

# City of Cupertino FY 24-25 Internal Audit Program

Audit Committee Meeting
June 2024



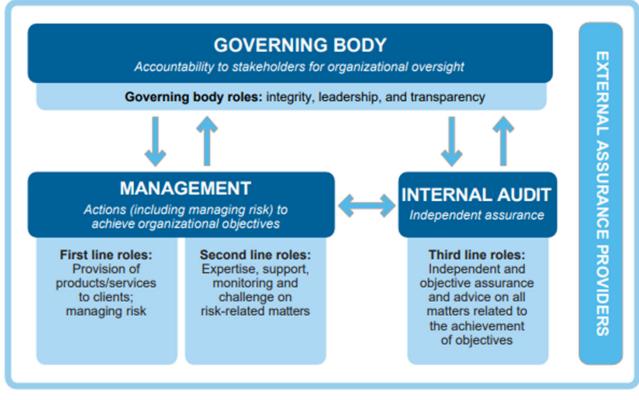
### **Internal Audit Overview**

- The City retained Moss Adams to serve as the designated Internal Auditor and conduct projects focusing on:
  - Risks
  - Internal controls
  - Efficiency and effectiveness
  - Best practices
  - Compliance
- Work is being completed under appropriate industry standards (IIA, GAGAS, AICPA)

## Role of Internal Audit



#### The IIA's Three Lines Model



Accountability, reporting

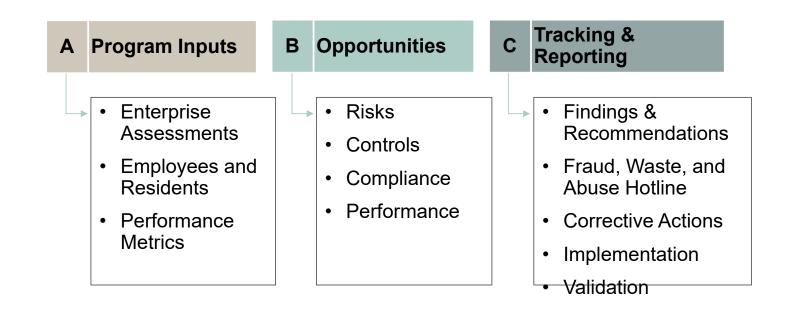




Alignment, communication coordination, collaboration



## Holistic Internal Audit Program Components





## **Internal Audit Program Components**

Annual Plan

Internal Audit is Components **Internal Audit Plan** 

**Risks** 

**Internal Controls** 

Compliance

**Performance** 

Accounting and financial reporting, asset management, capital programs, compliance, economics and funding, fraud, governance, human resources, internal controls, maintenance and operations, management, operations and service delivery, organization and staffing, processes and procedures, procurement, public safety, risk management, and technology

## Program Review

	<u>Focus</u>	Accomplis	<u>hments</u>
•	Enterprise Risk Assessments		2021
•	Internal Controls Projects Completed		2
•	Performance/Efficiency Projects Comp	leted	5
•	Policies Reviewed		133
•	Recommendations Delivered		52
•	Ethics Hotline Reports Received		21 reports
•	Recommendations Validated		To Come



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## Departments Covered

Department	Projects
Administrative Services	Procurement (22) Finance P&Ps (22) Budget Process Review (23)
City Clerk	
City Manager's Office	FWA Program (22)
Community Development	
Communications	
Innovation & Technology	
Parks & Recreation	
Public Works	Capital Program (22) Library Construction Audit (23)

➤ Enterprise Projects: Risk Assessment (21, 24), Enterprise Leadership (23), Policies and Procedures (24)

## Recommended Internal Audit **Projects**

- 1. **Grants Management Internal Controls Review** Assess the internal controls in place over the City's grants management activities (including applications, review, administration, and reporting). (16 weeks, \$25,000)
- 2. Special Revenue Fund Process Review Document the process used for special revenue fund accounting, identify gaps compared to best practices, and conduct testing of prior years' accounting. (16 weeks, \$18,000)
- 3. **Recommendation Validation Process Establishment** Inventory prior internal and external audit recommendations, collaborate with City staff to develop a tracking mechanism and process to report and validate recommendation implementation. (20 weeks, \$10,000)
- Ongoing Internal Audit Services Attend Audit Committee and Council meetings, prepare status reports, manage internal audit program, and monitor FWA hotline. (\$7,000)



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# \* Resources

- Government Finance Officer's Association (GFOA)
  - GFOA Best Practices Guide on Audit Committees
- Institute of Internal Auditors
  - IIA Publication "The Audit Committee: Internal Audit Oversight"
- U.S. Government Accountability Office (GAO)
- American Institute of Certified Public Accountants
- Association of Certified Fraud Examiners

