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Crow Wing County is Nationally Recognized for Triple Crown Award

Crow Wing County was recently named as a 2020 Triple Crown Winner by the Government Finance Officers Association (GFOA). GFOA's Triple Crown designation recognizes governments who have received GFOA's Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting, Popular Annual Financial Reporting Award, and Distinguished Budget Presentation Award for the fiscal year ended 2020.

Crow Wing County is one of only 4 Minnesota Counties to receive the Triple Crown for fiscal year 2020 and one of just 317 governments nationwide to receive this coveted designation.

"Our top priority is to ensure transparency and quality in financial reporting for our organization and the residents we serve." said Finance Director Nick Mielke.

"I am continually impressed by the hard work and dedication of our Finance Department," said County Board Chair, Doug Houge. "Receiving this designation says a great deal about the people, the processes and the commitment that we strive to achieve in Crow Wing County."

The Triple Crown designation represents a significant achievement. To qualify, Crow Wing County Financial Services Division must meet the high standards of all three separate award programs. Each award program recognizes governments that produce reports which communicate their financial stories in a transparent and accurate manner while meeting all applicable standards set by the GFOA.

To review Crow Wing County's financial reports, visit [CWC Financial Statements](#) and [CWC Budget & Capital Improvements Plan](#).

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Our Mission: Serve well. Deliver value. Drive results.
Our Values: Be responsible. Treat people right. Build a better future.

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