# **MUNICIPAL ATTORNEY**



### 2005 Resource Plan

### Department: Municipal Attorney

	Financial .	Personnel Summary									
	2004	2005		2004	Revis	ed		2	005	Approve	ed
Division	Revised	Approved	FT	FT PT		ρТ	otal	FT	PT	Temp	Total
Civil	1,226,640	1,260,750	13				13	13			13
Criminal	2,889,820	3,031,400	38				38	38			38
Hearing Officer	153,460	153,010	2				2	2			2
Administration	229,270	234,220	2				2	2			2
Operating Cost	4,499,190	4,679,380	55	C	)	0	55	55	C	) (	55
Add Debt Service	0	0									
<b>Direct Organization Cost</b>	4,499,190	4,679,380									
Charges From/(To) Others, excluding charges from overhead units	(3,652,390)	(3,869,380)									
<b>Function Cost</b>	846,800	810,000									
Less Program Revenues	(845,680)	(810,000)									
Net Program Cost	1,120	0									
Grant Resources (scheduled on last pages of this section)	50,000	0	1				1				0

### 2005 Resource Costs by Category

Division	Personal Services	Supplies	Other Services *	Capital Outlay	Total Direct Cost
Civil	1,174,520	13,830	80,780		1,269,130
Criminal	2,767,710	13,590	364,590		3,145,890
Hearing Officer	153,010	0	0		153,010
Administration	207,940	2,230	24,050		234,220
Operating Cost	4,303,180	29,650	469,420	0	4,802,250
Less Vacancy Factor Add Debt Service	(122,870)				(122,870) 0
Total Direct Organization Cost	4,180,310	29,650	469,420	0	4,679,380

<sup>\*</sup> Travel budgeted by this department within the Other Services category is \$5,000

### RECONCILIATION FROM 2004 REVISED BUDGET TO 2005 APPROVED BUDGET

DEPARTMENT: MU	NICIPAL	ATTORNEY
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	DIRECT COS		PO	POSITIONS	
			FT	PT	T
2004 REVISED BUDGET:	\$	4,499,190	55		
2004 ONE-TIME REQUIREMENTS: - None					
TRANSFERS (TO)/FROM OTHER AGENCIES: - None					
DEBT SERVICE CHANGES:					
CHANGES IN EXISTING PROGRAMS FOR 2005: - Salaries and benefits adjustment		257,260			
CONTINUATION LEVEL FOR 2005:	\$	4,756,450	55	0	0
TRANSFERS (TO)/FROM OTHER AGENCIES: - None					
2005 PROGRAMMATIC CHANGES:					
<ul><li>Procurement savings</li><li>Health care savings</li></ul>		(8,960) (56,640)			
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2005 PROPOSED BUDGET:	\$	4,690,850	55	0	0
<ul><li>2005 AMENDMENTS:</li><li>Adjust vacancy factor to align with vacancy methodology</li></ul>		(11,470)			
2005 APPROVED BUDGET:	\$	4,679,380	55	<del></del>	0

### RECONCILIATION FROM 2004 REVISED BUDGET TO 2005 APPROVED BUDGET

### **DEPARTMENT: MUNICIPAL ATTORNEY**

	REVENUES
2004 REVISED BUDGET:	\$ 845,680
CHANGES: - Pre-trial diversion revenues adjusted to actual	95,000
The that diversion revenues adjusted to detail	33,000
<ul> <li>Decrease in DWI court filing fee revenues due to projected lower number of cases</li> </ul>	(78,180)
<ul> <li>Delete fees and fines revenues associated with the Domestic Violence Monitoring Program due to elimination of grant funded position</li> </ul>	(62,500)
2005 PROPOSED BUDGET:	\$ 800,000
<ul> <li>2005 AMENDMENTS:</li> <li>Add new late charge for Administrative Hearings Officer fines imposed and not paid timely</li> </ul>	10,000
2005 APPROVED BUDGET:	\$ 810,000

DEPARTMENT: MUNICIPAL ATTORNEY DIVISION: CIVIL

PROGRAM: Civil Law

#### PURPOSE:

Provide legal counsel, support, and advice on specific legislation, the Municipal Code, Charter, and legislative procedures, responsibilities and authority of the Municipality and its executive, legislative, education and quasi-judicial functions.

#### 2004 PERFORMANCES:

- Retained in-house litigation expertise in the areas of risk management, land use, constitutional law, public safety civil liability, employment and labor law, public utility, real estate, and business law.
- Continued aggressive adjudication efforts with regard to enforcement of the impound/forfeiture ordinance (DUI, DWLS, DWOI, solicitation of prostitution).
- Performed a variety of general advisory and consultation services in direct support of all Municipal agencies and utility functions.
- Continued ongoing efforts to reduce costs of outside litigation.
- Provided support for 2004 legislative efforts and assisted in formulating 2005 legislative package.

#### 2005 PERFORMANCE OBJECTIVES:

- Retain in-house litigation expertise in the areas of risk management, land use, constitutional law, public safety civil liability, employment and labor law, public utility law, real estate, and business law.
- Continue aggressive adjudication efforts with regard to enforcement of the vehicle impound/forfeiture ordinance.
- Perform a variety of general advisory and consultation services in direct support of all Municipal agencies and enterprise functions.
- Continue ongoing efforts to reduce costs of outside litigation.
- Provide support for 2005 legislative efforts and assist in formulating 2006 legislative package as requested.

DEPARTMENT: MUNICIPAL ATTORNEY DIVISION: CIVIL

PROGRAM: Civil Law

RESOURCES:

		200	03 REVI	SED	200	4 REV	ISED	2005 BUDGET			
		FT	PT	Т	FT	PT	Т	FT	PT	Т	
PERSONNEL:		15	0	0	13	0	0	13	0	0	
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TOTAL DIRE	CT COST:	\$	1,254,	442	\$	1,226	,640	\$	1,260	,750	
PROGRAM RE	VENUES:	\$	35,	143	\$		0	\$		0	
WORK MEASURES:											
- Total matt	ers			858			900			850	
- Matters co lit/nonlit	=			539			400			450	
- Total atto	rneys			10			9			9	
- Productivi billed tim	ty ne (percent)			76			78			80	
- Attorney t (percent)	urnover			30			11			10	

<sup>5</sup> SERVICE LEVELS ARE FUNDED FOR THE DEPARTMENT. THIS PROGRAM HAS LEVELS:  $2\,,\quad 3$ 

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DEPARTMENT: MUNICIPAL ATTORNEY DIVISION: LAW ADMIN

PROGRAM: Administration

#### PURPOSE:

Chief legal counsel to the MOA including the Mayor, the Assembly, and all executive, legislative, departments, agencies, boards, and commissions. Supervise and control all civil and criminal legal services performed by department and contract counsel for MOA.

#### 2004 PERFORMANCES:

- Restructured department for efficiency and effective representation.
- Performed mandated executive support functions and served as principal legal advisor to the Mayor and Municipal Assembly & all depts & agencies.
- Performed centralized financial management, procurement, client billing, and other department-wide administrative support functions.
- Provided IT coordination and function as control point for information technology problems and planning for the department.
- Approved and supervised all legal service contracts.
- Assisted client agencies in preparation and processing of requests for Assembly action.
- Provided support for 2004 legislative efforts and assisted in formulating 2005 legislative package.

#### 2005 PERFORMANCE OBJECTIVES:

- Continue departmental restructing for efficiency and effective representation and increase utilization of computer functions.
- Perform mandated executive support functions and serve as principal legal advisor to the Mayor and Municipal Assembly.
- Perform centralized financial management, procurement, client billing, and other department-wide administrative support functions.
- Provide IT coordination and function as control point for information technology problems and planning for the department.
- Approve and supervise all legal service contracts.
- Assist client agencies in preparation and processing of requests for Assembly action.
- Provide support for 2005 legislative efforts and assist in formulating 2006 legislative package as requested.

DEPARTMENT: MUNICIPAL ATTORNEY DIVISION: LAW ADMIN

PROGRAM: Administration

RESOURCES:

RESOURCES.								
	2003	REVI	SED	2004	REV]	ISED	2005	BUDGET
	FT	PT	T	FT	PT	T	FT	PT T
PERSONNEL:	3	0	0	2	0	0	2	0 0
PERSONAL SERVICES	\$	201,	855	\$	201,	,430	\$	207,940
SUPPLIES		5,	409		2,	,230		2,230
OTHER SERVICES		22,	804		25,	610		24,050
CAPITAL OUTLAY			560			0		0
TOTAL DIRECT COST:	\$	230,	628	\$	229	,270	\$	234,220
WORK MEASURES:								
- Matters monitored			858			900		850
- AM's reviewed		1,	010			960		950
- AO's reviewed			169			200		180
- Contracts overseen			27			26		25

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DEPARTMENT: MUNICIPAL ATTORNEY DIVISION: CRIMINAL

PROGRAM: Criminal

#### PURPOSE:

Prosecute misdemeanor and traffic offenses under the Anchorage Municipal Code. Effective prosecution includes aiding the police investigation; evaluating and filing charges; conducting criminal trials; enforcing conditions of probation; writing motions and appeals; and assisting victims.

#### 2004 PERFORMANCES:

- Provided aggressive prosecution of misdemeanor & traffic offenses committed within the Anchorage Metropolitan Police Service Area.
- Continued aggressive community DUI, DV and other outreach programs.
- Continued to maximize pretrial diversion alternatives.
- Implemented comprehensive in-house trial training for newly hired Assistant Prosecutors.

#### 2005 PERFORMANCE OBJECTIVES:

- Provide aggressive prosecution of misdemeanor and traffic offenses committed within the Anchorage Metropolitan Police Service Area.
- Continue aggressive community DUI, DV & other outreach programs.
- Continue to maximize pretrial diversion alternatives.
- Provide comprehensive in-house trial training for newly hired Assistant Prosecutors.

#### RESOURCES:

		2003	REVIS	SED	200	)4 REV	ISED	200	15 BU	JDGET
		FT	PT	Т	FT	PT	T	FT	PT	Т
	PERSONNEL:	34	0	0	38	0	0	38	0	0
	PERSONAL SERVICES	\$ 2	,086,2	261	\$	2,508	,000	\$	2,653	3,220
	SUPPLIES		18,1	.14		14	,590		13	,590
	OTHER SERVICES		254,4	142		367	,230		364	1,590
	CAPITAL OUTLAY		6,8	322			0			0
	TOTAL DIRECT COST:	\$ 2	,365,6	39	\$	2,889	,820	\$	3,031	,400
	PROGRAM REVENUES:	\$	381,0	144	\$	845	,680	\$	800	,000
WORK	MEASURES:									
_	Total cases		10,1	.50		9	,500		10	,000
_	Total attorneys			13			15			15
-	Attorney turnover (percent)			15			13			10
-	Impound/forfeiture total files		5,2	217		5	,100		5	5,000
-	Pre trial diversion total files		2,2	200		4	,000		4	1,300

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DEPARTMENT: MUNICIPAL ATTORNEY DIVISION: HEARING OFFICER

PROGRAM: Administrative Hearing Functions

#### PURPOSE:

Provide for the initial adjudication of Municipal Code violations utilizing an administrative hearing officer in lieu of securing redress through State court proceedings.

#### 2004 PERFORMANCES:

- Provided Administrative Hearing Officer for adjudication of complaints filed under AMC Title 14, Anchorage Transportation Commission appeals, Department of Finance appeals, curfew, possession of tobacco products, other Title 8 violations, pawnshop disputes, matters by the Municipal Clerk's Office, and animal control.

#### 2005 PERFORMANCE OBJECTIVES:

- Provide Administrative Hearing Officer for adjudication of complaints filed under AMC Title 14, Anchorage Transportation Commission appeals, Department of Finance appeals, curfew, possession of tobacco products, and other Title 8 violations, pawnshop disputes, matters referred by the Municipal Clerk's Office, and animal control.

#### RESOURCES:

2003	2003 REVISED		2004 REVISED			2005 BUD		OGET
FT	PT	T	FT	PT	T	FT	PT	T
2	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	0
\$	141	,107	\$	153	,460	\$	153	,010
\$	141	,107	\$	153	,460	\$	153	,010
\$		0	\$		0	\$	10	,000
		464			270			300
	120	,000		115	,000		120	,000
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DEPT: 06 -MUNICIPAL ATTORNEY

DEPT BUDGET UNIT/ SL SVC RANK PROGRAM CODE LVL

1 1154-LAW ADMIN 0372-Administration

SOURCE OF FUNDS, THIS SVC LEVEL:

IGC SUPPORT

CB 1 Chief legal counsel to the MOA including

OF the Mayor, the Assembly, and all
executive, legislative, departments,
agencies, boards and commissions.
Supervise and control all civil and
criminal legal services performed by the
department and contract counsel for the
MOA. Administer the department's
financial procurement, billings,
contracts, and personnel budgets.

PER	SONNE	EL .	PERSONAL		OTHER	DEBT	CAPITAL	
FT	PT	T	SERVICE	SUPPLIES	SERVICES	SERVICE	OUTLAY	TOTAL
2	0	0	207,940	2,230	24,050	0	0	234,220

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2 1151-CIVIL 0146-Civil Law SOURCE OF FUNDS, THIS SVC LEVEL:

IGC SUPPORT

1 Provide legal counsel, support and
OF advice on specific legislation, the
2 Municipal Code, Charter, and legislative
procedures, responsibilities and
authority of the Municipality and its
executive, legislative, education and
quasi-judicial functions. Legal representation in litigation. Draft
legislation and regulations.

PEF	RSONNE	ΞL	PERSONAL		OTHER	DEBT	CAPITAL	
FT	PT	Т	SERVICE	SUPPLIES	SERVICES	SERVICE	OUTLAY	TOTAL
6	0	0	533,550	7,415	80,780	0	0	621,745

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3 1151-CIVIL 0146-Civil Law SOURCE OF FUNDS, THIS SVC LEVEL:

IGC SUPPORT

2 Analyze and assess merit of liability
OF claims against the Municipality and de2 termine available defenses; provide and
supervise in-house or contract counsel
for litigation defense; provide legal
support/advice to Risk Management
and General Liability Self-Insurance
Fund; analyze and assess the merits of
and prosecute liability, counter and
cross claims of the Municipality.

PERSONNEL		EL	PERSONAL		OTHER	DEBT	CAPITAL		
FT	PT	Т	SERVICE	SUPPLIES	SERVICES	SERVICE	OUTLAY	TOTAL	
7	0	0	632,590	6,415	0	0	0	639,005	

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DEPT: 06 -MUNICIPAL ATTORNEY

BUDGET UNIT/ SVC ST DEPT CODE LVL RANK PROGRAM

4 1152-CRIMINAL CB 1 Prosecute misdemeanor domestic violence 0643-Criminal

SOURCE OF FUNDS, THIS SVC LEVEL:

TAX SUPPORT

IGC SUPPORT

PROGRAM REVENUES 800,000

OF assault, stalking and child abuse under 1 AMC Title 8 committed within MOA. Handle

DWI, DWLS, DWLR, DWOI and impounds, pretrial diversion, traffic offenses and

misdemeanor charges.

PERSONNEL		SONNEL PERSONAL			OTHER	DEBT	CAPITAL		
FT	PT	T	SERVICE	SUPPLIES	SERVICES	SERVICE	OUTLAY	TOTAL	
38	0	0	2,653,220	13,590	364,590	0	0	3,031,400	

5 1153-HEARING OFFICER 0889-Administrative Hearing Fu SOURCE OF FUNDS, THIS SVC LEVEL:

IGC SUPPORT

1 Provide Administrative Hearing Officer OF and staff for the adjudication and  $\,$ 1 resolution of civil violations of the Anchorage Municipal Code in lieu of State court actions, including enforcement of land use, animal, health and other Municipal rules, regulations and requirements.

PERSONNEL		ΞL	PERSONAL		OTHER	DEBT	CAPITAL		
FT	PT	Т	SERVICE	SUPPLIES	SERVICES	SERVICE	OUTLAY	TOTAL	
2	0	0	153,010	0	0	0	0	153,010	

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SUBTOTAL OF FUNDED SERVICE LEVELS, MUNICIPAL ATTORNEY

	CAPITAL	DEBT	OTHER		PERSONAL	EL	RSONNI	PEI
TOTAL	OUTLAY	SERVICE	SERVICES	SUPPLIES	SERVICE	T	PT	FT
4,679,380	0	0	469,420	29,650	4,180,310	0	0	55
		FUNDING LINE	ORNEY	MUNICIPAL ATT	PARTMENT OF	- DEE		
4,679,3								

TOTALS FOR DEPARTMENT OF MUNICIPAL ATTORNEY , FUNDED AND UNFUNDED . . . . . .

PERSONNEL		EL	PERSONAL		OTHER	DEBT	CAPITAL	
FT	PT	Т	SERVICE	SUPPLIES	SERVICES	SERVICE	OUTLAY	TOTAL
55	0	0	4,180,310	29,650	469,420	0	0	4,679,380