



Metro Nashville Public Works

Improving the Quality of Life for Nashvillians and our Visitors

The Department of Public Works delivers a wide range of services that help define the quality of life for residents and visitors of Nashville/Davidson County. Over 400 dedicated Public Works employees work day and night to help ensure a safe, clean and convenient transportation network of public streets and alleys, and to provide an efficient system for managing trash and other waste in Davidson County. These "unsung heroes" repair potholes and public sidewalks; mow grass and trim tree limbs near Metro roadways; change traffic signal bulbs; create and put up street signs; clean up roadside dumping and litter; and manage over 100 million dollars in capital projects.

Among the assets managed each day by our employees are: 5,700+ travel lane miles of public roadways and rights-of-way; 800+ signalized intersections; 6,000+ named public streets; 350+ bridges; 800+ linear miles of sidewalk; 100+ miles of bike lanes and shared routes; 2,035 parking meters and approximately 18,000 parking spaces in Metro-owned garages; 12 community recycle drop-off sites and four recycle convenience centers for waste disposal; and collection of an average of over 130,000 tons of refuse annually from more than 132,000 homes.

October 2020 By the Numbers

\$ 3,230	in Labor Cost Avoidance by utilizing		140	Community Service Workers to Supplement Staff reductions		
\$ 2,335	in Labor Cost Avoidance, During		14	Cleanups & Events by Community Service Workers & Volunteers		
173	New Traffic Signs Installed and		208	Traffic Signs Repaired		
0	Students	158	Adults Participated in	8	Recycling & Educational Programs	
14447	Tons of Residential Trash Picked-up from			140420	USD Homes Serviced Weekly	
939	Tons of Residential Recycling Collected from			106056	USD Homes Serviced Montly	
1030	Tons of Recycling Collected at			10	Drop-Off Sites	
9084	SqYds of Right-of-Way Debris Removed			114	Illegal Dump Sites Cleaned	
282	Miles of Right-of-Way Crews Picked up			38	Tons of Litter	15
2789	Tons of Residential Brush Picked-up/Recycled			176	Tons Illegal Dumping Picked up	
512	Bags with	30407	Lbs of Trash Picked up by	35	Community Service Workers	
11569	Calls to Customer Service			5488	Service Requests Issued	
0	Bridge Replacement Projects In-Process			0	Sq. Ft. Infrared Pavement Repairs	
254	Requests for Traffic Studies Completed			16	Traffic Signal Timing Investigations Completed	
0	Linear Ft. of Sidewalk &	0	Curb Ramp Built in	0	Project	
81	Right-of-Way Miles Trimmed Crews Cleaned		282	Alley Miles & Collected	38	Tons of Trash
	Metro Public Works' Crews cleaned	109	Alley Miles & Collected	195	Tons of Trash	
\$ 654,242	* Monthly NES Electric Bill for			55108	USD/GSD Streetlights *January kwh rate 0.07797	
4339	Pot Holes Patched	4179	Sq. Yds. Potholes Repaired	0	Sq Ft Infrared Pavement Repairs	
2390	Utility/Sidewalk/Roadway/Parking Permits Issued			66	Construction/Development Plans Reviewed	

Want to receive Brush, Recycling or Trash collection e-mails? Visit <https://mpw.nashville.gov/ims/cans/default.aspx> and Search for your PW Services. Contact us by dialing 615-862-8750 or at <https://www.nashville.gov/Public-Works.aspx>