The People of the City and County of Denver

District Attorney
County Court
Mayor
Auditor
Clerk and Recorder
City Council
Civil Service Commission

Departments
Can only be created or abolished by an amendment to the City Charter, which is voted on by the people

- Aviation
- City Attorney
- Community Planning and Development
- Transportation and Infrastructure
- Excise and Licenses
- Finance
- General Services
- Human Services
- Parks and Recreation
- Public Safety
- Public Health and Environment

Offices and Agencies
Are established by order of the mayor, or by City ordinance, and can be abolished without a vote of the people

- Board of Ethics
- Denver Economic Development and Opportunity
- Emergency Management and Homeland Security
- Human Rights and Community Partnerships
- Children’s Affairs
- Climate Action, Sustainability and Resiliency
- Independent Monitor
- Special Events
- Technology Services
- Housing Stability
- Performance-Based Infrastructure

Independent Offices and Agencies
Operate independently and include both city offices and agencies that report to independent boards, and outside offices and agencies that receive City support

- Board of Adjustment for Zoning Appeals
- Denver Zoological Gardens
- Denver Art Museum
- Career Service Hearing Office
- Denver Botanical Gardens
- Museum of Nature and Science
- Denver Public Library
- Human Resources
- Denver Health
- Municipal Public Defender