Tax Collector

The Tax Collector facilitates the collection and distribution of current and delinquent real estate, personal property, as well as special assessments for all local taxing authorities. Additionally, the Office of the Tax Collector acts as an agent on behalf of the State of Florida to issue automobile, vessel and mobile home registrations and titles and hunting and fishing licenses.

FY 2024-25 Adopted Operating Budget

Expenditures by Activity

(dollars in thousands)

Coffice of the Tax Collector \$36,205

Revenues by Source

(dollars in thousands)

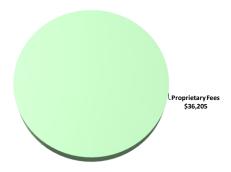


TABLE OF ORGANIZATION

TAXCOLLECTOR

Formulates and directs Tax Collector policy and provides leadership and direction of departmental operations as well as legal services

FY23-24 FY24-25
204 192

The FY 2024-25 total number of full-time equivalent positions is 192

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- In FY 2024-25, the Office of the Tax Collector will become a constitutional office effective January 7, 2025; as such, the County will be transitioning the department, which will be a newly established governmental entity known as the Miami-Dade County Tax Collector's Office
- The FY 2024-25 Adopted Budget continues to prioritize the preparation for the transition to the constitutional office in January of 2025
- Per the State of Florida Attorney General Opinion 76-173, the County is under a duty to the Tax Collector to provide office space within the county seat to the county tax collector without charge; as such, the rent revenues budgeted to ISD for office space occupied by the Tax Collector will be funded by the general fund
- The FY 2024-25 Adopted Budget includes the transfer of the activities related to the collection and distribution of Tourist
 Taxes from the Tax Collector's Office to Regulatory and Economic Resources to maximize efficiencies (13 positions, \$6.441
 million)
- In FY 2024-25, the County will propose to enter into an interlocal agreement with the Tax Collector to ensure the effective transfer of resources; this agreement will enable the Tax Collector to assume its statutory duties on January 7, 2025, and will provide administrative, financial (from the Clerk of the Court and Comptroller's Office), and other support services through a transition period, ensuring uninterrupted service to the community
- The FY 2024-25 Adopted Budget includes the addition of one Public Information Officer to manage communications and engagement efforts to the public (\$105,000)

CAPITAL BUDGET HIGHLIGHTS AND OPERATIONAL IMPACTS

In support of the Office of the Tax Collector, the FY 2024-25 Adopted Budget and Multi-Year Capital Plan includes capital program #2000003175 – Tax Collector – Headquarters Reconfiguration in the Internal Services Departmental (ISD) capital budget, ISD in conjunction with the Office of the Tax Collector will reconfigure the office to allow for additional customer service representatives to reduce customer wait times; the transition of the Office of the Tax Collector from a standalone Department and to a constitutional office has necessitated the reconfiguration of the office; the capital program is funded through the Countywide Infrastructure Investment Program (CIIP) (total program cost \$1.64 million; \$1.24 million in FY 2024-25; capital program #2000003175)

OPERATING FINANCIAL SUMMARY

	Actual	Actual	Budget	Adopted
(dollars in thousands)	FY 21-22	FY 22-23	FY 23-24	FY 24-25
Revenue Summary				
Ad Valorem Fees	0	17,050	15,120	15,680
Auto Tag Fees	0	16,103	16,415	16,561
Carryover	0	14,330	9,888	5,193
Local Business Tax Receipt	0	4,559	2,540	2,533
Miscellaneous Revenues	0	682	10	195
Tourist Tax Fees	0	6,416	7,247	0
Total Revenues	0	59,140	51,220	40,162
Operating Expenditures				
Summary				
Salary	0	11,882	15,511	15,839
Fringe Benefits	0	5,093	6,822	7,200
Contractual Services	0	443	2,180	2,564
Other Operating	0	6,974	5,616	6,127
Charges for County Services	0	2,118	2,584	3,877
Capital	0	452	655	598
Total Operating Expenditures	0	26,962	33,368	36,205
Non-Operating Expenditures				
Summary				
Transfers	0	16,388	17,852	0
Distribution of Funds In Trust	0	0	0	0
Debt Service	0	0	0	0
Depreciation, Amortizations	0	0	0	0
and Depletion				
Reserve	0	0	0	3,957
Total Non-Operating	0	16,388	17,852	3,957
Expenditures				

	Total Funding		Total Positions						
(dollars in thousands)	Budget	Adopted	Bu	dget	Adopted				
Expenditure By Program	FY 23-24	FY 24-25	FY	23-24	FY 24-25				
Strategic Area: General Government									
Office of the Tax Collector	2,58	5	0	17	0				
Finance, Budget and	9,552		0	49	0				
Administration									
Fast Payment Processing	3,86	9	0	22	0				
Auto Tag	2,60	5	0	28	0				
Taxpayer Services and Ad	5,715		0	48	0				
Valorem									
Business Taxes	4,31	1	0	34	0				
Business Systems and	4,73	1	0	6	0				
Initiatives									
Strategic Area: Constitutional Office									
Office of the Tax Collector		0 36,2	05	0	192				
Total Operating Expenditure	s 33,36	8 36,2	05	204	192				