# Financial Indicators

# **CAPITAL ADDITIONS AS A PERCENTAGE OF AMORTIZATION EXPENSE**

This financial indicator provides an assessment of the City's solvency by assessing the extent to which it is sustaining its tangible capital assets. In the absence of meaningful reinvestment in tangible capital assets, the City's ability to continue to deliver services at the current levels may be compromised.

## **TYPE OF INDICATOR**

Sustainability
Flexibility
Vulnerability



### **FORMULA**

FIR Schedule 51, Line 9910, Column 3 divided by FIR Schedule 40, Line 9910, Column 16

### **POTENTIAL LIMITATIONS**

- This indicator considers amortization expense, which is based on historical as opposed to replacement cost. As a result, the City's capital reinvestment requirement will be higher than its reported amortization expense due to the effects of inflation.
- This indicator is calculated on a corporate-level basis and as such, will not identify potential concerns at the departmental level.



