



Clark County Treasurer's Office

quarterly update

Third Quarter 2023 | From the desk of Alishia Topper

The Clark County Treasurer's Office is an independent financial arm of county government. It is my honor to share a few highlights from Q3 2023.

Office Feel Good

The Treasurer and Assessor Offices recently united in an act of community service. Our dedicated team members volunteered their time at the Clark County Food Bank and Heritage Farm, where they took part in a rewarding event centered around harvesting vegetables. Between the two offices they picked and packaged over 8,800 pounds of corn. This initiative not only exemplifies our commitment to giving back to the community, but also highlights the collaborative spirit that defines our workplace. We applaud their efforts in helping ensure that local families have access to fresh, nutritious food, and we look forward to continuing to make a positive impact in the communities we serve. Thank you to team members who participated and for embodying our values of community engagement and teamwork.



Celebrating 20 Years of Joint Lobby Services!

In 2001, the Clark County Joint Lobby became the first one-stop customer service center of its kind in the state, bringing together property recording, assessment, and tax collection.

Over two decades, the Joint Lobby has achieved several milestones:

- Improved cashing efficiency with an integrated point-of-sale system in 2017.
- Implemented a new cross-training program in 2019, improving on the one-stop service concept.
- Served over 320,000 customers since data tracking began in 2011.
- Successfully served the public through necessary service level changes during the pandemic.

This success is thanks to community support and collaboration among our offices. Looking ahead, the Joint Lobby remains dedicated to enhancing services and embracing technology. We are excited about the future and the opportunity to continue serving Clark County. Here's to the next 20 years!

Second Half Property Taxes Due Oct. 31

Of the \$898 million in property taxes billed this year, we have collected 57.3% to date. Collections will increase as approximately 56,000 2nd half property tax statements and 3,500 eBills were sent on September 12. Taxpayers have several payment options available. [Learn more about payment options.](#)

Higher Rates Means Higer Interest Earnings

The Clark County Investment Pool (CCIP) invests cash reserves for Clark County and 40 taxing districts. Pool interest earnings, year to date, thru September 30 were \$19.5M with an average book yield of 2.4%. It's expected that 2023 earnings will be more than double what was earned in 2022 (\$12.2M) and one of the highest earning years on record! You can learn more by visiting our website: [Investment Pool Webpage.](#)



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