



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 300 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; 13 community recycle drop-off sites and three recycle convenience centers for waste disposal; and collection of an average one million pounds of refuse annually from more than 125,000 homes.

March 2012 - By the Numbers

\$63,540 in Labor Cost Avoidance by Utilizing **528** Community Service Workers to Supplement Staff Reductions

\$164,602 in Labor Cost Avoidance, During **50** Cleanups by Community Service Workers & Volunteers

6,223 SqYds Potholes Repaired - **92** New Traffic Signs Installed - **239** Traffic Signs Repaired

2,725 Students, **935** Adults Attended **52** Recycling & Educational Programs



12,084 Tons of Residential Trash Picked-up from **125,555** USD Homes Serviced Weekly

953 Tons of Residential Recycling Collected from **87,072** USD Homes Serviced Monthly

824 Tons of Recycling Collected at **13** Drop-Off Sites - **26** Tons of E-Waste Collected & Disposed

830 Right-of-Way Lane Miles Mowed - **7,317** SqYds of Debris Removed - **454** Litter Baskets Serviced

On **168** Miles of Right-of-Way Crews Picked-up **23** Tons of Litter - **27** Miles Right-of-Way Trimmed

1,412 Tons of Residential Brush Picked-up/Recycled - **2** Bridges Had Routine Maintenance Performed

2,519 Bags Totaling **147,780** lbs of Trash Picked-up by **716** Community Svc Workers & **1450** Volunteers

8,253 Calls to **311** Customer Service - **3,378** Service Requests Issued

931 Tires Picked-up from **304** Illegal Dump Sites - **69** Alleyways - **326** Roadside Cleanups

308 Requests for Traffic Studies Completed - **6** Traffic Signal Timing Investigations Completed

75 Alley Miles Cleaned - **303** Tons of Trash & Debris Collected in USD Alleyways

10 Roadway/Roadscape/Music City Bikeway & Traffic Improvement Projects - **5** Lane Miles Paved

\$517,054* Monthly NES Electric Bill for **53,765** USD/GSD Streetlights *March kwh rate 0.06169

3,797 Linear Feet of Sidewalk with **6** Curb Ramps Constructed in **8** Projects - **11,788** Sq Ft Pavement Repaired

745 Utility/Sidewalk/Roadway/Parking Permits Issued - **188** Construction/Development Plans Reviewed

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