

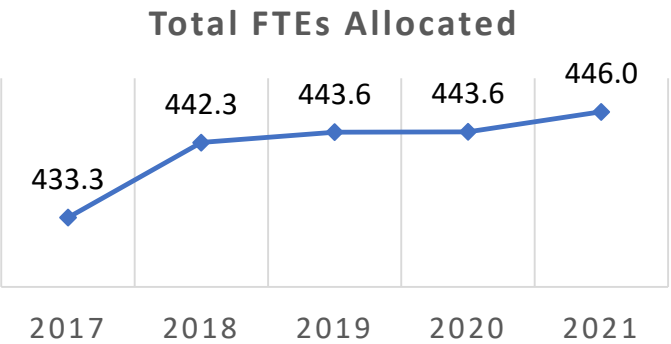


End of Year Summary

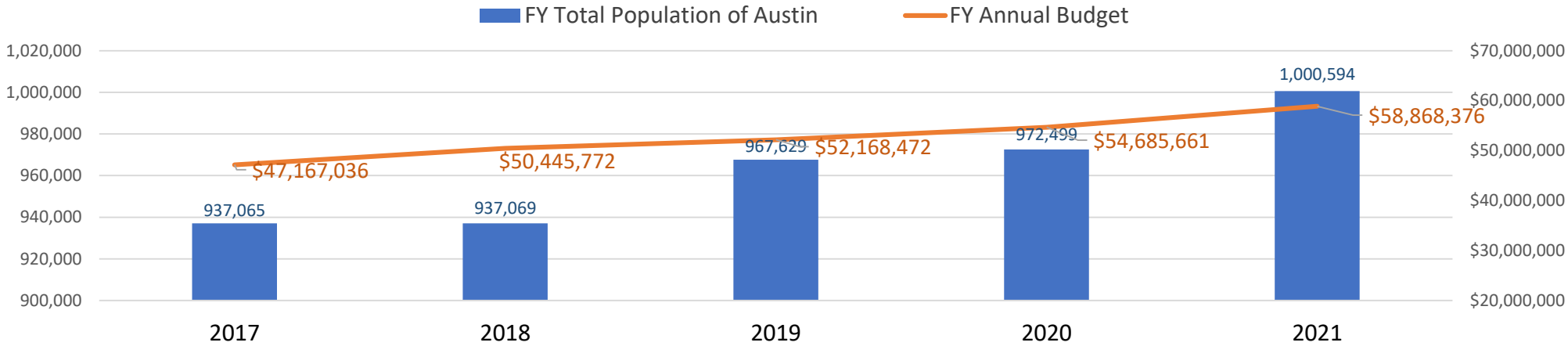
Fiscal Year 2021 and Trends

AUSTIN
PUBLIC
LIBRARY

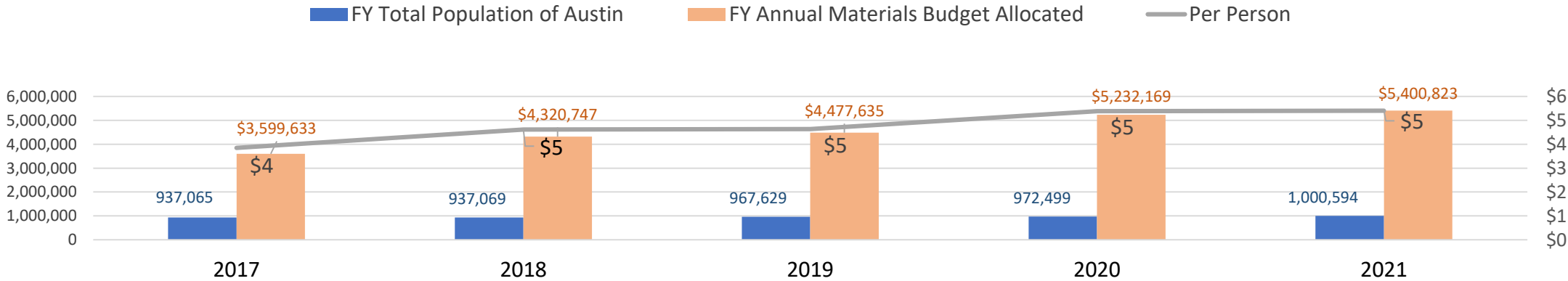
Budget



Department Budget for Legal Service Area



Materials Budget Per Resident



COVID IMPACTS

- Libraries closed to the public in March 2020.
- May 2020 Library programs pivoted to virtual and outdoor events.
- June 2020 Book drops opened and curbside services offered.
- June 2021 Library locations reopened to the public at limited capacity. Austin History Center opened 2 days/week to offer remote reference and e-document services.
- Social distancing reduced the number of public computers.
- Library staff volunteered to work at Emergency Operation Centers.

“All this stuff is new, but like any new process, you’re getting used to it,” Fitzgerald (a library customer) said. “During these times, as long as it’s good for public safety, we’re good.”

~Austin Monitor October 2, 2020

Austin Public Library

10.6K Tweets

Follow

These locations are operating at modified hours because they also serve as @AusPublicHealth vaccine clinics. Review all our hours and locations here: bit.ly/3jhy89m



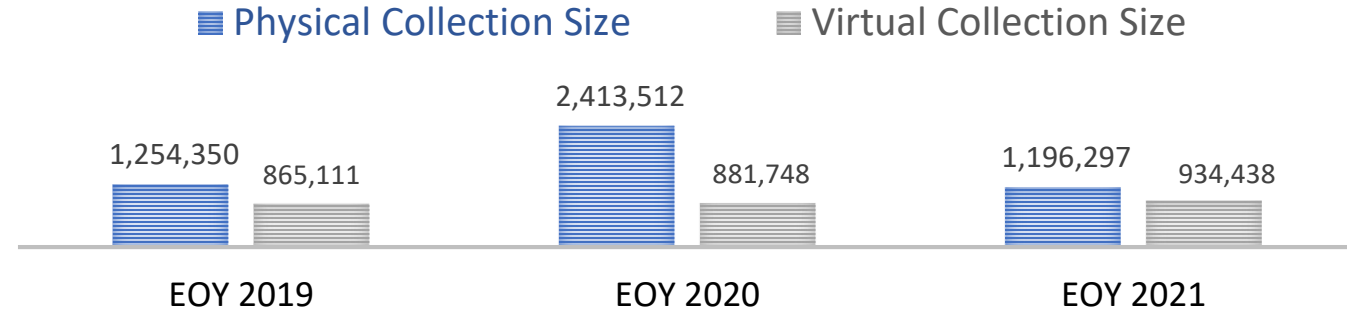
Branch Closures

1. Little Walnut Creek - vaccination clinic
2. Southeast - vaccination clinic
3. Terrazas - Downtown Austin Community Court
4. Cepeda - renovation
5. University Hills - renovation
6. Yarborough - renovation
7. Pleasant Hill - renovation

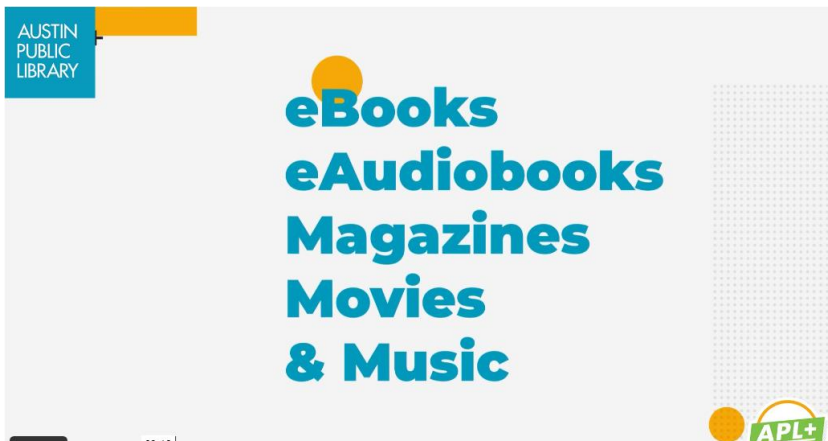
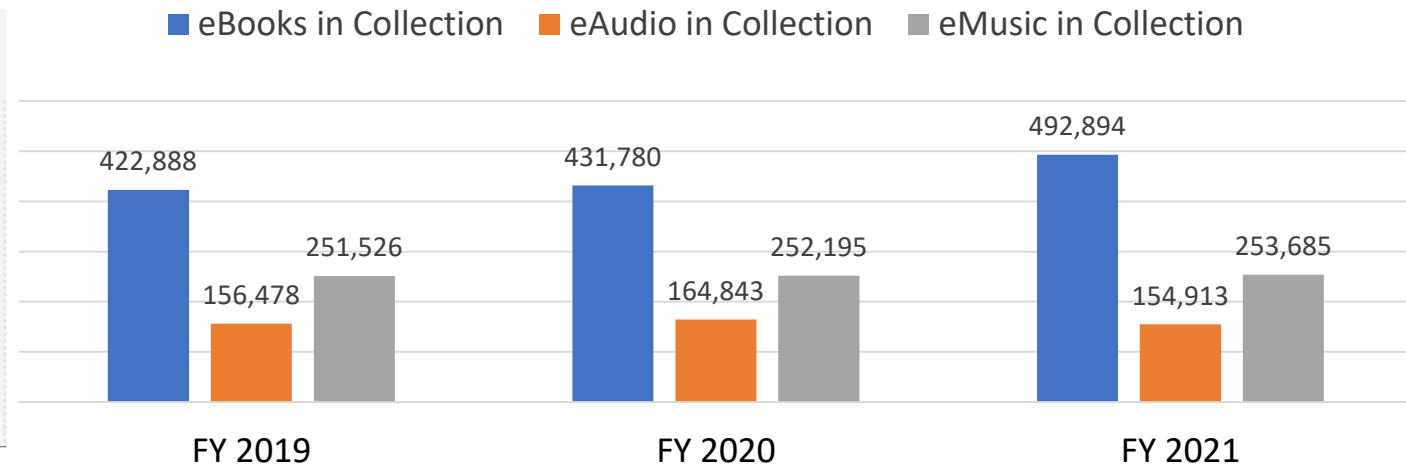
Collection



COLLECTIONS SIZE
TRENDS



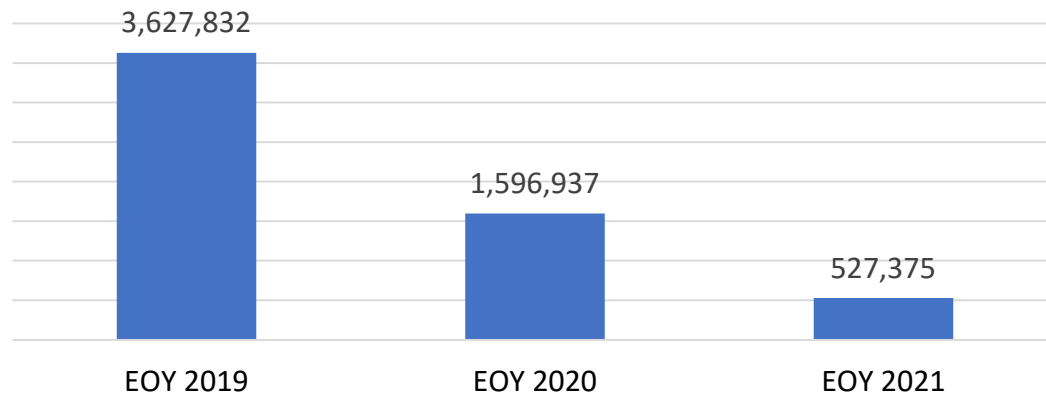
e-MATERIALS
TRENDS



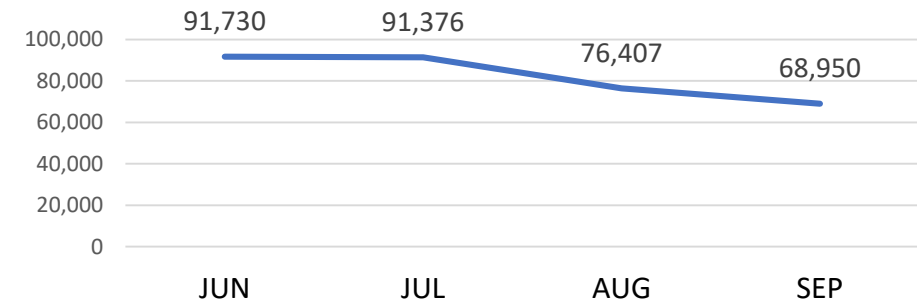
Visitors



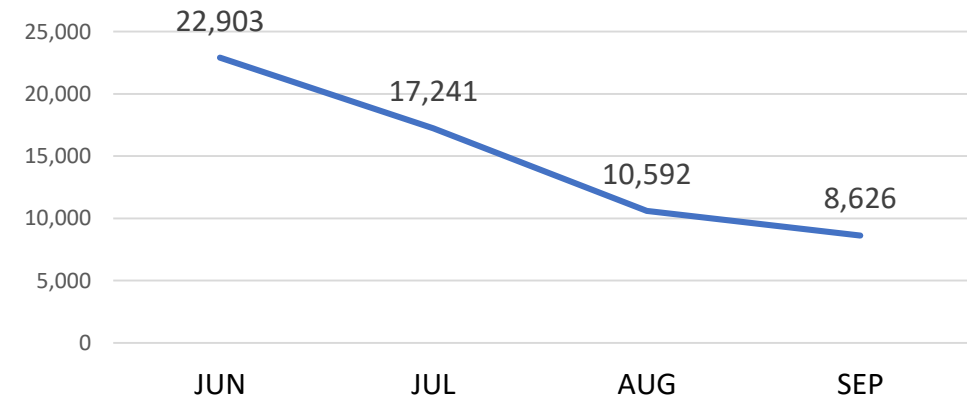
VISITORS
EOY TRENDS



VISITORS
Trends FY 2021



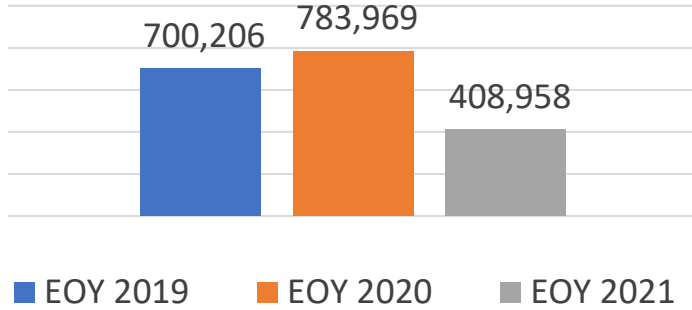
Central Visitors
Trends FY 2021



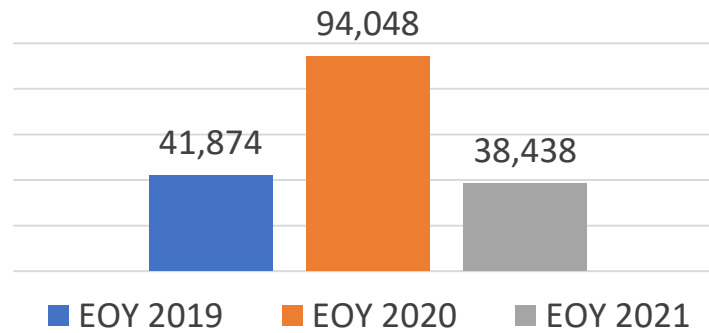
Cardholders



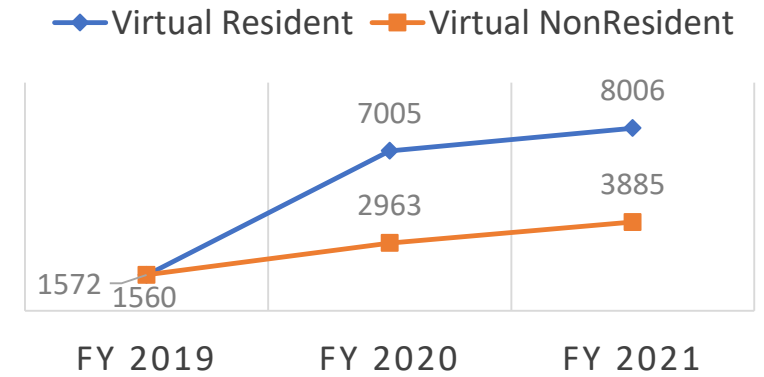
CARDHOLDERS
EOY Trends



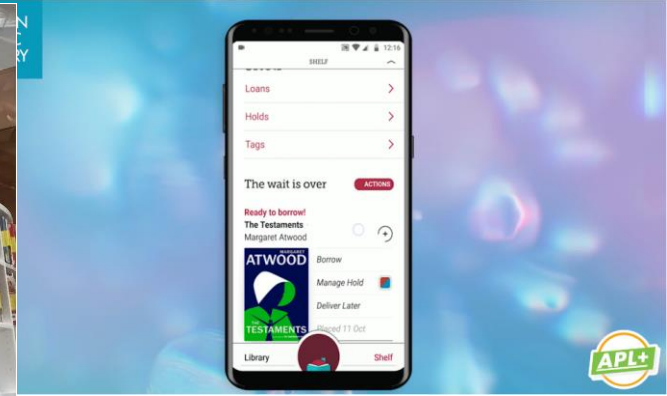
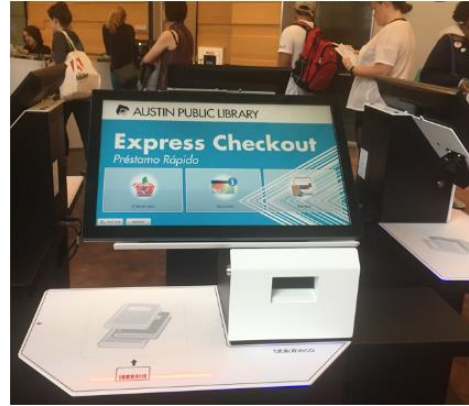
NEW CARDHOLDERS
EOY Trends



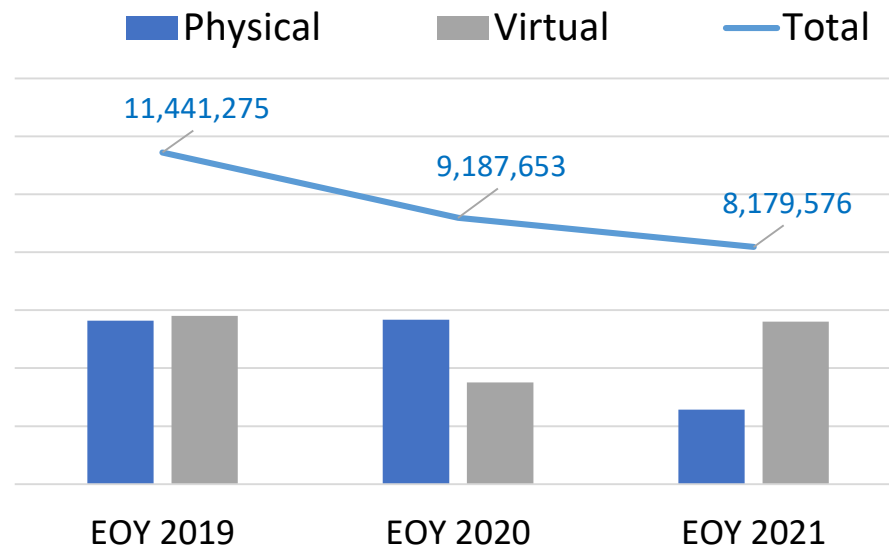
VIRTUAL LIBRARY
E-CARDS



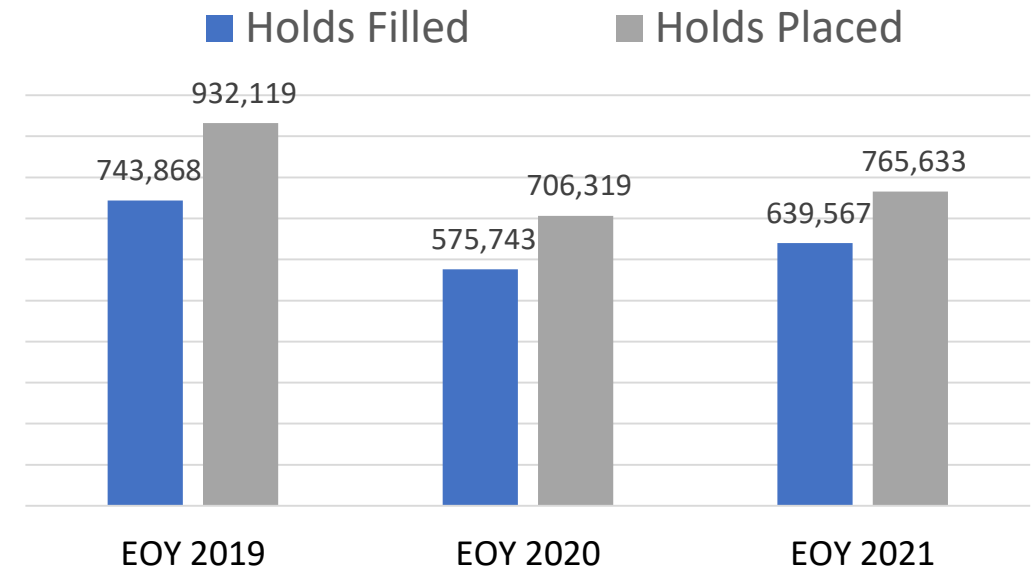
Circulation



CIRCULATION
EOY Trends



HOLDS
EOY TRENDS



Technology



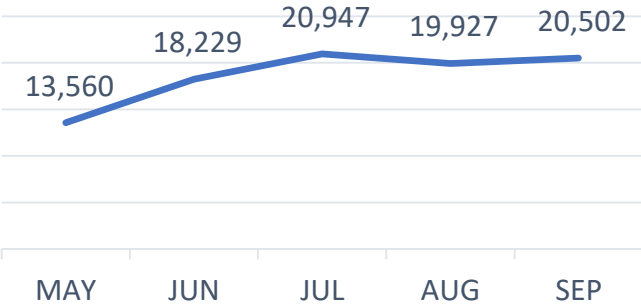
COMPUTER SESSIONS
EOY Trends



WIFI CONNECTIONS
EOY Trends



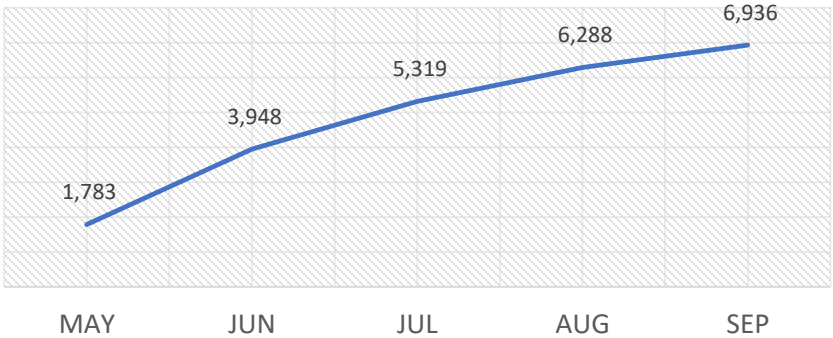
Wi-Fi CONNECTIONS
FY 2021 Trends



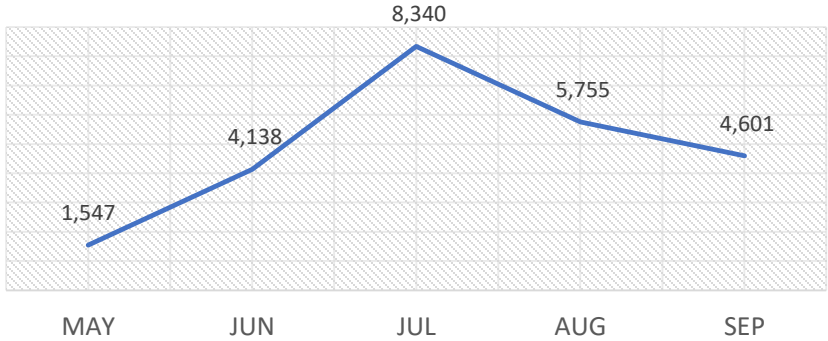
WEBSITE HITS
FY 2021 Trends



BRANCH
PUBLIC COMPUTER SESSIONS



CENTRAL
PUBLIC COMPUTER SESSIONS



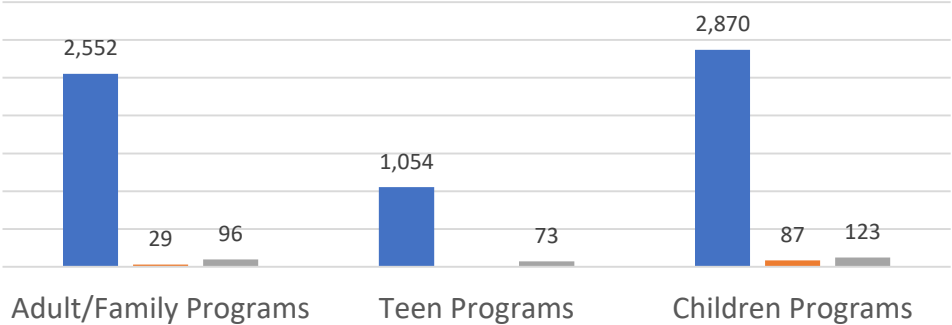


The Urban Libraries Council announced Austin Public Library as one of 10 Top Innovators during the 2020 Innovations Celebration in December.

Programs

PROGRAMS BY AUDIENCE
EOY Trends

■ EOY 2019 ■ EOY 2020 ■ EOY 2021



Library Cards for All Students Campaign

Independent School Districts
Public Charter Schools
Private Schools
Daycare and Childcare Centers
Homeschools

"We are very excited to be able to expand access to library materials to all students in Travis County," Austin Public Library Director Roosevelt Weeks said in a press release. "One of the Austin Public Library's six core priorities is 'Literacy Advancement,' and lifting a financial barrier to accessing the Library's resources for tens of thousands of Travis County students will provide a significant boost to literacy and learning in the Greater Austin community."



2021
Nearly
90,000!



Let's welcome in 2022!