



# City of Inkster



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POLICE AND 22nd DISTRICT COURT



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CITY HALL



DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SERVICES



## LETTER FROM THE MAYOR

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Greetings Inkster,

It is with great pleasure as Mayor to welcome you into the New Year. As we look ahead to the New Year we look forward not as individuals, but collectively as members of our community.

2021 was a year filled with world changes; how we interact with one another and how we do business. To our family and friends who suffered a loss during the COVID pandemic you are forever in our thoughts and prayers.

Being the Mayor of our community is a honor and a privilege. I take pride in our hometown and look forward to being a part of the resurgence of our great city. As a community we must never forget that it will take the work of all of us; our elected officials, citizens, churches, non-profits and business owners in our community to help us move our city forward. We must unite! No more empty promises, we have to put in the work! Together one voice one Inkster.

As your Mayor I will always be actively engaged in community events and programs. I will remain in touch with our residents, community and stakeholders to ensure that their needs are being met. My personal and professional mission is to be accessible to you.

We will together continue to make strides and improvements in reducing crime through community empowerment; with the forming of more block clubs and community policing efforts for a cleaner, safer and accessible city.

I am excited to begin this New Year in service to each of you. 2021 was a year of transition 2022 will be a year of transformation with all of us working towards one common goal.

I believe along with The Distinguished members of City Council that we must engage and inspire talent that already exist within our community while attracting new citizens to make us stronger, better and prosperous for many years to come.

On behalf of myself, family and administration, we wish you and your family a wonderful New Year.

Yours in Service,

Honorable Mayor, Patrick Wimberly

City of Inkster



## LETTER FROM CHIEF JUDGE

Greetings and Happy New Year,

It continues to be my pleasure to serve as your 22nd District Court Chief Judge. Although we had slightly fewer filings last year at approximately 9,000 civil and criminal cases, the entire court staff has maintained the same level of commitment to customer service to every person who enters our court building. To keep everyone safe we have instituted new cleaning and entrance protocols. We are still live streaming every court proceeding on **Hon. Sabrina Johnson's Personal Meeting Room Page** on YouTube. Feel free to check the court's website ([www.districtcourt22.com](http://www.districtcourt22.com)) and our Facebook page (**Inkster District 22nd**) for the most up to date court information, court forms and additional resources.

Another great resource is [www.MichiganLegalHelp.org](http://www.MichiganLegalHelp.org). This website is for people handling their legal problems without a lawyer. It can help you learn about your legal problems and get ready for court. There are many Do-It-Yourself tools to help you create court forms. This website does not give legal advice, and it is not a substitute for having a lawyer. If you need more help, search the website for a lawyer, community services, or a Self-Help Center nearby. The website does not cover all areas of law, but new topics are added all the time. Most of the types of cases heard at the 22nd District Court from traffic to collections/garnishments, expungements and landlord/tenant cases are covered on Michigan Legal Help. I strongly urge you to take time searching the website before filing a case or appearing in court. Currently, the 22nd District Court provided a low or no cost, court appointed attorney on all criminal matters. We also provide access to legal aid through Lakeshore Legal Aid to help tenants facing eviction.

As always, it is a privilege to serve you as your Judge of the 22nd District Court and the great City of Inkster.

Honorable Sabrina L. Johnson

Chief Judge, 22nd District Court

# CITY COUNCIL



**George Williams**

**District I**

gwilliams@cityofinkster.com  
734-377-2983



**LaGina Washington**

**District II**

lwashington@cityofinkster.com  
313-953-5172



**Sandra Watley**

**District III**

swatley@cityofinkster.com  
313-563-9770



**Steven Chisholm**

**District IV**

schisholm@cityofinkster.com  
313-409-8167



**Kim Howard, Mayor Pro-tem**

**District V**

khoward@cityofinkster.com  
313-779-2011



**Dennard Shaw**

**District VI**

dshaw@cityofinkster.com  
313-485-8430



**City Council meetings are 1st and 3rd Mondays. Orientation is at 6pm and the Regular meeting is at 7pm. Email your comment to be read into the record to [clerk@cityofinkster.com](mailto:clerk@cityofinkster.com) (City Council Orientation and Regular Meetings will be Virtual; check city website monthly for meeting update notices).**

Monday, January 3	Monday, May 2	Tuesday, September 6
Tuesday, January 18	Monday, May 16	Monday, September 19
Monday, February 7	Monday, June 6	Monday, October 3
Monday, February 21	Monday, June 20	Monday, October 17
Monday, March 7	Tuesday, July 5	Monday, November 7
Monday, March 21	Monday, July 18	Monday, November 21
Monday, April 4	Monday, August 1	Monday, December 5
Monday, April 18	Monday, August 15	Monday, December 19

## CITY OF INKSTER VOTING PRECINCT MAP



City Clerk's Office  
26215 Trowbridge Road  
Inkster, Michigan 48141

City Clerk: [clerk@cityofinkster.com](mailto:clerk@cityofinkster.com)  
(313) 563-9770  
[www.cityofinkster.com](http://www.cityofinkster.com)

### Voting Precincts

- District 1 District 4
  - District 2 District 5
  - District 3 District 6
- Polling Location

### School Districts

- Romulus Community Schools
- Taylor School District
- Wayne-Westland Community School District
- Westwood Community Schools

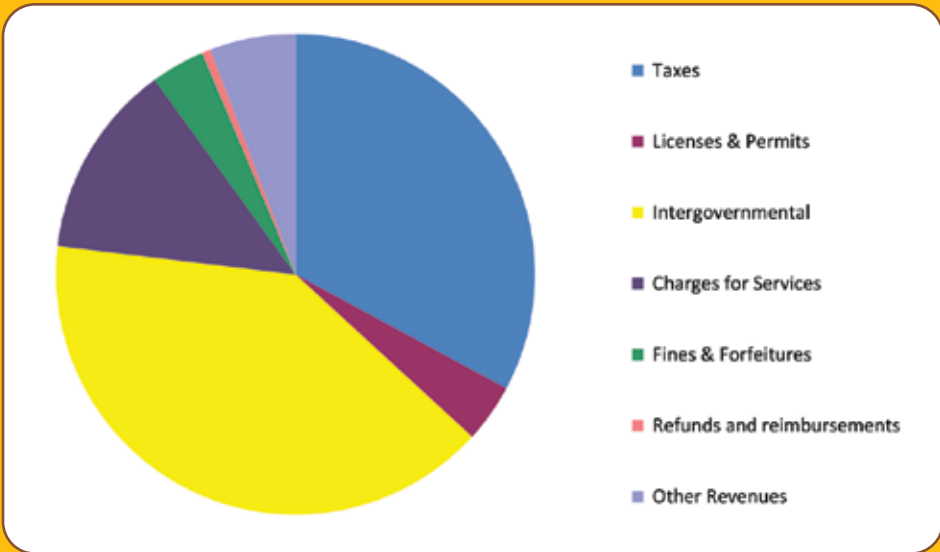


### Charter Schools

American International Academy (AIA) and Inkster Reparatory Academy (IRA)

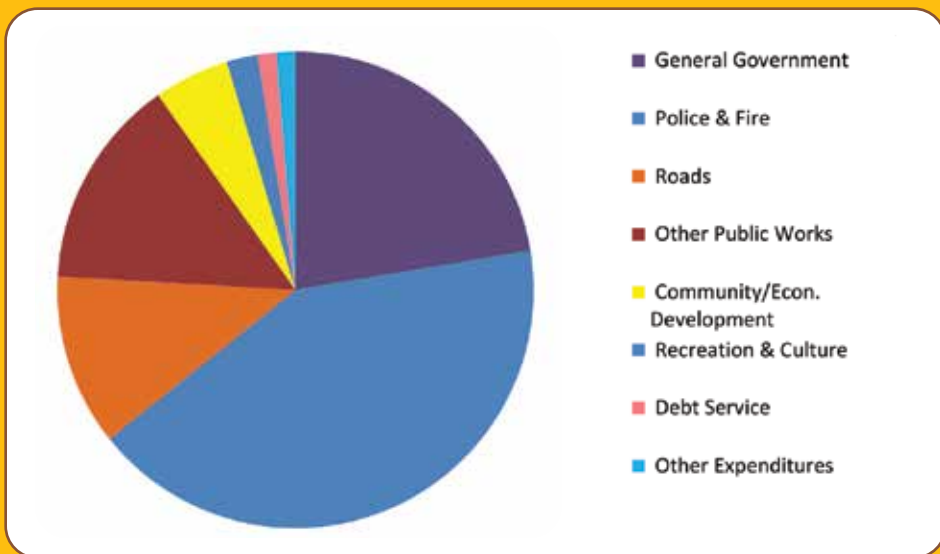
## GENERAL FUND REVENUES

Total = \$18,208,397



## GENERAL FUND EXPENDITURES

Total = \$19,808,847



## TELEPHONE DIRECTORY

INKSTER CITY HALL | 26215 Trowbridge, Inkster, MI 48141 | 313-563-4232  
Hours of Operation & Lobby Hours: Monday – Friday | 8:30am – 4:00pm

### ADMINISTRATION

Inkster City Hall .....	313-563-4232
The Mayor's Office .....	313-563-3213
City Clerk, Verna Chapman .....	313-563-9770
Treasurer/CFO, Darryl Greene .....	313-563-4233
Water Supervisor, June LaBrecque .....	313-563-7704
Human Resources Director, Pamela Crawford.....	313-563-3211

### PUBLIC SAFETY

Emergency .....	911
Police non-emergency line.....	313-563-9850
Fire Non-Emergency .....	313-563-9874
Code Enforcement .....	313-563-2820

### LEISURE TIME SERVICES

Parks & Recreation .....	734-728-7530
Commission on Aging, Denise Champagne .....	313-561-2382
Leanna Hicks Library, Brenda Adams .....	313-563-2822

### DEVELOPMENT SERVICES

Dept. of Public Service	
Director, Jerome Bivins .....	313-563-9774
Superintendent, Latoria Joyce .....	313-563-9781
Planning .....	313-563-9760
Special Projects, Tracy-Ann Jennings .....	313-563-9764
Building Department, Don G. Jones .....	313-563-7716

### JUDICIARY

22nd District Court .....	313-277-8200
Court Administrator, Priscilla Gibbs .....	313-277-8200

### HOUSING

Inkster Housing Commission .....	313-561-2600
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### LEGAL

Allen Brothers, David W. Jones, Esq. ....	313-962-7777
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- City Council Meeting, 7:00pm

- Parks & Rec, 7:30pm

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Tina Ferguson's Birthday 13

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- Beautification Committee, 6:00pm

- BRA, 5:00pm
- Chamber of Commerce General Membership Meetings, 6:00pm
- Executive Board Meeting, 6:00pm

- Police/Fire Retirement System, 1:00pm
- TIFA, 6:30pm

- Historical Commission, 10:30am

Walter Cooper-Terrell's Birthday

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Martin Luther King, Jr. Day 17

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Library, Court & City Offices are Closed

- DDA, 6:00pm
- Inkster Housing Commission, 6:30pm
- City Council Meeting, 7:00pm

- Leanna Hicks Public Library Directors Meeting, 6:00pm

- Commission on Aging, 1:00pm, Twin Towers COA Office

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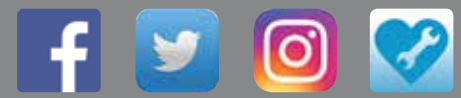
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- Planning Commission, 6:00pm

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# January 2022



## MAYORS OFFICE



MAYOR



EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT



ADMINISTRATIVE SECRETARY

Greetings Inkster Citizens!

We want to take this opportunity to wish you and your families the very best this holiday season, and even more blessings this New Year 2022. The mayor's office is honored to serve this community. The administration is proud of our hometown, and we look forward to being a part of the revitalization of a town with such phenomenal potential.

We will continue our efforts to keep the momentum going when it comes to projects and events in the works. We are in the fortunate position of being in the midst of transformation. However, work remains to be done, but we are not afraid to face our challenges.

We support and encourage all of you, individually and collectively, to continue in perseverance and patience as the employees of the city advance towards their goals to serve you. Again, on behalf of the mayor's office and administration, we wish you and your family a happy holiday and a prosperous New Year.

Respectfully,  
Mayors Office

#OccupyInkster

## HISTORY OF MAYORS

1965-1968 JOHN P. WAGNER  
1968-1970 LEONARD DAKSIEWICZ  
1970-1975 EDWARD BIVENS, JR  
1975-1978 TERRELL M LECESNE  
1979-1983 WILLIAM M. DANIELS  
1983-1987 BETTY G. MILLER  
1987-1991 JOSEPH DAVIS, JR  
1991-1999 EDWARD BIVENS, JR  
2000-2015 HILLIARD HAMPTON  
2016-2019 BYRON NOLEN  
2020-PRESENT PATRICK WIMBERLY

## ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- Inkster Route-to-Smart City Project  
Moving forward with our initiative to reduce the digital divide is a historic event not only for Inkster, but for all black and brown low-to-moderate income communities that lack investors.  
  
Flagstar Bank partnered with Mayor Patrick Wimberly and Strategic Alliance Community Development Corporation to contribute \$1 million to enhance Internet Service throughout the city.  
  
The bank, along with former Detroit Pistons player Chauncey Billups, the City of Inkster and Jason Dixon, announced the project Thursday, September 16th during a press conference. Flagstar's contribution was given to the Detroit-based Strategic Alliance Community Corporation in order to create fiber-optic infrastructure and provide high-speed broadband service within Inkster.  
  
The pilot project plans to raise at least \$20 million through partnerships with corporations, foundations and non-profits with the goal of launching a national deployment plan in five to ten years.
- State Representative Jewell Jones, Congresswoman Rashid Tlaib, Inkster City Council, Senator Betty Jean Alexander and Mayor Patrick Wimberly along with his administration worked diligently to eliminate \$25 million in Inkster school debt.
- The City of Inkster was awarded a \$1.6 million grant to allow the Inkster Police Department to hire up to six patrol officers.
- The City of Inkster entered a program with Enterprise. The city's entire vehicle fleet was updated. This allowed the city to save up to \$100,000.
- Mayor Patrick Wimberly was able to collaborate with 123Net to deliver the highest quality fiber internet to our citizens and business owners. For over 25 years, 123Net has re-invested into Michigan infrastructure.
- The Inkster Police Department Public-Private Video Camera System was awarded a grant in the amount of \$145,218.00
- With the help of Congresswomen Rashida Tlaib and her team, the City of Inkster was awarded \$2.5 million for the construction of a Senior Wellness Center that will help our seasoned residents thrive.
- Wayne County Executive Warren Evans and Wayne County Commissioner Glen Anderson assisted the City of Inkster secure \$800,000 to renovate the Booker T. Dozier Recreation Center through the Community Development Block Grant Program (CDBG).

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**Chinese New Year** 1

- Parks & Rec, 7:30pm

**Groundhog Day** 2

- Police/Fire Retirement System, 1:00pm

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- City Council Meeting, 7:00pm

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- BRA, 5:00pm
- Executive Board Meeting, 6:00pm

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- TIFA, 6:30pm

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**Valentine's Day** 14

**Winter Taxes Due Without Penalty**

- Beautification Committee, 6:00pm

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- DDA, 6:00pm
- Inkster Housing Commission, 6:30pm

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- Leanna Hicks Public Library Directors Meeting, 6:00pm

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- Commission on Aging, 1:00pm, Twin Towers COA Office

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- Historical Commission, 10:30am

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**Presidents' Day** 21

**Court Closed**

- City Council Meeting, 7:00pm

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**Last Day to Pay 2021 Summer & Winter Taxes Before Going to Wayne County** 28

- Planning Commission, 6:00pm



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# February 2022



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Inkster City Attorney

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**Councilman Chisholm's Birthday (DISTRICT 4)** 1  
**Summer and Winter 2020 delinquent Tax files are sent to Wayne County**  
▪ Parks & Rec, 7:30pm

**Ash Wednesday** 2

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▪ Police/Fire Retirement System, 1:00pm

**Councilman Shaw's Birthday (DISTRICT 6)** 4

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▪ City Council Meeting, 7:00pm

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▪ BRA, 5:00pm  
▪ Chamber of Commerce General Membership Meetings, 6:00pm  
▪ Executive Board Meeting, 6:00pm

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▪ TIFA, 6:30pm

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**Daylight Saving Time Begins 2 a.m.** 13  
**Change Smoke Detector & Carbon Monoxide Batteries**

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▪ March Board of Review, 9:30am-4:30pm  
▪ Beautification Committee, 6:00pm

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▪ March Board of Review, 3:00-9:00pm  
▪ DDA, 6:00pm  
▪ Inkster Housing Commission, 6:30pm

**St. Patrick's Day** 17  
**Denise Johnson's Birthday**  
▪ Leanna Hicks Public Library Directors Meeting, 6:00pm

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▪ Commission on Aging, 1:00pm, Twin Towers COA Office

**Mayor Wimberly's Birthday** 19  
**Ivy Rasool's Birthday**  
▪ Historical Commission, 10:30am

**First Day of Spring** 20  
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▪ March Board of Review, 9:30am-4:30pm  
▪ City Council Meeting, 7:00pm

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**23rd Annual Networking Mixer Inkster Recreation Center**  
4:30-6:00p.m. MUSIC/NETWORKING  
6:00p.m. DINNER

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▪ Planning Commission, 6:00pm

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# March 2022



## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SERVICE

The Department of Public Service consists of three divisions: Central Service, Roads/Parks and Water and Sewer. The City of Inkster Department of Public Works oversees the maintenance of nearly 6.2 square miles of roads within city limits. We handle snow, grass, floods, road repairs, trees, City buildings and the beautification of the entire City. We are here to promote community service and strive to achieve our goals and objectives as a department while also keeping our community clean and safe.

### **WATER MAIN REPAIR:**

If you are reporting a water main break, please inform us of any significant loss of pressure or if the water appears cloudy or rusty. We will attempt to notify all customers if and when a shut off of water will be required for repairs.

Water main breaks should be reported to the Department of Public Works during business hours (7:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., Monday-Friday) and to the Police Department dispatch after-hours at (313) 563-9850.

### **STREETLIGHTS:**

Residents can report streetlights that are out to DTE Energy, or to the City of Inkster. Please be able to provide details about the locations of the light and, if possible, streetlight pole number. For metal poles, the number is located at the base of the streetlight pole; for wooden poles it is located approximately eight feet up the pole. (313) 563-9774.

### **ILLEGAL DUMPING:**

If you need to report an illegal dumping incident (on a city road or street, or on any piece of property either private or public) or any other suspicious activity that could potentially



have a negative impact on the environment within the City of Inkster, please call the Police Department at (313) 563-9850 or Department of Public Service at (313) 563-9774.

### **REPORT A POTHOLE OR ROAD ISSUE:**

The State road running through Inkster is Michigan Avenue (US-12). Inkster Road, Middlebelt and parts of Cherry Hill are maintained by Wayne County within county borders. To report an issue with a road, such as a pothole, please use the following resources:

- For city roads, call DPW at (313) 563-9774.
- For county roads, citizens can report potholes online on the Wayne County website at [www.waynecounty.com/departments/publicservices/report-a-road-hazard.aspx](http://www.waynecounty.com/departments/publicservices/report-a-road-hazard.aspx) or via the County Hotline at (888) 762-3273.

If you live on a circle street you must keep your parked vehicles off the street on your block from 6:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. on your trash day, this allows the City's waste management contractors to more effectively pick up trash, recycling and yard waste.

Department of Public Services also provides street sweeping services, and sewer cleaning maintenance throughout the year.



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Renaissance City Developers Inc.  
is dedicated to finding cost effective solutions to  
deliver high-quality product. Our design team has  
over 50 years of experience in design, construction,  
and project management.

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April Fool's Day 1

Ramadan Begins 2

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▪ City Council Meeting, 7:00pm

▪ Parks & Rec, 7:30pm

▪ Police/Fire Retirement System, 1:00pm

Palm Sunday

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Good Friday  
Tax Day  
Passover Begins  
Library, Court & City Offices are Closed

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▪ Beautification Committee, 6:00pm

▪ BRA, 5:00pm  
▪ Executive Board Meeting, 6:00pm

▪ TIFA, 6:30pm

▪ Commission on Aging, 1:00pm, Twin Towers COA Office

▪ Historical Commission, 10:30am

Easter Sunday

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Earth Day 22

Passover Ends 23

▪ City Council Meeting, 7:00pm

▪ DDA, 6:00pm  
▪ Inkster Housing Commission, 6:30pm

▪ Leanna Hicks Public Library Directors Meeting, 6:30pm

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Arbor Day 29

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▪ Planning Commission, 6:00pm

April 2022



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## OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK

Welcome to the Office of the City Clerk. The Office of the City Clerk is often the first point of contact for those engaging with the City of Inkster. Our mission is to consistently provide positive customer experiences to all that we serve.

The Clerk's office is empowered with, and responsible for, administering all oaths required by state statute, city charter, and local ordinances.

The Clerk is the official keeper of all records and the seal for the City of Inkster. The responsibilities of the City Clerk are numerous and are defined by state and local statutes.

### The City Clerk is responsible for:

- Administration of all elections
- Management of the City Code of Ordinances
- Agenda preparation, recording of meeting minutes, administrative support to the Mayor, City Council and Board of Ethics
- Maintenance of all board and commission membership rosters
- Legal notices required by state and local statutes
- Maintenance of legal files (contracts, agreements, deeds, etc.)
- FOIA Coordinator

- Business License Administrator, including special event applications
- Directing incoming telephone calls, responding to citizen inquiries, and distributing mail
- Notary Public Service

The City of Inkster City Clerk's Office is located at:

**26215 Trowbridge  
Inkster, MI 48141.**

You can submit requests to **[clerk@cityofinkster.com](mailto:clerk@cityofinkster.com)**

Use the drop box at the main entrance of City Hall as a convenient way to deliver documents to the City Clerk.

- Voter Registration Applications
- Absentee Ballot Requests
- Absentee Ballots
- Business License Renewals
- All other forms

For information on the new voter registration and absent voter laws enacted by the passage of Proposal 18-3 in November, 2018, please visit the Voting Information tab at **[www.michigan.gov/sos](http://www.michigan.gov/sos)**.

### Block Parties

Applications are available online or at the City Clerk's office. Please allow thirty (30) days for processing. Call for additional information.

### Freedom of Information Act (FOIA)

Forms are available online or at City Hall.

### Boards & Commissions

If interested in serving on one of the Boards and Commissions, an application may be obtained from the website or by request.

### Garage Sales

Permits are obtained online or at the Clerk's Office. The fee allows five consecutive days of sale at your residence. For more information, please contact the City Clerk's Office.

### SOS - Michigan Secretary of State

Customers can make an appointment up to six months in advance or for the next day appointment online at [Michigan.gov/SOS](http://Michigan.gov/SOS). Appointments from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. can be booked up to six months in advance. Appointments from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. and from 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. are reserved for customers to book. **[www.michigan.gov](http://www.michigan.gov)**.

### Voter Information

- Be a U.S. Citizen
- Be a resident of Michigan, and of the city/township you're registering in.
- Be at least 18 years old by the next election date.
- Register to vote for Federal, State and Local Elections at the City of Inkster City Clerk's Office located at 26215 Trowbridge or any Michigan Secretary of State Branch Offices.
- Michigan Supreme Court ruled that all voters must have Michigan Identification to vote.

All Elections are held in accordance with Election Law

If you are interested in serving as an Election Chairperson of an Election Inspector, please contact the City Clerk's office at (313) 563-9770.

Contact the City Clerk's office for election cycle dates and filing deadlines.

We encourage all residents to vote either at your polling locations or by absentee ballots.

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## PLANNING & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

A primary function of the department is the coordination of various Boards and Commissions as follows:

- Tax Increment Finance Authority (TIFA)
- Downtown Development Authority (DDA)
- Brownfield Redevelopment Authority (BRA)
- Zoning Board of Appeals (ZBA)
- Planning Commission (PC)

This department functions include the review and processing of site plans, zoning reclassifications, special use permits, land subdivisions, planned unit developments, variance requests and property disposition.

- Land Use and Zoning
- Commercial Re-Occupancy
- Processing Variance Requests
- Site Plan Review
- Sale of City Owned Land.
- Greenway Trail
- Home Rehabilitation Grants
- Residential and Commercial Demolition

This department is also responsible for the facilitation of City of Inkster-owned properties as well as State and Federal Grant Applications, Reporting, and Compliance.

**PLANNING & ECONOMICAL DEVELOPMENT**

**(313) 563-9764**

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**Allison Davis's Birthday**  
▪ City Council Meeting, 7:00pm

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▪ Parks & Rec, 7:30pm

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▪ TIFA, 6:30pm

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▪ Beautification Committee, 6:00pm

**Flag Day** 14  
▪ BRA, 5:00pm  
▪ Executive Board Meeting, 6:00pm

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▪ Leanna Hicks Public Library Directors Meeting, 6:30pm

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▪ Commission on Aging, 1:00pm, Twin Towers COA Office

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▪ Historical Commission, 10:30am

**Father's Day Juneteenth** 19

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▪ City Council Meeting, 7:00pm

**First Day of Summer** 21  
▪ DDA, 6:00pm  
▪ Inkster Housing Commission, 6:30pm

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▪ Planning Commission, 6:00pm

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# June 2022



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## BUILDING DEPARTMENT



The purpose of Construction Codes and City Ordinances are: Intended to be adopted as a legally enforceable document that will safeguard health, safety, property, and public welfare. A code or ordinance cannot be effective without adequate provisions from its administration. Enforcement of construction and ordinance regulations are a great responsibility. No matter how detailed the code or ordinance may be, the building official must exercise judgement in determining code or ordinance compliance. The building official is responsible for assuring that the building or structure in which the citizens of the community reside are designed and constructed to be reasonably free from hazards associated with the building's or structure's use.

Selling of property in Inkster requires the owner or the seller/agent to submit an application for a Certificate of Re-Occupancy and pay \$200 for inspection. If the property is being rented you will also receive a Certification of Rental that expires after three years. If a Letter to Close is required by the seller the cost will be a \$225 deposit with \$200 being returned after the certificate is issued. This certificate does not expire as long as you own the property. If the property is sold/change of ownership the new owner must fill out a new Certificate of Re-Occupancy and pay \$200 for the inspection. We do not offer a Temporary C of O.

Rental property requires the owner to make application and pay \$185 for inspection. The Rental Certificate must be renewed every three year.

Rental Application Fee (expires in three years from date issued) .....\$185.00  
Certificate of Re-Occupy (Good as long as you own the property) .....\$200.00  
Letter to Close .....\$225.00

Electrical, Mechanical, Plumbing, Building and Sign Permits are currently on the City of Inkster website. Please print and mail with payment.

**BUILDING DEPARTMENT**

**(313) 563-7716**

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**Independence Day**

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Library, Court & City Offices are Closed

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- City Council Meeting, 7:00pm
- Parks & Rec, 7:30pm

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**Inkster Summerfest Weekend, July 8-10**

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- Beautification Committee, 6:00pm

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- BRA, 5:00pm

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- TIFA, 6:30pm

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- Commission on Aging, 1:00pm, Twin Towers COA Office

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- Historical Commission, 10:30am

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- City Council Meeting, 7:00pm

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- July Board of Review, 10:00am
- DDA, 6:00pm
- Inkster Housing Commission, 6:30pm

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- Police/Fire Retirement System, 1:00pm
- Leanna Hicks Public Library Directors Meeting, 6:30pm

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- Planning Commission, 6:00pm

# July 2022



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## POLICE DEPARTMENT

The Inkster Police Department is committed to providing the best possible police services to our residents, businesses, and visitors alike. Courtesy, respect, and dedication to helping those who are in need help make up the foundation in which we stand. The Inkster Police Department is a community policing based organization, focusing on building long lasting, and meaningful relationships with our stakeholders. From our monthly movie nights at the PD, to our Annual National Night Out event, we are working hard to keep an open dialogue with our residents. The City of Inkster Police Department is an amazing place to live and work, and all of us here at the Inkster Police Department are here to assist you in any way possible should you need us! Check us out on our social media pages!



### IMPORTANT DATES

- **National Night Out**, Concert and Event  
Tuesday, August 2 at 5:00 p.m.
- **Inkster Police Annual Memorial Service**  
Friday, August 12 at 11:30 a.m.



POLICE DEPARTMENT

(313) 563-9850

## FIRE DEPARTMENT

Inkster Fire Department is comprised of 20 full time firefighters. They respond to over 6000 call for service each year and work 24 hour shifts. The Inkster firefighters are also trained and qualified as EMT - Basic and EMT - Paramedics. They respond as each call dictates. There is 1 fire engine, 1 ladder truck and 2 Advanced Life Support rescues. The Inkster Firefighters are proficient in firefighting tactics and strategies, Hazardous Materials incidents, Vehicle Extrication, and Confined Space Rescue. Every home should have working smoke detectors on each floor of their home as well as carbon monoxide detectors. An escape plan for your family is very important. Parents should devise a plan to escape their home in the event of a fire and practice that plan with their family.



### IMPORTANT DATES

- **Fire Prevention Week**  
Sunday, October 9 - Saturday, October 15
- **Change smoke detector batteries**  
March 13, "Daylight Savings".



BUILDING DEPARTMENT

(313) 563-9874

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▪ City Council Meeting, 7:00pm

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▪ National Night Out - Concert & Event, 5:00pm  
▪ Parks & Rec, 7:30pm

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▪ Annual Senior Picnic, 11:00am-2:00pm, Wheatley Park

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▪ Beautification Committee, 6:00pm

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▪ BRA, 5:00pm

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▪ TIFA, 6:30pm

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▪ Inkster Police Annual Memorial Service, 11:30am

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▪ Inkster Housing Commission, 6:30pm

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▪ Leanna Hicks Public Library Directors Meeting, 6:30pm

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▪ Historical Commission, 10:30am

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▪ Planning Commission, 6:00pm

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**Summer Taxes Due Without Penalty**



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# August 2022



# Leanna Hicks Public Library

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Monday-Thursday, 11am-7pm  
Saturday, 11am-5pm

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Inkster Public Access Channel (I-PAC) is the local cable station you'll want to turn to for local government news, public affairs programming, live Council sessions, and County Executive press conferences. Watch us on Comcast Channel 12, U-Verse Channel 99.

On I-PAC TV you'll get answers on what type of services or programs your county government offers, as well as a variety of regular shows and special programming to keep you in touch with your elected officials.

Inkster public access channel was created as a means to provide the public with information about the City of Inkster/ Wayne County Government services, operations, and events.

Troy Seaton,  
Media Department



MEDIA DEPARTMENT

(313) 316-5544

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 ▪ Police/Fire Retirement System, 1:00pm

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**Labor Day** 5  
 Library, Court & City Offices are Closed

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 ▪ City Council Meeting, 7:00pm  
 ▪ Parks & Rec, 7:30pm

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 ▪ TIFA, 6:30pm

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**Grandparents Day** 11

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 ▪ Beautification Committee, 6:00pm

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 ▪ BRA, 5:00pm  
 ▪ Chamber of Commerce General Membership Meetings, 6:00pm  
 ▪ Executive Board Meeting, 6:00pm

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 ▪ Leanna Hicks Public Library Directors Meeting, 6:30pm

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 ▪ Commission on Aging, 1:00pm, Twin Towers COA Office

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 ▪ Historical Commission, 10:30am

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**Mary Pitts's Birthday** 19  
 ▪ City Council Meeting, 7:00pm

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 ▪ DDA, 6:00pm  
 ▪ Inkster Housing Commission, 6:30pm

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**First Day of Autumn** 22

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**Rosh Hashanah** 25

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 ▪ Planning Commission, 6:00pm

**Rosh Hashanah Ends** 27

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# September 2022





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## HUMAN RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

### OUR MISSION

The mission of the City of Inkster Human Resource Department is to provide equal employment opportunity to promote a culture of diversity, equity, and inclusion. Provide an exceptional customer experience to recruit and retain a workforce of dedicated employees.

### WHAT WE DO

Plan, lead, direct and administer City policies, compensation, benefits and leave administration, disciplinary matters, dispute resolution, investigations, grievance proceedings, performance and talent management, occupational health and safety, training, and development.

Recruitment and retention of highly qualified employees, implementation and use of current technology for the City's human resources information system (HRIS), organizational and employee development.

Ensure legal compliance with state, federal and local policies, implementation and support of the City's mission and recruitment strategy.

### UNION CONTRACT ADMINISTRATION

Manage the worker's compensation program and provide guidance and medical cost administration to employees who are injured on the job.

### JOIN OUR TEAM

Employment applications are available on-line. View the Form Section of our website. Jobs currently available at our city, view the Job Posting Section of our website.

It is the policy of the City of Inkster to provide equal employment opportunities to all employees and applicants for employment in recruitment, examination, selection, appointment, placement, training, discipline, and other terms and conditions of employment without regard to race, age, religion, color, disability, national origin, gender, veteran status, citizenship, or any other status in any other group protected by state or local law.

HUMAN RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

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- City Council Meeting, 7:00pm

- Parks & Rec, 7:30pm

- Police/Fire Retirement System, 1:00pm

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Indigenous Peoples' Day

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Court Closed

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Fire Prevention Week  
October 9-15

- Beautification Committee, 6:00pm

- BRA, 5:00pm
- Executive Board Meeting, 6:00pm

- TIFA, 6:30pm

Inkster Goodfellows  
Annual Pancake  
Breakfast

- Historical Commission, 10:30am

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- City Council Meeting, 7:00pm

- DDA, 6:00pm
- Inkster Housing Commission, 6:30pm

- Leanna Hicks Public Library Directors Meeting, 6:30pm

- Commission on Aging, 1:00pm, Twin Towers COA Office

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- Planning Commission, 6:00pm

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Halloween

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# October 2022



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Greetings from the Inkster Department of Treasury! We wish you a happy new year and look forward to serving you in 2022. In the department of treasury, our primary focus is overseeing and evaluating city revenues and expenditures. We strive to provide services to city residents and other visitors to the best of our abilities. From business transactions to community issues, the treasury department is here to assist in any way we can. Within our department, we have knowledgeable and experienced personnel which allows us to make decisions that enhance the quality of our services. We have also cultivated strong relationships with outside entities that add value to our managerial and financial operations. As we move into the new year and beyond, the treasury department will be working diligently to improve the landscape of our department in effort to better serve the great citizens of Inkster. To access department information, please visit our page on the City of Inkster website or contact us at city hall. Thank you for allowing us to serve and we hope to hear from you soon!

Sincerely,  
Darryl Greene, CPA, MBA  
Treasurer, City of Inkster



TREASURER'S OFFICE

(313) 563-7704

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▪ Parks & Rec, 7:30pm

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▪ Police/Fire Retirement System, 1:00pm

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Daylight Saving Time Ends, 2 a.m.  
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▪ City Council Meeting, 7:00pm

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▪ BRA, 5:00pm  
▪ Chamber of Commerce General Membership Meetings, 6:00pm  
▪ Executive Board Meeting, 6:00pm

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▪ TIFA, 6:30pm

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Veterans Day | 11  
Library, Court & City Offices are Closed

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▪ Beautification Committee, 6:00pm

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▪ DDA, 6:00pm  
▪ Inkster Housing Commission, 6:30pm

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▪ Leanna Hicks Public Library Directors Meeting, 6:30pm

Alyssia Anderson's Birthday  
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▪ Commission on Aging, 1:00pm, Twin Towers COA Office

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▪ Historical Commission, 10:30am

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▪ City Council Meeting, 7:00pm

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Thanksgiving Day 24  
Troy Seaton's Birthday  
Library, Court & City Offices are Closed

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Library, Court & City Offices are Closed

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▪ Planning Commission, 6:00pm

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Denise Champagne's Birthday  
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Councilman G. Williams's Birthday (DISTRICT 1)

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# November 2022



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# Helpful Water Tips

## WHAT YOU SHOULD KNOW

- A household faucet runs at 3 to 5 gallons a minute.
- The average American family turns on the water tap 70 to 100 times per day. [U.S. EPA]
- 40% of the water used each day by the average person is flushed down the toilet.
- Avoid using the toilet for a wastebasket. Every flush you eliminate can save between two and seven gallons of water.
- Twice a year, check all faucets inside and outside for leaks. Replace worn out fixtures, washers, O-rings, and hose connections. Turn off faucets firmly.
- A faucet that drips at the rate of one drop per second will waste 2,700 gallons in 2 months. [American Water and Energy Savers, Inc.]
- Check appliances' connecting hoses and faucets for leaks. Even a pinhole leak wastes up to 170 gallons a day.
- Install a low flow showerhead and keep showers under five minutes.
- Filling the bathtub uses about 30 gallons of water. Plug the tub when you shower; how full does the tub get?
- Wash clothes wisely. Match washer's load selector to your load size.
- Sump Pump Buddy, a back up sump pump tied into your water supply system that is activated when there is a power outage. These systems need to be checked out once the power has been restored. These systems at times have failed to shut off resulting in large water bills, and flooding basements.

### Water Waste at 40 Pounds Pressure

- A 1/32" leak wastes 170 gallons/24 hours
- A 1/16" leak wastes 970 gallons/24 hours
- A 1/8" leak wastes 3600 gallons/24 hours
- A 1/4" leak wastes 11,030 gallons/24 hours

### Water Facts

To provide your lawn with one inch of water takes a little over half a gallon per square

foot (0.623 gallon to be more exact). That means that every 10'x10' area will require over 62 gallons of water. That doesn't sound like much until you consider that a 100' x 100' lawn uses 6,230 gallons (8.32 units) of water every time you turn on the sprinklers!

Most swimming pools fall in the range of 15-30,000 gallons (though many pools fall outside that range). That might seem like a lot of water, but it's probably not that much more than what you're already using every month. According to the EPA, the average family of four can use 400 gallons of water per day, or 12,000 gallons per month. Example:

- A circular pool 15 feet in diameter and 4.34 feet deep holds 5,736.72 gallons of water equivalent to 7.67 units of water.
- A circular pool 18 feet in diameter and 4.34 feet deep holds 8,260.88 gallons of water equivalent to 11.05 units of water.

A toilet leak at 19 gallons every five minutes, or 164,000 gallons in a month. Contrary to what some might think, it is entirely possible for a running toilet to lose that much, or significantly more.

Average inside water for a family of four is 6,000 gallons per month. That costs over \$350 in unnecessary water usage charges for just one month.

Running toilets account for the vast majority of leaks found inside the home. While nobody wants to admit their toilet leaks, it is estimated that about 20% of all toilets leak slightly. A toilet leaking one gallon every

five minutes will cause the usage to jump by more than 8,500 gallons in a month (11 units of water) —and you may never hear the water running.

To check for a leak, put a little food coloring in your toilet tank. Wait ten minutes, (don't flush the toilet), the coloring begins to appear in the bowl, you have a leak. To fix the leak, try replacing the flapper gasket, adjusting or replacing the flush valve, or call a plumber.

The replaceable toilet tank parts such as flappers and washers/seals/gaskets generally will last 4-5 years on "average". If you use a chemical bowl cleaner some flappers won't even last one year.

The easiest way to determine if you have a leak is to shut off all water-using appliances, faucets and outside watering tools (do not shut off the main water line to your home), and then check to see if the flow indicator on your water meter has completely stopped moving. If you're sure no water is being used inside or outside the home, and the indicator continues to move, you've probably got a leak somewhere.

Cloudy water, also known as white water, is caused by air bubbles in the water. It is completely harmless. It usually happens when it is very cold outside because the solubility of air in water increases as water pressure increases and/or water temperature decreases. Cold water holds more air than warm water.

### Water Used, On Average, For Common Household Tasks

Washing Machine.....	20 to 40 gallons per load
Hand washing dishes .....	up to 20 gallons per load
Automatic Dishwasher .....	6 to 12 gallons per load
Bath .....	20 to 50 gallons
Shower .....	2 to 20 gallons per minute
Toilet .....	3 to 7 gallons per flush
Faucet.....	2 to 4 gallons per minute
Garden hose (1/2 inch) .....	300 gallons per hour

SUNDAY

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Inkster Goodfellows Paper Drive

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Saif Alsenad's Birthday

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- Senior Christmas Party, 11:30am, The Dozier
- City Council Meeting, 7:00pm

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- Parks & Rec, 7:30pm

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- Police/Fire Retirement System, 1:00pm
- TIFA, 6:30pm

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- Beautification Committee, 6:00pm

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- December Board of Review, 10:00am
- BRA, 5:00pm
- Executive Board Meeting, 6:00pm

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- Leanna Hicks Public Library Directors Meeting, 6:30pm

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- Historical Commission, 10:30am

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- City Council Meeting, 7:00pm

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- DDA, 6:00pm
- Inkster Housing Commission, 6:30pm

First Day of Winter

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Christmas Eve 24

Library, Court & City Offices are Closed

Christmas Day

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Library, Court & City Offices are Closed

- Planning Commission, 6:00pm

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New Year's Eve 31

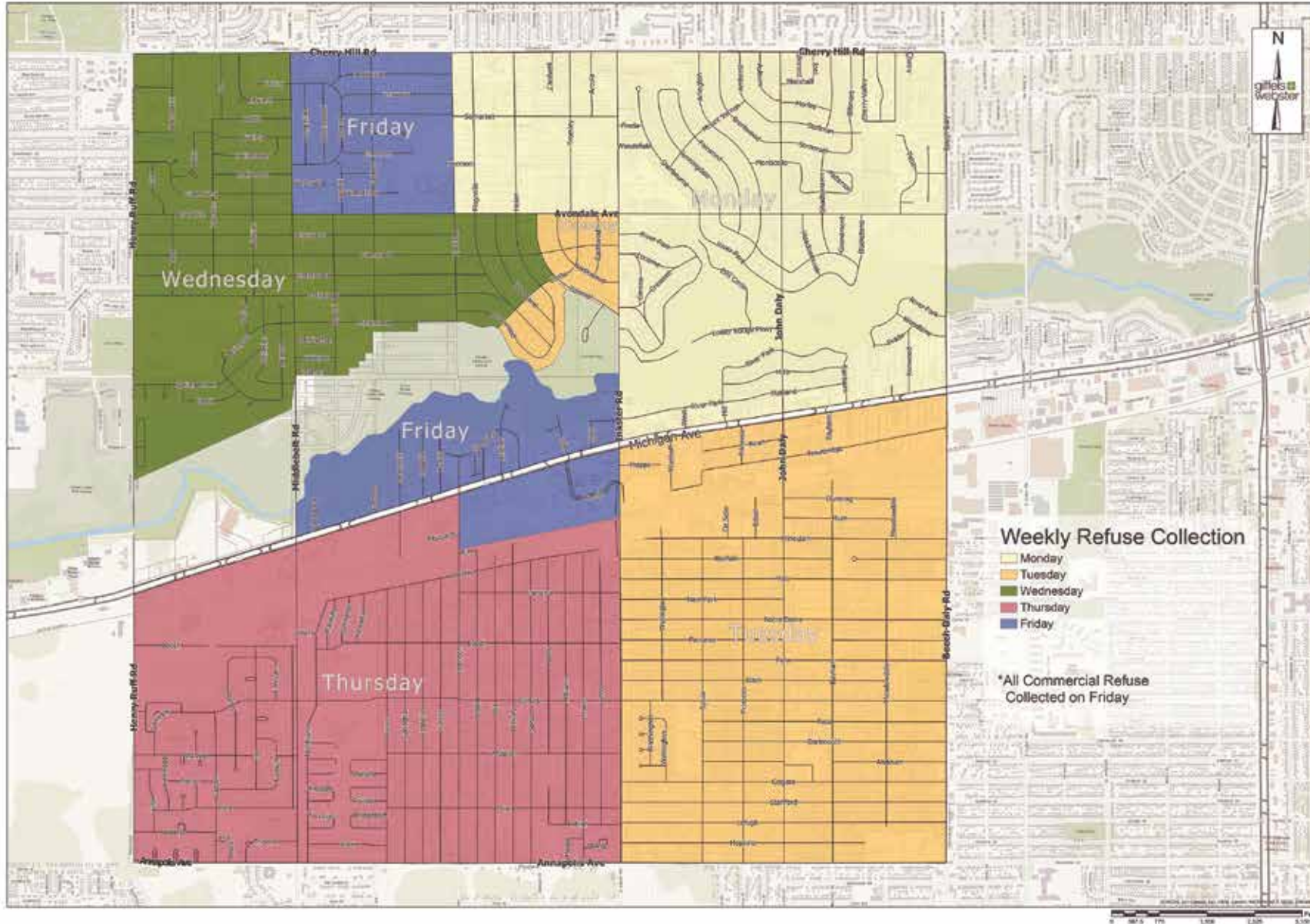
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# TRASH AND RECYCLE

## Trash Pick-Up

During the year of 2022 trash pick-up for the City of Inkster will continue on a weekly schedule for the entire year. Your trash pick-up day (Monday through Friday) will remain the same.

## Trash

Collection is delayed for certain holidays. The schedule (effective holidays) are clearly marked on the calendar.

## Trash Collection

Containers should be placed at the curbside after 6pm on the day before Collection Day and should be removed from the curbside before 6pm on the Collection Day.

## Proper Containers

The 95-gallon, wheeled curb cart had been provided to each household. If you have more trash than the new curb cart will hold, you will need to call for a special pick-up 48 hours in advance.

Cardboard boxes are not acceptable trash containers.  
They must be broken down and thrown into the recycle container.

## The Trash Contractor Does Not Pick Up:

Any EPA labeled hazardous substances, including but not limited to, gasoline, acid, inflammable or explosive materials.

## Bulk Pick-Up

Heavy household items (Stoves, refrigerators, freezers, furniture) items that do not fit into the cart. You will be allowed two bulk items a week, if you have more than two items you will need to call for a dumpster. It will be picked up on your regular pick-up day. Please call (844) 464-3587 at least 48 hours ahead so that the proper moving equipment will be available. Business hours: Monday-Friday from 9:00 AM- 5:00 PM.

## Brush, Wood & Carpeting

These items will be collected on your regularly scheduled collection day only if the following conditions are met (see next column)



## Compost Collection - Trees, Wood, Shrubs and Brush

- Bend nails over, cut, and securely tie into bundles, not to exceed 3 inches in diameter/No longer than 4 feet/No heavier than 50 pounds. Lawn clippings, twigs, flowers and plantings are all acceptable items for compost collection. Twigs and branches shall not exceed 4 inches in diameter and 3 feet in length. Stumps, rocks, dirt, and sod are not acceptable for compost/yard waste collection. To reduce the amount of compost/yard waste GFL recommends using lawn mowers with mulching blades.

## Carpet

- No longer than 4 feet/No heavier than 50 pounds/Tied and bundled
- A Resident hiring a private contractor for tree trimming/ removal must require that contractor to remove any brush, logs, or stumps.

## Vacant Lots

Vacant lots are the responsibility of the owner. If vacant lots are maintained, the owner may receive a citation and the lot will be cut/cleaned at the owner's expense. Complaints should be directed to Code Enforcement at (313) 563-0835 or the Department of Public Services at (313) 563-9774.

**Weekly curbside collection of yard waste begins April 5, 2022 and ends December 17, 2022.**

**Residents are required to separate grass clippings, leaves, weeds, and other soft yard waste from regular trash.**



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## PARKS AND RECREATION

Greetings from the Inkster Parks and Recreation! We wish you a happy new year and look forward to serving you in 2022. Our department is full of excitement and innovative transitions. With the addition of new youth programs and community events, we continue to offer great services to Inkster residents and visitors from all over. We will be undergoing construction at the Booker T. Dozier recreation center and are extremely pleased. These renovations will enhance the structure of our facility with modern technology and updated fixtures. Please visit our page on the City of Inkster website for detailed information and upcoming events. We welcome you to our department and hope to see you soon!

Sincerely,

Darryl Greene, CPA, MBA

Director, Inkster Parks and Recreation

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## CODE ENFORCEMENT

The Inkster Code Enforcement Division is charged with protecting the health, safety, and welfare of the community through enforcement of the Inkster City Ordinance. Working in conjunction with building and code officials, the ordinance officers enforce property maintenance codes, Dangerous Buildings Ordinance, elements of the Michigan Building Codes, as well as actively seeking restitution for clean ups for non-responsive property owners and illegal dumpers.

The City currently has dedicated Code Enforcement Officers who patrol Inkster streets daily to create and preserve curb appeal in both the residential and business communities. Blight and property maintenance complaints may be e-mailed to [dwall@cityofinkster.com](mailto:dwall@cityofinkster.com). Complaints are also accepted in writing by Inkster Police Department, or by writing Inkster Code Enforcement, 26279 Michigan Avenue, Inkster, Michigan, 48141 and also by phone, (313) 563-2820, as well as by their Facebook page City of Inkster Ordinance Enforcement and Animal Control.

Dog licenses can be purchased at the police code enforcement department 26279 Michigan Ave., Inkster, MI 48141.



CODE ENFORCEMENT

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## Performance Dashboard

Local Unit Name: City of Inkster

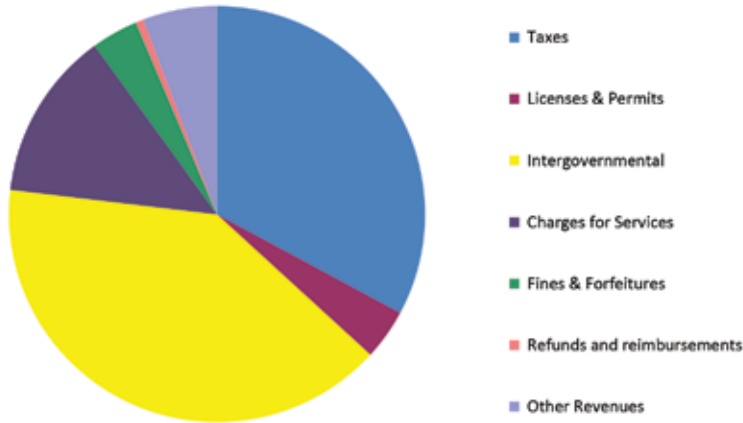
Local Unit Code: 82-2170

	2019	2020	Trend	Performance
<b>Fiscal Stability</b>				
1. Annual General Fund expenditures per capita	\$589	\$571	↓ -3.0%	Positive
2. Fund Balance as % of annual General Fund expenditures	12.4%	-0.7%	↓ -105.3%	Negative
3. Unfunded pension & OPEB liability, as a % of annual General Fund revenue	175%	212%	↑ 21.5%	Negative
4. Debt burden per capita	\$694	\$651	↓ -6.2%	Positive
5. Percentage of road funding provided by the General Fund	0.0%	0.0%	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!
6. Ratio of pensioners to employees	3.31	3.12	↓ -5.7%	Positive
7. Number of services delivered via cooperative venture	17	17	→ 0.0%	Neutral
<b>Economic Strength</b>				
% of community with access to high speed broadband	100%	100%	→ 0.0%	Neutral
% of community age 25+ with Bachelor's degree or higher	11%	11%	↑ 1.8%	Positive
Average age of critical infrastructure (years)	-	-	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!
<b>Public Safety</b>				
Violent crimes per thousand	26	26	↑ 2.7%	Negative
Property crimes per thousand	43	43	↓ -1.2%	Positive
Traffic injuries or fatalities	95	67	↓ -29.5%	Positive
<b>Quality of Life</b>				
Miles of sidewalks and non-motorized paths/trails as a factor of total miles of local/major roads & streets	1.61	1.61	→ 0.0%	Neutral
Percent of General Fund expenditures committed to arts, culture and recreation	4.3%	2.9%	↓ -32.3%	Neutral
Acres of parks per thousand residents	2.0	1.9	↓ -2.0%	Negative
Percent of community with access to curbside recycling	100%	100%	→ 0.0%	Neutral



The Performance Dashboard provides our residents a quick snapshot of key measures of our city. The results here are shown for June 30, 2019 and June 30, 2020 along with the trend between the fiscal years. Between 2019 and 2020, city spending per resident increased (Line 1), causing the fund balance to decrease, leading to a higher percentage of the fund balance being spent in 2019 (Line 2). Retirement obligations compared to city revenues has increased (Line 3), while the debt obligations per resident decreased due to debt that was paid off (Line 4). A lower percentage of employees had a pension in 2020 compared to 2019 (Line 6).

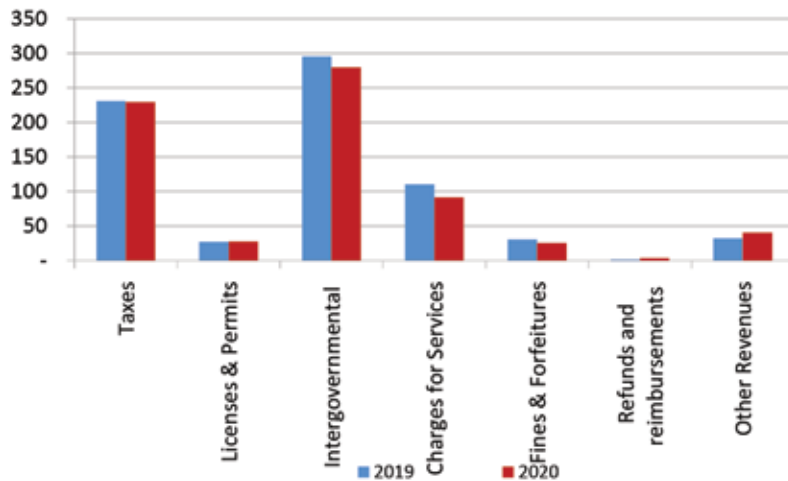
1. Where our money comes from (all governmental funds)



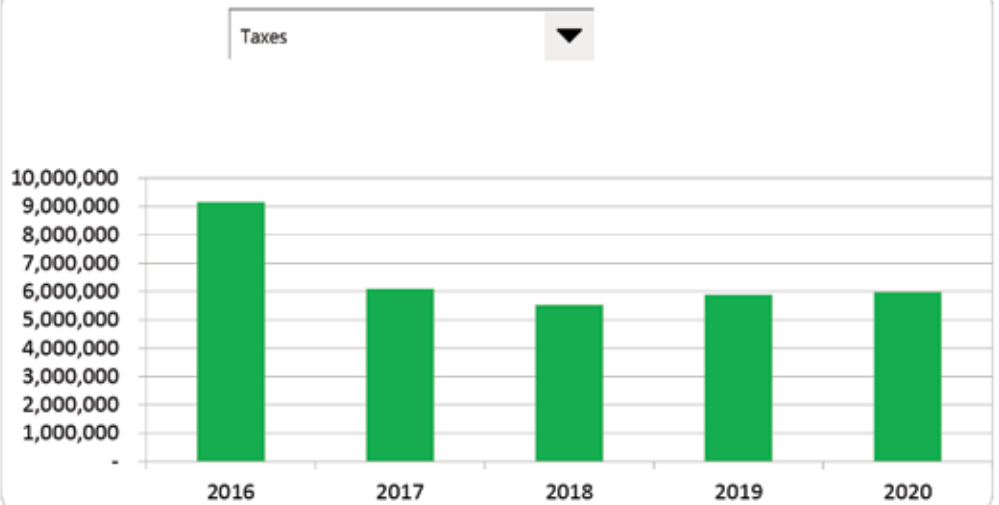
2. Compared to the prior year

	2019	2020	% change
Taxes	\$ 5,898,787	\$ 5,983,412	1.43%
Licenses & Permits	694,814	717,091	3.21%
Intergovernmental	7,556,880	7,299,709	-3.40%
Charges for Services	2,821,751	2,387,528	-15.39%
Fines & Forfeitures	779,568	661,335	-15.17%
Refunds and reimbursen	47,634	108,914	128.65%
Other Revenues	827,318	1,050,408	26.97%
<b>Total Revenues</b>	<b>\$ 18,626,752</b>	<b>\$ 18,208,397</b>	<b>-2.25%</b>

3. Revenue sources per capita - compared to the prior year



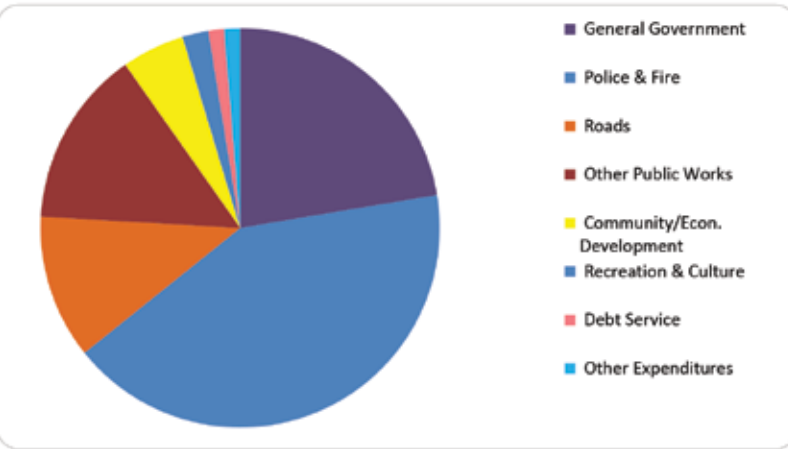
4. Historical trends of individual sources



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**EXPENDITURES**

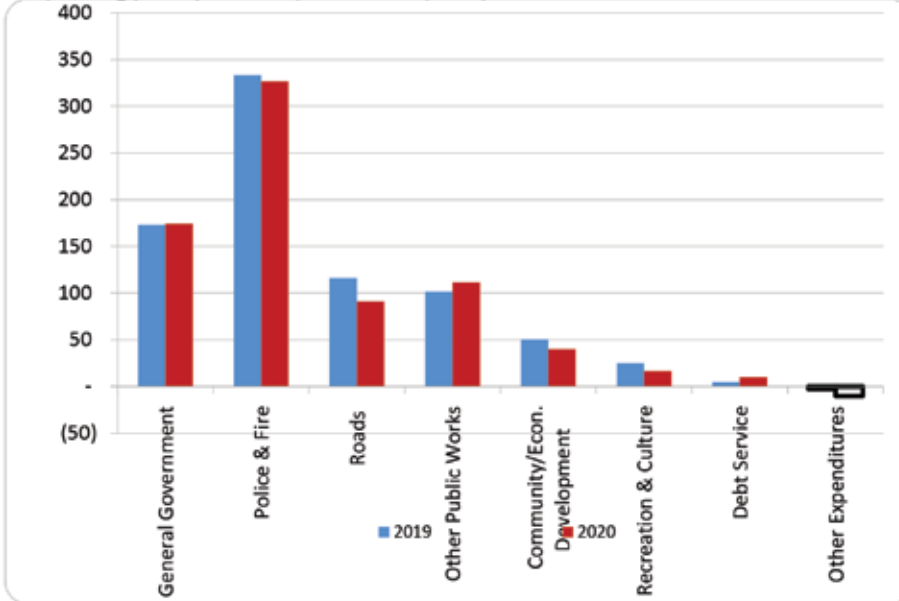
**1. Where we spend our money (all governmental funds)**



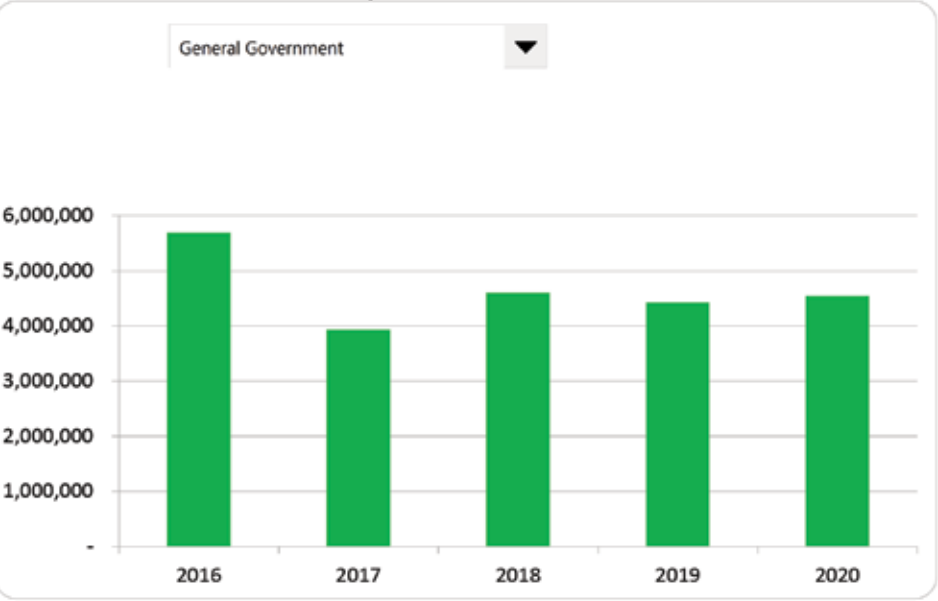
**2. Compared to the prior year**

	2019	2020	% change
General Government	\$ 4,419,725	\$ 4,547,394	2.89%
Police & Fire	8,524,516	8,518,719	-0.07%
Roads	2,971,670	2,370,478	-20.23%
Other Public Works	2,600,766	2,912,908	12.00%
Community/Econ. Development	1,292,713	1,039,074	-19.62%
Recreation & Culture	641,107	429,011	-33.08%
Debt Service	130,099	255,607	96.47%
Other Expenditures	(72,025)	(264,344)	267.02%
<b>Total Expenditures</b>	<b>\$ 20,508,571</b>	<b>\$ 19,808,847</b>	<b>-3.41%</b>

**3. Spending per capita - compared to the prior year**

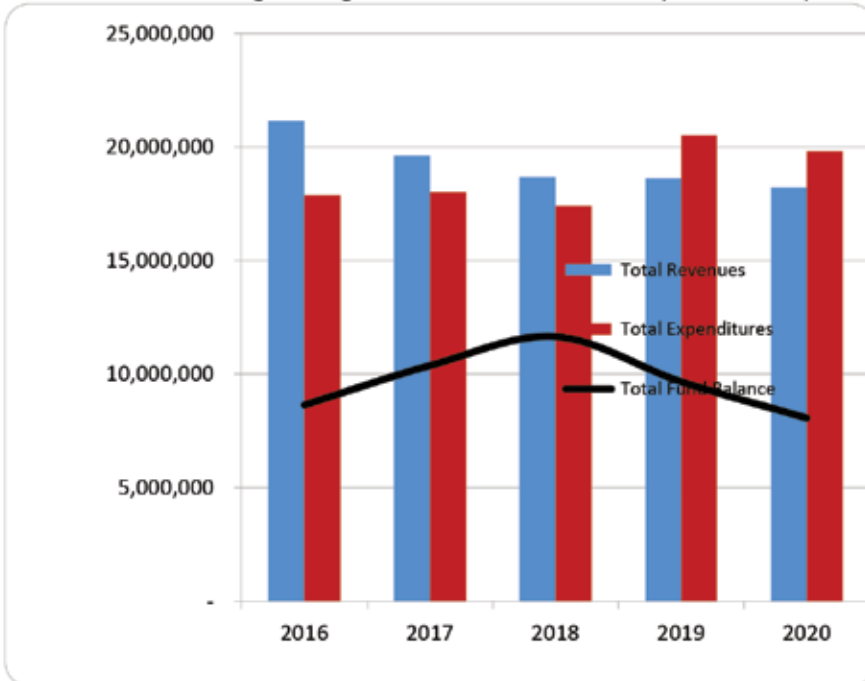


**4. Historical trends of individual departments:**

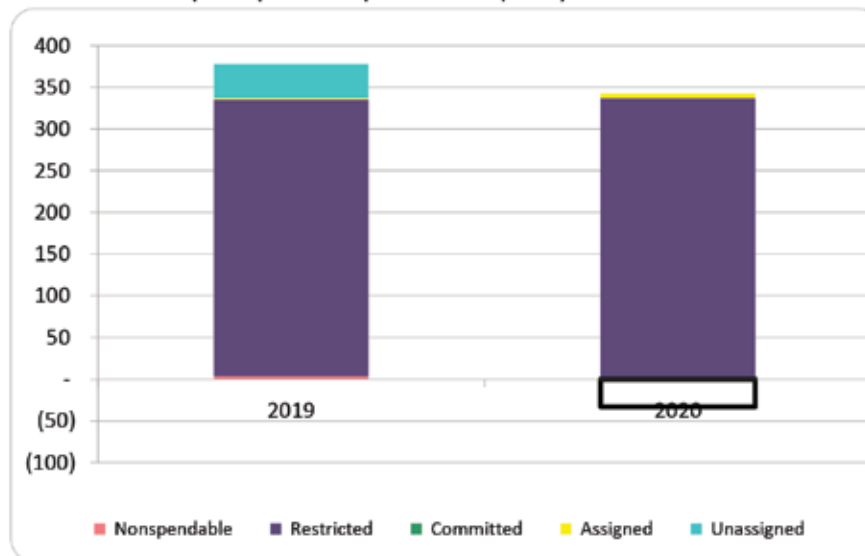


**CITIZEN'S GUIDE TO LOCAL UNIT FINANCES - City of Inkster (82-2170)**

**1. How have we managed our governmental fund resources (fund balance)?**



**3. Fund balance per capita - compared to the prior year**

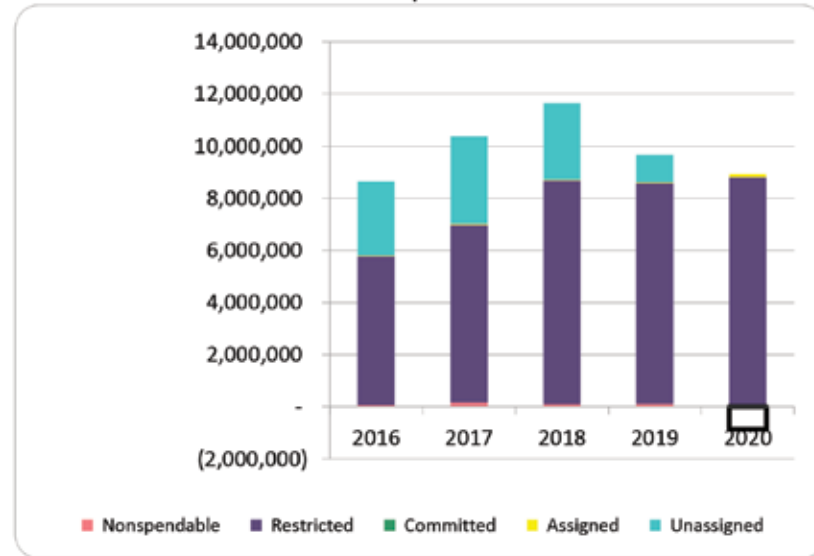


**FINANCIAL POSITION**

**2. Compared to the prior year**

	2019	2020	% change
Revenue	18,626,752	18,208,397	-2.25%
Expenditures	20,508,571	19,808,847	-3.41%
Surplus (shortfall)	(1,881,819)	(1,600,450)	-14.95%
<b>Fund balance, by component:</b>			
Nonspendable	100,088	59,340	-40.71%
Restricted	8,468,115	8,727,264	3.06%
Committed	-	-	N/A
Assigned	50,000	150,000	200.00%
Unassigned	1,050,969	(867,882)	-182.58%
<b>total fund balance</b>	<b>9,669,172</b>	<b>8,068,722</b>	<b>-16.55%</b>

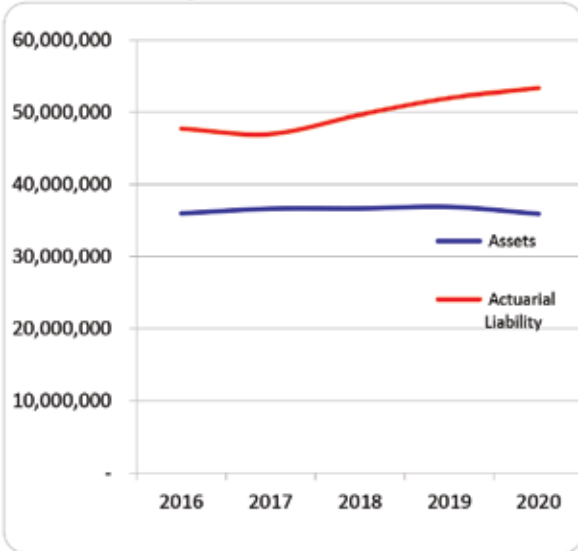
**4. Historical trends of individual components**



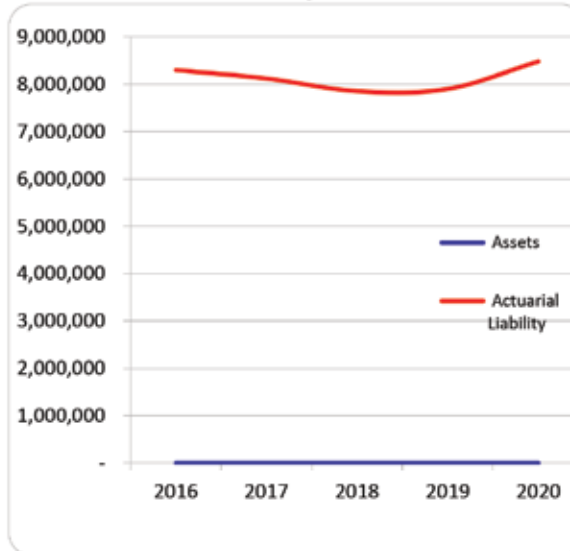
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**OTHER LONG TERM OBLIGATIONS**

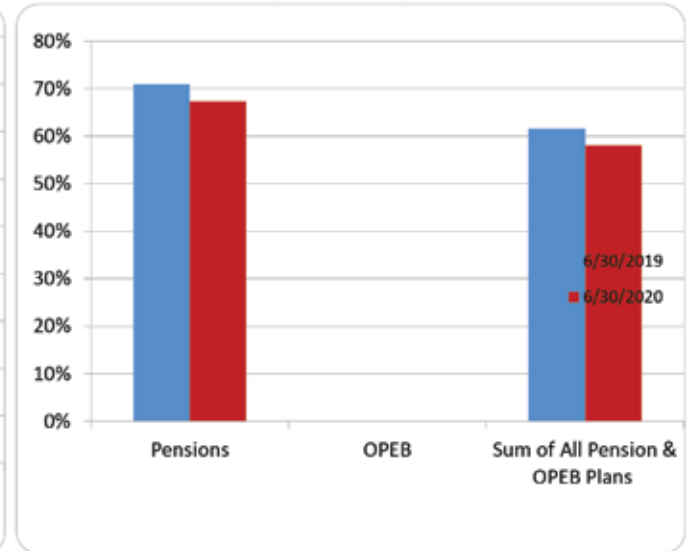
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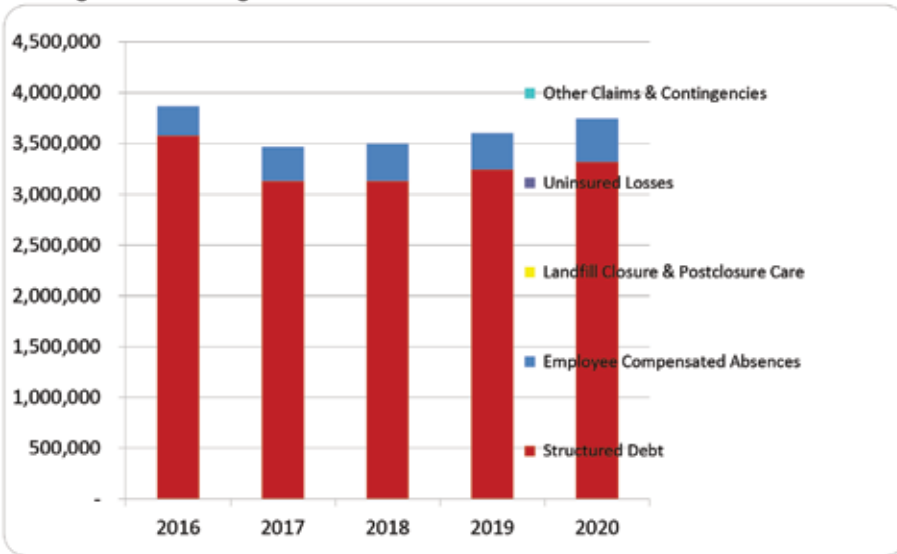
2. Retiree Health care funding status



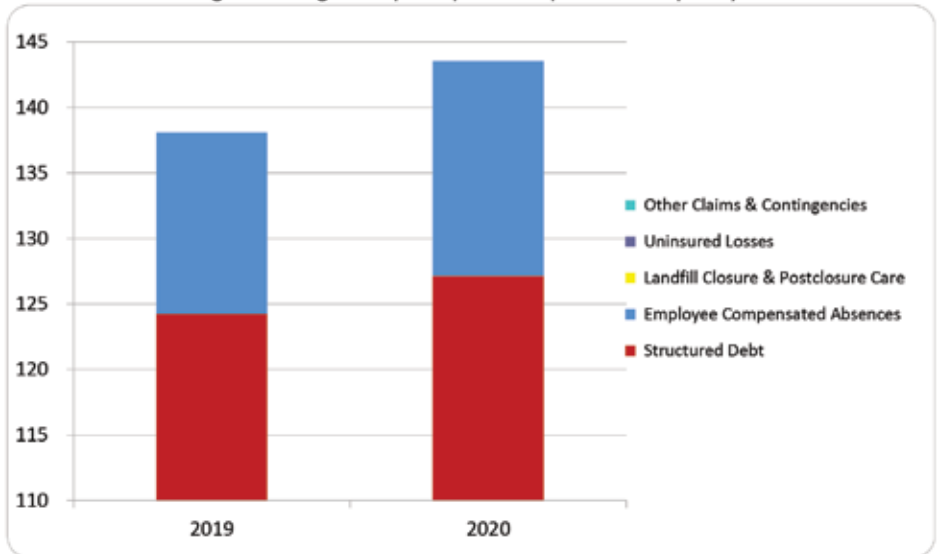
3. Percent funded - compared to the prior year



4. Long Term Debt obligations:



5. Debt & other long term obligations per capita - compared to the prior year







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