

Department of Consumer Protection/Weights and Measures

2020 Executive Proposed Budget

Core Programs & Functions

- Enforcement of County Consumer Protection Code
- Consumer Education and Outreach
- Licensing of Home Improvement Contractors
- Testing of Weighing and Measuring Devices as Mandated Under State Law
- Administer and Assist in the Licensing of the Plumbing and Electrical Trades
- Citizen Participation - Citizen's Consumer Advisory Council

Budget Summary

ITEM	2019	2020
Operating Positions	22	23
Trust Positions	N/A	N/A
TOTAL POSITIONS	22	23
Personal Service	\$1,644,085	\$1,693,928
Equipment	\$12,350	\$44,000
Materials & Supplies	\$48,000	\$49,000
Contractual Expenses	\$36,026	\$33,290
Inter-Departmental Charges	\$315,444	\$312,767
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$2,055,905	\$2,132,985

Budget Summary

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Inter-Departmental Revenue		
Departmental Revenue	\$3,554,150	\$3,414,150
State & Federal Aid		
TOTAL REVENUE	\$3,554,150	\$3,414,150
DEPARTMENT TAX LEVY	\$(1,499,171)	\$(1,281,165)

New Initiatives & Highlights

- Paid Sick Leave Law
- Safe Act
- Precious Metals/Second Hand Jewelry Legislation
- Review of Existing Towing Legislation
- Continuing Updates of Consumer Protection Code
- Increase in Enforcement Actions and Sweeps
- Improving Collection of Outstanding Penalties
- Continuation of Joint Enforcement Actions (New Rochelle)

**Link to video on gas station created by the Department
of Consumer Protection:**

https://youtu.be/2Fx4-yMgh_E