

# City Auditor’s Integrity Unit

## Fiscal Year 2026 Activities

July 2026

We investigate fraud, waste, and abuse by City officials, including employees, and City contractors

### Outputs and Outcomes

We completed 8 investigations  
published 4 reports

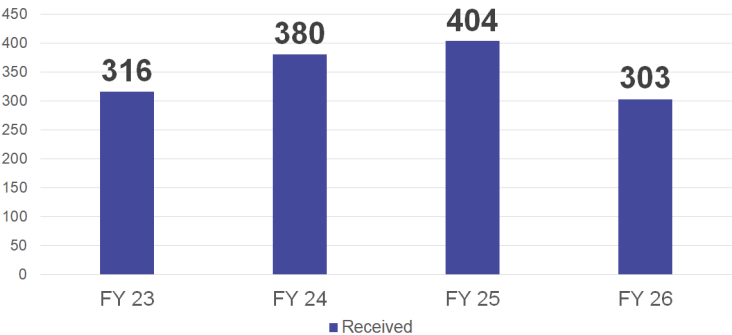
| Department           | Report Topic                                            | Accountability Action |
|----------------------|---------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Austin Water         | Misuse, Waste, & Fraud                                  | Employee Separation   |
| Austin Energy        | Fraud, Waste, Failure to Cooperate                      | Employee Separation   |
| Austin Public Health | Accepting Compensation likely to Impair Job Performance | Employee Separation   |
| Austin Energy        | Misuse                                                  | Pending               |

### Action Taken on Reports Issued in FY26

100%

of substantiated investigations responded to by management  
resulted in accountability action or having action pending

### Allegations Received



FY26 through 9 months, projected to total 404 at 12 months

### Allegation Jurisdiction

Many allegations were not in our jurisdiction and are referred to a more appropriate party. For any allegation that appears to be in our jurisdiction, we conduct a due diligence review to determine if it may have merit. If we find evidence, we investigate further.

42%  
ACAO  
jurisdiction

58%  
Outside  
jurisdiction

Most common  
outside  
jurisdiction:  
HR issues and  
operational  
issues