

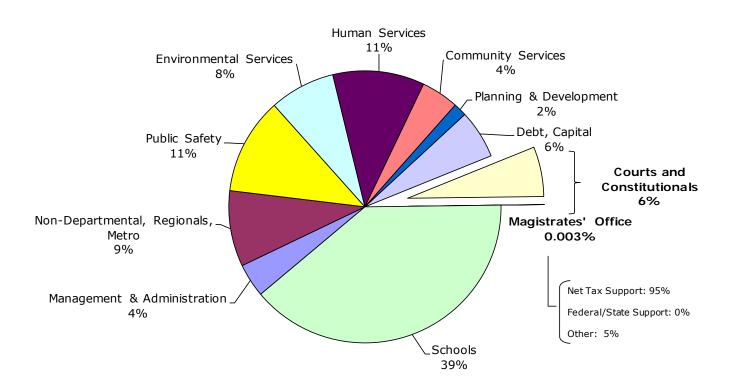
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The Office of the Magistrate issues warrants for the arrest of violators of state law and County ordinances, admits to bail or commits to jail all persons charged with offenses subject to the limitations and in accordance with the general laws on bail, issues civil warrants, issues temporary detention orders, and emergency protective orders. The Magistrate administers oaths, takes acknowledgements, and acts as conservators for the peace.

# FY 2019 Proposed Budget - General Fund Expenditures



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### **LINES OF BUSINESS**

Office of the Magistrate

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### SIGNIFICANT BUDGET CHANGES

The FY 2019 proposed expenditure budget for the Office of the Magistrate is \$41,432, a three percent decrease from the FY 2018 adopted budget. The FY 2019 proposed budget reflects:

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### **DEPARTMENT FINANCIAL SUMMARY**

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Fees Total Revenues	1,153 1,153	2,168 2,168	2,125 2,125	-2% -2%
Net Tax Support	\$37,891	\$40,552	\$39,307	-3%
Permanent FTEs Temporary FTEs Total Authorized FTEs	:	- -	-	

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#### OFFICE OF THE MAGISTRATE

### **PROGRAM MISSION**

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- Issue warrants for the arrest of violators of State law and County ordinances.
- Admit to bail or commit to jail all persons charged with offenses subject to the limitations and in accordance with the general laws on bail.
- Issue civil warrants, accept pre-payments of traffic summons when the Clerk's Office is closed, and issue temporary detention orders.
- Administer oaths, take acknowledgements, and act as conservators for the peace.

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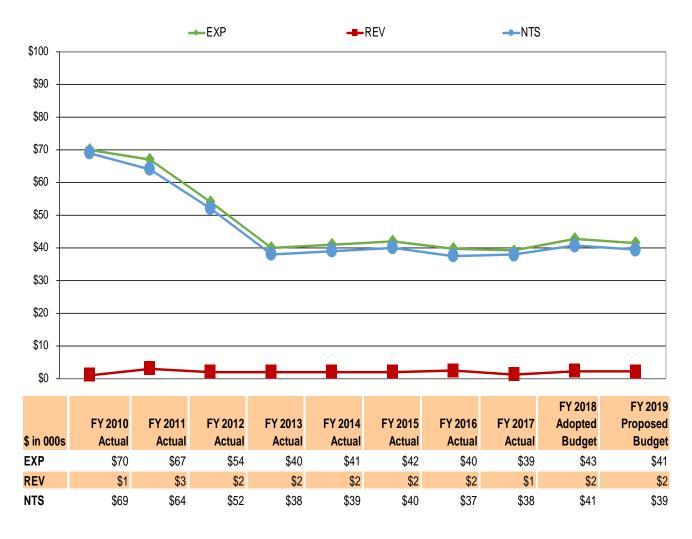
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#### PERFORMANCE MEASURES

Critical Measures	FY 2014 Actual	FY 2015 Actual	FY 2016 Actual	FY 2017 Actual	FY 2018 Estimate	
Bond hearings	10,615	9,772	10,941	10,104	10,000	11,000
Probable cause hearings	7,926	6,683	7,631	6,379	7,500	7,200

 Bond hearings and probable cause hearings reflect not only hearings related to the General District Court but also hearings related to the Circuit Court and the Juvenile and Domestic Relations Court.

# **EXPENDITURE, REVENUE, AND NET TAX SUPPORT**



Fiscal Year	Description	FTEs
FY 2010	<ul> <li>Reduced funding for miscellaneous non-personnel costs (\$3,519).</li> </ul>	
FY 2011	<ul> <li>Eliminated the County supplement for two positions as a result of the departure of the employees from the County.</li> </ul>	
FY 2012	<ul> <li>Decreased revenue from Falls Church reimbursements based on the FY 2012 budget and reconciliation of prior year payments with actual expenditures (\$1,916).</li> </ul>	
FY 2013	<ul> <li>Personnel charges are for a County supplement to the salaries of eligible Magistrate's staff, who are state employees, and are unaffected by changes to County salary and fringe benefit levels. In FY 2013, the supplement decreases due to there being one fewer state employee receiving the County's salary supplement (\$12,200).</li> <li>Increased revenue due to higher projections in Falls Church reimbursements based on the FY 2013 budget and reconciliation of prior year payments with actual expenditures (\$1,828).</li> </ul>	
FY 2014	<ul> <li>Personnel changes are for a County supplement to the salaries of eligible Magistrate's staff, who are state employees, and are unaffected by changes to County salary and fringe benefit levels. In FY 2014, the supplement decreases due to there being one fewer state employee receiving the County's salary supplement (\$13,796).</li> <li>Decreased revenue is due to lower projections in Falls Church reimbursements based on the FY 2014 budget and reconciliation of prior year payments with actual expenditures (\$1,860).</li> <li>Reduced funding for rental of operating equipment (\$819).</li> </ul>	
FY 2015	<ul> <li>Fee revenue increased due to higher projections in Falls Church reimbursements (\$193).</li> </ul>	
FY 2016	■ Fee revenue increased due to higher projections in Falls Church reimbursements (\$215).	
FY 2017	<ul> <li>No significant changes.</li> </ul>	
FY 2018	<ul> <li>No significant changes.</li> </ul>	

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