe IT divisions to Operations and Development respectively on the department Table of Organization.

Design

- An IT Service Catalog was compiled. The catalog documents IT services the department provides to City of Appleton staff and citizens.
- An inventory of physical and virtual servers and their purposes was documented.
- Following best-practice assessments, new and more secure configuration policies have been applied to the City's firewall, email protection system, and Al incident-response systems.
- Managed endpoint detection and response (EDR) software now secures the City's computers.
- Security access controls were implemented on desktop and laptop computers.
- · Multi-factor Authentication (MFA) was implemented on the City's email system and remote-access VPN.
- The Software Engineer role was moved from the IT Operations division to the Development division.

Operations

- New help desk software went live in January 2022. The multi-channel system facilitates ticket creation by way of emails, Intranet, telephone, walk-ups, and chat.
- The help desk software automatically routes tickets for user-security updates and request fulfillment to appropriate IT staff.
- Electronic event monitoring now automatically opens help desk tickets for urgent events captured by system logs.
- Three staff positions turned over in Operations. Two of those positions have been filled and the third is expected to be filled by the end of 2022.
- An administrative assistant position was added. It is shared between Information Technology (0.2 FTE) and Human Resources (0.8 FTE).

Continual Service Improvement

- Helpdesk ticket processing is now a Key Performance Indicator (KPI).
- 3,009 help desk tickets were created from January 1 to June 30.
- 2,942 help desk tickets were resolved in the same timeframe.

MAJOR 2023 OBJECTIVES

Strategy

- Expand the ITIL framework to include the Service Transition phase, as well as define additional processes under existing phases.
- Continue to reorganize the budget with careful recategorization and tracking of IT expenses.
- Transition from a capital expenditure (CapEx) spending model to an operating expense (OpEx) spending model.
- · Hire a Deputy Director to assist with project coordination, help desk oversight, and staff management.

Design

- Continue the conversion of applications from the iSeries mainframe to the ERP system.
- Redesign and relaunch the City website as appleton.gov.
- Contract with an IT supplier to support custom applications and interfaces.
- Contract with an IT supplier to establish expertly managed network and data-center services.
- · Seek opportunities to convert in-house application hosting to SaaS, managed services, or cloud hosting.
- Continue to implement automation opportunities that utilize managed services and/or AI to respond in real time to security incidents.

Transition

- Implement the Change Management process.
- Implement the Release & Deployment process.

Operations

• Continue to ensure that IT services are delivered effectively and efficiently by fulfilling user requests, resolving service failures, fixing problems, and carrying out routine operational tasks.

Continual Service Improvement

- Add an "actual vs budget" KPI to the IT Dashboard.
- · Continue to identify additional KPIs for display on the IT Dashboard.

DEPARTMENT BUDGET SUMMARY											
	Programs			%							
Unit	Title	2020	2021		Adopted 2022	2 Aı	mended 2022		2023	Change *	
Pr	ogram Revenues	\$ -	\$	-	\$ -	\$	-	\$	-	N/A	
Pr	ogram Expenses										
13010	Administration	181,167	131,1	58	209,606		209,606		370,452	76.74%	
13020	Development	275,101	278,0	01	380,593		380,593		560,845	47.36%	
13030	Network	1,556,703	1,717,7	20	1,678,506		1,696,506		1,758,843	4.79%	
	TOTAL	\$ 2,012,971	\$ 2,126,8	79	\$ 2,268,705	Τ\$	2,286,705	\$	2,690,140	18.58%	
Expense	es Comprised Of:										
Personn	el	952,841	969,0	80	1,087,861		1,087,861		1,097,125	0.85%	
Training	& Travel	19,253	21,6	48	31,780		31,780		32,596	2.57%	
Supplies	& Materials	161,310	133,8	10	169,700		169,700		139,250	-17.94%	
Purchas	ed Services	879,567	1,002,4	13	979,364		997,364		1,421,169	45.11%	
Full Tim	e Equivalent Staff:									·	
Personn	el allocated to programs	11.00	10	.00	10.00		10.00		10.00		

Administration Business Unit 13010

PROGRAM MISSION

To ensure that staff within the Information Technology Department can perform their duties in an effective manner while working in a pleasing and comfortable atmostphere. We will provide necessary tools, equipment, training and support to promote a healthy work environment that encourages customer support and personal development.

PROGRAM NARRATIVE

Link to City Goals:

Implements Key Strategies # 1: "Responsibly deliver excellent services", # 2: "Encourage active community participation and involvement", # 3: "Recognize and grow everyone's talents", # 4: "Continuously assess trends affecting the community and proactively respond", # 6: "Create opportunities and learn from successes and failures" and # 7: "Communicate our success through stories and testimonials".

Objectives:

Hire a Deputy Director of Information Technology.

Provide training resources to maintain, enhance and develop skills for efficient job performance and personal development of staff.

Provide workspace, parking and supplies to create a comfortable working environment that meets safety and environmental needs.

Major changes in Revenue, Expenditures, or Programs:

The increase in salaries and fringe is partially due to the addition of an administrative assistant position that is shared with Human Resources.

The decrease in Other Contract/Obligations reflects costs that are being moved to business unit 13030.

Administration Business Unit 13010

PROGRAM BUDGET SUMMARY

	Actual				Budget						
Description	Description 202		2021		A	Adopted 2022		mended 2022		2023	
Expenses											
610100 Regular Salaries	\$	114.397	\$	72.965	9	120.973	\$	120.973	\$	253,282	
615000 Fringes	Ψ	32.940	Ψ	17.064	4	37.153	Ψ	37.153	Ψ	77.324	
620100 Training/Conferences		13,286		16,248		28,000		28,000		28,000	
620200 Mileage Reimbursement		_		1,620		-		-		720	
620600 Parking Permits		3,780		3,780		3,780		3,780		3,876	
630100 Office Supplies		953		707		1,000		1,000		1,000	
630300 Memberships & Licenses		50		50		-		-		50	
630500 Awards & Recognition		250		_		200		200		200	
632001 City Copy Charges		1,271		1,516		1,500		1,500		1,500	
632700 Miscellaneous Equipment		2,378		2,170		1,000		1,000		1,000	
641300 Utilities		3,092		2,996		5,000		5,000		3,500	
659900 Other Contracts/Obligation		8,770		12,042		11,000		11,000		-	
Total Expense	\$	181,167	\$	131,158	9	209,606	\$	209,606	\$	370,452	

DETAILED SUMMARY OF 2023 PROPOSED EXPENDITURES > \$15,000

Training/Conferences	
Microsoft systems	\$ 5,000
Virtual systems	7,000
Network training	8,000
Certification training	4,000
Project & service management	 4,000
	\$ 28,000

Development Business Unit 13020

PROGRAM MISSION

To ensure that all ERP users can collect, process and manage needed information and communicate more effectively, we will assist with the analysis, development, testing and implementation of new and upgraded automated systems, as well as maintain the availability and reliability of the ERP and related systems.

PROGRAM NARRATIVE

Link to City Goals:

Implements Key Strategies # 1: "Responsibly deliver excellent services", # 2: "Encourage active community participation and involvement", # 4: "Continuously assess trends affecting the community and proactively respond", and # 6: "Create opportunities and learn from successes and failures".

Objectives:

Implement Utility Billing on the enterprise resource planning (ERP) system

Move the ERP from in-house servers to SaaS (Software as a Service)

Develop a new City website

Continue support of the legacy iSeries platform

Major changes in Revenue, Expenditures, or Programs:

The increased software support reflects ERP costs being moved from business unit 13030 to 13020 and the additional annual recurring costs required to move the ERP system from in-house to SaaS.

The decrease in Salaries and Fringes reflects the elimination of the vacant Software Engineer FTE. Due to this elimination, Consulting Services increased for the estimated outsourcing costs for support of custom applications and interfaces to a third party.

Development Business Unit 13020

PROGRAM BUDGET SUMMARY

		Act		Budget						
Description		2020		2021	Α	Adopted 2022		ended 2022		2023
Expenses										
610100 Regular Salaries	\$	195,970	\$	180,431	\$	264,407	\$	264,407	\$	173,304
610400 Call Time Wages		707		779		1,970		1,970		2,043
610800 Part-Time Wages		_		20,956		-		-		-
615000 Fringes		58,545		64,464		96,216		96,216		60,523
632700 Miscellaneous Equipment		308		-		-		-		-
640400 Consulting Services		_		-		-		-		12,000
641800 Equip. Repairs & Maint.		6,811		6,810		7,000		7,000		7,000
642400 Software Support		12,760		4,561		11,000		11,000		305,975
Total Expense	\$	275,101	\$	278,001	\$	380,593	\$	380,593	\$	560,845

DETAILED SUMMARY OF 2023 PROPOSED EXPENDITURES > \$15,000

Software Support	
Tyler ERP SaaS	\$ 262,775
Website development and licensing	24,000
Internet domain registrations/SSL certs	2,000
EliteForms	2,000
HelpSystems	8,000
Prodata DBU Maint	500
Cobol	500
Website accessibility software	4,000
Apex Dev software	2,200
·	\$ 305,975

Operations Business Unit 13030

PROGRAM MISSION

To ensure that users of City network data and communication systems can continue to perform automated functions in an effective manner, we will maintain the availability and reliability of such systems and correct any operational problems, as well as provide appropriate upgrades and development of new systems as needed.

PROGRAM NARRATIVE

Link to City Goals:

Implements Key Strategies # 1: "Responsibly deliver excellent services", # 2: "Encourage active community participation and involvement", # 4: "Continuously assess trends affecting the community and proactively respond", and # 6: "Create opportunities and learn from successes and failures".

Objectives:

Reduce dependency on the City Hall data center and IT staff by seeking opportunities to convert in-house hosted IT services to SaaS (Software-as-a-Service) cloud offerings.

Increase reliability of IT services by contracting with third parties to provide network and data-center managed services.

Continue to recategorize and align software support, network security, and maintenance budgets to provide a more accurate reflection of IT costs and descriptions.

Major changes in Revenue, Expenditures, or Programs:

The Software Support budget related to the ERP was moved to business unit 13020.

The increase in Netmotion costs reflect moving the mission-critical mobile VPN to a SaaS solution.

Actual costs have exceeded budgeted costs in several categories for one or two years. Budgeted costs were adjusted to reflect actual costs across all categories, and more detailed descriptions of those items have been added.

Operations Business Unit 13030

PROGRAM BUDGET SUMMARY

	Actual			Budget						
Description		2020		2021		Adopted 2022		ended 2022		2023
Expenses										
610100 Regular Salaries	\$	403,510	\$	444,527	\$	402,167	\$	402,167	\$	378,691
610400 Call Time Wages		3,739		4,544		4,011		4,011		3,777
610500 Overtime Wages		2,708		4,177		2,099		2,099		1,931
615000 Fringes		140,323		159,100		158,865		158,865		146,250
620100 Training/Conferences		2,187		-		-		-		-
630100 Office Supplies		5,549		8,692		20,000		20,000		9,500
632700 Miscellaneous Equipment		150,551		120,674		146,000		146,000		126,000
640400 Consulting Services		93,900		52,211		70,250		88,250		35,000
641307 Telephone		2,271		2,288		1,750		1,750		1,750
641800 Equipment Repairs & Maint.		45,853		31,560		43,594		43,594		114,300
641900 Communication Eq. Repairs		27,676		13,503		30,000		30,000		42,000
642400 Software Support		678,436		757,506		659,120		659,120		730,394
642600 Network Security Support		_		118,938		140,650		140,650		169,250
Total Expense	\$	1,556,703	\$	1,717,720	\$	1,678,506	\$	1,696,506	\$	1,758,843

DETAILED SUMMARY OF 2023 PROPOSED EXPENDITURES > \$15,000

Miscellaneous Equipment	•	00.000	Software Support	•	444.000
Upgrade PCs and laptops	\$	83,000	Microsoft agreement	\$	144,000
Upgrade MDCs		30,000	Axon Evidence		90,000
Misc. network hardware		13,000	Outagamie County (Spillman)		70,000
:	\$	126,000	ArcGIS ESRI		57,000
Compositions			Mitel VoIP support		44,000
Consulting Talanhana avatam as noviting	φ	10.000	Azure		36,000
Telephone system consulting	\$	18,000	Autodesk (DLT) NEOGOV		28,000
Network consulting	_	17,000	-		24,000
:	\$	35,000	Doc management (Metafile)		22,000
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Equip. Repairs & Maint.	φ	26 000	ImageTrend (Fire RMS)		
Wireless Licensing	\$	26,000 13,300	Velocity Target Solutions/Crewsense		22,000 20,000
Core switch support Data-center managed services		37,500	Adobe Creative Suite		20,000 16,000
Network managed services		37,500	Facilicad/Identicard		13,294
Network managed services	\$	114,300	Vision Internet		10,000
	Ψ	114,300	ArchiveSocial		10,000
Communication Equip. Repair			Virtualization software		10,000
Pro-rata share of fiber network costs	\$	30,000	Virtualization software Vermont Sys (RecTrac)		6,100
WiscNet Internet Service	Ψ	12,000	Cycom CityLaw		11,400
Wischer internet service	\$	42,000	OnceHub		5,000
:	Ψ	42,000	Miscellaneous software		5,000
			ID networks (PD)		4,300
Network Security Support			PDQ/Dell Inventory software		4,300
EDR/NGAV Managed Service (Sophos)	\$	45,700	Modeco Timescape		4,000
Phishing Security SaaS (KnowBe4)	Ψ	10.000	Granicus govAccess		3.400
Firewall security monitoring (Nexum)		16,350	Video conferencing (Zoom)		3,000
Spam/Phishing filtering (Barracuda)		49,000	Farozone diagram software		2,600
Patching notification (Tenable)		5,200	GlobalTraffic Opticom		2,200
Mobile VPN (NetMotion)		28,000	CradlePoint (AFD)		2,200
Network penetration testing		15,000	Porter_Lee Beast evidence		2,200
	\$	169,250			2,200
			Carahsoft OpenRoads		2,000
			Inframanage		2,000
			Mitchell (Shopkey)		1,800
			Win-Wam (Health W&M)		1,800
			Helpdesk		1,700
			Forensic software (PD)		1,600
			Novatime (Transit)	\$	1,300 730,394
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	2020 ACTUAL	2021 ACTUAL	2022 YTD ACTUAL	2022 ORIG BUD	2022 REVISED BUD	2023 BUDGET
Salaries						
610100 Regular Salaries	648.171	602.603	202,124	787.547	787.547	805.277
610400 Call Time Wages	4,446	5,323	1.658	5,981	5,981	5,820
610500 Overtime Wages	2,708	4,177	738	2,099	2,099	1,931
610800 Part-Time Wages	_,. 00	20,956	12,520	_,000	_,000	
611400 Sick Pay	594	,	17,724	-	=	_
611500 Vacation Pay	65,113	95,323	21,922	-	-	-
615000 Fringes	231,809	240,626	82,860	292,234	292,234	284,097
TOTAL PERSONNEL	952,841	969,008	339,546	1,087,861	1,087,861	1,097,125
Training~Travel						
620100 Training/Conferences	15,473	16,248	-	28,000	28,000	28,000
620200 Mileage Reimbursement	-	1,620	360	-	=	720
620600 Parking Permits	3,780	3,780	3,780	3,780	3,780	3,876
TOTAL TRAINING / TRAVEL	19,253	21,648	4,140	31,780	31,780	32,596
Supplies						
630100 Office Supplies	6,502	9,400	2,430	21,000	21,000	10,500
630300 Memberships & Licenses	50	50	50	-	-	50
630500 Awards & Recognition	250	-	-	200	200	200
632001 City Copy Charges	1,271	1,516	348	1,500	1,500	1,500
632700 Miscellaneous Equipment	153,237	122,844	11,964	147,000	147,000	127,000
TOTAL SUPPLIES	161,310	133,810	14,792	169,700	169,700	139,250
Purchased Services						
640400 Consulting Services	93,900	52,211	63,899	70,250	88,250	47,000
641307 Telephone	3,235	3,317	1,377	1,750	1,750	1,750
641308 Cellular Phones	768	882	960	5,000	5,000	3,500
641309 Cable Services	1,359	1,084	-	-	-	-
641800 Equipment Repairs & Maint.	52,663	38,370	228	50,594	50,594	121,300
641900 Communication Eq. Repairs	27,676	13,503	285	30,000	30,000	42,000
642400 Software Support	691,196	762,066	248,837	670,120	670,120	1,036,369
642600 Network Security Support		118,938	16,494	140,650	140,650	169,250
659900 Other Contracts/Obligation	8,770	12,042	437	11,000	11,000	<u> </u>
TOTAL PURCHASED SVCS	879,567	1,002,413	332,517	979,364	997,364	1,421,169
TOTAL EXPENSE	2,012,971	2,126,879	690,995	2,268,705	2,286,705	2,690,140