Prior Lake is a vibrant and welcoming life-long community, offering a high-quality of life and a small-town feel.

**High-Value City Services**

**Property Taxes:**
City taxes account for one-fourth (25%) of property taxes in Prior Lake. The remainder is comprised of taxes for the school district (42%), county (26%) and other jurisdictions (7%).

**General Fund:**
General fund revenue, the primary source for city operating funds, comes from the following sources – 63% property taxes, 13% intergovernmental revenue, 13% charges for services, 5% licenses and permits, 5% other.

**General Fund:**
General fund expenditures included 45% for public safety, 19% administration, 16% public works, 15% parks and recreation, 3% community development, and 2% transfers.

**Bond Rating:**
The City of Prior Lake received a AA+ bond rating from Standard and Poor’s Financial Services (S&P). This is the second highest credit rating that can be assigned to a bond issue. Only 29 cities in Minnesota were rated AA+.
Police Department had 16,137 calls for service. Police responded to 3,334 traffic incidents.

Fire Department responded to 468 calls. Fire Department responded to 65 medical calls, 63 vehicle accidents, and 22 fires in Prior Lake, Credit River Township and Spring Lake Township.

Conducted 2,055 code enforcement inspections.

Completed 4,775 building permit inspections.

Desirable & Sustainable Development

Total commercial and industrial building permit valuation totaled $13.5 million.

Issued 198 permits for single-family homes.

Total building permit valuation was over $75 million.

Welcomed a new ice cream shop and a new restaurant in downtown Prior Lake.

Issued 2,581 permits for new residential and commercial/industrial projects.

Quick Fact:
The most traffic citations issued were for speeding and license violations.

Quick Fact:
The top code violations in 2018 involved garbage/refuse and junk vehicles.

Quick Fact:
Prior Lake Fire Department is a paid, on-call service comprised of over 42 local residents who volunteer their time to keep the community safe.

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Transportation & Mobility

- Maintained 143 miles of watermain, including 1,646 fire hydrants
- Fully reconstructed Franklin Trail and Huron/Woodside street areas.
- Partnered with Scott County and MNDOT to complete the Highway 13/County Road 42 intersection project
- Maintained 113.4 miles of streets
- 82 miles of sidewalks and trails
- 130 miles of sanitary sewer, including 41 lift stations

QUICK FACT
Because of the topographical elevations of our lake community, we require many lift stations to pump out sanitary sewer flows.

Environmental Stewardship & Recreation

- Peak single water usage day in August was 4.3 million gallons
- Mowed 310 acres of grass and fields each week
- Inspected and maintained 153 storm water ponds
- 8,572 seniors enjoyed Club Prior
- Removed 105 tons of garbage from our 53 parks
- 743 kids
- 50 youth camps

QUICK FACT
Stormwater water ponds collect pollutants from paved surfaces to prevent it from entering and damaging our water bodies.

QUICK FACT
Average daily water usage is 1.2 million gallons.

QUICK FACT
Club Prior, opened in 2008, is Prior Lake's adult (55+) activity center located in the public library.
### Save the Date: 2019 Community Events

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