

Utility revenue collected by the city of Moorhead has steadily increased over the past 5 years

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MOORHEAD, Minn. (Valley News Live) - From 2020 to 2024, the City of Moorhead's utility revenue has either increased from a few hundred dollars to a few thousand.

A portion of the utility revenue is allocated for mosquito spraying purposes. According to the City of Moorhead's website, each resident is charged \$1.06 per month.

Each year, utility revenue has been over \$219,000.

Year	Utility Revenue Collected
2025, through July	\$134,293
2024	\$228,529
2023	\$225,446
2022	\$223,561
2021	\$222,819
2020	\$219,938

The 2025 budget for Moorhead's Pest Control is \$237,000.

Contracts with mosquito control service providers –includes contracts with Cass County Vector Control, Mosquito Man, and Airborne Vector Control result in \$205,000.

\$14,000 covers a portion of wages and benefits for the Public Works Director and the Public Works Office Manager

\$7,000 Includes operating supplies, insurance, and costs associated with the utility billing system. 4. Transfer to General

\$11,000 can be transferred to general municipal operations, as permitted under Moorhead City Charter Section 12.11, Subdivision 4.