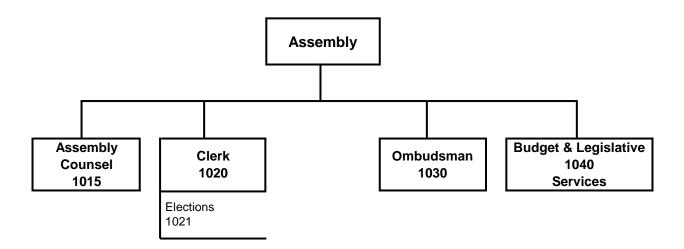
# **ASSEMBLY**



# 2005 Resource Plan

# Department: Assembly

	Financial .	Personnel Summary									
	2004	2005		2004	Revised	1	2005 Proposed				
Division	Revised	Proposed	FT	PT	Temp	Total	FT	PT	Temp	Total	
Assembly	478,980	497,720	11			11	11			11	
Assembly Counsel	195,980	202,580	2			2	2			2	
Clerk	612,330	725,880	8			8	8			8	
Elections	348,000	383,000				0				0	
Ombudsman	230,410	240,340	3			3	3			3	
Budget & Legislative Services	395,050	402,120	3			3	3			3	
Operating Cost	2,260,750	2,451,640	27	C	0	27	27	C	) 0	27	
Add Debt Service	0	0									
Direct Organization Cost	2,260,750	2,451,640									
Charges From/(To) Others, excluding charges from overhead units	599,290	550,820									
Function Cost	2,860,040	3,002,460									
Less Program Revenues	(38,500)	(42,600)									
Net Program Cost	2,821,540	2,959,860									

# 2005 Resource Costs by Category

Division	Personal Services	Supplies	Other Services *	Capital Outlay	Total Direct Cost
Assembly	299.650	2.500	195.570	Outlay	497.720
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Assembly Counsel	195,470	800	6,310		202,580
Clerk	605,920	7,000	143,510		756,430
Elections	145,000		238,000		383,000
Ombudsman	233,540	1,700	5,100		240,340
Budget & Legislative Services	254,990	2,000	145,130		402,120
Operating Cost	1,734,570	14,000	733,620	0	2,482,190
Less Vacancy Factor Add Debt Service	(30,550)				(30,550) 0
Total Direct Organization Cost	1,704,020	14,000	733,620	0	2,451,640

<sup>\*</sup> Travel budgeted by this department within the Other Services category is \$54,070

# RECONCILIATION FROM 2004 REVISED BUDGET TO 2005 PROPOSED BUDGET

# **DEPARTMENT: ASSEMBLY**

	DIRE	ECT COSTS	PO:	SITIONS T			
2004 REVISED BUDGET:	\$	2,260,750	27				
2004 ONE-TIME REQUIREMENTS: - None							
TRANSFERS (TO)/FROM OTHER AGENCIES: - None							
DEBT SERVICE CHANGES:							
CHANGES IN EXISTING PROGRAMS FOR 2004: - Salaries and benefits adjustments		81,380					
CONTINUATION LEVEL FOR 2005:	\$	2,342,130	27	0	0		
TRANSFERS (TO)/FROM OTHER AGENCIES: - None							
<ul> <li>2005 PROGRAMMATIC CHANGES:</li> <li>Reinstate funding for League of Women Voters election informational pamphlet</li> </ul>		15,000					
Reinstate funding to cover costs for advertising     Assembly meetings and worksessions		30,000					
<ul> <li>Reinstate funding for on-site election assistance</li> <li>Reinstate funding for stipend to members of the Boards of Ethics, Equalization, Adjustment and the Salaries and Emoluments Commission</li> </ul>		20,000 41,400					
<ul> <li>Reinstate funding for supplies, travel for National League of Cities Board member and Steering Committee members, and other miscellaneous operating expenses</li> </ul>		41,040					
<ul><li>Procurement savings</li><li>Health care savings</li></ul>		(21,450) (16,480)					
2005 PROPOSED BUDGET:	\$	2,451,640	27	0	0		

DEPARTMENT: ASSEMBLY DIVISION: ASSEMBLY COUNSEL

PROGRAM: Assembly Counsel

#### PURPOSE:

Serve as legal advisor to the Assembly and staff, attend regular meetings, special meetings and, on request, committee meetings. Prepare ordinances and resolutions, and related memoranda

#### 2004 PERFORMANCES:

- Provided legal advice to Assembly and staff

- Drafted ordinances, resolutions, and memoranda in association with Assembly matters
- Attended regular and special Assembly meetings and other meetings.
- Coordinated Assembly matters with appropriate Administrative departments
- Identified ordinance revisions for code clarification.
- Performed legal research on various matters.
- Interfaced with the Municipal Attorney's Office on Municipal legal matters.
- Maintained a cooperative relationship between the Assembly and the Administration to accomplish Municipal objectives.

## 2005 PERFORMANCE OBJECTIVES:

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#### RESOURCES:

	2003 FT	REVI	SED	<b>2004</b> FT	REV:	ISED T	2005 FT	BUDGET PT T				
PERSONNEL:	2	Ó	Ó	2	Ó	Ó	2	0	Ö			
PERSONAL SERVICES SUPPLIES OTHER SERVICES CAPITAL OUTLAY	\$		440 0 100 100	\$		,480 0 ,500 0	\$		470 800 310 0			
TOTAL DIRECT COST:	\$	198,	640	\$	195	,980	\$	202	580			
WORK MEASURES: - Total matters			161			135			150			

25 SERVICE LEVELS ARE FUNDED FOR THE DEPARTMENT. THIS PROGRAM HAS LEVELS:

DEPARTMENT: ASSEMBLY DIVISION: ASSEMBLY

PROGRAM: Legislative Government

#### PURPOSE:

Serve as the Legislative branch of the Municipality of Anchorage as required by the Home Rule Charter; enrich the quality of life within the community; and ensure that all citizens receive equal access to government by providing the highest level of community commitment.

#### 2004 PERFORMANCES:

- Enacted local laws and set policies.

- Appropriated and approved annual and revised funding levels for all Municipal departments, the Utilities, and the Anchorage School District
- Approved contracts for services provided to enhance the quality of life for all citizens.
- Certified the April 2004 Municipal election.

- Responded to constituents' concerns.

- Conducted worksessions and committee meetings to become better informed on local government issues
- Conducted the required regular Assembly meetings and necessary special meetings.
- Conducted four meetings with the Anchorage School Board to discuss and coordinate financial planning, capital improvement needs, and other matters of mutual concern as required by the Home Rule Charter
- Established mill levies
- Served on committees and boards for the National League of Cities.

#### 2005 PERFORMANCE OBJECTIVES:

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DEPARTMENT: ASSEMBLY

DIVISION: ASSEMBLY

PROGRAM: Legislative Government

RESOURCES:

		2003 REVISED			2004	REVI	SED	2005 BUDGET			
	PERSONNEL:	FT 13	PT O	T 0	FT 11	PT O	T 0	FT 11	PT O	T 0	
	PERSONAL SERVICES SUPPLIES OTHER SERVICES	\$	289, 2, 210,	500	\$	293, 1, 184,	500	\$	299, 2, 195,	500	
	TOTAL DIRECT COST:	\$	502,	770	\$	478,	980	\$	497,	720	

25 SERVICE LEVELS ARE FUNDED FOR THE DEPARTMENT. THIS PROGRAM HAS LEVELS: 1, 11, 13, 16, 17, 23

DEPARTMENT: ASSEMBLY DIVISION: BUDGET & LEGISLATIVE SVCS

PROGRAM: Policy, Budget, and Management Services

#### PURPOSE:

Provide staff support and assistance to the Anchorage Municipal Assembly by conducting and facilitating policy, program, and operations research and analyses; developing legislation; providing objective analytical review of Municipal budgetary/financial issues; and assisting in constituent issues.

## 2004 PERFORMANCES:

- Broadened the review and analyses of General Government Operating and Capital, Utility Operating and Capital, and Anchorage School District budgets on an on-going basis, with emphasis during the budget process
- Provided policy, program, and operations research and analyses.
- Continued to serve as the Webmaster for updating and enhancing the Assembly's site.
- Provided staff support at Assembly meetings and worksessions.
- Responded to constituent inquiries.
- Prepared ordinances, resolutions, memoranda, and other documents to assist Assemblymembers in developing and implementing legislation.
- Provided contract administration of the annual financial audit.
- Prepared, coordinated, and administered the departmental budget
- Prepared and administered all department contracts.
- Provided travel coordination, payroll, account, and general administrative services for the department
- Provided legislative bill tracking during the session.

#### 2005 PERFORMANCE OBJECTIVES:

- Broaden the review and analyses of General Government Operating and Capital, Utility Operating and Capital, and Anchorage School District budgets on an on-going basis, with emphasis during the budget process
- Provide policy, program, and operations research and analyses.
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DIVISION: BUDGET & LEGISLATIVE SVCS DEPARTMENT: ASSEMBLY

PROGRAM: Policy, Budget, and Management Services RESOURCES:

PERSONNEL:	2003 FT 3	REVI PT 0	SED T 0	<b>2004</b> FT 3	REVI PT 0	SED T 0	2005 FT 3	BUDGET PT T 0 0
PERSONAL SERVICES SUPPLIES OTHER SERVICES	\$	218, 2, 171,	000	\$	250, 1, 143,	000	\$	254,990 2,000 145,130
TOTAL DIRECT COST:	\$	391,	720	\$	395,	050	\$	402,120
WORK MEASURES:  - Resolutions prepared  - Ordinances prepared  - Memorandums prepared  - Summaries of Economic Effects prepared  - Budget/Other research projects  - Worksessions/Meetings		;	155 37 73 37 200			160 30 75 30 250		160 20 65 20 250
attended - Public/In-house inquiries			300		1,	500		1,500

<sup>25</sup> SERVICE LEVELS ARE FUNDED FOR THE DEPARTMENT. THIS PROGRAM HAS LEVELS: 6, 10, 15

DEPARTMENT: ASSEMBLY DIVISION: CLERK

PROGRAM: Municipal Clerk

#### PURPOSE:

To serve as the office of record for the Legislative Branch of Government, implement and supervise Municipal elections, maintain business license issuance, process liquor license documents, and execute other duties as described in the Anchorage Municipal Code Section 2.20 050.

#### 2004 PERFORMANCES:

- Produced, printed, distributed, and advertised the Assembly agenda.

- Converted all Assembly approved documents to computerized format to provide for more timely access by Municipal departments and the public

- Advertised Assembly meetings, worksessions, and public hearing notices

- Prepared minutes of Assembly meetings.

- Licensed mandated businesses in compliance with Title 10.

- Processed liquor license requests to include renewals, transfers, and ownership changes

- Provided staff support for the Board of Ethics, Board of Adjustments, and Salaries and Emoluments Commission.

- Implemented and supervised the Municipal election.

- Noticed and maintained records of boards and commission meetings.

- Responded to numerous citizens' requests for information and assistance.

- Published the agendas on website and included links to actual documents.

#### 2005 PERFORMANCE OBJECTIVES:

- Produce, print, distribute, and advertise the Assembly agenda.

- Continue to post Assembly approved documents in computerized format to provide more timely access by Municipal departments and the public.

- Prepare minutes of Assembly meetings.

- Advertise Assembly meetings, worksessions, and public hearing notices

- License mandated businesses in compliance with Title 10.

- Process liquor licenses requests to include renewals, transfers, and ownership changes, and work toward improving the process.

- Provide staff support for the Board of Ethics, Board of Adjustments, and the Salaries and Emoluments Commission

- Implement and supervise the Municipal election.

- Notice and maintain records of boards and commission meetings.

- Respond to numerous citizens' requests for information and assistance.

- Continue to research and implement better ways of doing business with the public.

DEPARTMENT: ASSEMBLY PROGRAM: Municipal Clerk
RESOURCES: DIVISION: CLERK

PERSONNEL:			REVI PT 0	SED T 0	<b>2004</b> FT 8	REVI PT 0	SED T 0	<b>2005</b> FT 8	BUD PT 0	GET T 0
SUPPL]	NAL SERVICES IES SERVICES	\$	434, 7, 170,	000	\$		120 000 210	\$	575, 7, 143,	000
TOTAL DIRECT	COST:	\$	611,	920	\$	612,	330	\$	725,	880
PROGRAM REVE	NUES:	\$	34,	500	\$	38,	500	\$	42,	600
WORK MEASURES:  - Assembly Age prepared  - Board of Adj agendas prod  - Business lic processed  - Liquor licen processed  - Assembly min produced	ustment luced enses ses			44 3 450 800 37			46 15 470 805 53			48 20 490 810 48

<sup>25</sup> SERVICE LEVELS ARE FUNDED FOR THE DEPARTMENT. THIS PROGRAM HAS LEVELS: 2, 8, 14, 20, 22, 24

DEPARTMENT: ASSEMBLY

DIVISION: ELECTIONS

PROGRAM: Elections

#### PURPOSE:

To provide the necessary resources to hold a regular election annually as required by the Home Rule Charter.

## 2004 PERFORMANCES:

- Conducted the April 6, 2004 regular election.

- Processed initiatives, petitions, and legal challenges

## 2005 PERFORMANCE OBJECTIVES:

- Conduct the April 3, 2005 regular election.

- Process initiatives, petitions, and legal challenges.

#### **RESOURCES:**

		2003 REVISED		2004	2004 REVISED			2005 BUDGET			
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	PERSONAL SERVICES OTHER SERVICES	\$	97, 165,		\$	145, 203,		\$	145, 238,		
TOTAL	DIRECT COST:	\$	262,	210	\$	348,	000	\$	383,	000	

25 SERVICE LEVELS ARE FUNDED FOR THE DEPARTMENT. THIS PROGRAM HAS LEVELS: 3, 4, 9, 12, 21, 25

DEPARTMENT: ASSEMBLY

PROGRAM: Ombudsman

DIVISION: OMBUDSMAN

#### PURPOSE:

Provide an independent impartial Municipal office to review and investigate complaints/inquiries about the Muncipality and the School District; provide information/referrals to Municipal and community resources; recommend policy and legislative changes to improve delivery of services.

#### 2004 PERFORMANCES:

- Assisted citizens and employees by reviewing and investigating complaints and inquiries about Municipal government and the School District.
- Provided recommendations to resolve citizen and employee concerns.
- Provided recommendations for policy and legislative changes to improve delivery of services
- Assisted citizens and employees by answering questions, providing information, and making referrals to Municipal and community resources.
- Established an outreach with the School District through its Peer Mediation Program.
- Developed a new outreach poster of Ombudsman services

#### 2005 PERFORMANCE OBJECTIVES:

- Continue to receive, review, and investigate citizen complaints and inquiries about Municipal government and the School District
- Continue to recommend solutions to resolve citizen and employee concerns, and to improve delivery of services
- Continue to be a public point of contact for information about Municipal government, and for referrals to Municipal and community resources.
- Improve the Office's outreach activities, specifically to increase public awareness of services provided.
- Continue and expand the Office's association with the School District's Peer Mediation Program.
- Develop a formal recognition award for outstanding employee service to the public.

#### RESOURCES:

	2003 REVISE		SED	2004	04 REVISED		2005	2005 BUDGET	
	FT	PT	T	FT	PT	Т	FT	PT	Т
PERSONNEL:	3	0	0	3	0	0	3	0	0
PERSONAL SERVICES SUPPLIES OTHER SERVICES	<b>\$</b>		470 700 150	\$	227,	760 700 950	\$		540 700 100
TOTAL DIRECT COST:	\$	212,	320	\$	230,	410	\$	240,	340
WORK MEASURES: - Initial contacts - Complaints/Inquiries		,	000 470			200 475			500 500

25 SERVICE LEVELS ARE FUNDED FOR THE DEPARTMENT. THIS PROGRAM HAS LEVELS: 5, 18, 19