



The **Highways Unit** is responsible for the safe maintenance of 2,525 miles of Philadelphia streets and highways. Its primary responsibility is to construct, repair and maintain city streets, highways, and bridges.

This unit is also the primary response team for the City in weather events, such as, snow and ice.



The **Survey and Design Unit** is responsible for designing city streets and highways; designing and constructing 320 city bridges, and performing all surveying functions of the City including furnishing lines and grades; preparing maps, plans and other land and street opening records.

The **Administrative Division** provides support services through several units: Administrative Services (Budget and Accounting), Human Resources, Information Services and Technology, and Planning and Public Affairs.



The **Planning and Analysis Unit** assist the Transportation Units with strategic planning and analysis.



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CLEAN, GREEN AND SAFE STREETS

The **Streets Department's** mission is to provide CLEAN, GREEN, and SAFE streets in a cost-effective and efficient manner. The department delivers a number of City services that are critical to maintaining the public health and safety in our communities. These essential services include, but are not limited to, curbside trash and recycling collection, maintaining all traffic control devices and street lighting, the construction and maintenance of 320 bridges and 2,525 miles of streets and highways and snow and ice removal.



The **Sanitation Division** is responsible for conducting an integrated solid waste management system that includes refuse collection, recycling and disposal of the City's waste materials. Annually, the division collects from over 540,000 households and completes over 42,000 miles of mechanical cleaning.

Programs developed through the Sanitation Division include Streets & Walkways Education & Enforcement Program (SWEEP) with community outreach and educational initiatives to residents, Philadelphia More Beautiful Committee (PMBC) and Recycling Rewards.

SWEEP is a Streets Department program created as a comprehensive, centralized and accessible resource for information about the Sanitation code. SWEEP enforces the law against violators through intensive street patrols by uniformed enforcement officers. Through education and enforcement, SWEEP supports and enhances individual and residential community efforts to address problem locations in order to maintain a clean city.



PMBC promotes civic pride, public safety, and neighborhood empowerment. PMBC approaches City-wide improvement at its smallest organized level: the city block. They coordinate over 6,600 registered Block Captains, who perform a vital function in our City— they lead the battle against litter and blight that threaten our neighborhoods.



With the **Recycling Rewards** program, the more you and your neighbors recycle right the more rewards points you earn. Points can be used to redeem for valuable deals and discounts.



The **Transportation Engineering** Division maintains the City's infrastructure of roadways, bridges and highways, safe and efficient traffic flow and the public right-of-way. The Division includes the following units: Traffic and Street Lighting, Highways, Bridges, Surveys and Design, and Planning and Analysis.

The **Traffic and Street Lighting Unit** is responsible for all signs, signals, markings, and devices for regulating vehicular and pedestrian traffic including 2,950 signalized intersections, 15,000 conventional stop intersections and 3,000 all-way stop intersections.

The **Traffic and Street Lighting Unit** also maintains the installation and operation of 105,000 alley lights in the City's lighting system. Responsibilities include making minor repairs, such as, bulb outages and major repairs, such as, knockdowns and replacing alley lights.