

#### Commission

## 2024 DRAFT Budget Workshop

October 25, 2023

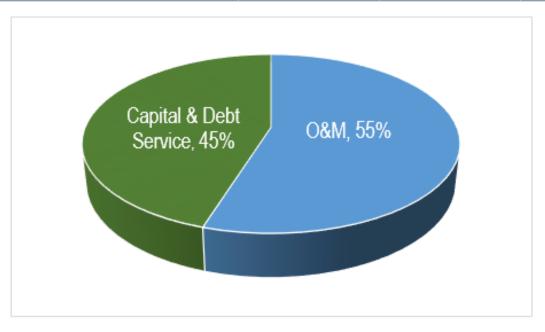


# Changes to 2024 Budget from September 27 Presentation

- Net increases in O&M expenses of \$253K
  - Added additional repairs & maintenance
  - Added access platform project
  - Increased demolition scope
- Net increase in Annual Capital of \$100K
  - Added Ninth Street Interceptor: Southbridge Relocation Phase I
- Net decrease to Contribution to Capital Reserve (\$350)

## 2024 Proposed Expenses

Budget Category	2023 Budget	2024 Budget	% Change
Operations & Maintenance (O&M)	\$ 26,218,542	\$ 28,353,443	8.1%
Debt Service and Annual Capital	\$ 22,495,949	\$ 23,312,522	3.6%
Total Expenses	\$ 48,714,492	\$ 51,665,965	6.1%



#### 2024 Revenue

Budget Categories	2023 Budget	2024 Budget	% Change
Municipal User Fees	\$41,083,772	\$43,652,808	6.3%
Mill User Fees and Direct Charges	\$ 2,946,785	\$ 3,213,236	9.0%
Mill Capital Charges	\$ 2,254,955	\$ 2,316,104	2.7%
General Reserve Interest	\$ 29,126	\$ 25,076	-13.9%
Other Revenues	\$ 988,310	\$ 1,270,921	28.6%
ICR and Debt Reserve Transfers	\$ 1,440,669	\$ 1,212,897	-15.8%
Contribution to Capital Reserve	\$ (29,126)	\$ (25,076)	-13.9%
Total Revenues	\$ 48,714,492	\$ 51,665,965	6.1%

## Municipal Rate Comparison

Capital Charge included in Parameter Rate								
Parameter	2023 Budget		2024 Budget		% Change			
Volume (1,000 gals)	\$	0.88669	\$	1.01187	14.1%			
Biochemical Oxygen Demand (lbs)	\$	0.56491	\$	0.60156	6.5%			
Suspended Solids (lbs)	\$	0.70913	\$	0.70017	-1.3%			
Phosphorus (lbs)	\$	3.22273	\$	2.60774	-19.1%			
Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen (lbs)	\$	0.75539	\$	0.84268	11.6%			
Capital Charge	\$	14,622,367	\$	19,643,411	34.34%			

NOTE: Capital Charge methodology changed for the 2024 budget, including 100% of the Capital as a fixed charge. Where as 2023 budget included 65% of Capital as a fixed charge and 35% of Capital included in the unit parameter rates

Parameter rates billed to customers do not include capital charge; that is billed separately



## 2024 Budget Summary

- 6.1% increase in total expenses over 2023 budget
- O&M expenses increase by 8.1%
- Capital expenses increase by 3.6%
- Offset some interceptor debt service using ICR reserve and some Common to All using Debt Service Reserve



### Next Steps

- Customer meeting(s)
- Village of Bellevue on October 25, 2023
- Village of Suamico on December 18, 2023
- Budget hearing and adoption on December 6, 2023
- Customer notification

