

Middlefield Finance Committee Capital Plan

Five calendar years plus years 6-10 & misc. ideas

Five calendar year plan (plus years 6-10)				
Year(s)	Description	Department	Est. \$	Notes
2024	Tailings on Chipman Road	Highway	\$500K	Will use Chapter 90 funds
	Repair or replace fire siren	Fire	\$20K	Critical emergency communication
	Firehouse 200-amp service	Fire	\$6K	
	Firehouse generator	Fire	\$25K	Move smaller generator to Senior Center
	Vehicle communications	Police	\$1.2K	Repeater + ticket writers
	Town hall flooring	Gen. Govt.	\$208K	Remove asbestos & install new tile
	New Highway truck	Highway	\$256K	Done
	Town Hall plumbing	Gen. govt.	\$1,390	Done. Janitor's sink, etc.
	IT cyber security	Gen. govt.	\$25.7K	Done
	Lines on paved roads	Highway		Done. Chapter 90 funds.
	Tasers & laptops	Police	\$10K	Done

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	Office furniture & painting	Police	\$2K	Done
2025	Repairs on bridge, Town Hill Rd., Cone Rd., etc.	Highway		Push state to act
	Larger used vibrating dirt roller	Highway	\$60K	
	Expand Pine Grove cemetery	Cemetery		
	Playground at senior center	Gen. govt.		Spruce up
	Town center paint crosswalk & put up signs	Highway		
2026	Repair town hall ramp	Gen. govt.	\$10K	
2027	Larger used dirt roller (7-10 tons)	Highway	\$50K	Rent or borrow instead?
2027			\$30 K	
	Paper compactor & metal bin	Gen. govt.		Part of transfer station redesign.
	New side bay	Highway		
	Pave lower Clark Wright Road	Highway		
2028	Repave River Road	Highway		

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2029	Pave Reservoir Road to turn	Highway		
2030-35	Used excavator	Highway		Rent or borrow
	800 frequency radios	Fire	\$60K	5 vehicles, 2 base, 4 portable. State may mandate.
	Fix cemetery stones	Cemetery		Center & some Mack stones & up-righting
	Repair outside of town hall	Gen. govt.	\$200K	

Misc. 10-year capital plan ideas			
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New town hall roof	Gen. govt.		
Town hall air conditioner	Gen. govt.		
Town hall shower	Gen. govt.		
Fence around basketball/pickleball court	Gen. govt.		
Parking at senior center	Gen. govt.		
Air conditioning at senior center	Gen. govt.		
Used back hoe	Highway		
Design highway garage	Highway		Use Chapter 90 money for some. Possible radiant floor heat.

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Improve cell service	Gen. govt.		
New tanker/pumper truck	Fire		
Used fire truck	Fire		
New fire station roof	Fire		
4-wheel drive mowing tractor	Highway		Trade case tractor in
Hot box for patching	Highway		Rent or borrow
Redo concrete floor	Highway		With drain & tight tank
Vinyl on building	Highway		Cement cracking
Redo Cone Road	Highway		Including fix water problems
Town center building site	Gen. govt.		Spruce up
Senior center repair	Gen. govt.		Grant

Other suggested ideas		
Description	Notes	
Improve efficiency & ease of town jobs with less time needed.		
Make the town desirable for families with children.		
Do town meetings differently & involve more townspeople.		
Shift police dept to state police.		
Acquire more town land.		
Discuss status of museum.		
Discuss status of church.		
Paint highway roof.		
Add second floor to town hall.	Not feasible.	
Planting trees grant for town roads.	Not feasible.	
Lighted sign at town hall.	Does not meet zoning.	
Police garage.	Not feasible.	
Town hall emergency shelter grants to do repairs.	Not feasible.	
Move playground to town hall.	Est. cost \$80K	
Add to town hall to house senior center & museum.	Not feasible.	