## INTERNAL AUDIT

#### **Mission Statement:**

The Internal Audit Department is committed to the systematic, objective appraisal of the diverse operations and controls within the City to determine that (1) financial and operating information is accurate and reliable, (2) risks to the City are identified and minimized, (3) regulations, laws, and policies and procedures are followed, (4) satisfactory standards are met, (5) resources are used efficiently and economically to achieve the City's objectives - all for the purpose of assisting members of the organization in the effective discharge of their responsibilities.

### **Goals and Objectives:**

- To utilize a structured risk assessment methodology to enable the Internal Audit function to quantify the level of risk related to City departments and processes. Internal Audit can then develop an appropriate audit schedule that will ensure adequate review of all City operations based on the risk scores calculated for each department factoring in previous audit coverage.
- To present accurate, comprehensive reports to management, the Audit Committee, and others covering the scope and objectives of assigned audits included in the audit plan within the time frame approved by the Audit Committee. This process holds the department accountable for effective use of its time and also ensures the results of our effort are provided to management.
- To provide sufficient follow-up on audit reports to determine the degree of compliance with audit recommendations. The department will strive to perform follow-up audits within 18 24 months of the original audit report date. This process will enable us to determine whether recommendations are implemented.
- To provide consultation services to management and staff in an effort to ensure adequate implementation of change or new processes in order to reduce the time required by audit staff for subsequent review and troubleshooting after the process has been implemented.
- To establish and maintain constructive working relations with management through use of interim briefings during the audit engagement, draft report review and a constructive orientation for reporting. This goal will ensure management is well informed throughout the audit process and that we maintain a "no surprises" approach to each project. This goal is intended to build a level of trust between Internal Audit and management in an effort to become a pro-active resource.
- To provide a comprehensive continuing professional education program for audit personnel to maintain the knowledge and skills necessary to satisfactorily perform assigned audits and stay abreast of new audit tools and techniques.
- To have an independent review of the department performance at a minimum once every three years. This review should address the quality of work performed, the department's compliance with its objectives and audit standards and the affect the department has had upon the City.

#### 2005 AUDIT PLAN:

City Utilities Annual Financial Statement Audit HANDS Annual Audit Follow-up Audits Neighborhood Code Enforcement Parks and Recreation - Administration FWPD Fiscal Affairs Community Development Fiscal Street Light Engineering

Yard Waste
Controller's Office
Information Systems
Metro
Communications
Public Works Administration
Risk Assessment Model
Cost Allocation Study

			2004	2005 APPROVED THRU 7/31/05			2006		\$ INCREASE (DECREASE) FROM 2005 APPR	% CHANGE FROM 2005 APPR TO 2006		
			ACTUAL	11	1KU //31/05	<u>30</u>	<u>IBMITTED</u>		<u>TO 2006</u>	10 2006		
4111	WAGES-REG	\$	136,225	\$	146,284	\$	151,585	\$	5,302	3.62%		
4131	PERF	Ψ	7,493	Ψ	5,916	Ψ	8,337	Ψ	2,421	40.93%		
4132	FICA		10,024		11,191		11,596		405	3.62%		
4134	GROUP HEALTH INSUR		19,500		21,000		23,550		2,550	12.14%		
4136	UNEMPLOYMENT		72		75		76		1	1.06%		
4137	WORKERS COMP		372		368		324		(44)	-11.89%		
413A	PERF/FRINGE		4,089		3,550		4,548		998	28.10%		
TOTAL 4	100	\$		\$		\$	200,016	\$	11,633	6.18%		
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4212	STATIONARY/FORMS	\$	54	\$	97	\$	-	\$	(97)	-100.00%		
4219	OTHR OFC SUPPL		424		200		280		80	40.00%		
TOTAL 4200		\$	478	\$	297	\$	280	\$	(17)	-5.72%		
431K	SEMINAR FEES	\$	1,910	æ	3,680	\$	1,560	\$	(2,120)	-57.61%		
4314	CONSULTING	φ	1,910	φ	3,000	φ	2,500	φ	2,500	100.00%		
4322	POSTAGE		- 18		60		2,300		2,300	0.00%		
4323	TELEPHONE		534		540		552		12	2.22%		
4324	TRAVEL		2,438		2,500		1,216		(1,284)	-51.36%		
4326	MILEAGE		2,430		190		1,210		(40)	-21.05%		
432L	LONG DISTANCE		11		40		40		(40)	0.00%		
4342	LIABILITY INSUR		72		71		108		37	52.11%		
4343	OFCL/CRIME BOND		21		14		15		1	7.14%		
4377	CC PARKING				70		-		(70)	-100.00%		
4391	SUBS & DUES		485		725		560		(165)	-22.76%		
4399	OTHR SRVCS		-		450		450		-	0.00%		
TOTAL 4		\$	5,489	\$		\$		\$	(1,129)	-13.54%		
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4444	PUR OTHR EQPT	\$	-	\$	1,000	\$	-	\$	(1,000)	-100.00%		
TOTAL 4	400	\$	-	\$	1,000	\$	-	\$	(1,000)	-100.00%		
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	Internal Audit 2006	-2010 Capital I	mprovem	ent Progr	am					
	FUNDING SOURCE CODE:	GRP-Grant P	ending		PT-Property Tax					
	CC-Cumulative Capital Fund	LE-Lease			RB-Revenue Bond					
	CDBG-Community Development Block Grant	InfraBd-Infras	tructure Bond		ST-State Source					
	CEDIT-Co. Economic Development Income Tax	LRS-Local Ro	oads & Streets		SU-Sewer Utility					
	CO-County Source	MISC-Miscell	aneous		SWU-Stormwater Utility					
	FED-Federal Source	MVH-Motor V	ehicle Highwa	y	TIF-Tax Increment Financing					
	GOB-General Obligation Bond	PCBF-Park C	umulative Bldg	g. Fund	UF-User Fee					
	GRA-Grant Approved	PS-Private So	ource		WU-Water Utility					
Item #	Project Title & Description	Funding			Expenditure					
iteiii#	Project Title & Description	Source	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010			
1	Printer Replacement	PT	-	1,000	-	-	-			
2	Laptop Computer Replacement	PT	PT - 1,3			-	-			
TOTAL			-	2,300	-	-				

<sup>1.</sup> Internal Audit shares a printer. Based on the replacement schedule, this printer should have been replaced in 2002. The printer is still in fine working order, so we intend to postpone replacement until 2007.

<sup>2.</sup> The laptop is used for fieldwork on offsite audits, special projects, and could be used as a backup if one of the desk top computers were to crash.

# STAFFING LEVELS BUDGETED INTERNAL AUDIT

CLASSIFICATION TITLE	EXEMPT GRID/* UNION	98	99	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	
Director of Internal Audit *	Н	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Staff Auditor	Е	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	
TOTAL	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3		

<sup>\*</sup> Represents Grid and Salary Ordinance changes