

Department of Clerk Services

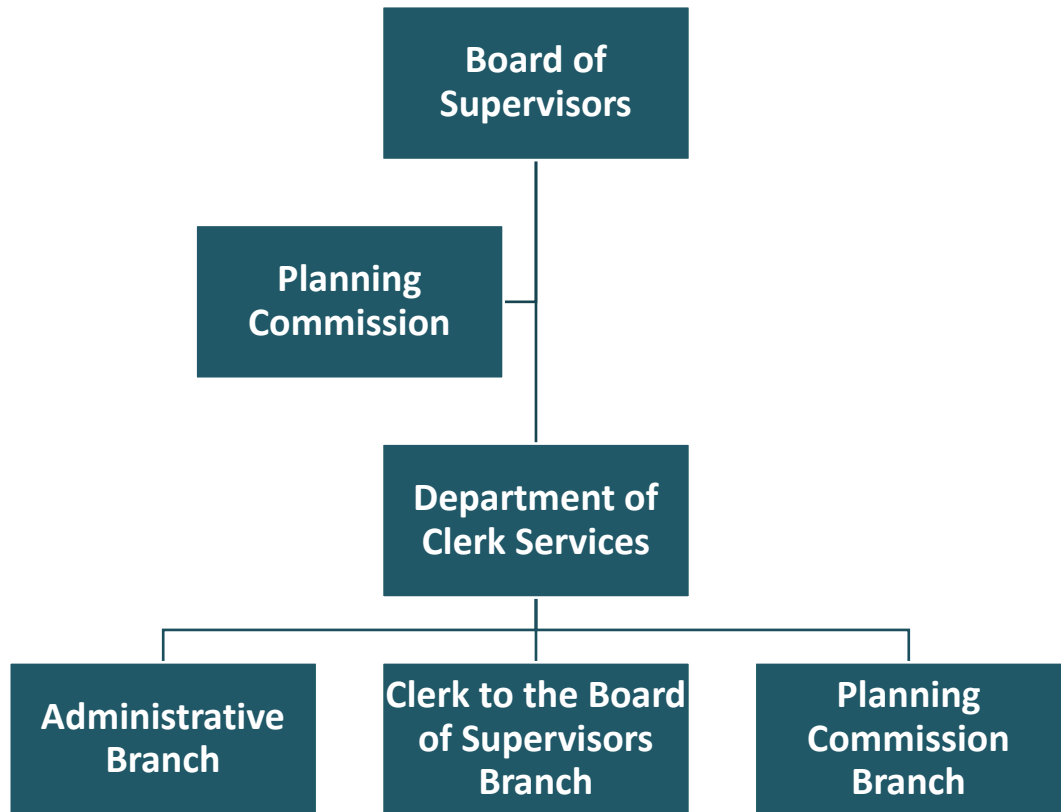
Mission The mission of the Department of Clerk Services is to provide administrative support to the Board of Supervisors and the Planning Commission, ensuring legal requirements are met and documenting actions in a manner that is accessible to the public.

Focus The Department of Clerk Services provides staff support to the Board of Supervisors and the Planning Commission. Responsibilities involving support to the Board of Supervisors include advertising Board public hearings and bond referenda; establishing and maintaining records of Board meetings; preserving legislative and historical records; managing the system for appointments to Boards, Authorities and Commissions; and tracking and safekeeping Financial Disclosure forms. Responsibilities also include maintaining guardianship of the Fairfax County Code; making notification of Board actions regarding land use issues; and providing research assistance.

Responsibilities involving support to the Planning Commission include: ensuring that public input is obtained on County plans, amendments and land use applications by conducting weekly public meetings and forwarding the resulting recommendations to the Board of Supervisors in a timely manner; performing notifications and verifications for abutting and adjacent property owners in all land use cases heard before either the Board of Supervisors or the Planning Commission; and conducting public outreach through the monthly Channel 16 Planning Commission Roundtable program, quarterly newsletter, and annual Report of Activities.

Staff has worked with the Board of Supervisors and the Planning Commission to leverage technology and expand ways the public can engage in and learn about various County processes. Regular meetings are broadcast and streamed, and meeting agendas and materials are available online. Additionally, to reduce printing costs and practice environmental stewardship, the Board of Supervisors and the Planning Commission have transitioned from paper documents to a tablet environment with digital documents using wireless technology.

Organizational Chart



Budget and Staff Resources

Category	FY 2021 Actual	FY 2022 Adopted	FY 2022 Revised	FY 2023 Advertised
FUNDING				
Expenditures:				
Personnel Services	\$1,404,274	\$1,469,556	\$1,484,556	\$1,546,135
Operating Expenses	348,207	362,889	423,797	362,889
Total Expenditures	\$1,752,481	\$1,832,445	\$1,908,353	\$1,909,024
AUTHORIZED POSITIONS/FULL-TIME EQUIVALENT (FTE)				
Regular	14 / 14	14 / 14	14 / 14	14 / 14

FY 2023 Funding Adjustments

The following funding adjustments from the FY 2022 Adopted Budget Plan are necessary to support the FY 2023 program:

Employee Compensation **\$76,579**
 An increase of \$76,579 in Personnel Services includes \$58,929 for a 4.01 percent market rate adjustment (MRA) for all employees and \$17,650 for performance-based and longevity increases for non-uniformed merit employees, both effective July 2022.

**Changes to
FY 2022
Adopted
Budget Plan**

The following funding adjustments reflect all approved changes in the FY 2022 Revised Budget Plan since passage of the FY 2022 Adopted Budget Plan. Included are all adjustments made as part of the FY 2021 Carryover Review, FY 2022 Mid-Year Review, and all other approved changes through December 31, 2021:

Carryover Adjustments \$75,908

As part of the FY 2021 Carryover Review, the Board of Supervisors approved funding of \$75,908, including \$15,000 in Personnel Services for a one-time compensation adjustment of \$1,000 for merit employees and \$500 for non-merit employees paid in November 2021. The remaining amount of \$60,908 was included as encumbered carryover primarily to support communication and media related services.

Position Detail

The FY 2023 Advertised Budget Plan includes the following positions:

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1	Director	2	Management Analysts I
1	Management Analyst IV	1	Planning Technician II
2	Management Analysts III	1	Administrative Assistant V
2	Management Analysts II	4	Administrative Assistants IV

**Performance
Measurement
Results**

The agency is currently in the process of developing metrics that align with the County's Strategic Plan that will be included in the FY 2024 Advertised Budget Plan.