

DEVELOPMENT SERVICES DEPARTMENT Q4 2024 BUILDING AND PERMITTING UPDATE



OVERVIEW OF BUILDING AND PERMITTING ACTIVITY

- 1. The City has experienced a return to normal permit application volumes after Hurricane Ian.
- 2. The average permit valuation has trended upwards over the past two years due to a decrease in Hurricane Ian repair permits and an increase in new commercial construction permits.
- 3. Review and processing times have decreased year-over-year, with a temporary spike in late summer due to staff illness and vacancies.
- 4. Improvements in floodplain review processes have mitigated the effect of the new, dedicated floodplain review type for projects within the City's special flood hazard area (SFHA).



SINGLE FAMILY HOME PERMITS - ISSUED

							2024 VS 2023	2023 VS 2022	2022 VS 2021
<u>Month</u>	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	<u>Difference</u>	<u>Difference</u>	<u>Difference</u>
October	184	203	354	388	252	362	110	(136)	34
November	162	163	272	373	287	205	(82)	(86)	101
December	172	154	313	275	298	245	(53)	23	(38)
January	115	187	338	406	455	335	(120)	49	68
February	137	181	313	354	333	276	(57)	(21)	41
March	147	155	300	325	303	167	(136)	(22)	25
April	139	139	383	465	302	290	(12)	(163)	82
May	133	157	372	698	286	273	(13)	(412)	326
June	112	188	408	579	309	235	(74)	(270)	171
July	191	216	406	432	207	243	36	(225)	26
August	183	266	370	545	251	209	(42)	(294)	175
September	199	267	354	299	303	156	(147)	4	(55)
Total	1,874	2,276	4,183	5,139	3,586	2,996	(590)	(1,553)	956
Average/Mo	156	190	349	428	299	250	(49)	(129)	80
Percentage									
change over	N/A					N/A			
Prior Year		21.5%	83.8%	22.9%	-30.2%		-14.1%	-30.2%	22.9%



COMMERCIAL CONSTRUCTION PERMITS - ISSUED

Month	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
October	24	18	17	29	7	40
November	19	13	9	15	25	60
December	20	16	13	22	10	37
January	22	21	13	11	27	70
February	23	12	12	11	23	45
March	25	28	36	18	38	29
April	33	8	16	21	28	17
May	25	17	16	39	51	21
June	31	21	28	13	34	28
July	21	16	33	17	42	25
August	31	21	32	28	33	20
September	29	32	32	12	52	9
Total	303	223	257	236	370	401

2024 vs 2023
Difference
33
35
27
43
22
(9)
(11)
(30)
(6)
(17)
(13)
(43)
31

2023 vs	5 2022
<u>Differ</u>	<u>ence</u>
	(22)
	10
	(12)
	16
	12
	20
	7
	12
	21
	25
	5
	40
	134

2022 vs 2021
<u>Difference</u>
12
6
9
(2)
(1)
(18)
5
23
(15)
(16)
(4)
(20)
(21)

Average/Mo	25	19	21	20	31	36
Percentage change over	N/A					N/A
Prior Year		-26.4%	15.2%	-8.2%	56.8%	

5
22.4%

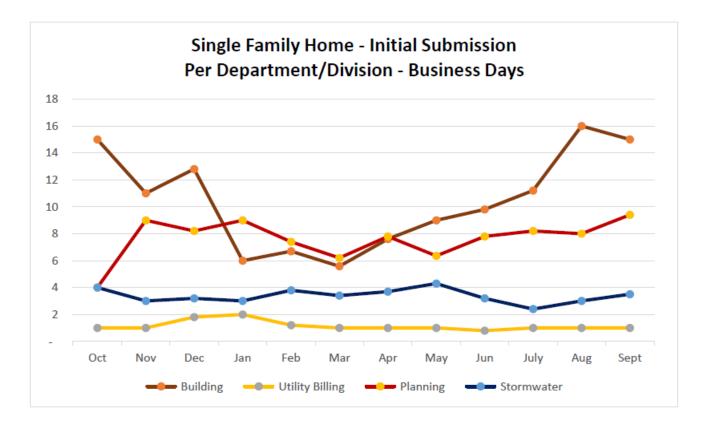
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56.8%

(2)
-8.2%



SINGLE FAMILY HOME REVIEW TIMES (BUSINESS)

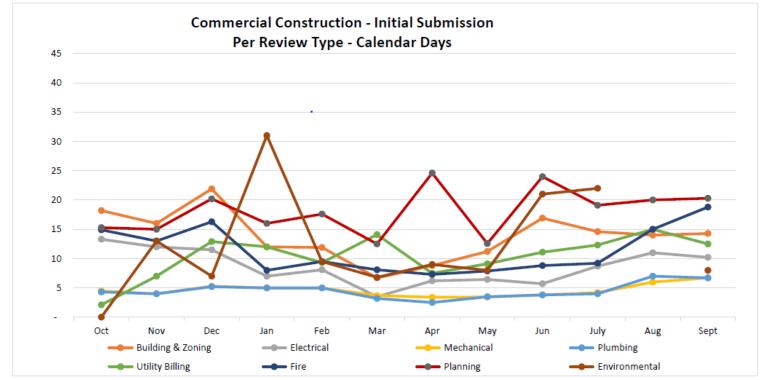
	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	July	Aug	Sept	Aug - Sept
Review Type													Average
Building	15	11	13	9	7	6	8	9	10	11	16	15	10
Utility Billing	1	1	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Planning	4	9	8	6	7	6	8	6	8	8	8	9	8
Stormwater	4	3	3	ვ	4	3	4	4	3	2	3	4	3





COMMERCIAL REVIEW TIMES (CALENDAR)

	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	July	Aug	Sept	Aug - Sept
Review Type													Average
Building & Zoning	18	16	22	12	12	7	9	11	17	15	14	14	14
Electrical	13	12	12	7	8	4	6	6	6	9	11	10	9
Mechanical	5	4	5	5	5	4	3	3	4	4	6	7	5
Plumbing	4	4	5	5	5	3	3	3	4	4	7	7	5
Utility Billing	2	7	13	12	9	14	8	9	11	12	15	13	10
Fire	15	13	16	8	10	8	7	8	9	9	15	19	11
Environmental	-	13	7	31	10	7	9	8	21	22		8	12
Planning	15	15	20	16	18	13	25	13	24	19	20	20	18





DAYS FROM APPLICATION TO ISSUANCE (CALENDAR)

Permit Type

	Oct'23	Nov'23	Dec'23	Jan'24	Feb'24	Mar'24	Apr'24	May'24	Jun'24	Jul'24	Aug'24	Sept'24	Average
Single Family Mastered - Avg Cal days to issue	54.4	69.9	57.6	95.0	79.0	161.0	187.2	57.0	37.6	58.7	76.6	66.9	83.4
Min Days to Issue	12.0	14.0	23.0	25.0	36.0	67.0	105.0	23.0	19.0	26.0	21.0	26.0	33.1
Median Days to Issue	47.0	67.0	56.0	64.0	55.0	90.0	125.0	28.0	28.0	34.0	43.0	36.0	56.1
Max Days to Issue	209.0	248.0	210.0	324.0	243.0	370.0	381.0	176.0	208.0	256.0	443.0	339.0	283.9
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Commercial Construct Avg Cal days to issue	163.4	203.3	293.8	159.8	184.0	135.5	157.1	229.1	479.0	197.1	264.1	177.9	220.3
Min Days to Issue	29.0	7.0	14.0	12.0	41.0	5.0	33.0	13.0	13.0	38.0	7.0	2.0	17.8
Median Days to Issue	121.0	237.0	153.0	135.0	152.0	105.0	107.0	172.0	420.0	110.0	226.0	87.0	168.8
Max Days to Issue	895.0	622.0	1,091.0	671.0	810.0	357.0	469.0	751.0	799.0	825.0	1,334.0	674.0	774.8
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Enclosure: Fence/Screen - Avg Cal days to issue	36.4	40.8	22.8	37.9	30.6	33.9	30.2	29.8	32.0	32.3	30.4	25.5	31.9
Min Days to Issue	5.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.3
Median Days to Issue	20.0	23.0	16.0	20.0	16.0	22.0	22.0	20.0	37.0	31.0	20.0	14.0	21.8
Max Days to Issue	343.0	566.0	367.0	597.0	384.0	698.0	946.0	310.0	274.0	317.0	516.0	251.0	464.1
													•
Marine Improvement - Avg Calendar days to issue	78.6	73.4	51.5	57.8	34.2	44.9	43.3	46.4	51.9	130.4	64.2	60.4	61.4
Min Days to Issue	16.0	6.0	8.0	6.0	3.0	15.0	17.0	15.0	14.0	9.0	22.0	13.0	12.0
Median Days to Issue	51.0	49.0	36.0	29.0	25.0	30.0	30.0	26.0	28.0	41.0	41.0	28.0	34.5
Max Days to Issue	628.0	484.0	344.0	546.0	194.0	616.0	589.0	639.0	815.0	867.0	819.0	873.0	617.8



PERMIT APPLICATIONS PROCESSED

Month	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
October	2,662	2,875	4,320	3,981	3,447	4,532
November	2,280	2,273	3,382	3,709	8,114	3,744
December	1,835	2,141	3,942	3,601	8,862	3,585
January	2,255	2,630	3,586	3,753	9,272	3,559
February	2,305	2,612	4,065	3,435	8,521	3,490
March	2,538	2,918	5,144	5,759	9,031	3,317
April	2,663	2,567	4,801	4,662	7,225	4,022
May	2,846	2,821	4,165	5,044	7,036	3,809
June	2,803	3,954	4,655	4,637	6,706	4,022
July	2,737	4,107	4,058	4,513	5,304	3,643
August	2,603	3,987	4,236	5,143	5,465	3,080
September	2,429	3,791	3,910	3,573	4,211	2,702
Total	29,956	36,676	50,264	51,810	83,194	43,505

2024 vs 2023
Difference
1,085
(4,370)
(5,277)
(5,713)
(5,031)
(5,714)
(3,203)
(3,227)
(2,684)
(1,661)
(2,385)
(1,509)
(39,689)

2023 vs 202
Difference
(53-
4,40
5,26
5,51
5,08
3,27
2,56
1,99
2,069
79
32
63
31,38

2022 vs 2021
<u>Difference</u>
(339)
327
(341)
167
(630)
615
(139)
879
(18)
455
907
(337)
1,546

2,496	3,056	4,189	4,318	6,933	3,709
N/A					N/A
	22.4%	37.0%	3.1%	60.6%	
	,	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

(3,223)	2,615
-77.0%	60.6%

129
3.1%



BUILDING INSPECTIONS COMPLETED

<u>Month</u>	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
October	9,194	13,568	17,196	18,931	13,446	14,849
November	8,932	11,404	14,797	18,573	16,671	12,508
December	9,576	11,633	19,673	19,405	21,110	12,506
January	9,955	12,782	17,706	18,588	26,377	12,495
February	10,639	12,692	19,188	16,537	27,669	10,576
March	9,130	13,574	22,378	20,910	36,697	11,853
April	9,585	12,134	21,172	18,451	29,739	11,544
May	9,832	12,036	18,931	20,078	32,102	9,129
June	9,090	13,104	20,758	19,549	35,071	9,255
July	10,617	14,403	18,414	18,273	28,686	10,104
August	9,278	15,086	20,004	23,454	31,158	10,492
September	8,476	15,482	19,397	16,725	13,254	7,873
Total	114,304	157,898	229,614	229,474	311,980	133,184
Average/Mo	9,525	13,158	19,135	19,123	25,998	11,392

2024 vs 2023
Difference
1,403
(4,163)
(8,604)
(13,882)
(17,093)
(24,844)
(18,195)
(22,973)
(25,816)
(18,582)
(20,666)
(5,381)
(178,796)

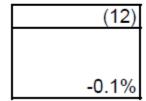
2023 vs 2022
<u>Difference</u> (5,485)
(1,902)
1,705 7,789
11,132 15,787
11,288
12,024 15,522
10,413 7,704
(3,471)
82,506

2022 vs 2021
Difference
1,735
3,776
(268)
882
(2,651)
(1,468)
(2,721)
1,147
(1,209)
(141)
3,450
(2,672)
(140)
(110)

Average/Mo	9,525	13,158	19,135	19,123	25,998	11,392
Percentage						
change over	N/A					N/A
Prior Year		38.1%	45.4%	-0.1%	36.0%	

(14,606)
-76.3%

6,876
36.0%





PERMIT VALUATION

Month	2019	2020		2021		2022	2023		2024
October	\$ 79,874,600	\$ 82,160,395	\$	110,910,105	\$	123,326,184	\$ 147,313,950	\$	297,658,221
November	66,544,009	100,566,858		79,094,866		126,644,252	291,808,295		217,501,386
December	57,259,503	56,961,846		113,577,609		100,723,090	295,123,702		203,701,612
January	60,557,222	87,092,157		104,968,179		134,473,368	422,336,826		221,527,004
February	53,016,758	69,591,628		106,219,898		110,460,742	315,116,867		182,352,035
March	64,021,903	93,474,912		133,452,877		121,779,558	335,989,582		156,356,774
April	62,543,691	73,347,074		127,670,347		195,783,166	279,000,382		186,502,364
May	61,466,735	68,933,111		144,713,337		251,297,153	284,057,252		176,570,883
June	62,003,463	78,476,415		163,809,149		215,757,123	264,796,003		186,244,681
July	77,707,047	85,915,172		123,447,018		211,324,051	254,012,499		150,810,727
August	75,576,832	88,454,594		160,057,301		263,228,261	241,638,143		153,578,857
September	94,613,243	83,749,884		118,334,318		159,446,635	225,015,895		125,738,455
Total	\$ 815,185,006	\$ 968,724,044	\$ 1	1,486,255,004	\$:	2,014,243,584	\$ 3,356,209,396	\$ 2	2,258,542,999
Average/Mo	\$ 67,932,084	\$ 80,727,004	\$	123,854,584	\$	167,853,632	\$ 279,684,116	\$	193,891,322
Percentage									

53.4%

18.8%

35.5%

	2024 vs 2023
	Difference
Ş	150,344,271
	(74,306,909)
	(91,422,090)
	(200,809,822)
	(132,764,832)
	(179,632,808)
	(92,498,018)
	(107,486,369)
	(78,551,322)
	(103,201,772)
	(88,059,286)
	(99,277,440)
S	(1,097,666,397)

(85,792,794)

-69.3%

N/A

66.6%

	2023 vs 2022	
	2	
	<u>Difference</u>	
\$	23,987,766	\$
\$	165,164,043	\$
\$	194,400,612	\$
\$	287,863,458	\$
\$	204,656,125	\$
\$	214,210,024	\$
\$	83,217,216	\$
\$	32,760,099	\$
\$	49,038,880	\$
\$	42,688,448	\$
\$	(21,590,118)	\$
\$	65,569,260	\$
\$	1,341,965,812	\$
\$	111,830,484	\$

65,812	\$ 527,988,579
30,484	\$ 43,999,048
66.6%	35.5%

022 vs 2021

47,549,386 (12,854,519) 29,505,189 4,240,844 (11,673,319) 68,112,819 106,583,817 51,947,974 87,877,033

41,112,317



change over

Prior Year

N/A

CERTIFICATE OF OCCUPANCY VALUATION – FY 2024

<u>Month</u>	Singl	e Fa	amily Home	<u>Commercial</u>			
September'24	257	\$	96,036,251	20	\$6,918,303		
August '24	217	\$	84,842,217	31	\$17,771,325		
July '24	349	\$	126,612,248	25	\$12,589,963		
June '24	371	\$	129,895,539	37	\$33,187,984		
May '24	392	\$	132,043,503	39	\$6,477,248		
April '24	382	\$	143,725,724	13	\$46,449,099		
March '24	394	\$	133,924,290	21	\$26,890,698		
February '24	347	\$	122,991,940	19	\$2,185,430		
January '24	345	\$	111,998,081	24	\$13,853,041		
December '23	441	\$	141,914,199	15	\$2,086,681		
November '23	396	\$	129,207,440	11	\$2,200,197		
October '23	354	\$	114,709,548	20	\$14,791,324		
Total	4,245	\$	1,467,900,980	275 \$	185,401,293		



PERMITTING AND BUILDING STAFFING STATUS

1. Permitting Division – 9 Vacancies

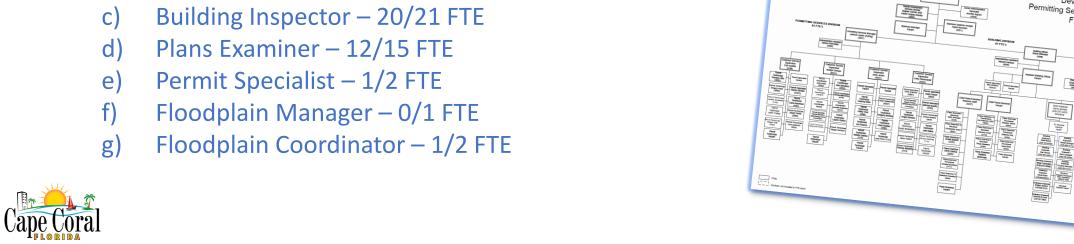
a) Permit Coordinator: 4/6 FTE

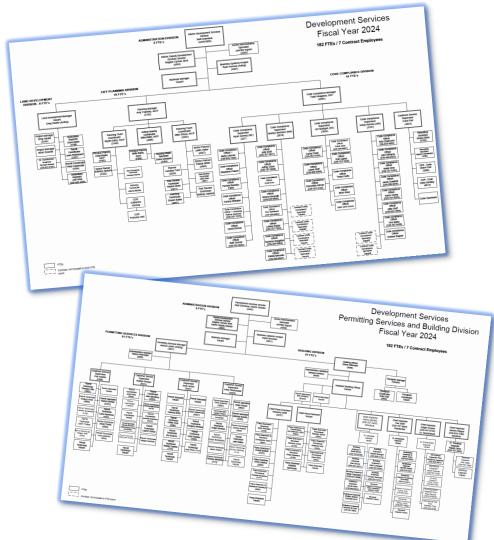
b) Permit Specialist: 6/9 FTE

c) Permit Technician: 26/30 FTE

2. Building Division – 13 Vacancies

- a) Assistant Building Official 0/1 FTE
- b) Senior Building Inspector 1/4 FTE





CURRENT BUILDING AND PERMITTING INITIATIVES

- 1. Commercial Kaizen process improvement event December 3-5, 2024.
 - a) Three-day event with construction industry to identify process and efficiency improvements.
 - b) Second in a three-part Kaizen series on commercial development and permitting. The site plan Kaizen was held in September, and an inspections and certificate of occupancy Kaizen is scheduled for January.
- 2. Permitting Document Streamlining
 - a) Notarization requirement removals
 - b) Identification of attachments that can be incorporated into online permit applications
- 3. Evaluation of Building and Permitting Division Structure

