



Office of the Municipality of Saipan

FY 2025 Citizenship Centric Report

“Safe Community, Safe Village, and a Clean Island.”



Honorable Ramon “RB” Jose Blas Camacho
Mayor of Saipan



Mission and Vision

The Office of the Mayor of the Municipality of Saipan carries out its roles and responsibilities according to Article VI of the CNMI Constitution and 1 CMC 5101- 5110. These roles include but are not limited to the following: welfare and improvement of our local community through public services, the safety and support of our community in times of disaster, the maintenance, clearing and repair of roads, and assistance in land clearing for religious and village events, and others. We prioritize the needs of our residents and work collaboratively to promote sustainable development and resilience in our local community. Through these initiatives, we strive for a Safe Community, Safe Village, and a Clean Island.

Departments and Divisions

Executive

- Mayor of Saipan
- Chief of Staff

Administrative

- Human Resource
- Public Information Office

Services

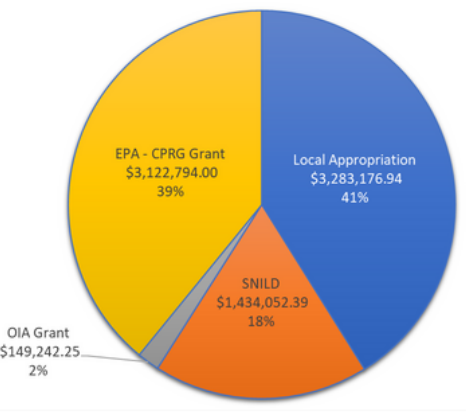
- Dog Control Program
- Field Operations
- Marriage
- Municipal Identification
- Street Naming & Addressing
- International Exchange Program
- Saipan Higher Education Financial Assistance
- Sports Coordinator
- Fiscal and Budget
- Procurement



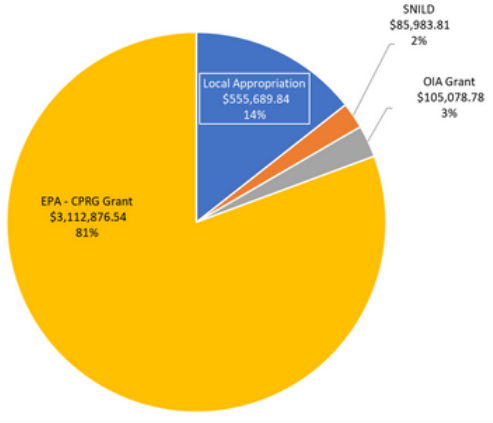
Data and Analytics

Financial Data

Saipan Mayor's Office Total Budget Distribution



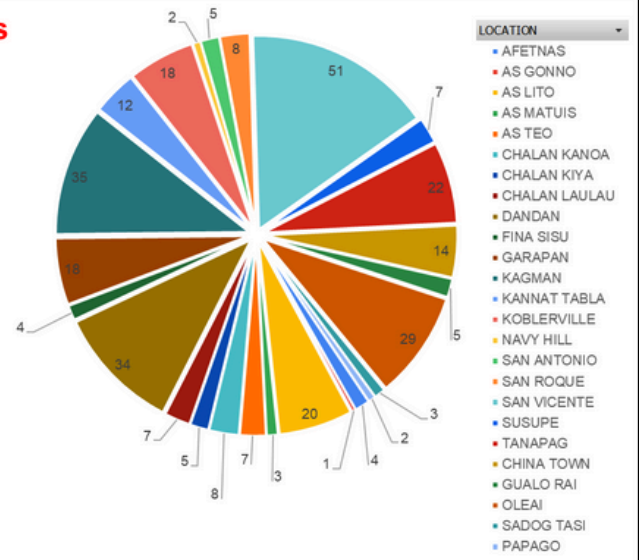
Saipan Mayor's Office Total Budget Balances



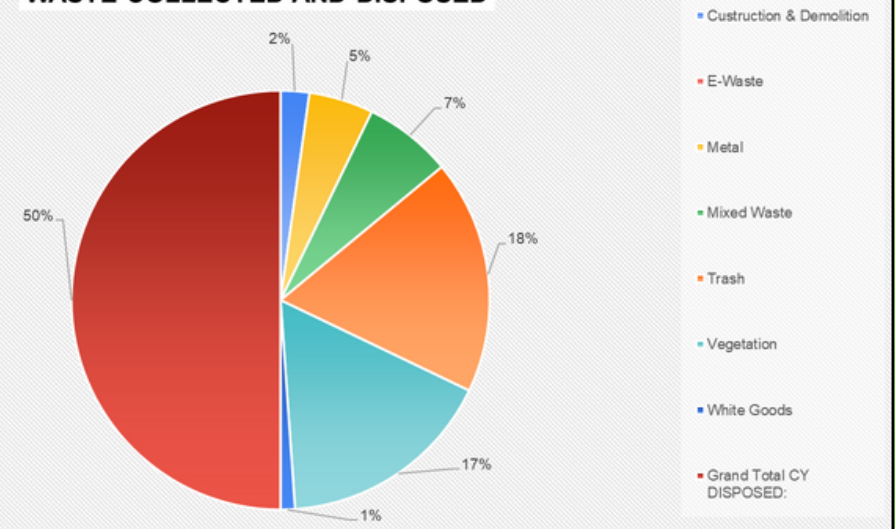
- The Saipan Mayor's Office receives its primary funding through local appropriations from the CNMI Legislature.
- For Fiscal Year 2025, the Office was allocated \$3,063,091 to support 87 personnel, along with \$220,086 for operational expenses. Additionally, the Saipan and Northern Islands Legislative Delegation appropriated \$150,000 to help offset the costs of the 2025 Liberation Day festivities, which includes support for personnel and operations.
- In 2024, the Office received a federal award from the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency to replace incandescent lightbulbs and 4-foot fluorescent lamps with energy-efficient LED bulbs.
- This initiative targets residential areas, government offices, and small businesses, aiming to reduce greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions and promote sustainable energy use. The Office also received funding from the U.S. Department of the Interior to support commemorative activities for the 80th Anniversary of the Battle of Saipan and Tinian.
- Beyond these appropriations and grants, the Saipan Mayor's Office maintains several revolving accounts to sustain essential community services, including the Marriage License Program, Saipan Identification Card Program, and Dog Control Program.
- A significant portion of the Office's expenditures is dedicated to field operations that directly benefit the community such as, (1) beautification of public spaces, (2) village cleanups, (3) junk car removal, roadside maintenance on secondary roads, tree trimming, and removal, and other community support services.

Field Operations

Junk Cars 324



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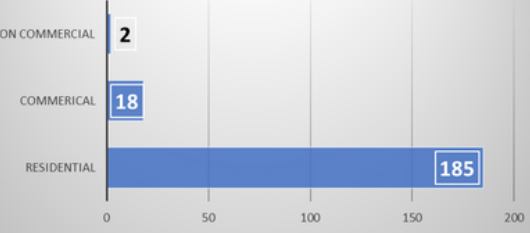




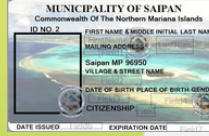
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Street Naming and Addressing

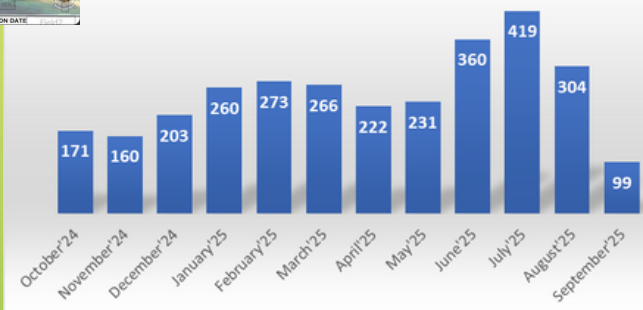
Home/Building Numbers Assigned FY 2025



Municipal Identification



Saipan Resident ID's Issued FY 2025



Sports Programs/Community Outreach



2025 Saipan Mayor's Youth Softball Cup.



Youth Precinct Volleyball and Dodgeball in collaboration with the Office of Youth Affairs.



Saipan Community School Beachside Adopt-A-Place.

NMI Pickleball Federation, Adoptees of the Capitol Hill Pickleball Court, Refurbishment.

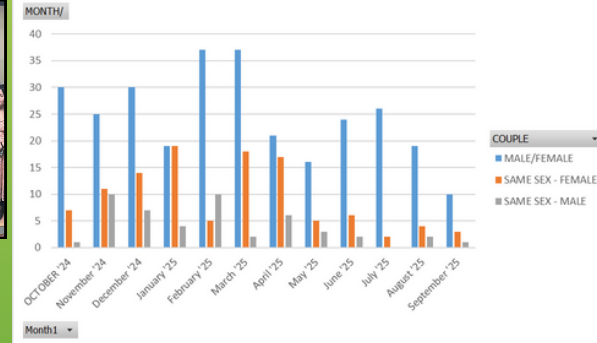


Hammam Supermarket, Adoptees of Kohlerville Basketball Court, Refurbishment.

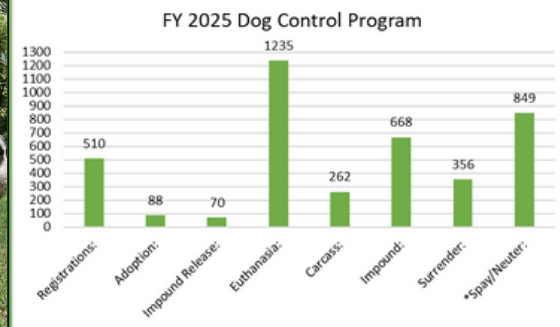
Hammam Supermarket in collaboration with the Saipan Mayor's Office 3 on 3 Youth Basketball Tournament.



Marriage Department



Dog Control Program



International Exchange Program



Mayor Camacho meets with the Mayor of Ome City, Japan.



Mohara High School visits Saipan.



Tanapag Middle School visits Saipan's sister city Katori, Japan.



Saipan Awaodori Team Performs at sister city Katori's Omigawa Festival.

The International Exchange Program Department is responsible for planning and implementing a wide range of international exchange programs—including student, sports, and cultural exchanges. These initiatives aim to provide the local community with valuable opportunities for growth and learning.

The department's overarching goal is to broaden the horizons of our community and participants alike by creating and supporting programs that foster mutual understanding, cultural appreciation, and lifelong friendships, thereby strengthening international ties through meaningful, shared experiences.



- The Dog Control Program maintains their partnership with Guam Animals in Need and Saipan Humane Society.
- The Program worked closely with Lauren Cabrera (DLNR) as she supervised the euthanasia program at the Mayor's Office Animal Facility.
- Two DCP personnel were trained as Euthanasia Technicians and attended the course with Saipan Humane Society and Dr. Turner with the Guam Department of Agriculture.
- The DCP Staff participated in a training for Humane Enforcement and Animal Handling in collaboration with Humane World for Animals alongside Saipan Humane Society, Law Enforcement Agencies, Fish & Wildlife, and more.
- DCP continued their partnership with the military to conduct spay and neuter clinics to assist with the control of the animal population.
- The program assists Saipan Humane Society with staffing and equipment for spay and neuter clinics.
- Lastly, The Dog Control Program continues to be operational Monday through Saturday from 7:30am – 4:30pm to assist the community.



Looking Ahead

Challenges We Face

- The Municipality faces some challenges with regards in access to an unmandated fund as we have encountered emergency situations that would require readily available funds which would not be feasible through the MUNIS process.
- Such situations include but are not limited to: (emergency equipment repairs, humanitarian needs such as food and water, support of community events such as church fiestas, youth sports programs, and others as well as disaster relief,
- The continued challenges of acquiring a reliable supply of quarry materials such as aggregate may affect our ability to conduct necessary road repairs throughout the Municipality.
- Budget and revenue constraints effect ongoing and upcoming operation community based projects as well as regular equipment maintenance and procurement processes necessary for office operations.



Accomplishments

- Successful kickstarting of our Sports Coordinator Program including Youth Dodgeball, Precinct Volleyball, and the upcoming Seasonal Youth Basketball Tournaments.
- Unified Mayors collaboration for the first Inter Island Exchange Program with students form the CNMI and Guam Municipalities on the Island of Rota.
- Completion of major secondary road projects such as the rehabilitation and maintenance of the Laolao Bay Drive Road to be made passable to both residents and tourists and to fix it as a secondary route to Kagman.
- Expansion of International relations and outreach potential sister-city with regard to international exchange and indirect tourism marketing.
- Highest Ranking Official to represent the people of the CNMI at the 80th Anniversary Peace Memorial Ceremony in remembrance of the Atomic Bombings in Hiroshima, Japan.
- Publication of our first ever Saipan Mayor's Office newsletter and distribution throughout our community. Quarterly releases of new editions are planned.

What's the Future Looking Like?

- Implementation of more community based programs and initiatives with an emphasis on after school youth such as the Sports Program, Farm to Table program, Adopt-A-Place, and other positive activities to steer them away from criminal activity and negative influences such as drugs and alcohol.
- Continued cooperation with our partner agencies and especially our sister municipalities to create and promote initiatives such as the Inter-Island Exchange Program throughout the Marianas.
- Implementation of more public town hall meetings in each precinct to solicit public feedback that we can configure our public services and projects accordingly.
- Continuation of beautification activities around the island to promote a healthy and safe environment for our residents and a beautiful destination for our visitors.



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