

City of Edmonton Office of the City Auditor

Recommendation Follow-up Dashboard Report

As at January 25, 2021

There are 34 outstanding recommendations: 19 are not yet due and 15 are overdue.



1200, Scotia Place, Tower 1 10060 Jasper Avenue Edmonton, AB T5J 3R8 Phone: 780-496-8300 edmonton.ca/auditor



Closed Recommendations

In the period since our last report (November 2, 2020) the administration closed 6 recommendations

	Project Name	Department	Recommendation
1.	Major Capital Project Review	Integrated Infrastructure Services	Rec 1 – In Private
2.	Investigation Report	Integrated Infrastructure Services	Rec 1 – Strengthen Project Oversight
3.	Residential Infill Audit	Urban Form and Corporate Strategic Development	Rec 4 - Use of Term "Infill"
4.	Accounts Payable Audit	Financial and Corporate Services	Rec 2 - Improve Controls over Accounts Payable System
5.	2017 Municipal Election	Office of the City Clerk	Rec 1 - Information Technology Support
6.	Africa Centre Governance and Management Review	Africa Centre Board of Directors	Rec 2 - Update Governing Documents



Overdue Recommendations

There are 15 overdue recommendations.

More than one year overdue:

	Project Name	Department	Recommendation	Months Overdue	Revised Due Date
1.	Edmonton Transit Service Revenue Management Audit	City Operations	Rec 5 - Document Performance Measures Methodology	14	10/31/2020

Less than one year overdue:

	Project Name	Department	Recommendation	Months Overdue	Revised Due Date
2.	Conflict of Interest Management Audit	Employee Services	Rec 3 - Ensure All Employees have Completed the Code of Conduct Training	10	6/30/2020
3.	Edmonton Transit Service Revenue Management Audit	City Operations	Rec 8 - Improve Safeguards for Fare Media	10	11/30/2020
4.	Conflict of Interest Management Audit	Office of the City Manager	Rec 4 - Provide Ongoing Conflict of Interest Communication and Easily Accessible Information and Tools	10	11/30/2020
5.	Ukrainian Canadian Archives and Museum of Alberta Investigation	Urban Form and Corporate Strategic Development	Rec 1 - Clear Funding Agreement Terms and Conditions	10	12/31/2020
6.	Edmonton Economic Development Corporation (EEDC) Audit	Edmonton Economic Development Corporation	Rec 1 - Update EEDC's Governing Documents	9	3/31/2021
7.	Edmonton Transit Service Revenue Management Audit	City Operations	Rec 2 - Improve Program Reporting	7	6/30/2020
8.	Edmonton Transit	City Operations	Rec 3 - Document Support for	7	6/30/2020



	Project Name	Department	Recommendation	Months Overdue	Revised Due Date
	Service Revenue Management Audit		Inputs and Assumptions		
9.	Edmonton Transit Service Revenue Management Audit	City Operations	Rec 4 - Enhance Non-Fare Revenue Strategies	7	6/30/2020
10.	Investigation Report	Financial and Corporate Services	Rec 2 - Review Cheque Requisition Process	4	9/30/2020
11.	Access to Digital Assets	Financial and Corporate Services	Rec 2 – Address Weaknesses with Access Control Processes	3	10/31/2020
12.	Emergency Management Governance and Risk Assessment Audit	Citizen Services	Rec 1 - Strategic Plan and Performance Management Framework	0	6/30/2021
13.	Emergency Management Governance and Risk Assessment Audit	Citizen Services	Rec 2 - Update Governing Documents	0	6/30/2021
14.	Emergency Management Governance and Risk Assessment Audit	Citizen Services	Rec 3 - Hazard Identification and Risk Assessment	0	6/30/2021
15.	Edmonton Economic Development Corporation (EEDC) Audit	Edmonton Economic Development Corporation	Rec 2 - Align Risk Management Process with Best Practice	0	3/31/2021



Recommendations Not Yet Due

There are 19 recommendations that are not yet due.

	Project Name	Department	Recommendation	Months Until Due	Due Date
1.	Conflict of Interest Management Audit	Office of the City Manager	Rec 2 - Develop Clear Guiding Documents Tailored to Needs and Risks	0	1/31/2021
2.	Conflict of Interest Management Audit	Office of the City Manager	Rec 1 - Update the Conflict of Interest Program Governance Framework	1	2/28/2021
3.	Evaluated Receipt Settlement Audit	Financial and Corporate Services	Rec 1 - Design and Implement an ERS Administrative Directive	2	3/31/2021
4.	Evaluated Receipt Settlement Audit	Financial and Corporate Services	Rec 2 - Perform Regularly Scheduled Operational Processes	2	3/31/2021
5.	Communications and Engagement Department Audit	Communications and Engagement	Rec 1 - Document Position Work Tasks and Responsibilities	5	6/30/2021
6.	Communications and Engagement Department Audit	Communications and Engagement	Rec 3 - Review and Communicate Services	5	6/30/2021
7.	Communications and Engagement Department Audit	Communications and Engagement	Rec 5 - Increase Communication with Business Areas	5	6/30/2021
8.	Social Development Audit	Citizen Services	Rec 1 - Align Activities to Role, Purpose, and Outcomes	8	9/30/2021
9.	Forestry Services Audit	City Operations	Rec 1 - Review Pruning Target	10	11/30/2021
10.	Forestry Services Audit	City Operations	Rec 2 - Inspections and Invoices	10	11/30/2021
11.	Forestry Services Audit	City Operations	Rec 3 - Review Tree Inventory Data	10	11/30/2021
12.	Forestry Services Audit	City Operations	Rec 4 - Review Equipment Utilization	10	11/30/2021

	Project Name	Department	Recommendation	Months Until Due	Due Date
13.	Social Development Audit	Citizen Services	Rec 3 - Improve the Adequacy of the Administration Processes for Financial Contributions	11	12/30/2021
14.	Information Technology – Disaster Recovery Planning	Financial and Corporate Services	Rec 1 - Fully Implement the Disaster Recovery Program	11	12/31/2021
15.	Communications and Engagement Department Audit	Communications and Engagement	Rec 6 - Identify and Resolve Service Model Exceptions	11	12/31/2021
16.	City Productivity and Performance Audit (Part 1): Management Staffing Analysis	Office of the City Manager	Rec 1 - Review Supervisor Responsibilities to Reduce Costs and Layers.	14	3/31/2022
17.	Forestry Services Audit	City Operations	Rec 6 - Review Performance Measures	16	5/30/2022
18.	Forestry Services Audit	City Operations	Rec 5 - Update Guiding Documents	22	11/30/2022
19.	Social Development Audit	Citizen Services	Rec 2 - Evaluate Activities and Outcomes	23	12/30/2022

This project was conducted in accordance with the International Standards for the Professional Practice of Internal Auditing