W-98 Replacement of Aging Water Infrastructure

Category: High Quality Built & Natural Env Status: Ongoing

Department: Utilities Location: Water Service Area

Programmed Expenditures								
Programmed Appropriated	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025	FY 2026	FY 2027	
Expenditures To Date	Budget							
7,119,163 3,769,163	40,000	340,000	570,000	430,000	700,000	690,000	580,000	
Description and Scano								

This program systematically replaces older, obsolete high-volume commercial water meters as they wear out. Due to their location and condition, these meters pose safety and access concerns and are generally beyond the ability of O&M crews to change out. Improved performance accuracy is a secondary benefit of the program. This ongoing program replaces approximately 4 commercial meters (and meter vaults, if required) each year.

Rationale

In the short term, this program reduces the likelihood of catastrophic system failures, unplanned service interruptions, damage claims to the city, and sharp rate increases to react to system failures rather than proactively managing the system. In the long term, timely replacement or repair of water system assets keeps customer rates as low as practical by managing the system at the least life-cycle cost while maintaining target service levels and meeting regulatory requirements.

Environmental Impacts

This program will have no significant impact on operating revenues and/or expenditures.

Operating Budget Impacts

Estimated Annual M&O Costs: 0

Project Map Schedule of Activities



Project Activities	From - To	Amount
Project Costs	Ongoing	7,119,163

Total Budgetary Cost Estimate: 7,119,163

Means of Financing
Funding Source Amount

Utility Rates/Fees 7,119,163

Total Programmed Funding: 7,119,163 **Future Funding Requirements:** 0

Comments