WCID Point Venture - Townhall

April 19th, 2025 & April 29th, 2025 Review & Discussion

Agenda

- >2023-2024 Analysis & Results
- >2024-2025 Analysis
- Unfunded Projects & Priorities
- >Cost of delaying capital improvements
- Plans with Bond Approval
- Plans without Bond Approval
- ➢ Summary
- ➢ Voting information
- ≻Q&A

2024 Rate Tables in review (Analysis done in Dec '23)

- ➢ Water Revenue \$568K, M&O \$859K, Shortfall \$291K or 51%
- Sewer Revenue \$396K, M&O \$859K, Shortfall \$463K or 117%
- Board agreed to adjust rates over 3 years to align Service Revenue to M&O Expenses
- Breakeven analysis Water Base \$48, Sewer Base \$67
- > To do that 3 year plan for Base Rate and Usage increase
 - ➤ Water base rate increase \$7/yr for 3 years, 1st year \$27 to \$34
 - Sewer base rate increase \$12/yr for 3 years, 1st year \$32 to \$44

Usage	2023	2024	Increase '23 -> '24
2,001 to 5,000 gallons	\$4.00 per 1,000 gallons	\$4.40 per 1,000 gallons	10%
5,001 to 10,000 gallons	\$5.25 per 1,000 gallons	\$5.80 per 1,000 gallons	10%
10,001 to 15,000 gallons	\$6.75 per 1,000 gallons	\$7.75 per 1,000 gallons	15%
15,001 to 25,000 gallons	\$8.50 per 1,000 gallons	\$10.00 per 1,000 gallons	17.5%
25,001 to 50,000 gallons	\$11.00 per 1,000 gallons	\$13.20 per 1,000 gallons	20%
50,001 or more gallons	\$15.00 per 1,000 gallons	\$18.75 per 1,000 gallons	25%

'23-'24 Financials

WCID Point Venture Forecasted (in Dec '23) for FY Oct '23- Sept '24						
Property Tax	\$1,939,866	Water LCRA	\$ 36,491			
Service Revenue		Utilities	\$ 68,223			
Water	\$ 600,108	Water Maintenance & Taps	\$ 392,190			
Sewer	\$ 477,054	Sewer Maintenance & Taps	\$ 342,710			
Penalty	\$ 17,168	Sludpe Hauling	\$ 37,424			
Taps	\$ 30,000	General	\$ 8,086			
Interest	\$ 167,728	Operation & Maintenance	\$ 590,908			
Other	\$ 92,250	Admin	\$ 155,429			
		Engineering	\$ 54,330			
		Capital Outlay	\$ 157,383			
Total Service Rev	\$1,384,308	Total	\$1,843,174			
Total- PropTax & Service	\$3,324,174					
Service Rev - M&O Expenses	\$ (458,866)					
Subsidized by Property Tax						

'23-'24 How Did We Do?

- ➢ Water Revenue \$608.7K, M&O \$747.4K, Shortfall \$138.7K
- Sewer Revenue \$485.6K, M&O \$707.6K, Shortfall \$222K
- With 930 meters
 - ⋟ \$7 increase in Water for '24 will add \$78K
 - ▶ \$12 increase in Sewer for '24 will add \$134K
- \succ If financials are similar in '25 than the increases in '26 are:
 - ⋟ \$5.5 increase in Water for '24 will add \$61K
 - ⋟ \$8 increase in Sewer for '24 will add \$89.3K
- Breakeven in '26 Revenue equal M&O expenses
 - ➢ Water Revenue \$747.7K (608.7+78+61), M&O \$747.4K
 - Sewer Revenue \$708.9K (485.6+134+89.3), M&O \$707.6K

'23-'24 How Did We Do? (another view - same data)

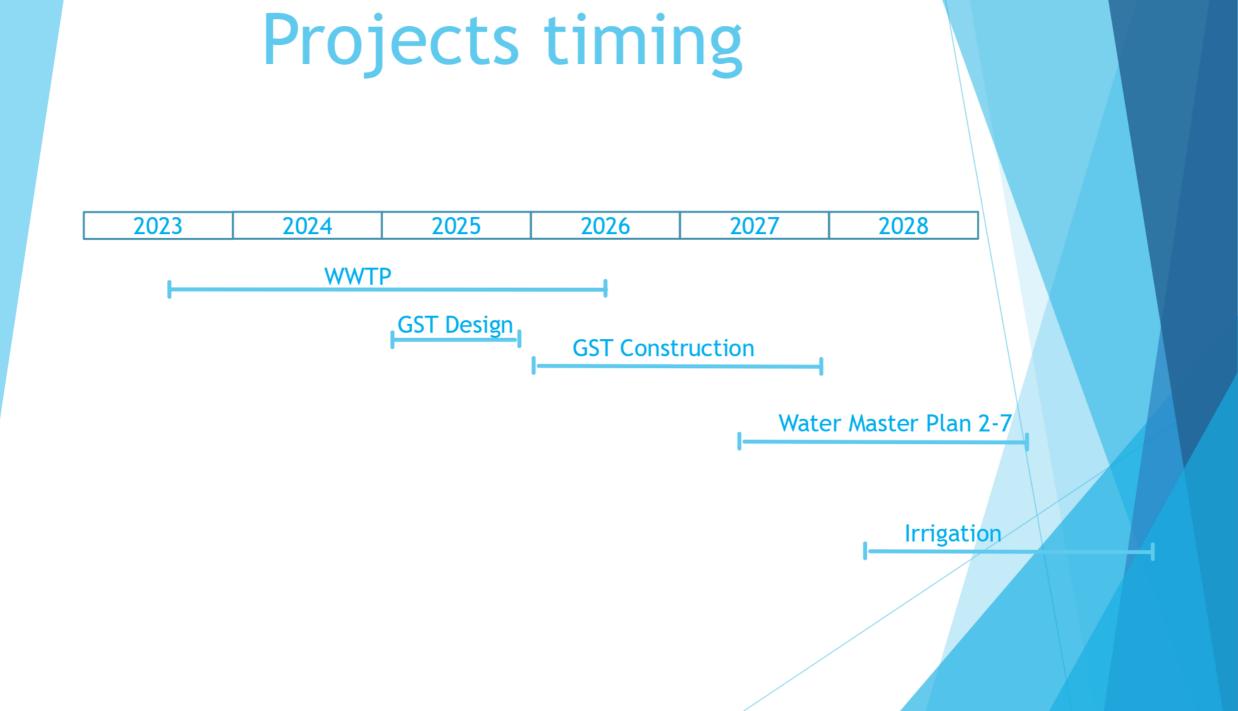
How Did We Do in 2024						
Water	2023	2024	2025	2026		
Revenue	\$ 568,000	\$ 608,700	\$686,820	\$748,200		
M&O Expe	\$ 859,000	\$ 747,400	\$747,400	\$747,400		
Shortfall	\$(291,000)	\$(138,700)	\$ (60,580)	\$ 800		
Rate Increase		\$7	\$ 5.50			
Meters		930	\$ 930			
Sewer						
Revenue	\$ 396,000	\$ 485,600	\$619,520	\$708,800		
M&O Expe	\$ 859,000	\$ 707,600	\$707,600	\$707,600		
Shortfall	\$(463,000)	\$(222,000)	\$ (88,080)	\$ 1,200		
Rate Increase		\$ 12	\$ 8.00			
Meters		930	\$ 930			

Projects

- WWTP .15MGD, two Lift Stations \$12MM (\$11M Construction, \$922K in Construction Management)
 - Completed planned for May 2026
- Water Master Plan (Table 7-9) \$13.5M
 - Estimated Start January 2026
 - Priority 1 August Standpipe replacement \$7.5M
 - Engineering Contract assigned, award expected Feb 2025
 - Priority 2 August Pump Station Rehab \$1.65M
 - Priority 3 6" Waterline (Nicklaus to Champions) \$861K
 - Priority 4 PRV Assembly \$233K
 - Priority 5 Augusta EST Rehab \$960.7K
 - Priority 6 6" Waterline for LUE Reallocation \$500K
 - Priority 7 2" Waterline replacement \$755K
- Underground Irrigations for Effluent during winter \$2M

Capital Plans

- Augusta Standpipe replacement \$7.5M
- Augusta Pump Station Rehab \$1.65M
- ➢ 6" Waterline form Nicklaus dr to Champions Cir \$861K
- PRV Assembly \$233K
- Augusta Elevated Rehab \$960K
- ➢ 6" waterline for LUE Reallocation \$500K
- 2" waterline replacement \$754K
- Irrigation \$2.1M (\$1.1M from bond, \$1M operating)
- Total \$13.6M 2025 Bond, \$1M Operating
- Funding Options
 - 1) Bond Proceeds
 - 2) Cash



Delaying Cost \$ - Example from qualification submissions

- ➤ 2003 1M gallon Standpipe \$641K
- 2007 200K gallon Elevated tank \$665K
- ➤ 2009 500K gallon Composite \$1.398M
- 2011 300K gallon Elevated tank \$1.13M
- 2013 1M gallon Composite \$1.4M
- 2023 300K gallon Elevated tank \$4.2M

Estimated 2026 – 300K gallon Elevated tank \$6.5M *

70% increase over 4 years 17.5% per year

271% increase over 12 years 22.5% per year

> 55% increase over 3 years 18.3% per year

WCID PV - Debt Schedule

Debt Series 2016 - \$7.08M
Remaining balance \$5.26M
Last Payment 2036

Debt Series 2020 - \$14.5M
Remaining balance \$12.89M
Last Payment 2040

Combined Payment in 2025 is \$1,252,981
Payment increase each year in 2040 is \$1,499,400

Plan with Bond Approval

- Continue with WWTP Construction
- 2025 Get residents approval on a Bond Election for \$13.6M
 - \$13.6M bond will cost approximately \$925K/yr
 - Allows Capital programs to be paid over 30 years
- > 2025 Apply for Texas Water Development Board DFUND for \$6.5M
- 2025 Award Augusta Tank Replacement Engineering
- Once Bond is approved and TWDB DFUND is approved
 - Begin engineering for Priorities 2-7
 - Award Augusta Tank replacement Construction early 2026
 - Lower Property Taxes by \$400K-500K over 3 years, Approx 7-8% decrease per year (Ave. \$400-\$500/yr/resident)
- 2026 Rate Tables increase \$5.5 water, \$8 sewer

Can tradeoff Property tax verses Rate Tables

Plan without Bond approval

- Continue with WWTP Construction
- 2025 Award Ground Storage Tank Replacement Engineering
- Pay Cash for Projects
 - Reserve Requirement is approximately \$2.5M, Stretched \$1.5M
- Raise Property Taxes by \$500K, 7-8% per year for 3 years (Ave \$500/yr/resident)
- When we have \$6.5M in the bank award Augusta Replacement Construction
- > 2026 Rate Tables increase \$5.5 water, \$8 sewer
- Continue with projects as the cash allows
 - Pushing out schedule
 - Likely costing more (history is 17%-22% per year)

Summary

- 7 unfunded projects
- Funding options
 - 1) Bond Proceeds (Requiring Voter Approval)
 - 2) Cash (Voter don't approve bond)
- Kicking the can down the road cost lots of \$
 - Historically 17%-22% per year delayed
- Using Bond Proceeds, project can be paid from existing property taxes including a property tax reduction of \$400K-500K or an average of approximately \$400-\$500/resident/year
- Using Cash to fund projects, cash is needed near term and it's projected to have property tax increase over 3 years of \$400K-\$500K or an average of \$400-\$500/resident/year

Bond Election - Dates

Early Voting starts Tuesday, April 22nd

Election Day: Saturday May 3rd

Questions?