

MUNICIPAL COURT

John W. Bull *Municipal Court Presiding Judge* September 4, 2018

Why Municipal Court?

We are committed to administering justice in a fair, efficient, and timely manner



Organizational Chart



Promoting Access to Justice for All

Senate Bill 1913

House Bill 351

Notification prior to issuance of a warrant for both failure to appear and payment default

Ability to pay assessments performed by both judge and court staff

Implementation of Senate Bill 42

Security **Committee created** and made recommendations for security enhancements

Accomplishments

Court Security policy implemented

Court bailiffs provided court security training through AACOG

Goals

- Upgraded duress system
- Increased cameras and security measures

Truancy Prevention & Intervention Grant

Juvenile Case Manager Program awarded **Truancy Prevention** and Intervention Program Grant by the State of Texas in FY 2018



215 of truancy cases referred for criminal prosecution (parent)

950 of truant student referrals for court mediation

> 5% of juvenile related program attendance

FY 2019 Initiatives & Improvements



Youth Re-engagement

EMPOWERING San Antonio youth toward bright and successful future through college and workforce placement

40% get a degree 20 % get a job

> Counseling Trauma – informed approach

ENHANCING and maximizing City services for our youth community

ENGAGING disconnected youth through increased avenues to education and employment

35,000 Youth Ages 16-24 Not in school or working

7 City Departments Goodwill Communities In Schools **ENABLING** San Antonio community to have an active part in youth services

Municipal Traffic Safety

Increase court participation:

1. Annual Municipal Courts Week (Nov. 5-9, 2018)

2. Red Ribbon Week (Oct. 23-31, 2018)

Decrease community incidents:

- 1. Child safety seat offenses
- 2. Red light offenses
- 3. Juvenile DUI
- 4. Traffic fatalities

MAGISTRATE'S OFFICE TRANSITION FY 2019

Fall of FY 2019 (Projected)

Bexar County departs Night Magistrate facility

FY 2008

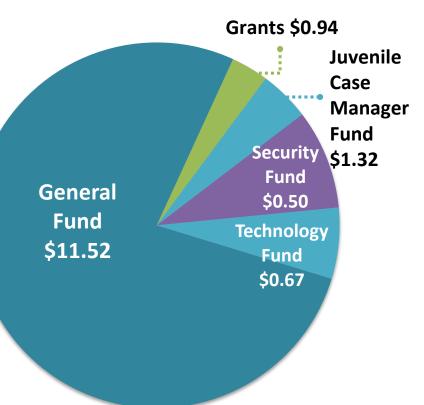
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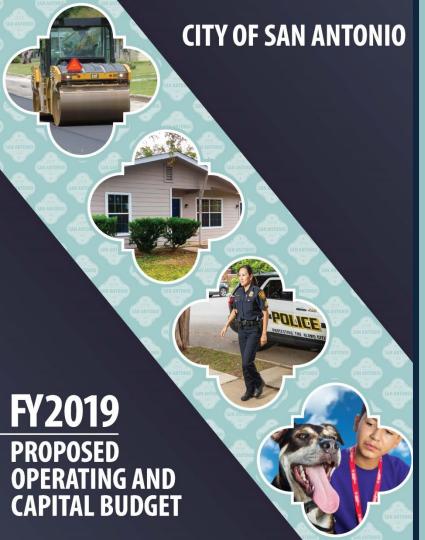
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FY 2019 All Funds Proposed Budget - \$14.95M (\$ in Millions)

Fund	FY 2018	FY 2019	Change	Authorized Positions
General Fund	\$11.40	\$11.52	\$0.12	122
Security Fund	0.50	0.50	-	7
Technology Fund	0.72	0.67	(0.05)	0
Juvenile Case Manager	1.29	1.32	0.03	18
Grants	1.20	0.94	(0.26)	16
Total	\$15.11	\$14.95	(\$0.16)	163





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