# COMMISSION OF SILICON VALLEY CLEAN WATER JOINT POWERS AUTHORITY

REGULAR MEETING – Monday, October 9, 2023 8:00 a.m.

Place: Pelican Conference Room Silicon Valley Clean Water 1400 Radio Road, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Redwood City, California

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#### **COMMISSIONERS**

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#### **AGENDA**

- 1. CALL TO ORDER
- 2. ROLL CALL
- 3. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
- 4. PUBLIC COMMENT

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- 6. MATTERS OF COMMISSION MEMBER'S INTEREST
- 7. CONSIDERATION OF MOTION APPROVING CONSENT CALENDAR (begins pg. 47)
- 8. BUSINESS ITEMS
  - A. CONSIDERATION OF MOTION APPROVING BROWN AND CALDWELL TASK ORDER SCOPE AND BUDGET FOR PRELIMINARY DESIGN, DETAILED DESIGN, AND BID PERIOD SERVICES FOR THE SIDESTREAM TREATMENT PROJECT (CIP #9401) (pg. 59)

#### **Proposed Actions:**

Move approval of TASK ORDER SCOPE OF WORK AND BUDGET FOR PRELIMINARY DESIGN, DETAILED DESIGN, AND BID PERIOD SERVICES RELATED TO THE SIDESTREAM TREATMENT PROJECT (CIP# 9401) IN THE AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$1,469,879 AND AUTHORIZE MANAGER TO APPROVE UP TO TEN PERCENT CONTINGENCY FOR ADDITIONAL WORK ON AN AS-NEEDED BASIS – BROWN AND CALDWELL

 B. CONSIDERATION OF MOTION APPROVING TANNER PACIFIC, INC. TASK ORDER SCOPE AND BUDGET FOR PROFESSIONAL CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT SERVICES FOR SVCW CIP AND CAPITAL PROJECTS (pg. 63)

#### Proposed Actions:

Move approval of TASK ORDER SCOPE AND BUDGET FOR CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT SERVICES IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$9,022,000 AND AUTHORIZE MANAGER TO APPROVE UP TO TEN PERCENT CONTINGENCY FOR ADDITIONAL WORK ON AN ASNEEDED BASIS - TANNER PACIFIC INC.

#### 9. CLOSED SESSION

- A. CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL EXISTING LITIGATION (Government Code §54956.9(d)(1)) Case Name: In re Bryan K. Clark, CERCLA Appeal No. 23-01 (Environmental Appeals Board United States Environmental Protection Agency Washington, D.C.) (pg. 66)
- 10. RECONVENE IN OPEN SESSION Announce action taken in Closed Session, if any
- 11. ADJOURN

#### CONSENT CALENDAR

#### **NOTICE TO PUBLIC**

All matters listed under CONSENT CALENDAR are considered to be routine. There may be discussion on items on the CONSENT CALENDAR. All items will be enacted by one motion with a voice vote unless members of the Commission, staff, or public request specific items be removed from the CONSENT CALENDAR for separate action.

- 7. A. APPROVAL OF MINUTES September 11, 2023 Regular Meeting (pg. 47)
  - B. CONSIDERATION OF MOTION APPROVING CLAIMS AND CHECKS DATED AUGUST 8, 2023 SEPTEMBER 5, 2023 AND NECESSARY PAYMENTS THROUGH SEPTEMBER 5, 2023 (pg. 54)
  - C. CONSIDERATION OF MOTION APPROVING CONTRACT CHANGE ORDER TO THE PUMP STATIONS IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT (CIP #9501) FOR MENLO PARK PUMP STATION AND REDWOOD CITY PUMP STATION PG&E RELATED IMPACTS (pg. 56)

#### Proposed Action:

Move approval of CONTRACT CHANGE ORDER TO THE PUMP STATIONS IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$851,287

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# **AGENDA ITEM 5A**

#### Tips on How to Get Organized

Your home should give you a sense of peace -- and that means keeping clutter to a minimum. Research shows that a visual mess doesn't just affect your ability to find your car keys. It makes it harder for you to focus on other tasks and hikes your stress level.

Ready to get organized for good? Here are a few tips to get you started.

**Start small.** The more out-of-control your house, the harder it may seem to try to create order. Set realistic goals: Set a timer for no more than an hour and choose a specific area to clear out, like one corner of your basement or the floor of a junky closet. Play music you love or have a friend keep you company while you work.

**Purge what you don't use.** Go through each space with bags marked "Recycle," "Toss," "Donate," and "Yard Sale." Make the easy decisions first, like finally getting rid of that broken TV set you'll never fix. Can't decide what to do with something? Put it aside and forge ahead so you don't lose your drive.

**Organize first, store second.** Don't spend time and money picking out storage containers only to bring them home and find they're not what you need. Wait until after you've cleaned out a space and organized the leftover items to shop for a storage system. Otherwise, you're only collecting more junk.

**Take control of your closets.** These spaces are magnets for clutter since you can just shut the door and walk away. To reclaim them, start by removing all empty hangers and unused boxes so you don't waste precious room. Then use labeled clear containers to group other items together so nothing falls out of sight. Even better, install a closet organizing system or double-hanging bars to make the most of the space.

Reduce the paper pile-up. Clutter can creep into your workspace, too. One survey found that 66% of people said they spent 30 minutes each week looking for a lost item in their office. To reduce pack rat habits, shred outdated documents. Scan newspaper and magazine articles you haven't gotten around to reading and recycle the rest. Make a folder or basket for "action items" like bills to pay, invitations, and event flyers, then file things inside according to due date. Keep the folder where you can get to it easily, then go through it on the same day each week.

**Get the kids involved.** Add shelving in a bedroom, basement, or garage to make it easy for even young kids to help clean up their toys, books, and clothes. Then every season, have them go through their collection and decide what they no longer play with and are ready to donate.

**Put things away, not down.** Break the habit of putting things down on the nearest flat surface. Where does each item belong and fit? For instance, keys can always hang on a hook by the door, and you can toss junk mail into the recycle bin right away.

**Think before you buy.** Each time you're about to make a purchase other than groceries, ask yourself: Do I need this? Where would I put it? If you're not sure, put it back on the shelf.

# **AGENDA ITEM 5B**

#### Recurring and Upcoming 2023 Commission Actions Updated for October 2023 Meeting

January	February	March	April
<ul><li>Review Investment Policy</li><li>Long Range Financial Plan</li></ul>	Meeting Cancelled	Operating Budget Workshop	<ul><li>Operating Budget Approval</li><li>Consider MOU w/Local 39</li></ul>
May	June	July	August
<ul> <li>Initiate Manager Performance Evaluation</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Approve Resolution 77-6 "Personnel Resolution"</li> <li>Perform Manager Evaluation</li> <li>Review Reserve Funds Policy</li> <li>Receive Q1 Investment Summary</li> </ul>	Elect Chair, Vice Chair;     Appoint Secretary	Special Meeting
September	October	November	December
<ul> <li>Review Investment Policy</li> <li>Review Debt Management Policy</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Conflict of Interest Update (Biennial; even numbered years)</li> <li>Annual Investment Update</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Audited Financial Report</li><li>CIP Update (biennial)</li></ul>	Commission Meeting     Schedule for following year

Recurring Commission ActionsUpcoming Commission Actions

# **AGENDA ITEM 5C1**

Silicon Valley Clean Water Authority					
Cash & Investments Summary Re	port				
August 31, 2023			0/ of Total	Violal to	
Description		Mouleat Value	% of Total Holdings	Yield to	
Description  Percent Associates		Market Value	Holdings	Market	
Reserve Accounts Operating Reserve* - Securities	\$	2,919,485	2.27%	1.55%	
·	۲	1,041,579	0.81%	5.19%	
Operating Reserve - Money Market Fund Balance CIP Reserve* - Securities		21,786,502	16.94%	2.47%	
		325,001		5.19%	
CIP Reserve - Money Market Fund Balance		ŕ	0.25%	1.88%	
Stage 2 Capacity Reserve* - Securities		13,410,665	10.43%		
Stage 2 Capacity Reserve - Money Market Fund Balance		1,746,012	1.36%	5.19%	
Debt Coverage Reserve - LAIF		2,500,000	1.94%	3.43%	
Total Market Value: Operating and Reserve Accounts	\$	43,729,244	34.0%	2.48%	
Total Accrued Interest: Operating and Reserve Accounts		241,359			
GRAND TOTAL, RESERVE ACCOUNTS	\$	43,970,603			
Trustee Accounts:					
2018 Bond Project Fund Account - CAMP	\$	6,623,481	5.15%	5.52%	
2018 Bond Revenue Account	Ψ	4,718	0.00%	4.99%	
2010 Bolla Nevellae Account		·			
2019A Notes WIFIA - Money Market Fund		1,642,381	1.28%	4.99%	
2019A Notes Capitalized Interest Account - Money Market Fund		3,152,768	2.45%	4.99%	
2019A Notes Capitalized Interest Account* - Securities		3,163,991	2.46%	2.16%	
2021 Refunding Bonds Revenue Account		6,931	0.01%	4.99%	
2021A Notes (RESCU) - Money Market Fund		493	0.00%	4.99%	
2021A Notes (RESCU) - LAIF		6,332,764	4.92%	3.43%	
2021B Notes (WWTP) - Money Market Fund		14,869,938	11.56%	4.99%	
2021B Notes (WWTP) - CAMP		12,866,820	10.01%	5.52%	
2021B Notes (WWTP)* - Securities		8,029,526	6.24%	2.83%	
2021B Notes (WWTP) - LAIF		23,359,284	18.17%	3.43%	
2021 Notes Capitalized Interest Account - Money Market Fund		1,065,809	0.83%	4.99%	
Total Market Value, Trustee Accounts	\$	81,118,905	63.08%	4.22%	
Accrued Interest:		232,867			
Operating Cash (includes outstanding checks)		3,525,788	2.74%	0.00%	
Local Agency Investment Funds (LAIF) Balance		216,816	0.17%	3.43%	
Total Cash & Investments	\$	129,064,980	100.00%	3.51%	

Matthew P Anderson

Chief Financial Officer / Assistant Manager

9/13/2023

Date

<sup>\*</sup> Monthly report of security transactions and interest available upon request

		Onera	tino	and Reserve		Silicon Valley		iano	A August 31	2023			
Security Type	(	Operating Reserve	····e	CIP Reserve	· uii	Capacity Reserve	bt Coverage Reserve		otal Market Value	% of Total Portfollio	% Allowed by Policy	In Compliance	% Change vs. Prior Month
U.S. Treasury	\$	1,875,439	\$	10,937,543	\$	6,123,918	\$ -	\$	18,936,900	43%	100%	✓	(4.2%)
Supranationals		172,971		-		-	-		172,971	0%	15%	$\checkmark$	(0.0%)
Federal Agency/GSE		348,234		1,070,850		749,916	-		2,169,000	5%	100%	$\checkmark$	(0.9%)
Federal Agency/CMBS		-		1,423,638		748,525	-		2,172,163	5%	100%	$\checkmark$	(0.6%)
Federal Agency CMO		-		738,684		410,761	-		1,149,445	3%	100%	$\checkmark$	0.2%
Federal Agency MBS		-		2,162,372		1,402,519	-		3,564,892	8%	100%	$\checkmark$	(0.4%)
Municipal		-		849,690		688,154	-		1,537,844	3%	30%	$\checkmark$	(0.3%)
Corporate Notes		437,610		4,256,002		3,024,206	-		7,717,817	18%	30%	$\checkmark$	(1.8%)
Asset-Backed Securities		85,231		347,722		262,666	-		695,619	2%	10%	$\checkmark$	(0.3%)
Securities Sub-Total		2,919,485		21,786,502		13,410,665	-		38,116,651	87%			
Accrued Interest		11,016		91,211		53,282	-		155,509				
Securities Total		2,930,501		21,877,713		13,463,947	-		38,272,161				
Money Market Fund		1,041,579		325,001		1,746,012	-		3,112,592	7%	20%	$\checkmark$	2.2%
LAIF		-		-		-	2,500,000		2,500,000	6%	100%	✓	0.0%
Accrued Interest - LAIF		-		-		-	85,850		85,850				
LAIF Sub-Total		-		-		-	2,585,850		2,585,850	6%			
Total Investments	\$	3,972,080	\$	22,202,714	\$	15,209,959	\$ 2,585,850	\$	43,970,603	100%			
As % of 6/30/24 Target:		94.9%		89.8%		100.0%	100.0%		94.3%				

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- 1. All operating fund accounts are in compliance with SVCW's Investment Policy, and all bond proceeds accounts are in compliance with the relevant bond documents.
- 2. SVCW has adequate funding levels for more than six months of operations and claim payments, as referenced in CA Code Section 53646.
- 3. Market valuations for the Operating and Reserve accounts along with the 2018 bond, 2019A note, 2021 bond, 2021A and 2021B notes proceeds accounts are provided by PFM Asset Management LLC (PFM). Generally, PFM's market prices are derived from closing bid prices as of the last business day of the month as supplied by ICE Data Services or Bloomberg. Where prices are not available from generally recognized sources the securities are priced using a yield-based matrix system to arrive at an estimated market value. Prices that fall between data points are interpolated. Non-negotiable FDIC-insured bank certificates of deposit are priced at par. Although PFM believes the prices to be reliable, the values of the securities do not always represent the prices at which the securities could have been bought or sold.
- 4. In accordance with Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP), month-end holdings and information are reported on a trade date basis.
- 5. The yields shown for securities portions of the operating and reserve accounts and the 2019A and 2021A&B notes proceeds accounts are the yields to maturity at cost.
- 6. The yield for LAIF is the average monthly effective yield. Source: https://www.treasurer.ca.gov/pmia-laif/historical/avg\_mn\_ylds.asp
- 7. The yields shown for the PFM-managed money market funds are the Yield to Maturity at Cost, and the Yield to Maturity at Market sourced from the respective fund providers' statements. Yields for BNY-managed funds are Market Yields sourced from the respective fund providers' statements.
- 8. Yield shown for CAMP is the monthly distribution yield.
- 9. Amounts will slight differ due to timing of custodian account reports.

# **AGENDA ITEM 5C2**



October 09, 2023

To: **SVCW Commissioners** 

From: Matt Anderson, SVCW CFO/Assistant Manager

Subject: Investment Update

Monique Spyke and Allison Kaune from PFM Asset Management LLC (PFMAM) will attend the meeting virtually to provide a brief update on the SVCW Cash Reserves portfolio and will be available to answer any questions.

#### Market Highlights:

- Headline inflation trending lower, but "supercore" inflation remains high. Meanwhile, a strong labor market and consumer optimism caused talks of recession to recede.
- The Federal Reserve paused interest rate hikes in June but hiked rates again in July, and there is the potential for one additional rate hike in 2023.
- Interest rates are at highest levels seen since 2007 and the yield curve remains inverted.

#### **SVCW Investment Program:**

- As of August 31, 2023, the Authority had over \$41.3 million in combined assets under management. Each reserve balance meets or exceeds SVCW credit quality policy.
- During the quarter, the impact of rising interest rates on the Authority's portfolios was two-fold:
  - Market values of existing holdings were negatively impacted, particularly on longer-maturity securities.
  - Newer securities were purchased at higher yields, resulting in an increase in the portfolios' yield at cost and interest earnings potential.
- As information was provided to PFMAM on the estimated spenddown schedule of the Stage 2 portfolio funds, the portfolio's strategy was adjusted accordingly.
- The Authority and PFMAM continue to focus on safety and liquidity, with close communication about cash needs.



•	Refer to the following page table for information on each reserve fund.

**Table 1. SVCW Reserve Funds** 

Reserve Fund	Market Value (\$M)	Yield at Cost	Current Quarter Returns	1-Year Returns	Since Inception
Operating Reserve	\$3.97	1.47%	0.30%	1.19%	0.45%
CIP Reserve	\$22.20	2.18%	-0.42%	-0.14%	-0.45%
Stage 2 Capacity Reserve	\$15.21	1.88%	-0.50%	-0.31%	-0.49%

#### Outlook:

- Post quarter-end, short-term interest rates continued to rise in line with evolving expectations for Fed rate hikes; longer-term rates have been moving higher as well, on the expectation the Fed will need to keep rates higher for longer.
- Increased rates continue to provide new opportunities to reinvest at higher rate levels, but any new investment opportunities are weighed against the probability for further rate increases and their potential to diminish the fair value of the Authority's investments.
- Diversification across permitted investments will remain a key element of our strategy.



# Silicon Valley Clean Water

**Annual Investment Update** 

October 9, 2023

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Monique Spyke, Managing Director PFM Asset Management LLC

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# **Market Update**



#### **Current Market Themes**



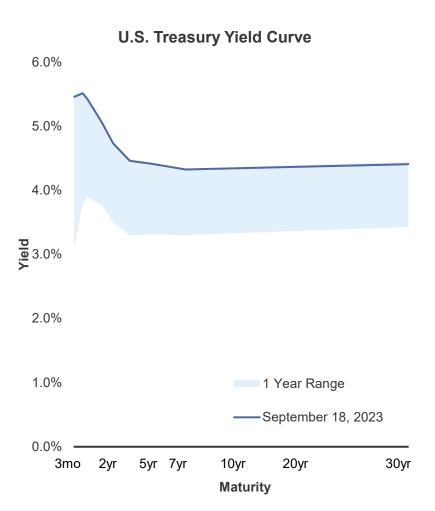
- The U.S. economy is characterized by:
  - ▶ Headline inflation numbers trending lower, but the Fed's current focus, "supercore inflation," is showing little sign of slowing.
  - A labor market that has proven to be exceptionally strong.
  - A more optimistic sentiment around economic growth due to resilient consumer spending.
- Fed temporarily pauses rate hikes
  - ▶ The most aggressive series of interest rate hikes in recent history came to a temporary pause in June, before the Fed hiked again in July.
  - The Fed's most recent dot plot, as of September, shows the potential for one additional rate hike by the end of the year.
  - Rates have moved up due to the Fed's rate trajectory shifting higher, the economy remaining stronger than expected, persistent inflation, and the market's "higher-for-longer" mindset.

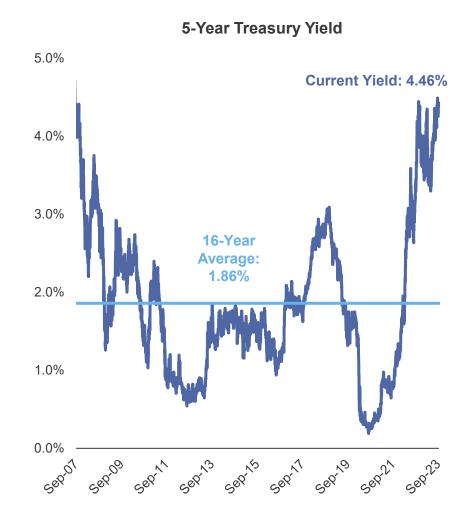


- Bond market yields continue to move higher
  - After plummeting at the end of March due to volatility in the banking sector, yields have climbed steadily.
  - ▶ Interest rates are at or near their highest levels since 2007. Rates have moved up due to the Fed's rate trajectory shifting higher, the economy remaining stronger than expected, persistent inflation, and the market's "higher-for-longer" mindset.
  - The curve inversion has moved toward historic levels.



# Yields at Highest Levels Since 2007; Higher-for-Longer Mindset Reflected in Curve

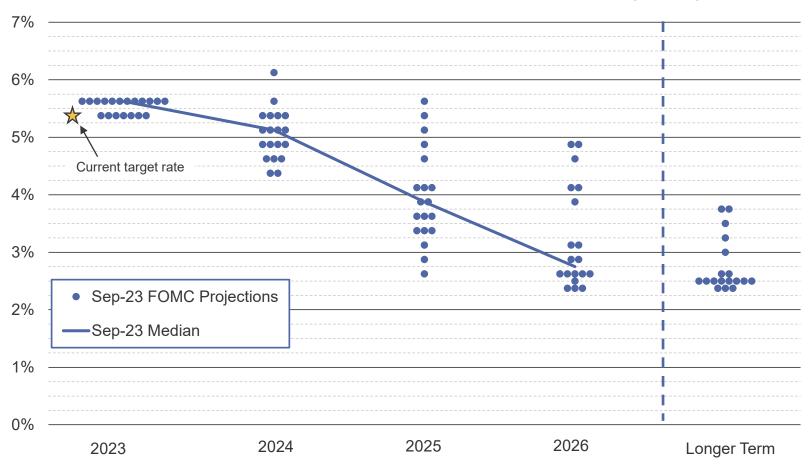






#### Fed's "Dot Plot"

#### Fed Participants' Assessments of 'Appropriate' Monetary Policy





# Investment Program Highlights



# **Achieving SVCW's Investment Objectives**

Objective	Achieved Through
Safety Safety of the principal shall be the top priority in the consideration of any investment undertaken by the CFO  Liquidity  The CFO shall keep the portfolio sufficiently liquid to meet the operating and capital needs of the authority which can be reasonably anticipated from his/her experience of the Authority's operations and adopted budget	<ul> <li>High-quality investments</li> <li>Diversification by sector, issuer, and maturity</li> <li>Continual monitoring of the creditworthiness of all investment securities</li> <li>Cash flow coordination with SVCW</li> <li>Appropriate allocation among short-term liquidity vehicles and the longer-term managed portfolios</li> <li>Investment in highly liquid securities which could readily be sold in the open market</li> </ul>
Return on Investment  Within the safety and liquidity constraints imposed by law and the Authority's own safety objective and cash flow requirements, the investment portfolio shall be designed to attain the market rate of return	<ul> <li><u>Duration</u> management</li> <li><u>Active trading</u> and continual evaluation of relative value among allowable sectors</li> </ul>

### **SVCW's Reserve Fund Investment Program**

#### SVCW Reserve Funds

# Operating Reserve \$3,972,080

- Shorter investment horizon
- Must be maintained at 10% of the approved Operating budget, plus \$1 million
- Funded via annual contribution (\$246.2 Thousand in FY23-24)

% of 6/30/2024 Target: 94.9%

Benchmark: ICE Bank of America/Merrill Lynch 1-3 Year

US Treasury Index

#### **CIP Reserve**

\$22,202,714

- Longer investment horizon
- Funds future planned or unplanned capital expenditures
- Funded via annual contribution (\$3.0 million in FY23-24)

% of 06/30/23 Target: 89.8%

Benchmark: ICE Bank of

America/Merrill Lynch 1-10 Year

**US Treasury Index** 

# **Stage 2 Capacity Res \$15,209,959**

- Longer investment horizon
- Funds capacity-related projects
- Funded via new connection fees

Benchmark: ICE Bank of
America/Merrill Lynch 1-10 Year
US Treasury Index



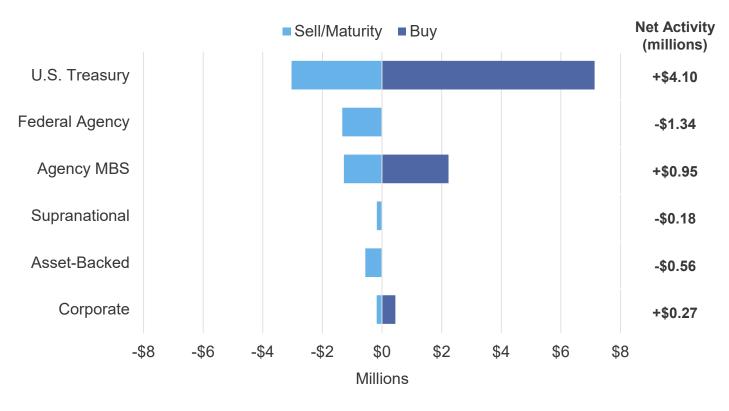
# **Aggregate Portfolio: August 31, 2023 Statistics**

Security Type	August 31, 2023	% of Portfolio	% Change YOY	Permitted by Policy
U.S. Treasury	18,936,900	46%	+5.0%	100%
Supranationals	172,971	<1%	-0.5%	15%
Federal Agency/GSE	2,169,000	5%	-1.6%	100%
Federal Agency/CMBS	2,172,163	5%	+0.4%	100%
Federal Agency CMO	1,149,445	3%	-0.7%	100%
Federal Agency MBS	3,564,892	9%	-2.2%	100%
Municipal	1,537,844	4%	-0.4%	30%
Corporate Notes	7,717,817	19%	-2.1%	30%
Asset-Backed Securities	695,619	2%	-1.7%	10%
Money Market Fund	3,112,592	7%	+3.8%	20%
Accrued Interest	155,509			
Total Investments	\$41,384,753	100%		



## **Summary of Portfolio Trade Activity**

#### Summary of Portfolio Activity July 2022 - August 2023





## **Total Return Performance**

As of June 30, 2023

			(	Total Return Quarter Ende	
	Yield to Maturity at Cost	Duration (years)	Current Quarter	1 Year	Since Inception
SVCW Operating Reserve Fund	1.47%	1.20	0.30%	1.19%	0.45%
Benchmark: ICE BofAML 1-3 Year U.S. Treasury Index	N/A	1.75	-0.57%	0.13%	0.07%
Difference		-	+0.87%	+1.06%	+0.38%
SVCW CIP Reserve Fund	2.18%	2.98	-0.42%	-0.14%	-0.45%
Benchmark: ICE BofAML 1-10 Year U.S. Treasury Index	N/A	3.62	-1.13%	-1.12%	-0.79%
Difference		-	+0.71%	+0.98%	+0.34%
SVCW Stage 2 Capacity Reserve Fund	1.88%	3.06	-0.50%	-0.31%	-0.49%
Benchmark: ICE BofAML 1-10 Year U.S. Treasury Index	N/A	3.62	-1.13%	-1.12%	-0.79%
Difference		-	+0.63%	+0.81%	+0.30%

Portfolio performance is gross of fees unless otherwise indicated.

ICE Bank of America Merrill Lynch (BofAML) Indices provided by Bloomberg Financial Markets.

The performance inception date for each of the funds is September 30, 2019.

# **Spenddown of Stage 2 Capacity Reserve Fund**

► From January 2024 to September 2024, it is expected that portfolio monies will be withdrawn to fund capital projects.

Estimated Draw Schedule as of 9/26/23

<b>Draw Month</b>	Amount
Jan-24	\$1,356,194
Feb-24	\$922,160
Mar-24	\$863,160
Apr-24	\$1,908,160
May-24	\$7,512,210
Jun-24	\$837,278
Jul-24	\$837,278
Aug-24	\$837,278
Sep-24	\$150,937
Total	\$15,224,655

Securities will need to be sold to raise cash for the withdraws.

# Outlook

#### **ECONOMY AND INTEREST RATES**

- The U.S. Economy continues to outperform expectations. Fed may enact another rate hike or, at a minimum, maintain an extended period of high rates.
- Bond market yields are at or near their highest levels since 2007, reflecting the 'higher for longer' expectation.
- Risks of a recession in 2023 have receded, but economic activity will likely decelerate moving forward, and we may experience a brief but mild contraction next year.

#### PORTFOLIO STRATEGY IMPLICATIONS

- Continued focus on safety and liquidity.
- Stay in communication with the Authority regarding cash needs.
- Maintain broad diversification by sector, industry and issuer.
- Evaluate all opportunities to safely add value to the portfolios.

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# **AGENDA ITEM 5D**

# ENGINEERING REPORT: SEPTEMBER 2023 CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM

#### **UPCOMING COMMISSION ACTIONS:**

**RESCU Program (6008, 9501, 9502)**: Design and Construct Conveyance System Improvements

SVCW awarded progressive design build contracts to Barnard Bessac Joint Venture for the Gravity Pipeline (GP) Project and Shea Parsons Joint Venture for the Front of Plant (FoP) and Pump Stations Improvements (PSI) Projects. SVCW staff and consultant project team are intricately involved in all stages of work.

GP project construction is complete. Construction continues on the PSI and FoP projects. Acceptance testing of the FoP project is ongoing, with the processes receiving flow from West Bay and Redwood City through the gravity pipe. The FoP and PSI Projects are expected to be substantially complete in late 2023 and late 2024 respectively. Refer to Commission Item 5F for status updates.

Planned Commission Actions: Contract Change Order Approval for PSI Electrical

Work – October 2023

<u>Sidestream Treatment for Nutrient Removal (CIP#9401):</u> Approval of Design Task Order for Sidestream Treatment

SVCW staff is in the process of selecting a design team for the design of a nutrient removal project. The selection process includes proposal and interview. A total of three teams are participating and the final selection is expected by the end of September.

Planned Commission Actions: Approve Design Task Order – October 2023

<u>Fixed Film Reactor Project (CIP#9242):</u> Rehab of FFRs and 3W System Upgrade

This project includes rehab of the three remaining fixed-film reactors and upgrade plant process water system. This project design is complete and it is currently out to bid.

Planned Commission Actions: Award Construction Contract and Task Orders –

November 2023

<u>Chiller Replacement Project (342):</u> Installation of Water-Cooled Chillers

This project includes replacement of existing air conditioning chillers. The chillers have been operational for more than a decade and need replacement. The chiller that fits the existing footprint is being phased out starting January 1, 2024. SVCW has pre-

#### SVCW Engineering Division - Task Order Summary 01/01/2023-09/30/2023

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1/19/2023 Zenith Engine		\$11,840	341	Rotary Drum Thickener Process Pipe Upgrades	Structural Engineering Services	1
2/15/2023 West Yost	00.5	\$38,942	9223	Final Effluent Pump Replacement	Owner's Advisor (OA) Services	1
2/21/2023 CDM Smith		\$74,109	9257	Food Waste Improvements	Geotechnical Investigation and Reports	1
2/21/2023 Freyer & Laur	reta	\$68,140	9232	Long Term Strategic Recycled Water Planning	WWTP Consulting Services	†
2/24/2023 Freyer & Laur		\$12,000	9257	Food Waste Improvements	Topography Survey	1
3/9/2023 JHS Consultin		\$5,200	810	As Needed Services FY 22-23	As-Needed Environmental Review/CEQA Services	1
3/20/2023 Kennedy Jenk		\$36,000	810	As Needed Services FY 22-23	As-Needed Engineering Services	1
	gration & Development	\$25,272	9242	Fixed Film Reactor Rehabilitation	Control Narrative Review & Control Strategies Dev. Svcs. Design Phase I	+
4/10/2023 Kennedy Jenk	•	\$71,291	9244 @ 50% 9245 @ 50%	Digester 2 & 3 Cleaning & Rehabilitation	Condition Assessment/Evaluation Engineering Support Services	1
4/28/2023 Zenith Engine	eers	\$7,680	9014	Process Tanks Concrete & Steel Protective Coatings Replacement	Structural Engineering Services for RCPS	<u> </u>
5/8/2023 DHI Water En	nvironment	\$38,000	9401	Side Stream Treatment	Plant Stress Testing, WEST Software License, Extended Support Agreement	
6/26/2023 Zenith Engine	eers	\$3,060	810	As Needed Services FY 22-23	Structural Engineering Services for Pipe Support	1
6/27/2023 Kennedy Jenk	ks	\$12,491	810	As Needed Services FY 22-23	As-Needed Engineering Services: Digester Foaming Evaluation	1
8/1/2023 Beecher Engi	ineering	\$40,000	810	As-Needed Services FY 23-24	Electrical Engineering Support	IP
8/1/2023 Cascade Integ	gration & Development	\$98,000	810	As-Needed Services FY 23-24	IAP, SCADA, PLC, Network Support	IP
8/3/2023 Sierra Resear	rch/Trinity Consultants	\$10,000	810	As-Needed Services FY 23-24	Air Quality Permitting & Consulting Services	1
8/4/2023 Zenith Engine	eers	\$4,400	9107	CCT Concrete & Steel Proctective Coating Replc.	Design Structural Modifications Eng. Svcs.	1
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8/7/2023 Tanner Pacific	ic	\$40,000	810	As-Needed Services FY 23-24	Construction Management General Support Services	1
8/7/2023 Tanner Pacific	ic	\$5,000	810	As-Needed Services FY 23-24	Contract Advisory Services, Record Drawings	1
8/7/2023 Larry Walker	Associates	\$8,000	810	As-Needed Services FY 23-24	As-Needed Support Services NPDES Permit	IP
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8/7/2023 Tchobanoglou		\$5,000		As-Needed Services FY 23-24	Advisory Consulting Services	1
8/7/2023 Kennedy Jenk		\$30,000	810	As-Needed Services FY 23-24	As-Needed Engineering Services	1
8/15/2023 Kennedy Jenk		\$74,790	9223	Final Effluent Pump Replacement	Design Build Early Work Engineering Services (to be folded into DB Agreement budget)	İIP
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9/13/2023 Beecher Engir		\$75,000	9223	Final Effluent Pump Replacement	Design Build Early Work Electrical Eng. Services (to be folded into DB Agreement budg	IP
	gration & Development	\$28,480	9240	Standby Generators Feed Relocation & Elec. Panel Project	12kV Wonderware Clean-up	1 <sub>IP</sub>
Cascade Integ	-	\$46,700	9223	Final Effluent Pump Replacement	FEP Stage 1 Consulting Support Services	1 <sub>IP</sub>
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Buried & Exposed Process Pipe Services

JDH Corrossion Eng, Services

\$50,920

9600

IP = In Progress

Corrosion Control Consulting Services

<sup>\*</sup>JPA level of Manager approval is \$75,000

# **AGENDA ITEM 5E**

#### Silicon Valley Clean Water Commissioners' Requested Action Items

OCTOBER 09, 2023 AGENDA ITEM 5E

Updated: 09/29/2023

Commission Meeting Date	Action Item	Requested or Estimated Date for Completion	Status			Date of Completion	Notes
			Ongoing	In Progress	Complete	<u> </u>	
9/11/2023	Strategic Planning	12/1/2023		<b>√</b>			Appoint subcommittee (Commissioners Aguirre and Otte) to develop new strategic plan. Manager poll other commissioners for input.
7/17/2023	Bylaws - Election/Appointment of Officers						Suggested to change bylaws such that new officers elected in February of each year. Decided against and will keep to July.
5/8 & 6/12 2023	No Action Items						
4/10/2023	Financial Funds	N/A			✓	6/12/2023	Described the various funds and reserves contained within SVCW's budget. Next CIP Update will include projects supporting sustainability
3/13/2023	Sustainability Efforts	N/A		<b>√</b>			Present to Commission efforts related to sustainabilty, decarbonization, sea level rise, etc. Investigate grants available for EV fleet conversion.
2/13/2023	Meeting Cancelled						
1/9/2023	Water Feature - Avian Habitat	N/A		✓			Reach out to Audubon and other potential community partners. Identify benefits inline with SVCW's Mission.
12/12/2022	No Action Items						
11/14/2022	No Action Items						
> One Year	8E - JPA Amendment; re-initiate "clean up" to JPA	N/A		<b>√</b>			Manager presented a pathway to address critical changes to the JPA at the April 2023 meeting. Commission concurred; Manager following up with Members.
	Project Changes/Commission Notification	N/A	✓			Ongoing	Ensure Commission is kept apprised of possible/potential project cost and/or schedule increases.
	Pump Stations Improvements - Capital vs Life Cycle Costs	N/A		<b>√</b>			Reducing pump stations from 5 to 2 have been reported to save long-term costs; provide analysis results to Commissioners.

## **AGENDA ITEM 5F**

### Overview



RESCU Program describes eleven projects which constitute full replacement and rehabilitation of SVCW's conveyance system. RESCU includes the Gravity Pipeline, Front of Plant, Pump Stations, and Belmont Force Main projects. The Front of Plant includes six and Pump Stations includes four of the eleven projects. The Conveyance System Improvements Environmental Impact Report completed and adopted by the SVCW Commission in April 2017 covers work to be done under all the RESCU Program projects.

Available Budget

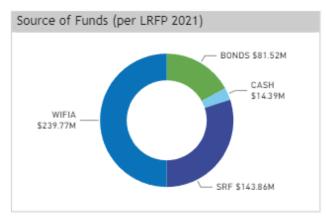
\$582.56M

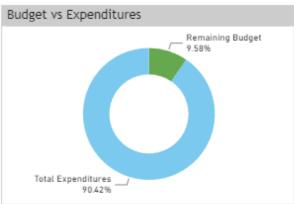
Total Expenditure

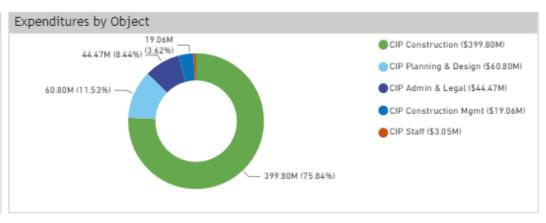
\$526.77M

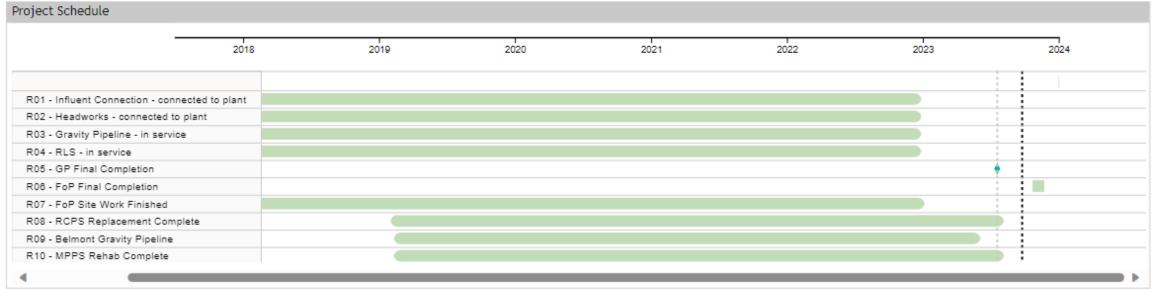
Remaining Budget

\$55.79M









## Startup Overview



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Project	PreCommissioning	Functional Testing (Design verification)	Functional Testing (Dry verification)	Functional Testing (Wet verification)	Acceptance Testing
FoP	100%	100%	100%	100%	50%
GP	100%	0%	0%	0%	0%
MPPS A side	70%	096	0%	0%	0%
MPPS B side	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
BGP	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
RCPS	096	0%	0%	096	0%

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Front of Plant	<ul> <li>FoP Control Strategies completed.</li> <li>FoP Design Intent presentation completed.</li> <li>Acceptance Testing plan completed.</li> <li>All vendor trainings completed.</li> <li>Headworks and SFS/RLS Functional Testing completed.</li> </ul>	
Gravity Pipeline	<ul> <li>GP Design Intent presentation completed.</li> <li>Acceptance Testing plan completed.</li> <li>FM to GP switchover completed.</li> </ul>	
Pump Stations Improvements	<ul> <li>MPPS B Side Acceptance Testing completed.</li> <li>MPPS Design Intent presentation completed.</li> <li>MPPS Acceptance Testing plan completed.</li> <li>Control Strategies workshop completed.</li> <li>MPPS Equipment Tags finalized.</li> </ul>	
Program	RESCU Commissioning Risk Register workshop completed.     Bi-weekly Risk Register meeting ongoing.	

	▼ Start	End	October	November	December
Headworks Functional Testing	August 8, 2023	October 10, 2023	X		
SFS/RLS Functional Testing	August 8, 2023	October 10, 2023	X		
MPPS A Side Functional Testing	November 10, 2023	November 16, 2023		X	
San Carlos Connecting Piping Startup	October 30, 2023	December 4, 2023	X	Х	Х



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## Front of Plant Progressive DB Project (CIP 9502)

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The Front of Plant (FoP) Project consists of the design, construction, permitting, start-up, commissioning, and final acceptance for the Receiving Lift Station (RLS), Surge and Flow Splitter (SFS), Headworks Facility, Odor Control System, Influent Connector Pipe, Emergency Overflow pipe to an existing storage basin and other related process support systems. Work is being implemented under a Progressive Design-Build procurement process in stages.

Available Budget

\$168.71M

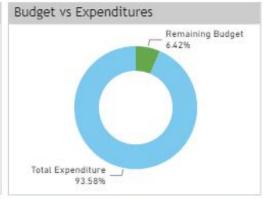
Total Expenditure

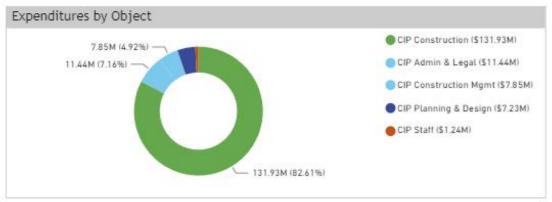
\$157.89M

Remaining Budget

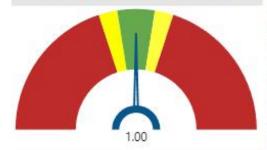
\$10.82M

	Start	Finish
Interconnection Pipe Completed	7/24/2020	8/1/2023
Headworks Facility Completed	12/6/2018	11/30/2022
SFS/RLS Completed	12/6/2018	2/22/2023
Bair Island Connecting Piping Startup	10/3/2022	12/8/2023
San Carlos Connecting Piping Startup	8/5/2022	12/4/2023
Substantial Completion*		2/16/2024

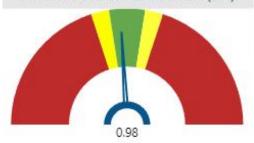




#### Cost Performance Index (CPI)



Schedule Performance Index (SPI)











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## Front of Plant Progressive DB Project (CIP 9502)



Major Accomplishm	ents this Period
	▼
Construction	- SPJV installed scaffolding, ventilation, and cleaning pipes for CFRP work. The CFRP was installed with the termination rings and seals. It cured and a final walk was initiated.
	- SPJV installed the 12" spool off the 60" PI in the gallery.
	- SPJV restored utilities, backfilled, and installed pea gravel in the Admin parking lot of SVCW.
	- Vendor training is complete.
	- The 30-day acceptance testing of the Headworks, SFS, and RLS was initiated.
	- Inside the San Carlos pump station, PEC completed installation of the fan ducting and blower for the drop structure. Outside the pump station, PEC cored and excavated a trench for future electrical work.
Design	- SPJV continues design of various site improvements.
Procurement of Trade Packages	- Front of Plant Trade Procurement is complete.

3 - Month Look Ahead						
	Start	End	October	November	December	
ILS CFRP Repair Work	May 31, 2022	October 20, 2023	X			
SCPS Connecting Piping	August 5, 2022	January 4, 2024	X	X	X	
Bair Island Connecting Piping	October 3, 2022	December 27, 2023	X	X	X	
30 Day Acceptance	September 7, 2023	October 7, 2023	X			
Final Site Improvements	December 14, 2022	February 6, 2024	Х	X	X	

Jtilidor ext	nsion for piping	
Plant water	pipeline size upgrade and rela	ted fixtures
Additional (	ost due to changes to the terr	nporary ILS bypass and procurement

Approved Project Changes

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San Carlos and	Bair Island (	Connecting Pip	ping		
Project Manag	ement past [	December 202	1		
Power Loss an	d Recovery a	nd Other Elect	trical Improv	ements	
New County/L	ocal Sales Ta	x			
Miscellaneous	Site Improve	ements			
ILS Pipe Repair	r				
Extended Over	rhead Costs A	Associated wit	h CFRP Delay	ys	
Electrical Syste	m				
Credit for the	deletion of th	ne chemical ste	orage system	n	
Credit for dele	tion of 48" b	ypass from 54	" force main		
Change order	for odor con	trol system			
Bair Island and	San Carlos F	Pump Station	Pipe Connect	tion Work - me	echanical
3 Water and U	tilidor Impro	vements			
air Island and	l San Carlos I	Pump Station I	Pipe Connect	tion Work - me	echanical

Safety Spot Light		
Lost Time	0	
Near Misses	5	
Recorded Losses	2	

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## Gravity Pipeline Progressive DB Project (CIP 6008)

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The Gravity Pipeline (GP) Project consists of the design, construction, permitting, startup, commissioning, and closeout of approximately 17,600 feet of wastewater gravity FRP pipe inside a concrete-segment tunnel. The work includes three shafts and will interface directly with the Front of Plant (FoP) Project at the Surge & Flow Shaft (SFS). Work is being implemented under a Progressive Design-Build procurement process. Available Budget

\$264.36M

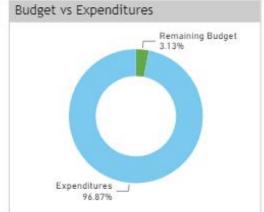
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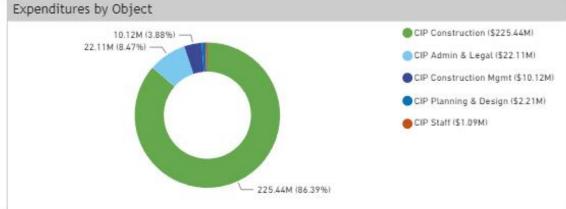
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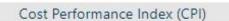
Remaining Budget

\$8.29M









\* Schedule extension is currently in discussion



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## Gravity Pipeline Progressive DB Project (CIP 6008)



Najor Accomplishm	ents this Period			Potential Issues	
	*				
Construction	- BBJV completed backfill of the Airport - BBJV completed site restoration at the				
Design	- Gravity Pipeline design is complete.				
Muck Disposal	- 79% of Muck Disposal Amendment spe - 21% of Muck Disposal Amendment ren		for remaining funds.		
rocurement of Trade ackages	- Gravity Pipeline Trade Procurement is o	complete.			
- Month Look Ahe	ad			Approved Project Changes	
		Start	End		
				Soil Conditioner Leak at CPT Hole S	TA 171 + 80
				SFS Slurry Wall Hardness DSC	
				SCPS Basement Connection	
				San Carlos Shaft Ammonia Mitigatio	on
				San Carlos Adit Ammonia Mitigation	
				Redwood City Sales Tax Increase 202	
				New County/Local Sales Tax and US	
				Exceedence of Muck Offhaul Allowa	
				Bair Island Weir Optimization	
				Bair Island Force Main Exposure and	Additional Monitoring
				Additional Survey at Governors Bay	
				Acceptance Testing Time Extension	
				Safety Spot Light	
				Lost Time	1
				Near Misses	4
				ivear iviisses	4

Recorded Losses

## Pump Stations Improvement Progressive DB Project (CIP 9501)

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All SVCW pump stations require replacement or rehabilitation. Menlo Park PS will be rehabilitated. Redwood City PS will be replaced. Belmont PS will be replaced with a gravity pipeline. San Carlos PS is no longer needed due to the new gravity pipeline; flows from San Carlos and Belmont will enter into the gravity pipeline via a drop structure at the current San Carlos pump station site. Flows from MPPS and RCPS will flow through the new 48-inch force main to a drop structure at Inner Bair Island. RCPS pumps MPPS flows during wet weather events.

Available Budget

\$133.59M

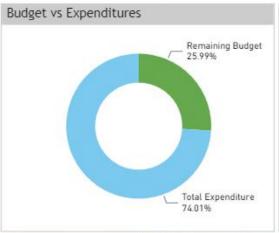
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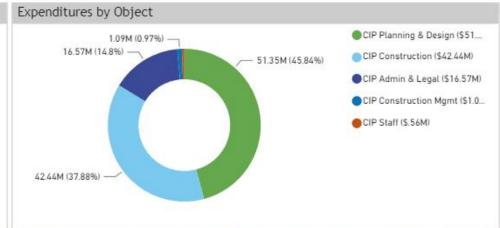
\$98.87M

Remaining Budget

\$34.72M

	Start	Finish
MPPS - B-side Pumps Completed	3/15/2022	10/13/2022
MPPS - A-side Pumps Completed	10/4/2022	12/16/2023
BGP - Gravity Pipe Installed	11/22/2023	1/31/2024
BGP - Shaft/Tunneling Work on Shoreway Road	4/12/2021	4/18/2023
RCPS - PG&E Service Work	5/4/2021	3/27/2024
RCPS - Wet Well & Screening Building Completed	4/17/2022	4/18/2024
RCPS - Electrical Building Completed	2/8/2021	11/21/2023
Substantial Completion - MPPS*		8/7/2023
Substantial Completion - RCPS*		8/7/2023
Substantial Completion - BGP*		6/5/202

















## Pump Stations Improvement Progressive DB Project (CIP 9501)



# Construction BGP: PEC has continued restoration and demobilization at the JS-4 and RS-4 sites. At RS-4, PEC graded and compacted the area for paving and curb work. The curb and gutter was formed and poured as the contractor stripped the formwork afterwards. The landscaping subcontractor will come onsite. The parking lot was paved. The manhole collar was installed at both RS-4 and JS-4. RCPS: Junction Box floor and lower walls were poured and successfully hydrotested. Lower wall exterior damp proofing was applied and backfilled. CalTrans Easement was graded. MPPS: New Pump Drive Shaft Guards were installed. New sump pumps were installed on the Dry-Side, with control panel and associated wiring installed. Dry Side supply fan and HVAC were installed. Flow Meter is relocated to final location and associated wiring was installed; temporary conduit and wiring were removed. Existing Auxiliary Panel was demolished and removed; remaining equipment pads were demolished. MCC was installed, commissioned, and started up; equipment was removed from temporary power and placed on permanent power. Repairs for the Force Main Header and discharge piping were completed. Bollards were installed. Site was prepared for AC Paving. Design BGP: SPJV provided declassification drawings, including changes to transmitter screen locations.

•	Start	End	October	November	December
MPPS - Electrical Room Improvements	July 6, 2021	October 12, 2023	Х		
MPPS - Pump & Motor Rooms	March 15, 2022	October 12, 2023	X		
BGP - JS4 & RS4 Restoration	July 18, 2022	October 6, 2023	Х		
BGP - SCPS Connection to GP	November 22, 2023	January 23, 2024		Х	Х
RCPS - Structural Concrete	September 8, 2021	December 22, 2023			X
RCPS - Mechanical - Wet Well	November 28, 2022	April 18, 2024	X	Х	X
RCPS - Mechanical - Screening Structure	October 31, 2022	January 30, 2024	X	X	Х
RCPS - Electrical / I&C	July 6, 2023	April 9, 2024	X	Х	
RCPS - Junction Box	March 24, 2023	May 17, 2024	X	X	
RCPS - Electrical Building & Restroom	February 8, 2021	November 21, 2023	X	Х	
RCPS - Effluent Piping and Meter Vault	October 18, 2023	May 10, 2024	X	Х	Х
RCPS - Standby Generator	June 2, 2021	November 7, 2023	X	X	

Carlos Pump Station Electrical	
Recology Changes (Single Lane (	Closure)
ood City 60-inch Pipe Installatio	on/Connection
ood City 48-Inch Pipe Rehabilita	ation and condition of existing inflent pipe
S and RCPS PG&E Related-Chan	ges
Fence	
ract time extension	
enges from permitting and land	acquisition conditions at RCPS

Approved Project Changes

Traffic Control Changes Allowance Release
Stage 2 Baseline Schedule Revision
Segment 1 Force Main Junction Box Repairs
SCPS Electrical
PSI Catch-up: Revised BGP Piping, Phase Loss Relay, Autostart for Portable Generator (RCPS and MPPS), MPPS Bathroom Items, RCPS Pump Protection Panel Reset Button, Additional Paving Thickness in San Carlos
Differing Site Conditions and MPPS Generator Warranty Release
Credit for installation of Segment 2 FM ARV/VRV, Monitoring Off Position, RCPS Standby Generator Cost Increase, RCPS CARVs, Credit for 12" Water Relocation ar Calwater Costs
BGP Design Development
Bair Island and San Carlos Pump Station Pipe Connection Work - electrical/instrumentation
Allowance Release, JS-4 Unforseen Fiber Optic Utility Impacts

Safety Spot Light	
Lost Time	0
Near Misses Recorded Losses	0

## **AGENDA ITEM 7A**

# MINUTES OF SILICON VALLEY CLEAN WATER REGULAR MEETING – September 11, 2023 8:00 a.m.

Place: Pelican Conference Room Silicon Valley Clean Water 1400 Radio Road, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Redwood City, California

Members of the public and SVCW staff and consultants were also able to observe and participate remotely per instructions provided in the agenda.

#### ITEM 1

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 8:00 a.m.

#### **ITEM 2**

ROLL CALL - Commissioners Duly Appointed by Each Agency

Council Member Alicia Aguirre, Redwood City – Chair Board Member George Otte, West Bay Sanitary District – Vice-Chair Vice Mayor, Davina Hurt, Belmont – Member

#### Staff, Consultants and Visitors Present

Teresa A. Herrera, SVCW Manager

Christine C. Fitzgerald, SVCW Legal Counsel

Matt Anderson, SVCW Chief Financial Officer/Assistant Manager

Monte Hamamoto, SVCW Chief Operating Officer

Kim Hackett, SVCW Authority Engineer

Jennifer Flick, SVCW Human Resources Director

Arvind Akela, SVCW Engineering & Environmental Services Director

Jessica Mangual, SVCW Secretary Pro Tem

Anir Bhagwat – SVCW Senior Engineer

Jane Kao - SVCW Senior Engineer

Cindy Hui – SVCW Finance Supervisor

Kiki Newberry – SVCW Financial Analyst

Chris Leon – SVCW Instrumentation Technician

Mark Minkowski - Kennedy Jenks

Catrina Paez – Kennedy Jenks

Norite Vong - City of Redwood City

Teresa Yee - City of Redwood City

Sergio Ramirez - West Bay Sanitary District

Vince Guillama - WMLyles Co

#### ITEM 3

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited by those in attendance

#### ITEM 4

PUBLIC COMMENT

There was no Public Comment

#### ITEM 5

SAFETY MOMENT AND REPORTS

Instructions for enabling live captioning and providing public comment during the remote meeting site were provided.

Item 7A Safety Moment concerned tips on how to prepare an emergency kit.

The manager introduced SVCW's new instrumentation technician to the Commission. For other written reports contained within the agenda packet, there were no questions or comments.

#### <u>ITEM 6</u>

MATTERS OF COMMISSION MEMBER'S INTEREST

The Manager and Commission discussed a plan to create a subcommittee to develop a strategic plan. Two commissioners (Chairperson Aguirre and Vice-Chair Otte) were appointed to be the subcommittee members.

#### IIEM 7

CONSIDERATION OF MOTION APPROVING CONSENT CALENDAR ITEMS 7A THROUGH 7H

- A. APPROVAL OF MINUTES July 10, 2023 Regular Meeting and August 14, 2023 Special Meeting
- B. CONSIDERATION OF MOTION APPROVING CLAIMS AND CHECKS DATED JUNE 27 – AUGUST 7, 2023 AND NECESSARY PAYMENTS THROUGH AUGUST 7, 2023
- C. CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTION APPROVING REVIEW AND UPDATE TO SVCW COMMISSION POLICY 1992-01, INVESTMENT POLICY AND GUIDELINES

#### Proposed Action:

Move adoption of RESOLUTION APPROVING AND ADOPTING REVISION V TO COMMISSION POLICY 1992-01, SILICON VALLEY CLEAN WATER'S INVESTMENT POLICY AND GUIDELINES

D. CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTION APPROVING REVISIONS TO SVCW COMMISSION POLICY 2017-01, STATEMENT OF DEBT MANAGEMENT POLICY

#### Proposed Action:

Move adoption of RESOLUTION APPROVING AND ADOPTING REVISION F TO COMMISSION POLICY 2017-01, STATEMENT OF DEBT MANAGEMENT POLICY

E. CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTON APPROVING REVISIONS TO SVCW COMMISSION POLICY 2000-01, PROCEDURE FOR ADMINISTRATIVE PENALTIES

#### Proposed Action:

Move adoption of RESOLUTION APPROVING AND ADOPTING REVISION A TO COMMISSION POLICY 2000-01, PROCEDURE FOR ADMINISTRATIVE PENALTIES

F. CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTION APPROVING SVCW STANDARD SHORT FORM AND PROCUREMENT CONTRACT DOCUMENTS, VERSION SEPTEMBER 2023

#### Proposed Action:

Move adoption of RESOLUTION APPROVING SVCW'S STANDARD SHORT-FORM AND PROCUREMENT CONTRACT DOCUMENTS - VERSION SEPTEMBER 2023

G. CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTIONS REJECTING BID FROM SYNAGRO-WWT, INC. AND APPROVING PURCHASE ORDER WITH WASTEWATER SOLIDS MANAGEMENT COMPANY FOR THE DIGESTER NO. 3 CLEANING AND REHABILITATION PROJECT

#### Proposed Actions:

- Move adoption of RESOLUTION REJECTING ALL BIDS FOR THE 2023 DIGESTER NO. 3 CLEANING PROJECT (CIP #9245)
- ii. Move adoption of RESOLUTION APPROVING PURCHASE ORDER FOR DIGESTER 3 TRANSFER AND CLEANING IN AN AMOUNT NOT-TO-EXCEED \$99,960 AND AUTHORIZE MANAGER TO APPROVE UP TO TEN PERCENT CONTINGENCY FOR ADDITIONAL WORK ON AN AS-NEEDED BASIS WASTEWATER SOLIDS MANAGEMENT COMPANY

H. CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTION REJECTING BID FROM ACCO ENGINEERED SYSTEMS, INC. FOR THE CHILLER REPLACEMENT PROJECT (Capital Project # 0342)

#### Proposed Action:

Move adoption of RESOLUTION REJECTING SINGLE BID RECEIVED FOR THE CHILLER REPLACEMENT PROJECT (CAPITAL PROJECT # 0342)

Motion/Second: Ms. Hurt / Mr. Otte The Motion carried by Unanimous Vote

#### **ITEM 8A**

CONSIDERATION OF MOTIONS APPROVING ADDITIONAL OWNER ASSIST FUNDING FOR TANNER PACIFIC FOR CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT AND QUALITY ASSURANCE SERVICES, COLLABORATIVE STRATEGIES CONSULTING FOR PUMP STATIONS IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT MANAGEMENT SERVICES, AND BEECHER ENGINEERING, INC. FOR ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING CONSULTING SERVICES

#### Proposed Actions:

- i. Move approval of TASK ORDER SCOPE AND BUDGET AMENDMENT FOR CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT AND QUALITY ASSURANCE SERVICES FOR PUMP STATIONS IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT (CIP #9501); IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$1,430,000 AND AUTHORIZE MANAGER TO APPROVE UP TO TEN PERCENT CONTINGENCY FOR ADDITIONAL WORK ON AN AS-NEEDED BASIS – TANNER PACIFIC INC.
- ii. Move approval of TASK ORDER SCOPE AND BUDGET AMENDMENT FOR PROJECT MANAGEMENT ASSISTANCE FOR PUMP STATIONS IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT (CIP #9501); IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$280,000 AND AUTHORIZE MANAGER TO APPROVE UP TO TEN PERCENT CONTINGENCY FOR ADDITIONAL WORK ON AN AS-NEEDED BASIS – COLLABORATIVE STRATEGIES CONSULTING INC.
- iii. Move approval of TASK ORDER SCOPE AND BUDGET AMENDMENT FOR OWNER'S ADVISOR SERVICES FOR PUMP STATIONS IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT (CIP #9501); IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$20,000 AND AUTHORIZE MANAGER TO APPROVE UP TO TEN PERCENT CONTINGENCY FOR ADDITIONAL WORK ON AN AS-NEEDED BASIS – BEECHER ENGINEERING, INC.
- iv. Move approval of TASK ORDER SCOPE AND BUDGET AMENDMENT FOR CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT AND QUALITY ASSURANCE SERVICES FOR FRONT OF PLANT PROJECT (CIP #9502); IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$510,000 AND AUTHORIZE MANAGER TO APPROVE UP TO TEN PERCENT

CONTINGENCY FOR ADDITIONAL WORK ON AN AS-NEEDED BASIS – TANNER PACIFIC INC.

Motion/Second: Mr. Otte / Ms. Hurt The Motion carried by Unanimous Vote

#### **ITEM 8B**

CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTION AND MOTION APPROVING DESIGN-BUILD AGREEMENT FOR FINAL EFFLUENT PUMP STATION IMPROVEMENTS WITH W.M. LYLES CO.; APPROVE TASK ORDER FOR OWNER'S ENGINEERING ADVISORY SERVICES WITH CDM SMITH; APPROVE A TASK ORDER FOR CONSTRUCTION QUALITY ASSURANCE SERVICES WITH TANNER PACIFIC, INC.

#### Proposed Actions:

- i. Move adoption of RESOLUTION APPROVING DESIGN BUILD AGREEMENT FOR FINAL EFFLUENT PUMP STATION IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT (CIP #9223); AUTHORIZING EXECUTION OF AGREEMENT AND AUTHORIZING MANAGER TO APPROVE CONTRACT CHANGE ORDERS UP TO TEN PERCENT OF THE CONTRACT PRICE FOR SAID PROJECT – W.M. LYLES CO. - \$1,350,917
- ii. Move approval of TASK ORDER SCOPE AND BUDGET FOR OWNER'S ADVISOR SERVICES FOR PUMP STATIONS IMPROVEMENT PROJECT (CIP #9223) IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$190,280 AND AUTHORIZE MANAGER TO APPROVE UP TO TEN PERCENT CONTINGENCY FOR ADDITIONAL WORK ON AN AS-NEEDED BASIS – CDM SMITH INC.
- iii. Move approval of TASK ORDER SCOPE AND BUDGET FOR CONSTRUCTION QUALITY ASSURANCE SERVICES FOR FINAL EFFLUENT PUMP STATION IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT (CIP #9223) IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$247,500 AND AUTHORIZE MANAGER TO APPROVE UP TO TEN PERCENT CONTINGENCY FOR ADDITIONAL WORK ON AN AS-NEEDED BASIS – TANNER PACIFIC INC.

Motion/Second: Ms. Hurt / Mr. Otte
The Motion carried by Unanimous Vote

#### ITEM 8C

CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTION APPROVING ANNUAL SALARY FOR FISCAL YEAR 2023-2024 AND BONUS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2022-2023 FOR THE MANAGER OF SILICON VALLEY CLEAN WATER

#### Proposed Actions:

- i. Chair to summarize recommended action in accordance with Government Code Section 54953(c)(3)
- ii. Move adoption of RESOLUTION APPROVING ANNUAL COMPENSATION FOR THE SILICON VALLEY CLEAN WATER MANAGER

iii. Move adoption of RESOLUTION APPROVING AND ADOPTING UPDATED CONSOLIDATED PAY SCHEDULE FOR ALL REPRESENTED AND UNREPRESENTED EMPLOYEES OF SILICON VALLEY CLEAN WATER FOR FISCAL YEAR 2023-2024

Motion/Second: Mr. Otte / Ms. Hurt
The Motion carried by Unanimous Vote

#### ITEM 9

CLOSED SESSION - None

#### **ITEM 10**

RECONVENE IN OPEN SESSION - None

#### **ITEM 11**

**ADJOURN** 

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 8:36 a.m.

Minutes prepared by Teresa A. Herrera Reviewed by General Counsel

Ron Collins, Secretary

## **AGENDA ITEM 7B**

#### **SVCW WARRANT REGISTER**

SVCW Warrant Registers dated August 8 – September 5, 2023, were scanned and a copy was emailed to Commissioners and Legal Counsel on October 4, 2023.

# **AGENDA ITEM 7C**

## PUMP STATIONS IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT (CIP # 9501) APPROVE CONTRACT CHANGE ORDER

#### **ISSUE**

Approve Contract Change Order to the Pump Stations Improvements Project (CIP #9501) for Menlo Park Pump Station and Redwood City Pump Station PG&E Related Impacts

#### **BACKGROUND**

SVCW's Regional Environmental Sewer Conveyance Upgrade (RESCU) Program includes conveyance system improvements to transport wastewater from member agencies' collection systems to the SVCW wastewater treatment plant. RESCU is comprised of three projects: Pump Stations Improvements, Gravity Pipeline, and Front of Plant. The Pump Stations Improvements (PSI) Project improves the facilities that move flow from the member agency collection systems into the SVCW force main and gravity pipeline system, which then discharge flow to the Front of Plant Headworks facilities. The PSI Project includes three distinct scopes of work: Menlo Park Pump Station (MPPS) Rehabilitation, Redwood City Pump Station (RCPS) Replacement, and Belmont Gravity Pipe Construction.

The electrical design and construction for work at both MPPS and RCPS required coordination with PG&E, as the scope of work includes replacement of the transformers on each property, scope that is typically performed by PG&E contractors. At the time that 60% designs were completed and the Stage 2 contract with the PSI Design-Builder (SPJV) was negotiated, PG&E had not yet reviewed the SPJV drawings. Since it is typical for PG&E to install transformers and connect them to their system with their own contractors, this work was assumed to be done by PG&E, not SPJV and only a small allowance of \$65 thousand was included in the Stage 2 contract.

#### DISCUSSION

The 60% designs for MPPS and RCPS informed pricing for the Stage 2 design-build contract amendments. The contract amendments were authorized in March and June 2020 for MPPS and RCPS, respectively. The MPPS contract amendment is titled Stage 2A Amendment and the RCPS contract amendment is titled Stage 2C Amendment.

PG&E review comments to the designs were not received until well into construction, in March 2021 for RCPS and May 2022 for MPPS. The comments from PG&E resulted in several changes to the project. They are described briefly below:

#### 1. MPPS Rehabilitation PG&E Related Changes

On May 16, 2022, PG&E issued the MPPS drawings, which changed the locations of the new transformer, the main switchboard, and the meter. These PG&E required changes resulted in significant redesign by the Design-Builder including additional materials and labor for the redesigned configuration, reorganized installation, and changes to the cutover sequence and methodology.

Report by: KRH 7C-1

The allowance contained within the Stage 2A Agreement for PG&E-initiated changes relied on the assumption that PG&E would complete the work with their own forces. However, that was not the case; some portions of the PG&E work were transferred to SPJV and costs to do so are substantial. One of the highest-cost elements to this work included the fact that PG&E would not be installing the cables between the new transformer and the meter, which added additional labor and materials' costs to SPJV's scope of work. Other costs included a new 800 Amp breaker and renting a temporary generator to provide power to the existing pump station during the transformer switch out process.

The resulting costs due to the PG&E changes totaled \$518,916 for MPPS work.

#### 2. RCPS Secondary Conductors

The RCPS PG&E design review was finalized in March 2021 and the changes required by PG&E were extensive, exceeding the Stage 2C Amendment allowance. A change order to the Stage 2C RCPS contract for some of the PG&E initiated changes was authorized in December 2021 in the amount of \$95 thousand. Additional scope for labor and materials to install a set of secondary cables between the new transformer and new meter was later identified which was not included in that authorization. The material and labor costs for secondary cable installation work is \$397,371, bringing the total cost of PG&E required work at RCPS to \$492,247.

#### **CLIMATE EFFECTS**

There are no anticipated climate effects as a result of this item.

#### **FINANCES**

These changes result in a total cost of \$851,287; \$518,916 attributable to MPPS and \$397,371 to RCPS. Funding will derive from the project construction budget for the Pump Stations Improvements Project. There is adequate budget in this project to absorb these costs.

#### **RECOMMENDATION**

Move approval of CONTRACT CHANGE ORDER TO THE PUMP STATIONS IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$851,287

# **AGENDA ITEM 8A**

#### SIDESTREAM TREATMENT PROJECT (CIP #9401) ENGINEERING DESIGN AND BID PERIOD SERVICES

#### **ISSUE**

Approve Brown and Caldwell Task Order Scope and Budget for Preliminary Design, Detailed Design, and Bid Period Services for the Sidestream Treatment Project (CIP #9401)

#### BACKGROUND

SVCW operates a wastewater treatment plant serving over 225,000 people and businesses located within its service area. The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), through the local Regional Water Quality Control Board (RWQCB), has issued a permit for SVCW to discharge treated effluent to San Francisco Bay under the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES), with specific criteria for effluent Total Suspended Solids (TSS) and Biological Oxygen Demand (BOD).

In addition, the RWQCB recognizes that municipal wastewater treatment plants contribute nutrients (Nitrogen and Phosphorus) to San Francisco Bay and are of the opinion that these nutrients, particularly nitrogen, pose a potential threat to San Francisco Bay beneficial uses. The first watershed permit established in 2014 allowed for a regional approach to monitoring nutrients and developing a pathway to limit the nutrients in treatment plant effluents should the science support the theory that nutrients from wastewater treatment facilities have negative impact on the Bay.

The watershed permit is renewed every five years, and the current 2<sup>nd</sup> watershed permit came into effect in July 2019. Recently, in the summer of 2022, there was a harmful algal bloom in the San Francisco Bay that resulted in a large quantity of fish killed. Another algal bloom occurred in 2023. While the triggers for these algal blooms are not fully understood by scientists, it is known that nutrients contribute to the magnitude of algal blooms once initiated. As a result, the RWQCB has informed wastewater treatment agencies which discharge into the San Francisco Bay that it intends to require significant reductions of effluent discharge nutrient loading in the next 2024 Watershed Permit with required implementation by 2034. While originally the theory included both Nitrogen and Phosphorous, indications from the Regional Board are that only limits to Nitrogen will be placed in the 2024 Watershed Permit.

SVCW has been monitoring the nutrients loading developments since before 2014 and participates in Bay Area-wide meetings and conversations with RWQCB staff. SVCW also contributes funding for scientists with the San Francisco Estuary Institute (SFEI) who take water samples and model the impacts of nutrients on the Bay. While the science is still unclear as to the impact of wastewater nitrogen discharges to the bay, it is safe to say that, should nitrogen levels be reduced, no negative effects will occur. In other words, removing nitrogen from the bay will lead to either neutral or positive effects.

In preparation for new limits to nitrogen discharge, staff has identified that the most costeffective first-step approach to substantially reduce nutrients in its effluent is to implement a sidestream treatment project. The project would remove the nitrogen in the solids dewatering process filtrate from SVCW's rotary fan presses. The rotary fan press filtrate is a concentrated source of nitrogen, comprising approximately 15% of total nitrogen (TN)

Report by: KRH 8A-1

load to the plant. This amount would enable SVCW to meet the 2024 Watershed Permit short term requirements.

To fully meet the 2024 watershed permit requirements (which will require a higher amount of nitrogen removal by 2034), SVCW likely will need to implement a mainstream nutrient removal process. It is the intention that the sidestream and mainstream removal technologies would complement each other.

#### DISCUSSION

Reducing nitrogen from SVCW's wastewater flows requires a new biological process to be introduced to the treatment process train. Treatment technologies for nitrogen removal are proven, though limited in number and relatively new. Also, this will be the first new biological process to be added to SVCW's treatment facility and will require a high learning curve for operations staff. Based on the importance and significant impact of this project on SVCW's operations, SVCW conducted a competitive procurement using a request for proposal (RFP) process with three of the engineering firms that provide services to SVCW. A successful project will require detailed process understanding, robust design documents, and expertise to assist with startup. The engineering firm of Brown and Caldwell was selected as the top-ranked proposer based on the submitted proposal and interview.

The proposed Task Order to Brown and Caldwell is for Preliminary Design, Detailed Design, and Bid Period Services to implement a sidestream treatment project. The project construction will include demolition of unused piping and equipment, structural rehabilitation of existing gravity thickeners in which sidestream bioreactors will be placed, new conveyance pumps and piping, electrical power connections, and related miscellaneous improvements. Brown and Caldwell's scope of services includes review of previous SVCW efforts; condition assessment of the gravity thickeners; technical evaluation on sidestream technology selection for optimal nutrient removal; pumping configurations and hydraulics; preliminary design; detailed design; and bid period services. The not-to-exceed budget for these services is \$1,469,879.

#### **CLIMATE EFFECTS**

Nutrient removal processes can be very energy intensive and will require additional electrical support. Sidestream treatment will be an efficient first step towards nitrogen removal and is anticipated to lessen the energy impact of future nutrient projects needed to comply with limits from the RWQCB.

As noted above, removing nitrogen from discharges to the San Francisco Bay may have positive impact to the Bay's beneficial uses.

#### **FINANCES**

Work under this task order is captured within the Sidestream Treatment Project (CIP #9401), which has an allocated budget of \$10,481,841. Staff anticipates that this will not be sufficient for providing adequate sidestream treatment. As part of Brown and Caldwell's work tasks Opinions of Probable Construction Costs will be provided at various stages of the design. Staff's current estimate for sidestream treatment costs is \$15 million. This project will be funded using a loan through the Federal Water Infrastructure Finance and Innovation Act (WIFIA) Program.

#### RECOMMENDATION

Move approval of TASK ORDER SCOPE OF WORK AND BUDGET FOR PRELIMINARY DESIGN, DETAILED DESIGN, AND BID PERIOD SERVICES RELATED TO THE SIDESTREAM TREATMENT PROJECT (CIP# 9401) IN THE AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$1,469,879 AND AUTHORIZE MANAGER TO APPROVE UP TO TEN PERCENT CONTINGENCY FOR ADDITIONAL WORK ON AN AS-NEEDED BASIS – BROWN AND CALDWELL

# **AGENDA ITEM 8B**

## PROFESSIONAL CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT SERVICES GLOBAL TASK ORDER

#### ISSUE

Approval of Tanner Pacific, Inc. Task Order Scope and Budget for Professional Construction Management Services for SVCW CIP and Capital Projects

#### **BACKGROUND**

In March 2016 the Commission approved a Master Services Agreement and corresponding task order with Tanner Pacific, Inc. (TPI) for construction management and construction contract advisory services (CM services). Since that time, TPI has provided professional services related to construction management and inspection, including: ensuring construction contractors abide by project requirements, providing input to designers on bid-ability and constructability of projects during their design phases, providing review of cost estimates by the designers, customizing the standard contract documents for each project, keeping apprised of ongoing changes in legislation and regulations pertaining to construction and, in turn, updating SVCW's standard contract documents.

#### **DISCUSSION**

SVCW has used services of outside construction management specialty firms for its entire existence, beginning with the original treatment plant construction. Construction management is a specialty within itself and to hire staff that could fulfill the functions that TPI fills would involve hiring at least ten additional staff. Several staff members of TPI have worked on SVCW projects for 15+ years with the previous incarnation of this firm and, thus, are highly familiar with SVCW project delivery procedures.

SVCW's last global task order with TPI was authorized in July 2020, at a budget of \$3.6 million. That task order was authorized presuming services covering an 18-month period but, instead, has lasted for 38 months. The reason why the 2020 task order extended so much longer than anticipated is due to the minimal amount of construction activity occurring during that period (approximately \$12 million in construction dollars). Much of TPI's activities over the past three years has related to design bid-ability and constructability reviews, standard SVCW contract document updates, project management for small tasks, along with the inspections and construction management for the ongoing construction work. Since payments to TPI are authorized on a time-and-expense basis, SVCW pays only for services rendered (note that this is true for all SVCW's consultants).

Moving forward, there is a large amount of construction work anticipated to occur within the treatment plant over the next 30 months; in the range of \$74 million in construction dollars. Much of this work is WIFIA-funded and there is a time schedule to meet the WIFIA loan requirements. SVCW and TPI have negotiated a task order for construction management services in the amount of \$9.02 million, equating to 12.2% of the projected construction expenditures, well within industry standard for these types of professional

services. The scope includes construction management services on all CIP projects occurring within the treatment plant.

#### **CLIMATE EFFECTS**

There are no anticipated climate effects as a result of this item.

#### **FINANCES**

Construction Management Services are budgeted as part of all CIP project budgets and vary between 13% to 15% of the estimated construction cost for each project. The cost associated with the TPI global task order has been negotiated in the amount of \$9.022 million. This amount is within the amounts incorporated for these services in the CIP project budgets and in line with both industry standards and previous SVCW contracts for similar services.

#### **RECOMMENDATION**

Move approval of TASK ORDER SCOPE AND BUDGET FOR CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT SERVICES IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$9,022,000 AND AUTHORIZE MANAGER TO APPROVE UP TO TEN PERCENT CONTINGENCY FOR ADDITIONAL WORK ON AN AS-NEEDED BASIS - TANNER PACIFIC INC.