# Town of Vienna Fiscal Year 2024 POPULAR ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT



FOR FISCAL YEAR
ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

Mercury Payton,
Town Manager





The Town of Vienna is proud to present our Popular Annual Financial Report (PAFR) for Fiscal Year (FY) 2024. The PAFR provides residents, businesses, and readers with a high-level overview of the Town's financial affairs and a snapshot of how the Town serves its community, highlighting successes and challenges.

This report is a simplified and condensed version of the Town's Annual Comprehensive Financial Report (ACFR). The PAFR, unlike the ACFR, is unaudited and provides summary information on primary government funds, with references to other activities. Therefore, this report does not conform to generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP). The PAFR is meant to be more concise and in a user-friendly format.

The 2024 ACFR can be found here:

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### VIENNA TOWN COUNCIL



Mayor Linda Colbert



Sandra Allen



Chuck Anderson



Roy Baldwin



Ray Brill



Jessica Ramakis



Howard Springsteen



Town Manager Mercury Payton



### TOWN OF VIENNA COUNCIL

Under the council-manager form of government, the elected governing body (i.e., Mayor and Town Council) is responsible for establishing policy, passing local ordinances, adopting the annual budget, and developing the overall vision for The Town. Vienna has a mayor and six council members elected at large (without districts or precincts). Elections are held every two years for all elected officials. These elected officials then appoint a Town Manager to oversee the daily operations of the government and implement the policies established by the governing body. The Manager has sole authority for hiring, firing, and managing Town employees.

# VIENNA QUICK FACTS



### FOUNDED 1890

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### Geography

76

4.4

Miles of Sidewalk Square Miles

### Race & Ethnicity

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White Asian Hispanic Other 66.1% 13.3% 8.4% 7.1%

### Demographics

17,279

\$215,556

No. of Residents Mean Household Income

### Household Information

5,762

3.03

No. of Households

Avg. Household Size

### Sources:

https://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/demographics/ sites/demographics/files/assets/demographic

reports/fullrpt.pdf

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### VIENNA STATISTICS

**Recognition:** 



Presentation Award

for Fiscal Year 2025 from GFOA



Successfully recertified as a BEE CITY USA and participated in the Monarch Challenge.



### Top Vienna Employers

Fairfax County Public Schools
Giant Foods
Town of Vienna
Whole Foods Market Group
Westwood Country Club
Wheat's Lawn and Custom Land, Inc.
Hope Advanced Veterinary Clinic

Navy Federal Credit Union

U.S. Postal Service

The Fresh Market

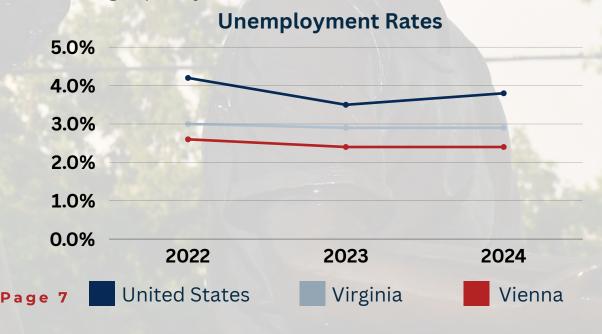
# **Local Economy**

Vienna has a diverse and growing economy benefiting from it's well-developed infrastructure, real estate redevelopment, and strong community-focused environment.

During FY 2024 the Federal Reserve has decreased interest rates slightly to 4.75 percent - 5.0 percent range. During the Fiscal Year inflation dropped by 0.3 percentage points, to 3.0. However, average inflation during this time period was 3.3 percent. The continued decrease in the inflation rate, from its 2022 high of 9.1%, is primarily due to supply chain improvements. Despite the uncertainty in the economy, residential redevelopment continues strong in Vienna. However, at least one major commercial development remains to be on hold citing high construction and borrowing costs.

Unemployment rates remained unchanged during the Fiscal Year compared with the previous years. In June 2024, the area's unemployment rate of 2.4 percent was slightly lower than the state's rate of 2.9 percent, and favorable to the national rate of 3.8 percent.

Overall, Vienna's economy is robust and diversified, with strong ties to the government, technology, and service industries, Vienna offers a high quality of life that attracts residents and businesses.



# Financial Review of Fiscal Year 2024



The Financial Review section is designed to provide details on the financial health and stability of the Town of Vienna. Included within this section are discussions of major revenue sources and major expenditure allocations, analysis of fund balances, analysis of net position, and financial trends.

The tables below depict the sources of revenues and expenditures for the Town on a fund-level basis of accounting, highlighting how the Town received its funding and where the funds were spent.

During FY 2024, the Town's governmental funds reported a combined ending fund balance of \$51.3 million which represents an increase of \$ 3.5 million over the prior year. The Town's proprietary (water and sewer) fund, labeled business-type activities, reported an ending fund balance of \$29.7 million which represents an increase of \$2.7 million over the prior year.



### **Net Position**



### Statement of Net Position:

Broadly, the Statement of Net Position presents what the Town of Vienna owns (assets, including deferred outflows of resources) and what the Town of Vienna owes (liabilities, including deferred inflows of resources). The difference between the two is termed "Net Position". Positive net position balances indicate a measure of financial stability.

### Schedule of Assets, Deferred Inflows and Net Position

	Governmental Activities				Business-type Activities				
		2024		2023	2024			2023	
Assets:									
Current and other assets	\$	62,386,387	\$	55,986,673	\$	10,215,779	\$	3,686,642	
Capital assets		89,403,271		98,437,280		34,764,992		29,872,641	
Total assets	\$	151,789,658	\$	154,423,953	\$	44,980,771	\$	33,559,283	
Deferred Outflows of Resources	\$	4,459,148	\$	4,883,603	\$	315,491	\$	436,657	
Liabilities:									
Long-term liabilities outstanding	\$	77,589,631	\$	79,193,876	\$	12,592,598	\$	4,355,175	
Other liabilities		22,886,791		26,600,568		2,699,210		2,294,859	
Total liabilities	\$	100,476,422	\$	105,794,444	\$	15,291,808	\$	6,650,034	
Deferred Inflows of Resources	\$	4,486,660	\$	5,757,949	\$	329,846	\$	403,834	
Net Position:									
Net investment in capital assets	\$	59,606,814	\$	58,701,481	\$	30,068,391	\$	26,951,290	
Restricted		1,325,587		1,412,160		-		-	
Unrestricted		(9,646,677)		(12,358,478)		(393,783)		(9,218)	
Total net position	\$	51,285,724	\$	47,755,163	\$	29,674,608	\$	26,942,072	

# Changes in Net Position



### Changes in Net Position:

Governmental activities reflect an increase in net position of \$3.5M and business-type activities reflect an increase of \$2.7M. The following table provides an overview of revenues, expenses, and changes in net position for the Fiscal Year.

**Change in Net Position** 

	Governmental			Business-type					
		Activ	ities			Activities			
	2024			2023		2024		2023	
Revenues:									
Program revenues:									
Charges for services	\$	2,358,645	\$	2,175,048	\$	11,153,298	\$	10,401,465	
Operating grants and contributions		8,569,307		7,601,959		651		1,904	
Capital grants and contributions		1,027,796		2,275,161		523,161		8,870	
General revenues:									
Property taxes		13,395,515		12,844,193		-		-	
Other local taxes		11,255,566		10,792,467		-		-	
Grants & contributions - unrestricted		696,508		740,928		-		-	
Unrestricted revenues from the use of									
money and property		2,261,994		1,843,277		294,376		33,829	
Miscellaneous		3,486,597		2,133,783		323,061		359,222	
Total revenues	\$	43,051,928	\$	40,406,816	\$	12,294,547	\$	10,805,290	
Expenses:									
General government administration	\$	7,691,017	\$	6,791,896	\$	-	\$	-	
Public safety		8,862,473		7,972,360		-		-	
Public works		11,670,357		11,859,759		-		-	
Health and welfare		285,175		268,882		-		-	
Parks, recreation and cultural		7,423,989		5,956,903	-		-		
Community development		1,771,388		1,576,547	-		-		
Interest on long-term debt		1,862,839		1,304,421		-		-	
Water and sewer		-		-		9,516,140		8,626,708	
Total Expenses	\$	39,567,238	\$	35,730,768	\$	9,516,140	\$	8,626,708	
Net Position:									
Income before capital contributions	•	2 404 600	•	4 676 040	Φ.	0.770.407	Φ.	2 170 502	
and transfers	\$	3,484,690	2	4,676,048	\$	2,778,407	\$	2,178,582	
Transfers		45,871		70,683		(45,871)		(70,683)	
Increase (Decrease) in net position	\$	3,530,561	\$	4,746,731	\$	2,732,536	\$	2,107,899	
Net position, beginning of year		47,755,163		43,008,432		26,942,072	_	24,834,173	
Net position, end of year	\$	51,285,724	\$	47,755,163	\$	29,674,608	\$	26,942,072	

### Governmental Funds Revenues for FY 24

**Percentage of Total FY 24 Revenues** 



### **Property Taxes: 31.1% of Total**

Taxes collected from property owners upon assessed valuation and tax rate. The dollar amount received is used to fund governmental services (captured in the general fund).



### **Intergovernmental: 19.9%**

Revenue from other governments, mainly the Commonwealth of Virginia, in the form of grants, contributions, and shared revenue.



### Other Taxes: 18.0%

Represents various other taxes such as franchise fees, sales, and tobacco tax.



### Other Sources: 17.4%

This category includes sources of licenses and permits, fines and forfeitures, contributions and donations, and investment earnings.



### **Meals Taxes: 8.1%**

Taxes imposed on ready-to-serve food. The dollar amount received is used to fund capital projects approved by Vienna's Town Council.



### **Charges for Services: 5.5%**

Fees collected for general government services. This includes recreation activity fees, and inspection fees.

# Governmental Funds Expenditures for FY 24 Percentage of Total FY 24 Expenditures



Public Works: 29.5%

Expenditures incurred in providing engineering, transportation, sanitation, and public works services as well as capital investment.



### Public Safety: 23.1% of Total

Expenditures incurred for public safety activities including police and fire services.



### Parks, Recreation & Culture: 18.8%

Expenditures incurred in providing cultural and recreational services, maintaining Town parks and landscaping as well as capital investment.



### **Community Development: 4.5%**

Expenditures incurred in providing community and economic development, permitting, and inspection services.



### Other Services: 24.1%

This category includes the functions of General Government, Intergovernmental, and Debt Service. The largest component, General Government, represents expenditures incurred for general administrative offices including the Mayor and Town Council, Town Administration, Finance, Human Resources, and Information Technology.

### Governmental Funds for FY 24

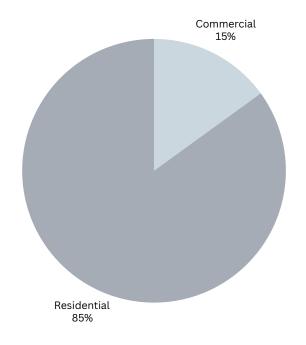


The Governmental Fund accounts for monetary resources of the Town that are used in financing Town operations and expenditures.

The Real Estate tax is the main revenue driver for the General Fund, which funds the Town's day to day services.

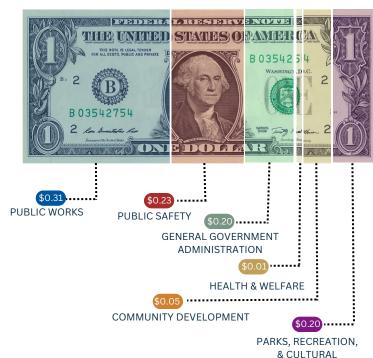
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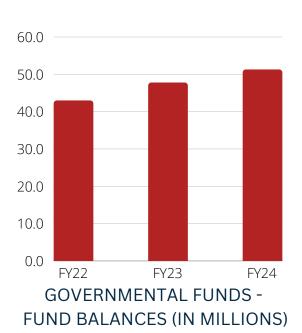
(PERCENTAGE OF FUNDING FROM RESIDENTIAL VS COMERCIAL FOR PROPERTY TAXES)



#### WHERE THE MONEY GOES

(WHAT YOUR PROPERTY TAX DOLLARS FUND)







# **Proprietary Fund** Revenues for FY 24



**Percentage of Total FY 24 Revenues** 



Sewer Charges: 38.7% of Total

Monies collected for sanitary sewer services provided.



Water Charges: 38.0% of Total

Monies collected for water provided.



**Account Service Charges: 14.8%** 

A quarterly fee collected for meter maintenance, replacement, and other fixed system charges.



**Miscellaneous Revenues 6.5%** 

Monies collected for late fees, new build availability fees, tap inspections fees, along with other miscellaneous billings for water or sewer use.



Sale of Water Meters: 2.0%

Revenue from customers, commercial or residential, that purchase a water meter for a new service.

# **Proprietary Fund** Expenses for FY 24 Percentage of Total FY 24 Expenses





### Sewer Treatment Cost: 29.4%

Expense incurred for cost of sewer treatment provided by D.C. Water And Sewer Authority and Fairfax County's Public Works Wastewater Treatment.



### Personnel: 26.2% of Total

Expense of salaries and benefits for water and sewer employees. These employees ensure proper function of the water and sewer infrastructure, assist residents, provide customer service, conduct billing, and perform meter reads, among other duties.



### Wholesale Water Purchase: 22.9%

Expense incurred for cost of water provided by Fairfax County Water Authority.



### Capital Outlay & Interest Costs: 12.1%

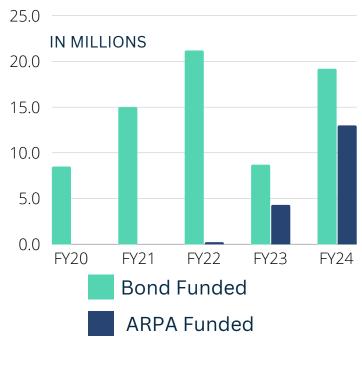
Expenses incurred to purchase and repay bond costs associated with capital assets such as infrastructure to line or repair sewer lines, replace water lines, and to fund replacement vehicles for the water and sewer department.



### Maintenance Supplies & Services: 9.9%

Expenses incurred for maintaining and repairing the Towns water and sewer lines.

# Capital Improvement Projects Including ARPA Projects



Substantial investments in community and capital improvements are made each year. The chart on the left depicts a 5-year history of to purchase, construct, expenditures renovate the capital assets and infrastructure of the Town. For Fiscal Year 2024, the Town of Vienna's investment in capital outlay (parks, roadways, buildings) totaled \$31 demonstrating our on-going commitment to provide a quality of life that ensures the success and vitality of the Town for the present and the future. With the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) funding, the Town was able to support the safety and economic goals, as well as having the ability to invest in water & sewer, and infrastructure more timely.

### **Capital Improvements Completed During FY 24**

#### **Road Improvements:**

- Asphalt & Mill Overlay (various locations)
- Church Street / Mill Street Improvements

#### **Sidewalk Improvements:**

- Robinson Trust Sidewalk Program -Sidewalk Design and Installation (various locations)
- Sidewalk, Curb & Gutter Design and installation (various locations)

### **Building Improvements:**

- Freeman Store Bridge Replacement
- Town Hall Brick Planters
- Northside Property Yard Heavy Vehicle Lifts Upgrade
- Building Demolition 301 Center Street S

#### **Miscellaneous Improvements:**

- Long-Term Use Study of the Annex Property
- Maple Avenue & Park Street Signal Reconstruction
- Maple Avenue & Church Street Landscaping
- Town wide Parking Demand / Feasibility Study
- Scoreboard replacement at Waters Field
- Meadow Lane Merry-Go-Round
- Phase 1 of Bear Branch Stream Restoration
- Drainage Improvements (various locations)
- Water Main Improvements (various locations)
- Sanitary Sewer Pipe Rehabilitation (various locations)

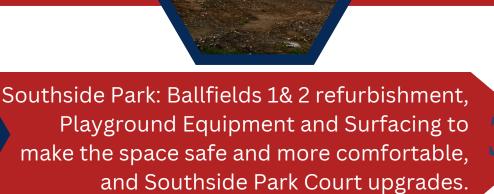


# VIENNA'S CAPITAL INITIATIVES The current capital initiatives are:



Sidewalk, curb and gutter, street repaving and storm drainage projects, several of which were financed with grants from the Virginia Department of Transportation, Northern Virginia Transportation Authority, and State stormwater grants.

Review feasibility study and recommendations for the long-term use of the Annex Property, that includes seniors, aquatics, fitness, meeting/gathering areas.



Redevelopment of the Patrick Henry Library in downtown Vienna, in coordination with Fairfax County.



# VIENNA BY THE NUMBERS

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			2022	2023	2024
	Public	Linear Feet of Sidewalk Replace / Installed	3,150	8,780	10,000
	Works	Tons of Asphalt Installed	12,550	16,140	12,860
	WOLKS	Tons of Recycled Materials Collected	1,470	1,750	1,320
THE WORKER VEST		Numbers of Parks	13	13	13
	Parks & Recreation	Number of Trees Planted	250	350	250
		Number of Camps Held	140	150	156
P		Number of Dispatched Events	8,210	11,840	12,090
	Police	Number of Patrol Units	23	23	23
		Number of Crime Prevention Presentations	28	30	60
		Permit Applications	773	694	713
- · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Planning & Zoning	New Single-Family Dwellings	100	60	70
		New Zoning Violation Cases Closed	149	118	147
		Repair Water Main Breaks	53	52	35
	Water & Sewer	Linear Feet of Sewer Lines Repaired	67	4,254	4,454
		Footage of Sewer Mains Cleaned	153.7 K	136K	144K



### **DEFINITIONS & KEY TERMS**

ASSETS: What the Town owns that has current or future value.

**EXPENSES:** Money spent by the Town to continue operation and provide necessary services to it's residents.

**GOVERNMENTAL FUND:** Used to account for activities primarily supported by taxes, grants, and similar revenue sources.

**PROPRIETARY FUND:** Used to account for business type activities, the water and sewer fund.

**LIABILITIES:** What the Town owes.

**NET POSITION:** Difference between assets and liabilities.

**REVENUES:** How the Town intakes money.



