

Department: District Attorney

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Program Offer Type: Support

Program Offer Stage: As Adopted

Related Programs:
Program Characteristics:
Executive Summary

The District Attorney's Information Technology (IT) Unit provides rapid and economical computer desktop support, as well as all computer software, servers, peripherals and network security and support to Multnomah County District Attorney's Office (MCDA) users. The seven person unit is responsible for the operation and maintenance of the MCDA document management system, Alfresco, and the MCDA principal case tracking systems, CRIMES Juvenile and CRIMES Adult. In addition, the unit collects and prepares the office's statistical data for public consumption. The unit also maintains a helpdesk for members of the office.

Program Summary

The IT Unit supports all aspects of information technology for MCDA, including but not limited to, acquisition, deployment, maintenance, monitoring, development, upgrade and support of all MCDA IT systems, including servers (physical and virtual), PC's, laptops and tablets, operating systems hardware, software and peripherals. This includes, but is not limited to, case tracking systems for adult and juvenile components, document management and imaging systems, web services for intranet and Internet publishing, database administration, data exchanges with external law enforcement and other public safety agencies, report generation, file and print services, email services, mobile access and mobile device services, email spam filtering, document repository services and desktop support services and security issues. In addition, the unit oversees data storage, retention, backup and restoration.

The IT Unit supports over 210 MCDA employee users and works closely with justice partner agencies to provide their users access to the CRIMES case management system. The unit also maintains the offices external website www.MCDA.us, as well as an office only intranet. The unit also manages video and audio equipment used throughout the courtrooms in the central courthouse, video and audio equipment in three grand jury hearing rooms, and the For The Record (FTR) system used for mandated recording of all grand jury hearings.

This program allows the district attorney to fulfill a legal responsibility under Oregon state law to maintain a register of official business, in which the district attorney makes a note of every action, suit or proceeding commenced or defended by the District Attorney in official capacity, and the proceedings, therein.

The program's help desk is staffed 7:30 AM to 5:00 PM, Monday through Friday, and 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM on Saturdays and Sundays.

Performance Measures

Measure Type	Primary Measure	FY19 Actual	FY20 Budgeted	FY20 Estimate	FY21 Offer
Output	Help Desk Calls	2,600	3,300	3,120	3,300
Outcome	Number of times the DA network failed due to an internal cause	0	0	0	0

Performance Measures Descriptions

For additional MCDA Budget Information:

<https://www.mcda.us/index.php/documents/multnomah-county-district-attorneys-informational-budget-packet-fy-2021.pdf>

Legal / Contractual Obligation

ORS 8.700 - Register to be kept. The district attorney must keep a register of official business, in which the District Attorney makes a note of every action, suit or proceeding commenced or defended by the district attorney in official capacity, and the proceedings therein. The register shall, at the expiration of the term of office of the district attorney, be delivered by the district attorney to the successor in office.

Revenue/Expense Detail

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds
Program Expenses	2020	2020	2021	2021
Personnel	\$995,598	\$0	\$1,020,401	\$0
Contractual Services	\$52,000	\$0	\$55,000	\$0
Materials & Supplies	\$306,400	\$0	\$334,929	\$0
Internal Services	\$1,227,124	\$0	\$1,060,613	\$0
Capital Outlay	\$45,000	\$0	\$45,000	\$0
Total GF/non-GF	\$2,626,122	\$0	\$2,515,943	\$0
Program Total:	\$2,626,122		\$2,515,943	
Program FTE	6.00	0.00	6.00	0.00

Program Revenues				
Total Revenue	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0

Explanation of Revenues

Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2020: 15002-20 Information Technology

Internal Services are reduced by \$183,409 in the program due to the elimination of network circuits serving the now vacated MDT facility and reduction in network circuit charges at the Trimet and Lloyd Neighborhood offices.