



City of
CHARLOTTE
Michigan

2019 PERFORMANCE DASHBOARD

FISCAL STABILITY	General Fund Fund Balance as % of Non-Capital Expenditures	2018: 56%	2019: 44%	
	Average Age of Fixed Assets (years)	2018: 20	2019: 20	
	Pensions and Other Post-Employment Benefits (Percent Funded)	2018: 54%	2019: 52%	
	The City's pension funds were 58% and 56% funded for 2018 and 2019 respectively. The City has chosen to fund its OPEB obligations on a pay-as-you-go basis, resulting in the low total funding percentage shown. Additional information related to fiscal stability can be found in the Citizens' Guide to City Finances available on this website.			

PUBLIC SAFETY	Crimes Against Persons Per 1000 Population	2017: 46.35	2018: 35.15	
	Property Crimes Per 1000 Population	2017: 74.47	2018: 62.82	
	Fire Dept. Average Response Time (min.:sec.)	2017: 05:57	2018: 06:46	
	Due to differences in how information is reported, crime statistics should not be used for comparing Charlotte with other communities.			

ECONOMIC STRENGTH	Percent of Commercial Ground Floor Space Occupied in Downtown	2018: 91.6%	2019: 93.9%	
	Number of Employees at Principal Employers	2017: 2887	2018: 3113	
	For the purpose of measuring occupied space, "downtown" is defined as the 100 and 200 blocks of S. Cochran and the 100 blocks of adjacent side streets. "Principal employers" are Spartan Motors, Hayes Green Beach Memorial Hospital, Charlotte Public Schools, County of Eaton, Peckham Vocational Industries, Meijer, Inc., Eaton Intermediate School District, Wal-Mart Stores, Inc and Linn Products, Inc..			

KEY Arrows represent the change from one year to the next. A green arrow indicates that the change was positive. A red arrow indicates that the change was negative. A white arrow indicates that there was no significant change.