# City of Fort Wayne Utilities

A Division of the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana



Financial Statements

December 31, 2015

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#### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

TO: THE OFFICIALS OF THE CITY OF FORT WAYNE UTILITIES, ALLEN COUNTY, INDIANA

#### **Report on the Financial Statements**

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the business-type activities and each major fund of the City of Fort Wayne Utilities (Utilities), departments of the City of Fort Wayne (City), as of and for the year ended December 31, 2015, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Utilities' basic financial statements as listed in the Table of Contents.

#### Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

#### Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express opinions on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the City's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinions.

#### **Opinions**

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the business-type activities and each major fund of the Utilities as of December 31, 2015, and the respective changes in financial position and cash flows, where applicable, thereof and for the year then ended, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

## INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT (Continued)

#### Emphasis of Matter

As discussed in Note 1, the financial statements of the Utilities are intended to present the financial position, the changes in financial position and, where applicable, cash flows of only that portion of the business-type activities of the City that is attributable to the transactions of the Utilities. They do not purport to, and do not, present fairly the financial position of the City, as of December 31, 2015, the changes in its financial position, or where applicable, its cash flows for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. Our opinion is not modified with respect to this matter.

As discussed in Note 12 to the financial statements, the Utilities adopted new accounting guidance, GASB Statement 68 *Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions*. Our opinion is not modified with respect to this matter.

#### **Other Matters**

Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the Management's Discussion and Analysis, Schedule of Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability, and Schedule of Contributions as listed in the Table of Contents, be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. We have applied certain limited procedures to the required supplementary information in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, which consisted of inquiries of management about the methods of preparing the information and comparing the information for consistency with management's responses to our inquiries, the basic financial statements, and other knowledge we obtained during our audit of the basic financial statements. We do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the information because the limited procedures do not provide us with sufficient evidence to express an opinion or provide any assurance.

Paul D. Joyce, CPA State Examiner

### **Management's Discussion and Analysis**

#### Introduction

As management of the City of Fort Wayne Utilities (Utilities), we offer readers of the Utilities' financial statements, this narrative overview and analysis of the financial activities of the Utilities for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2015. We encourage readers to consider the information presented here in conjunction with additional information that we have furnished in the basic financial statements and the notes to the basic financial statements.

#### **Financial Highlights**

- The Utilities acquired water assets serving approximately 12,500 customers and settled litigation regarding the condemnation of water and sewer assets serving 9,600 customers. The purchase price of \$67 million, less \$16.9 million paid in 2008, was financed through revenue bonds issued in December 2014.
- The assets and deferred outflow of resources of the Utilities exceeded its liabilities and deferred inflow of resources (net position) as of December 31, 2015 and 2014 by \$538.4 million and \$517.0 million, respectively.
- The Utilities' net position increased for the years ended December 31, 2015 and 2014 by \$10.4 million before restatement for change in accounting principle of \$11.0 million and \$18.6 million before restatement for change in accounting principle of \$0.9 million, respectively.
- The Utilities added new bonded debt and long-term loans payable for years ended December 31, 2015 and 2014 of \$67.4 million and \$72.7 million, respectively. The 2015 increase in debt consists of one new additional SRF pooled loan and additional withdrawals against existing SRF loans. The 2014 increase in debt consists of one new Water Revenue Bond, three new Wastewater SRF loans and additional withdrawals against existing SRF loans.
- The Utilities' net investment in capital assets for the years ended December 31, 2015 and 2014 increased approximately \$32.8 million and \$10.6 million. Significantly, the Utilities continue to meet all 2009-2015 capital investment milestones required by the 2008 Federal Consent Decree.
- The Utilities adopted GASB 68 and GASB 71, Accounting and Reporting for Pension in 2015. This change in accounting principle resulted in a restatement in 2015 of \$11.0 million.

#### Overview of the Financial Statements

This discussion and analysis is an introduction to the Utilities' basic financial statements. The Utilities are governmental entities classified as enterprise funds, subsets of proprietary funds. When an entity charges a fee to cover the entire cost of its operation, these services are classified as a proprietary fund. And more specifically, when an entity is self-supported completely by providing services to outside customers, it is an enterprise fund. An enterprise fund's financial statements are comprised of three statements and the accompanying notes to these statements. The three statements are: 1) statement of net position, 2) statement of revenues, expenses and changes in net position and 3) statement of cash flows. The notes provide additional information that is essential to a full understanding of the data provided in the Utilities' financial statements. The notes can be found on pages 13-40 of this report.

The Utilities provide water, wastewater, stormwater, and yard waste services. The Utilities' financial statements have been prepared to reflect the activity of each of these services. The Electric Utility's generation and distribution systems (operating system) were leased to a private firm in 1975 and the entire operating system was purchased by that private firm in 2011. Since 1975 portions of the lease payments were accumulated in a Community Trust Fund and that Trust Fund coupled with the assets generated from the sale of the Electric Utility's operating assets were transferred to the City Community Legacy Fund in 2012.

## City of Fort Wayne Utilities Condensed Statement of Net Position

	(\$millions)					Variance		
	December 31					2014-2015		
		2015		2014	\$r	nillions	%	
Net capital assets	\$	910.8	\$	853.0	\$	57.8	6.8%	
Other assets		176.3		166.4		9.9	5.9%	
Total assets	\$	1,087.1	\$	1,019.4	\$	67.7	6.6%	
Deferred Outflows of Resources	\$	7.6	\$	1.9	\$	5.7	300.0%	
Current liabilities		53.6		47.4		6.2	13.1%	
Long term liabilities		501.0		454.8		46.2	10.2%	
Total liabilities		554.6		502.2		52.4	10.4%	
Deferred Inflows of Resources	\$	1.7	\$	2.1	\$	(0.4)	-19.0%	
Total net position	\$	538.4	\$	517.0	\$	21.4	4.1%	
Net investment in capital assets	\$	474.6	\$	441.8		32.8	7.4%	
Restricted		54.2		54.5		(0.3)	-0.6%	
Unrestricted		9.6		20.7		(11.1)	-53.6%	
Total net position	\$	538.4	\$	517.0	\$	21.4	4.1%	

City of Fort Wayne Utilities
Condensed Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Position

	(\$millions)					Variance			
	Ye	ar Ended I	Decer	nber 31		2014-2	2015		
		2015		2014	\$millions		%		
Operating revenues:									
Water service revenues	\$	45.7	\$	39.6	\$	6.1	15.4%		
Wastewater service revenues		59.5		57.4		2.1	3.7%		
Stormwater service revenues		9.9		9.8		0.1	1.0%		
Electric revenues		0.0		0.0		0.0	0.0%		
Yard Waste revenues		0.3		0.1		0.2	200.0%		
Total operating revenues		115.4		106.9		8.5	8.0%		
Operating expenses:									
Water operations		36.7		33.6		3.1	9.2%		
Wastewater operations		37.4		38.3		(0.9)	-2.3%		
Stormwater operations		7.4		6.5		0.9	13.8%		
Electric operations		0.0		0.0		0.0	0.0%		
Yard Waste operations		0.3		0.1		0.2	200.0%		
Total operating expenses		81.8		78.5		3.3	4.2%		
Operating Income		33.6		28.4		5.2	18.3%		
Net nonoperating revenues (expenses)		(10.4)		(9.1)		(1.3)	14.3%		
Income before capital contributions and							_		
transfers out		23.2		19.3		3.9	20.2%		
Capital contributions		6.6		6.9		(0.3)	-4.3%		
Net transfers out		(8.4)		(7.6)		(0.8)	10.5%		
Increase in net position		21.4		18.6		2.8	15.1%		
Net position - January 1st		528.0		508.5		19.5	3.8%		
Prior period adjustment - see note 12		(11.0)		0.9		(11.9)	-1322.2%		
Net position - January 1st (restated)		517.0		509.4	-	7.6	1.5%		
Net position - December 31st	\$	538.4	\$	528.0	\$	10.4	2.0%		

### **Financial Analysis**

As noted earlier, net position may serve over time as a useful indicator of a governmental unit's financial health. In the case of the Utilities, assets and deferred outflows of resources exceeded liabilities and deferred inflows of resources by \$538.4 million and \$528.0 million as of December 31, 2015 and 2014, respectively. The largest portion (88.1%) of the Utilities' net position in 2015 reflects its net investment in capital assets (land, buildings, machinery, equipment and distribution and collection infrastructure), less any related debt used to acquire those assets that is still outstanding.

Another significant portion of the Utilities' net position (\$54.2 million, or 10.1%) represents resources that are subject to external restrictions on how they may be used.

The Utilities' net position increased \$10.4 million and \$18.6 million for the years ended December 31, 2015 and 2014, respectively.

#### **Capital Assets and Capital Improvement Program**

The Utilities' total capital assets in service are \$1.293 billion with an accumulated depreciation of \$382.2 million for a net book value of \$910.8 million. The statement of net position also includes \$51.3 million in construction in progress reflecting capital projects in various stages of completion. During 2015, approximately \$86.3 million was invested in capital projects (see Note 5).

#### Debt

At December 31, 2015, the Utilities had approximately \$510.4 million in bonds and loans payable, an increase of \$41.5 million over last year.

The 2015 increase of \$41.5 in debt consists of the following:

- A traditional SRF wastewater loan for up to \$60.9 million over 20 years at 3.074%.
- \$13.1 withdraws against existing SRF loans.

The Utilities paid principal of \$25.9 million and \$24.0 million in 2015 and 2014, respectively.

### **Economic Factors and Next Year's Budget and Rates**

- On December 28, 2007, the Utilities agreed to a Long-Term Control Plan (LTCP), in the form of a federal Consent Decree, which will ultimately bring the Utilities' combined storm and sanitary sewer system into compliance with the federal Clean Water Act. The Consent Decree became effective April 1, 2008. The Utilities committed to combined sewer overflow reductions that require an investment of approximately \$240.0 million (denominated in 2005 dollars) in infrastructure solutions over the next 18 years. The Utilities also agreed to:
  - Eliminate three sanitary sewer overflows at an estimated cost of \$31.0 million
  - Maintain the entire storm and sewer systems to performance standards prescribed in the LTCP.
  - Mitigate assessed penalties with local investments in septic tank elimination subsidies and rain garden stipends.

The Consent Decree further provides for stipulated penalties for failure to achieve specified construction milestones, reporting deadlines or maintenance objectives. The Utilities are in full compliance with terms and conditions of the Consent Decree.

Consistent with the long term nature of the Consent Decree, Fort Wayne City Council (Council) approved another five year rate plan that generally increased wastewater unit rates by approximately 9% effective January 1, 2015 and again on Jan 1, 2016-2019 of each year by 8.5%, 8%, 8% and 8%, respectively. Council had previously approved a 5 1/2 year rate plan that spanned the period July 2009 through December 2014.

Council also authorized the issuance of another wave of bond financing; up to \$257 million in debt to fund the 2016-2019 capital plan that will accomplish a significant portion of the infrastructure investment required to fulfill the requirements of the Consent Decree. As of December 31, 2015, the Utilities have issued \$65.9 million debt associated with the \$257 million that Council authorized. In 2009, Council approved the issuance of up to \$265 million. Through December 31, 2014, the Utilities had exhausted the full amount authorized by Council in 2009.

The Utilities are in full compliance with the terms and conditions of the Consent Decree. Significantly, the Utilities has completed to date: the upgrade to the wastewater plant to increase its treatment capacity from 60 million gallons per day (mgd) to 85 mgd and completed 29 combined sewer separation projects. The Utilities also constructed a CSO pond bleedback process that fully treats over 1 billion gallons of wastewater each year that previously entered the Maumee River only partially treated. Untreated wastewater storage capacity was increased by nearly 100 million gallons through several pond enhancement projects and the pump station used to fill those ponds has had its capacity increased to maximize the available storage.

Each of Fort Wayne's three rivers have their own control limits and compliance deadlines for reductions in combined sewer overflows per the Consent Decree. The improvements for reducing the combined sewer overflows along the St. Joseph river were completed in 2015 and the St. Joseph is now considered to be in compliance with the Consent Decree.

The single largest project associated with satisfying the requirements of the Consent Decree is a large underground tunnel that starts near Rudisill Blvd. and swings north along the St Mary's river, past the convergence of the three rivers and then follows along the Maumee river to the Wastewater Plant. The tunnel will be approximately 5 miles long, drilled through rock over 200 feet below ground and be approximately 16 feet in diameter. The cost for the tunnel is estimated at \$180 million and the estimated completion date is planned for 2022. Upon completion of the tunnel, additional sewers will be extended off the tunnel drop shafts to connect the existing combined sewer outfalls to the tunnel. All work must be completed by no later than 2025.

Lining wastewater pipelines significantly extends the life of the pipeline, improve overall system flow and reduces reactive maintenance. Since 2008, the Utilities have invested \$35 million to line approximately 153 miles of pipe.

The annual pipe enhancement rate since 2008 is 1.4% which exceeds our annual goal of 1.0% per year.

- On December 4, 2014, the Utilities acquired from Aqua Indiana all of the water assets and a portion of the sewer assets that are located in Allen County Indiana. The terms of the acquisition included the settlement of litigation regarding the 2002 condemnation of a portion of the acquired assets. Aqua's assets were adjacent to the Utilities and all its customers and infrastructure have now been integrated with the Utilities' systems. The total purchase price was \$67 million, of which \$16.9 million was paid in 2008. The net purchase price of \$50.1 million was funded by proceeds from a \$63 million bond issued in December 2014. Bond proceeds in excess of the net purchase price were used for financing and integration costs. The acquired utility assets include 312 miles of water pipe, 20 miles of wastewater pipe, 6 treatment plants, 5 water towers and 1,500 hydrants; servicing 1,600 sewer customers and 22,000 water customers consuming approximately 1.5 billion gallons of water per year.
- The Water Utility successfully acquired SRF funding in 2011 for a ultra-violet disinfection system (UV system) valued at nearly \$20 million. The UV system was selected as the optimal incremental disinfection methodology to comply with an EPA mandate; the Long Term 2 Enhanced Surface Water Treatment Rule. This UV solution was completed and on-line December 2013, ahead of the enforcement deadline of April 2014.
- In 2012, the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission (IURC) and Fort Wayne City Council approved a three year water rate plan increasing water revenues by 33.9%. The water rate increase will be implemented in three annual increments (Phases) starting in January 2013. The increased revenues will provide funding for many repair and replacement projects but, significantly, up to 9 miles of water main replacement each year. As our infrastructure has aged, funding for our water main replacement program has not kept pace with the increase in our water main breaks. The new revenues will allow us to approach our goal to replace 1%, or ten miles, of our water main pipelines per year.
- On December 18, 2013, the IURC, based on a Cost of Service Study submitted by the City, revised Phase II and Phase III water rates that were approved in 2012 and that were to be effective January 1, 2014 and 2015, respectively. The revision did not affect the total anticipated revenues for each year but did modify the sources of those revenues; most significantly for public fire protection. Prior to 2014, the City paid City Utilities for public fire protection through a per hydrant fee. Effective 2014, all water customers now pay for public fire protection with fees based on the size of their water meters.
- On May 24, 2016, the Common Council approved the refinancing of the Sewage Works SRF Revenue Bonds of 2005 and the Sewage Works

Revenue Bonds of 2007. They also authorized the amending of the 2014 bond ordinance to include additional projects.

### **Request for Information**

This financial report is designed to provide our citizens, taxpayers, customers, and creditors with a general overview of the Utilities' finances and to show accountability for the money they receive. Questions concerning any of the information provided in this report or requests for additional financial information should be addressed to the Deputy Director of Business Services - City Utilities, City of Fort Wayne Utilities, 200 E Berry Street, Suite 270, Fort Wayne, IN 46802.

CITY OF FORT WAYNE UTILITIES Statement of Net Position At December 31, 2015

	Water	Wastewater	Stormwater	Electric	Yard Waste	Total 2015
ASSETS						
CURRENT ASSETS:						
Cash and cash equivalents Receivables:	\$ 8,811,434	\$ 9,931,964	\$ 2,275,993	\$ -	\$ 443,003	\$ 21,462,394
Customers, net of allowance for doubtful accounts of \$126,835 Interest	4,863,718 21,696	5,730,370 73,066	1,972,498	-	4,650	12,571,236 94,762
Due from City of Fort Wayne	16,368	11,093	9,523	-	25	37,009
Materials and supplies Prepaid expenses	1,273,373 80,908	75,197 81,299	1,443		9	1,348,570 163,659
Total current assets	15,067,497	15,902,989	4,259,457		447,687	35,677,630
NONCURRENT ASSETS: Restricted cash and cash equivalents	11,743,829	102,265,323	636,917	-	-	114,646,069
Restricted investments	5,088,159	15,088,159		-	-	20,176,318
Regulatory assets Assessments receivable Capital assets:	2,956,862 -	1,775,950 986,588	71,884 -	-	-	4,804,696 986,588
Land	5,666,314	1,733,316	6,035,655	75,732	-	13,511,017
Distribution and collection Buildings and improvements	238,758,029 84,437,188	316,355,730 171,757,556	135,460,539 2,840,743	- 1,121,198	- 68,777	690,574,298 260,225,462
Equipment and other	120,446,813	151,581,815	4,988,980	342,787	60,185	277,420,580
Less: Accumulated depreciation	(159,021,337)	(179,819,003)	(41,817,002)	(1,447,230)	(112,888)	(382,217,460)
Plus: Construction in progress  Net capital assets	5,434,575 295,721,582	<u>42,157,543</u> 503,766,957	3,693,042 111,201,957	92,487	6,002 22,076	51,291,162 910,805,059
Total noncurrent assets	315,510,432	623,882,977	111,910,758	92,487	22,076	1,051,418,730
Total assets	\$ 330,577,929	\$ 639,785,966	\$116,170,215	\$ 92,487	\$ 469,763	\$1,087,096,360
DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES:						
Debt Refunding Loss	\$ -	\$ 306,415	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 306,415
Outflows of Resources related to pensions	2,447,511	3,577,697	1,313,657	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	7,338,865
Total deferred outflows of resources	\$ 2,447,511	\$ 3,884,112	\$ 1,313,657	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 7,645,280
LIABILITIES						
CURRENT LIABILITIES:						
Accounts payable	\$ 3,185,993	\$ 5,938,443	\$ 513,192	\$ -	\$ 27,047	\$ 9,664,675
Wages and withholdings payable  Due to City of Fort Wayne	325,942 1,834,527	373,314 2,935,147	83,877 998,468	-	694 5,491	783,827 5,773,633
Interfund payable - current portion	70,976	7,908	36,601	_	27	115,512
Compensated absences payable - current portion	636,962	555,121	152,499	-	1,730	1,346,312
Other current liabilities	730,416	1,005,204	399,409	-	-	2,135,029
Accrued interest payable Bonds payable - current portion	407,651 3,815,000	4,418,663 11,740,000	134,833 1,205,000	-	-	4,961,147 16,760,000
Loans payable - current portion	3,484,000	7,035,048	1,205,000	-	-	10,519,048
Customer deposits	1,541,580	-				1,541,580
Total current liabilities	16,033,047	34,008,848	3,523,879		34,989	53,600,763
NONCURRENT LIABILITIES: Bonds payable, net of unamortized						
bond discount/premium	106,649,951	177,914,693	6,900,285	-	-	291,464,929
Loans payable	37,288,000	154,332,622	-	-	- 764	191,620,622
Compensated absences payable Net pension liability	431,677 5,734,933	321,370 8,383,148	41,587 3,078,119		764 	795,398 17,196,200
Total noncurrent liabilities	150,104,561	340,951,833	10,019,991		764	501,077,149
Total liabilities	\$ 166,137,608	\$ 374,960,681	\$ 13,543,870	\$ -	\$ 35,753	\$ 554,677,912
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES:	\$ 554,224	\$ 810,149	\$ 297,472	\$ -	<u>\$</u> -	\$ 1,661,845
NET POSITION: Net investment in capital assets	\$ 146,568,320	\$ 224,774,846	\$103,096,672	\$ 92,487	\$ 22,076	\$ 474,554,401
Restricted	, ,	, ,,,,,,,,,		,	,3	
For debt service	12,799,068	38,765,048	502,083	-	-	52,066,199
For capital projects Unrestricted	6,966,220	2,139,519 2,219,835	43,775		411,934	2,139,519 9,641,764
Total net position	\$ 166,333,608	\$ 267,899,248	\$103,642,530	\$ 92,487	\$ 434,010	\$ 538,401,883

See accompanying notes to the financial statements.

Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Position For the Year Ended December 31, 2015

ODEDATINO DE VENUEO	Water	Wastewater	Stormwater	Electric	Yard Waste	Total 2015
OPERATING REVENUES: Charges for goods and services	\$ 45,721,766	\$ 59,535,008	\$ 9,899,967	\$ -	\$ 263,241	\$115,419,982
OPERATING EXPENSES:						
Personnel services	10,377,388	8,729,950	1,770,149	-	12	20,877,499
Contractual services	1,732,573	2,155,431	264,031	-	217,248	4,369,283
Utilities	1,661,703	1,912,374	-	-	-	3,574,077
Chemicals	3,074,652	754,871		-	<del>-</del>	3,829,523
Administrative services	4,593,017	6,723,514	2,462,521	-	55,338	13,834,390
Other supplies/services	5,103,205	3,847,103	584,318	-	5,123	9,539,749
Depreciation	10,130,989	13,287,376	2,323,224	721_	4,667	25,746,977
Total operating expenses	36,673,527	37,410,619	7,404,243	721	282,388	81,771,498
Operating income (loss)	9,048,239	22,124,389	2,495,724	(721)	(19,147)	33,648,484
NONOPERATING REVENUES (EXPENSES):						
Investment income	63,075	213.522	3,001	_	_	279,598
Interest expense	(1,797,549)	(6,398,293)	(201,912)	_	_	(8,397,754)
Amortization of debt issuance costs	(300,949)	(215,176)	(24,257)	_	-	(540,382)
Gain/(Loss) on disposal of assets	(127,685)	68,895	(1,767,343)			(1,826,133)
Total nonoperating revenues (expenses)	(2,163,108)	(6,331,052)	(1,990,511)			(10,484,671)
Income (loss) before capital contributions						
and transfers	6,885,131	15,793,337	505,213	(721)	(19,147)	23,163,813
Capital contributions	1,067,906	3,927,146	1,636,910	-	-	6,631,962
Transfers in	-	753	4,293,838	-	-	4,294,591
Transfers out	(2,600,000)	(8,713,260)	(1,400,753)			(12,714,013)
Change in net position	5,353,037	11,007,976	5,035,208	(721)	(19,147)	21,376,353
Total net position-beginning of year	164,638,096	262,237,729	100,570,431	93,208	453,157	527,992,621
Restatement-change in accounting principle (note 12)		(5,346,457)	(1,963,109)			(10,967,091)
Total net position-beginning of year (restated)	160,980,571	256,891,272	98,607,322	93,208	453,157	517,025,530
Total net position-end of year	\$ 166,333,608	\$ 267,899,248	\$103,642,530	\$ 92,487	\$ 434,010	\$538,401,883

See accompanying notes to the financial statements.

CITY OF FORT WAYNE UTILITIES Statement of Cash Flows For the Year Ended December 31, 2015

	Water	Wastewater	Stormwater	Electric	Yard Waste	Total 2015
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES: Receipts from customers Payments to suppliers Payments to employees Other receipts (payments)	\$ 44,671,110 (9,304,314) (14,314,949) (1,814,857)	\$ 59,734,174 (6,699,649) (14,309,059) (2,729,738)	\$ 8,895,798 841,446 (3,773,596) (1,035,262)	\$ - - - -	\$ 263,932 (263,522) (12)	\$ 113,565,014 (15,426,039) (32,397,616) (5,579,857)
Net cash provided by operating activities	19,236,990	35,995,728	4,928,386		398	60,161,502
CASH FLOWS FROM NONCAPITAL FINANCING ACTIVITIES: Transfers out	(2,600,000)	(4,419,422)	(1,400,000)		_	(8,419,422)
CASH FLOWS FROM CAPITAL AND RELATED	(2,000,000)	(4,410,422)	(1,400,000)			(0,413,422)
FINANCING ACTIVITIES: Acquisition and construction of capital assets Proceeds from long-term debt	(16,141,030)	(47,257,199) 67,352,808	(6,780,305)	-	(5,729)	(70,184,263) 67,352,808
Interest paid on long-term debt Debt issuance costs	(5,122,918)	(10,413,175) 30,000	(371,506)	-	-	(15,907,599) 30,000
Principal paid on long-term debt Proceeds from sales of assets Contribution in aid of construction	(6,977,000) 24,355 (100,000)	(17,523,612) 194,200	(1,155,000) 159,109 935,520		- - -	(25,655,612) 377,664 835,520
Net cash used by capital and related financing activities	(28,316,593)	(7,616,978)	(7,212,182)		(5,729)	(43,151,482)
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES:						
Purchase of investments Sale of investments Investment income received	(5,088,159) 5,050,424 58,779	(15,088,159) 15,050,424 161,118	- - 3,001	- - -	- -	(20,176,318) 20,100,848 222,898
Net cash provided by investing activities	21,044	123,383	3,001			147,428
NET INCREASE (DECREASE) IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	(11,658,559)	24,082,711	(3,680,795)	-	(5,331)	8,738,026
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, BEGINNING OF YEAR	32,213,822	88,114,576	6,593,705		448,334	127,370,437
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, END OF YEAR	\$ 20,555,263	\$ 112,197,287	\$ 2,912,910	\$ -	\$ 443,003	\$ 136,108,463
RECONCILIATION OF OPERATING INCOME (LOSS) TO CASH PROVIDED BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES:	NET					
Operating income (loss)  Adjustments to reconcile operating income (loss) to net cash provided by operating activities:	\$ 9,048,239	\$ 22,124,389	\$ 2,495,724	\$ (721)	\$ (19,147)	\$ 33,648,484
Depreciation Provision for doubtful accounts Changes in assets and liabilities:	10,130,989 6,958	13,287,376 94,513	2,323,224	721 -	4,667 -	25,746,977 101,471
Receivables Other assets Accounts payable and other liabilities	(1,050,656) (1,821,815) 2,923,275	199,166 (2,824,251) 3,114,535	(1,004,169) (1,035,262) 2,148,869	- - -	691 - 14,187	(1,854,968) (5,681,328) 8,200,866
Net cash provided by operating activities	\$ 19,236,990	\$ 35,995,728	\$ 4,928,386	\$ -	\$ 398	\$ 60,161,502
NONCASH INVESTING, CAPITAL, AND FINANCING ACTIVITIES:						
Capital assets acquired through accounts payable Capital asset contributions Interfund capital asset contribution	\$ 1,318,502 1,167,906	\$ 2,566,344 3,927,146 (4,293,085)	\$ 270,478 701,390 4,293,085	\$ - -	\$ - -	\$ 4,155,324 5,796,442
Capitalized interest added to capital assets	3,334,674	4,672,145	145,186	-	-	8,152,005

See accompanying notes to the financial statements.

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#### (1) Nature of Operations and Significant Accounting Policies

#### Financial Reporting Entity

The City of Fort Wayne Utilities (the Utilities) are collectively, a division of the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana. The financial statements reflect only the activity of the Utilities and are not intended to present fairly the position of the City of Fort Wayne and the results of its operations and cash flows of its enterprise funds. The Utilities consist of Water, Wastewater, Stormwater, and Electric Utilities in addition to the Yard Waste Facility. All five areas are considered proprietary in nature. The Electric Utility generation and distribution systems were sold to a private firm in 2010.

#### Basis of Accounting and Financial Reporting

The Utilities prepare their financial statements on the accrual basis of accounting in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America as applied to governmental units.

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues, expenses and other changes in net assets during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

#### Cash Equivalents

For purposes of the statement of cash flows, the Utilities consider all highly liquid investments (including restricted assets) with maturity of three months or less when purchased to be cash equivalents.

#### Investments

Investments are stated at fair value, except for short-term (less than one year), highly liquid investments (i.e. Certificates of Deposit, U.S. Treasury Securities, etc.), which are reported at cost or amortized cost.

#### Restricted Assets/Net Position

All restricted assets/net position, as presented in the accompanying financial statements, are restricted due to enabling legislation.

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#### Capital Assets

Property, plant and equipment are recorded at cost, which includes interest incurred during construction periods. Donated property, plant and equipment are recorded at their estimated fair value at the date of donation. The cost of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of the asset or materially extend the assets' useful lives are not capitalized. When an individual asset is retired, depreciation is calculated. The difference between the original cost and the calculated depreciation results in a recognized loss.

Water, Wastewater, Stormwater and Yard Waste Utilities' assets are depreciated by individual asset. Electric Utility assets are depreciated using the group method.

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Estimated useful lives, in years, are as follows:

	Water <u>Utility</u>	Wastewater <u>Utility</u>	Stormwater <u>Utility</u>	Electric <u>Utility</u>	Yard Waste <u>Facility</u>
Buildings and improvements	25-44	25-44		35	20
Equipment and other	7-67	7-67	7-67	10-35	6-12
Distribution and collection	67	67	67		

Net interest cost incurred on borrowed funds for the Water, Wastewater and Stormwater Utilities is capitalized as a component of the cost of construction. In 2015, net interest capitalized was \$3,334,674 for the Water Utility, \$4,672,145 for the Wastewater Utility and \$145,186 for the Stormwater Utility.

#### Unbilled Utility Revenue

The Water Utility accrues revenue for estimated water distributed but not yet billed as of the balance sheet date. Likewise, the Wastewater Utility and Stormwater Utility accrue revenue for estimated wastewater and stormwater service not yet billed as of such date.

#### Materials and Supplies

Materials and supplies are stated at cost (average cost for the Water Utility; first-in, first-out for the Wastewater Utility). Amounts for Stormwater, Electric and Yard Waste are immaterial and not reported.

#### Bond Issuance Costs, Discounts and Premiums

Bond issuance costs, discounts and premiums are amortized over the lives of the respective bond issues using the interest method. The unamortized balance of premiums/discounts is included in noncurrent bonds payable on the statement of net position. The unamortized balance of bond issuance costs is reported as regulatory assets on the statement of net position per the exception for regulated utilities.

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### **Compensated Absences**

Employees earn vacation at rates from ten days to twenty-five days per year, based on the number of years of service. One year of unused vacation leave may be carried over to the next. Unpaid vacation pay is recorded as a liability as the benefits accrue to the employee.

Accrued compensated absences for Utilities' personnel are charged as an operating expense, using the vesting method, based on earned but unused vacation and sick leave days including the Utilities' share of social security and medicare taxes.

All full-time employees will receive 40 hours of sick time per calendar year to be used or forfeited by the end of the same calendar year. Regular part-time employees will receive 20 hours of sick time per calendar year. Sick time will be pro-rated for all employees hired after April 30<sup>th</sup> of each calendar year.

Employees with a balance of sick time as of December 31, 2013, will have this balance placed into a separate, frozen sick time account. All employees with a frozen sick time account will receive compensation for this unused sick leave upon separation from employement at \$1.00 for each hour up to 520 hours.

Employees with a frozen sick time account will be eligible to either 50 percent of the employee's hourly rate as of December 31, 2013 for each accumulated hour over 520, or an employee with 20 years of service and who retires, may receive credit at 100 percent of the employee's hourly rate at December 31, 2013 for each sick hour over 520 to be used for the purchase of group health insurance. The maximum payment per employee cannot exceed \$25,000.

#### Classification of Revenue

The Utilities have classified their revenue as either operating or nonoperating according to the following criteria:

- Operating revenues include activities that have the characteristics of exchange transactions, such as customer charges.
- Nonoperating revenues include activities that have the characteristics of nonexchange transactions, such as contributions and other revenue sources that are defined as nonoperating revenues by GASB Statement 9, Reporting Cash Flows of Proprietary and Nonexpendable Trust Funds and Government Entities That Use Proprietary Fund Accounting, and GASB Statement 34, such as investment income.

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#### **Deferred Outflows of Resources**

In addition to assets, the statement of net position will sometimes report a separate section for deferred outflows of resources. This separate financial statement section element, deferred outflows of resources, represents a consumption of net position that applies to future periods and so will not be recognized as an outflow of resources (expense/expenditure) until then.

The Wastewater utility has an item that qualifies for reporting in this category. It is the deferred charge on refunding reported in the statement of net position (Debt refunding loss). A deferred charge on refunding results from the difference in the carrying value of refunded debt and its reacquisition price. This amount is deferred and amortized over the shorter of the life of the refunded or refunding debt.

The other item listed under deferred outflows of resources is related to pensions. See note 12 on pensions for further information.

#### Deferred Inflows of Resources

In additions to liabilities, the statement of financial position will sometimes report a separate section for deferred inflows of resources. This separate financial statement section element, deferred inflows of resources, represents an acquisition of net position that applies to future periods and, therefore, will not be recognized as an inflow of resources (revenue) until then. At this time the only item that qualifies for reporting in this category is related to the deferred inflow related to pension. See note 12 on pensions for further information.

### (2) Deposits and Investments

#### **Deposits**

Custodial credit risk is the risk that in the event of a bank failure, the government's deposits may not be returned to it. Indiana Code 5-13-8-1 allows a political subdivision of the State of Indiana to deposit public funds in a financial institution only if the financial institution is a depository eligible to receive state funds; and has a principal office or branch that qualifies to receive public funds of the political subdivision. The bank balances were insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation or the Public Deposit Insurance Fund, which covers all public funds held in approved depositories. The Utilities do not have a formal policy for custodial credit risk.

#### Investments

Authorization for investment activity is stated in Indiana Code IC 5-13. The Utilities had the following investments at December 31, 2015.

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	<u>Water</u> <u>Utility</u>	Wastewater Utility	Stormwate Utility	r <u>Electric</u> <u>Utility</u>	<u>Yard Waste</u> <u>Utility</u>	<u>Total</u>
Investment Maturities						
greater than one year Certificate of Deposit	\$ 5,088,159	\$ 15,088,159	\$	\$	- \$ -	- \$ 20,176,318

#### **Investment Policies**

Indiana Code 5-13-9 authorizes the Utilities to invest in securities backed by the full faith and credit of the United States Treasury or fully guaranteed by the United States and issued by the United States Treasury, a federal agency, a federal instrumentality, or a federal government sponsored enterprise. Indiana Code also authorizes the Utilities to invest in securities fully guaranteed and issued by a federal agency, a federal instrumentality or a federal government sponsored enterprise. These investments are required by statute to have a stated final maturity of not more than five years. Indiana Code also provides for investment in money market mutual funds that are in the form of securities of or interest in an open-end, no-load, management-type investment company or investment trust registered under the provision of the Federal Investment Company act of 1940, as amended. Investments in money market mutual funds may not exceed fifty percent (50%) of the funds held by the Utilities and available for investment. The portfolio of an investment company or investment trust used must be limited to direct obligations of the United States, obligations issued by a federal agency, a federal instrumentality, a federal government sponsored enterprise; or repurchase agreements fully collateralized by direct obligations of the United States or obligations issued by a federal agency, a federal instrumentality, or a federal government sponsored enterprise. The form of securities of or interest in an investment company or investment trust must be rated as AAA, or its equivalent by Standard and Poor's Corporation or its successor or Aaa, or its equivalent, by Moody's Investors Service, Inc. or its successor. The form of securities in an investment company or investment trust should have a stated final maturity of one (1) day.

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#### (3) Restricted Assets

Restricted assets consisted of the following at December 31, 2015:

	Water <u>Utility</u>	Wastewater <u>Utility</u>	St	ormwater <u>Utility</u>	_	lectric <u>Utility</u>	 l Waste <u>Itility</u>	<u>Total</u>
Cash and cash equivalents:								
Sinking fund	\$ 1,015,902	\$ 12,242,402	\$	636,917	\$		\$ 	\$ 13,895,221
Debt service reserve	7,102,658	25,853,150	·	, 				32,955,808
Construction	2,083,689	62,030,252						69,113,941
Customer deposits	1,541,580							1,541,580
Connection fees		101,847						101,847
Septic elimination program		2,037,672	_				 	2,037,672
Total Investments:	<u>\$11,743,829</u>	<u>\$102,265,323</u>	\$	636,917	\$	<u></u>	\$ <u></u>	<u>\$114,646,069</u>
Debt service reserve	\$ 5,088,159	\$ 5,088,159	\$		\$		\$ 	\$ 10,176,318
Construction		10,000,000		<u></u>		<u></u>	 <u></u>	10,000,000
Total	\$ 5,088,159	<u>\$ 15,088,159</u>	\$		\$		\$ 	\$ 20,176,318

### Sinking Fund

Monthly deposits into sinking fund account for the Wastewater Utility's net revenues is required to be in an amount equal to at least 1/6 of the next semi-annual interest payment and 1/12 of the next annual principal payment. Other related debt service requirements are held in the debt service account.

Monthly deposits into sinking fund accounts of both the Water and Stormwater Utilities' net revenues are required to be in an amount equal to at least 1/6 of the next semi-annual interest payments and 1/12 of the next annual principal payments. Upon meeting certain minimum balance requirements, transfers may be made to unrestricted cash accounts. Surety bonds purchased by the Utilities cover the Waterworks and Stormwater Reserve Accounts requirements.

#### Debt Service Reserve

In addition to the sinking fund accounts, revenue bonds require debt service "reserve accounts" which require funding at: the lesser of 10% of bond proceeds, the maximum annual principal and interest required thereon, or 125% of the average annual principal and interest requirements thereon. The Utilities calculate its debt service reserve accounts on a consolidated basis and may fund the debt service reserve by holding cash or through the purchase of surety bond insurance. Among other requirements, the surety bond insurer must maintain a AAA or Aaa rating with Standards and Poor's or Moody's respectively.

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Prior to 2009, all Utility revenue bonds' debt service reserves were funded through surety bond insurance except the Sewage Works Junior Revenue Bonds of 1998 A and 1998 B which were cash funded. As a result of the financial crisis that occurred in late 2008 – early 2009 and up to and including 2013, the surety bond insurers failed to maintain their AAA/Aaa rating. While still insured, this failure to maintain AAA/Aaa ratings required the Utilities to cash fund the debt service reserve accounts for the affected revenue bonds. As of December 31, 2015, all surety bond insurance for Waterworks and Sewage Works Revenue Bonds have been replaced with cash funded debt service reserves as required by bond ordinance.

The surety bond insurer for the Stormwater Management District Revenue Bonds of 2006 has failed to maintain the required AAA/Aaa rating. The appropriate disclosures have been made to the bondholders and no other action has been taken.

#### Construction

Unspent bond issue proceeds to be used in the construction of designated capital assets are included in this account.

#### **Customer Deposits**

Customer deposits are refundable amounts received from Water Utility customers to insure against nonpayment of billings or water main damages.

#### Connection Fees

Certain area connection fees are designated for repayment of certain development costs as well as for reinvestment in specific areas. The unspent connection fees are reported in this restricted category.

#### Septic Elimination Program

In 2009, the Fort Wayne Board of Public Works authorized the creation of a City Utilities Revolving Fund as an alternative funding source for septic tank elimination in Allen County. This fund provides the funding necessary to construct wastewater mains allowing homeowners to discontinue use of failing septic tanks and connect to public infrastructure. The program also provides financial incentives to encourage septic tank elimination. Any unexpended funds are restricted for future septic tank elimination projects.

#### (4) Assessments Receivable

Assessments receivable represent assessments due from customers for wastewater connections. The individual assessments range from \$2,000 to \$24,000 and are due in 60, 120 or 180 monthly principal installments plus interest on the unpaid portion at ranges from 0% to 7% per year.

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### (5) Capital Assets

The following changes occurred in capital assets during the year ended December 31, 2015:

Water Utility	Balance			Adjustments/	Balance
	Jan. 1, 2015	<u>Additions</u>	<u>Disposals</u>	<u>Transfers</u>	Dec. 31, 2015
Land	\$ 5,666,314	\$	\$	\$	\$ 5,666,314
Distribution and					
collection	221,878,417		515,708	17,395,320	238,758,029
Buildings and					
improvement	84,113,909	4,850	24,906	343,335	84,437,188
Equipment and other	117,044,034	890,351	387,961	2,900,389	120,446,813
Construction in					
progress	5,989,934	20,825,551	1,061,675	(20,319,235)	5,434,575
	434,692,608	21,720,752	1,990,250	319,809	454,742,919
Less accumulated depreci	ation:				
Distribution and					
collection	62,198,411	3,547,062	411,318	960	65,335,115
Buildings and					
improvement	33,623,617	1,803,518	9,877	1,055	35,418,313
Equipment and other	53,655,504	4,780,409	328,378	160,374	58,267,909
	149,477,532	10,130,989	749,573	162,389	159,021,337
Net Capital Assets	<u>\$285,215,076</u>	<u>\$ 11,589,763</u>	<u>\$ 1,240,677</u>	<u>\$ 157,420</u>	\$295,721,582
Wastewater Utility	Balance			Adjustments/	Balance
Wastewater Utility	Balance	Additions	Disposals	Adjustments/	Balance Dec. 31, 2015
	Jan. 1, 2015	Additions \$	<u>Disposals</u> \$	<u>Transfers</u>	Dec. 31, 2015
Land			<u>Disposals</u> \$	•	
	<u>Jan. 1, 2015</u> \$ 1,645,032		\$	<u>Transfers</u> \$ 88,284	Dec. 31, 2015 \$ 1,733,316
Land Distribution and collection	Jan. 1, 2015	\$		<u>Transfers</u>	Dec. 31, 2015
Land Distribution and collection Buildings and	Jan. 1, 2015 \$ 1,645,032 301,914,996	\$	\$	<u>Transfers</u> \$ 88,284	Dec. 31, 2015 \$ 1,733,316 316,355,730
Land Distribution and collection Buildings and improvement	Jan. 1, 2015 \$ 1,645,032 301,914,996 140,296,720	\$ 	\$ 1,191,233 86,314	Transfers \$ 88,284 15,631,967 31,547,150	Dec. 31, 2015 \$ 1,733,316 316,355,730 171,757,556
Land Distribution and collection Buildings and	Jan. 1, 2015 \$ 1,645,032 301,914,996	\$	1,191,233	<u>Transfers</u> \$ 88,284 15,631,967	Dec. 31, 2015 \$ 1,733,316 316,355,730
Land Distribution and collection Buildings and improvement Equipment and other Construction in	Jan. 1, 2015 \$ 1,645,032 301,914,996 140,296,720 119,352,914	\$  940,612	\$ 1,191,233 86,314	Transfers \$ 88,284 15,631,967 31,547,150 32,103,544	Dec. 31, 2015 \$ 1,733,316 316,355,730 171,757,556 151,581,815
Land Distribution and collection Buildings and improvement Equipment and other	Jan. 1, 2015 \$ 1,645,032 301,914,996 140,296,720 119,352,914 69,471,606	\$  940,612 56,062,266	\$ 1,191,233 86,314	Transfers \$ 88,284 15,631,967 31,547,150 32,103,544 (83,376,329)	Dec. 31, 2015 \$ 1,733,316 316,355,730 171,757,556 151,581,815 42,157,543
Land Distribution and collection Buildings and improvement Equipment and other Construction in	Jan. 1, 2015 \$ 1,645,032 301,914,996 140,296,720 119,352,914 69,471,606 632,681,268	\$  940,612	\$ 1,191,233 86,314 815,255	Transfers \$ 88,284 15,631,967 31,547,150 32,103,544	Dec. 31, 2015 \$ 1,733,316 316,355,730 171,757,556 151,581,815
Land Distribution and collection Buildings and improvement Equipment and other Construction in progress	Jan. 1, 2015 \$ 1,645,032 301,914,996 140,296,720 119,352,914 69,471,606 632,681,268	\$  940,612 56,062,266	\$ 1,191,233 86,314 815,255	Transfers \$ 88,284 15,631,967 31,547,150 32,103,544 (83,376,329)	Dec. 31, 2015 \$ 1,733,316 316,355,730 171,757,556 151,581,815 42,157,543
Land Distribution and collection Buildings and improvement Equipment and other Construction in progress Less accumulated depreci	Jan. 1, 2015 \$ 1,645,032 301,914,996 140,296,720 119,352,914 69,471,606 632,681,268	\$  940,612 56,062,266	\$ 1,191,233 86,314 815,255	Transfers \$ 88,284 15,631,967 31,547,150 32,103,544 (83,376,329)	Dec. 31, 2015 \$ 1,733,316 316,355,730 171,757,556 151,581,815 42,157,543
Land Distribution and collection Buildings and improvement Equipment and other Construction in progress Less accumulated deprecipitation and collection	Jan. 1, 2015 \$ 1,645,032 301,914,996 140,296,720 119,352,914 69,471,606 632,681,268 ation:	\$ 940,612 56,062,266 57,002,878	\$ 1,191,233 86,314 815,255  2,092,802	Transfers \$ 88,284 15,631,967 31,547,150 32,103,544 (83,376,329)	Dec. 31, 2015 \$ 1,733,316  316,355,730  171,757,556 151,581,815  42,157,543 683,585,960
Land Distribution and collection Buildings and improvement Equipment and other Construction in progress Less accumulated deprecipitation and	Jan. 1, 2015 \$ 1,645,032 301,914,996 140,296,720 119,352,914 69,471,606 632,681,268 ation:	\$ 940,612 56,062,266 57,002,878	\$ 1,191,233 86,314 815,255  2,092,802	Transfers \$ 88,284 15,631,967 31,547,150 32,103,544 (83,376,329)	Dec. 31, 2015 \$ 1,733,316  316,355,730  171,757,556 151,581,815  42,157,543 683,585,960
Land Distribution and collection Buildings and improvement Equipment and other Construction in progress Less accumulated deprecipitation and collection Buildings and	Jan. 1, 2015 \$ 1,645,032 301,914,996 140,296,720 119,352,914 69,471,606 632,681,268 ation: 75,627,919	\$ 940,612 56,062,266 57,002,878	\$ 1,191,233 86,314 815,255  2,092,802 1,189,968	Transfers \$ 88,284 15,631,967 31,547,150 32,103,544 (83,376,329) (4,005,384)	Dec. 31, 2015 \$ 1,733,316 316,355,730 171,757,556 151,581,815 42,157,543 683,585,960 78,953,824
Land Distribution and collection Buildings and improvement Equipment and other Construction in progress Less accumulated deprecipitation and collection Buildings and improvement	Jan. 1, 2015 \$ 1,645,032 301,914,996 140,296,720 119,352,914 69,471,606 632,681,268 fation: 75,627,919 41,485,745	\$ 940,612 56,062,266 57,002,878 4,515,873 3,161,698	\$ 1,191,233 86,314 815,255  2,092,802 1,189,968 17,479	Transfers \$ 88,284  15,631,967  31,547,150 32,103,544  (83,376,329) (4,005,384)	Dec. 31, 2015 \$ 1,733,316 316,355,730 171,757,556 151,581,815 42,157,543 683,585,960 78,953,824 44,629,964

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Stormwater Utility	Balance <u>Jan. 1, 2015</u>	Additions	Disposals	Adjustments/ <u>Transfers</u>	Balance <u>Dec. 31, 2015</u>
Land	\$ 6,228,812	\$	\$ 1,909,543	\$ 1,716,386	\$ 6,035,655
Distribution and	Ψ 0,220,012	Ψ	Ψ 1,000,010	Ψ 1,7 10,000	Ψ 0,000,000
collection	127,535,559		859,681	8,784,661	135,460,539
Buildings and	127,000,000		000,001	0,701,001	100, 100,000
improvement	2,840,743				2,840,743
Equipment and other	4,727,183	563,926	294,452	(7,677)	4,988,980
Construction in	, , ,	,	, ,	( ,- ,	, ,
progress	2,855,980	7,031,666		(6,194,604)	3,693,042
1 -3	144,188,277	7,595,592	3,063,676	4,298,766	153,018,959
Less accumulated depre		, ,	, ,	, ,	, ,
Distribution and					
collection	36,569,205	1,928,431	842,772		37,654,864
Buildings and					
improvement	647,823	63,917			711,740
Equipment and other	3,479,257	330,876	294,452	(65,283)	3,450,398
	40,696,285	2,323,224	1,137,224	(65,283)	41,817,002
Net Capital Assets	<u>\$ 103,491,992</u>	\$ 5,272,368	<u>\$ 1,926,452</u>	<u>\$ 4,364,049</u>	<u>\$ 111,201,957</u>
Electric Utility	Balance			Adjustments/	Balance
Electric Utility	Jan. 1, 2015	<u>Additions</u>	<u>Disposals</u>	Adjustments/ <u>Transfers</u>	Dec. 31, 2015
Electric Utility Land		Additions \$	<u>Disposals</u> \$	-	
	Jan. 1, 2015		<u>Disposals</u> \$	<u>Transfers</u>	Dec. 31, 2015
Land Distribution and collection	Jan. 1, 2015		<u>Disposals</u> \$	<u>Transfers</u>	Dec. 31, 2015
Land Distribution and collection Buildings and	Jan. 1, 2015		<u>Disposals</u> \$	<u>Transfers</u>	Dec. 31, 2015 \$ 75,732
Land Distribution and collection Buildings and improvement	Jan. 1, 2015 \$ 75,732  1,121,198		<u>Disposals</u> \$	<u>Transfers</u>	Dec. 31, 2015 \$ 75,732  1,121,198
Land Distribution and collection Buildings and improvement Equipment and other	<u>Jan. 1, 2015</u> \$ 75,732		<u>Disposals</u> \$  	<u>Transfers</u>	Dec. 31, 2015 \$ 75,732
Land Distribution and collection Buildings and improvement	Jan. 1, 2015 \$ 75,732  1,121,198		<u>Disposals</u> \$  	<u>Transfers</u>	Dec. 31, 2015 \$ 75,732  1,121,198
Land Distribution and collection Buildings and improvement Equipment and other	Jan. 1, 2015 \$ 75,732  1,121,198 342,787		<u>Disposals</u> \$  	<u>Transfers</u>	Dec. 31, 2015 \$ 75,732  1,121,198 342,787
Land Distribution and collection Buildings and improvement Equipment and other Construction in progress	Jan. 1, 2015 \$ 75,732  1,121,198 342,787  1,539,717		Disposals \$	<u>Transfers</u>	Dec. 31, 2015 \$ 75,732  1,121,198
Land Distribution and collection Buildings and improvement Equipment and other Construction in progress Less accumulated depre	Jan. 1, 2015 \$ 75,732  1,121,198 342,787  1,539,717		<u>Disposals</u> \$   	<u>Transfers</u>	Dec. 31, 2015 \$ 75,732  1,121,198 342,787
Land Distribution and collection Buildings and improvement Equipment and other Construction in progress Less accumulated depre Distribution and	Jan. 1, 2015 \$ 75,732  1,121,198 342,787  1,539,717		<u>Disposals</u> \$   	<u>Transfers</u>	Dec. 31, 2015 \$ 75,732  1,121,198 342,787
Land Distribution and collection Buildings and improvement Equipment and other Construction in progress Less accumulated depre Distribution and collection	Jan. 1, 2015 \$ 75,732  1,121,198 342,787  1,539,717		<u>Disposals</u> \$	<u>Transfers</u>	Dec. 31, 2015 \$ 75,732  1,121,198 342,787
Land Distribution and collection Buildings and improvement Equipment and other Construction in progress Less accumulated depre Distribution and collection Buildings and	Jan. 1, 2015 \$ 75,732  1,121,198 342,787  1,539,717 ciation:	\$    	Disposals \$	<u>Transfers</u> \$	Dec. 31, 2015 \$ 75,732 1,121,198 342,787 1,539,717
Land Distribution and collection Buildings and improvement Equipment and other Construction in progress Less accumulated depre Distribution and collection Buildings and improvement	Jan. 1, 2015 \$ 75,732 1,121,198	\$     50	<u>Disposals</u> \$	<u>Transfers</u>	Dec. 31, 2015 \$ 75,732 1,121,198 342,787 1,539,717 1,120,550
Land Distribution and collection Buildings and improvement Equipment and other Construction in progress Less accumulated depre Distribution and collection Buildings and	Jan. 1, 2015 \$ 75,732 1,121,198	\$    50 671	\$	<u>Transfers</u> \$	Dec. 31, 2015 \$ 75,732   1,121,198 342,787   1,539,717   1,120,550 326,680
Land Distribution and collection Buildings and improvement Equipment and other Construction in progress Less accumulated depre Distribution and collection Buildings and improvement	Jan. 1, 2015 \$ 75,732 1,121,198	\$     50	Disposals \$	<u>Transfers</u> \$	Dec. 31, 2015 \$ 75,732 1,121,198 342,787 1,539,717 1,120,550

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Yard Waste Utility	Balance			Adjustments/	Balance
	Jan. 1, 2015	<u>Additions</u>	<u>Disposals</u>	<u>Transfers</u>	Dec. 31, 2015
Land	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Distribution and					
collection					
Buildings and					
improvement	68,777				68,777
Equipment and other	46,858			13,327	60,185
Construction in					
progress	2,844			3,158	6,002
	118,479			16,485	134,964
Less accumulated depre	ciation:				
Distribution and					
collection					
Buildings and					
improvement	51,870	3,439			55,309
Equipment and other	45,595	1,228		10,756	57,579
•	97,465	4,667	<del></del>	10,756	112,888
Net Capital Assets	\$ 21,014	\$ (4,667)	\$	\$ 5,729	\$ 22,076

### (6) <u>Deferred Outflows of Resources</u>

The following is a summary of changes in deferred outflows of resources for the year ended December 31, 2015:

Water Utility Debt refunding loss Outflow of resources related to pensions (see note 12)	Balance <u>Jan. 1, 2015</u> \$ <u>520,488</u> \$ 520,478	Additions \$ 2,398,381 \$ 2,398,381	Deductions \$ 471,348 \$ 471,348	Balance Dec. 31, 2015 \$ 2,447,511 \$ 2,447,511
Wastewater Utility Debt refunding loss Outflow of resources related to pensions (see note 12)	Balance Jan. 1, 2015 \$ 370,750	Additions \$ 3,505,880 \$ 3,505,880	Deductions \$ 64,335 683,806 \$ 748,141	Balance Dec. 31, 2015 \$ 306,415
Stormwater Utility Debt refunding loss Outflow of resources related to pensions (see note 12)	Balance <u>Jan. 1, 2015</u> \$ <u>278,224</u> <u>\$ 278,224</u>	Additions \$ 	Deductions \$ 251,854 \$ 251,854	Balance Dec. 31, 2015 \$ 1,313,657 \$ 1,313,657

## (7) Developer Notes Payable

Certain future revenues in newly developed areas are pledged as payment to retire developer debt associated with infrastructure installed to enable the new developments.

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Capital surcharges applicable only to designated new development regions and area connection fees generated from the designated new development regions will be applied to the developer debt until paid in full. Only revenue generated and collected from the new developments is available to retire the debt. Pledged revenues were \$319,849 for Wastewater Utility in 2015. Developer notes payable were \$1,348,036 for Wastewater Utility in 2015. The debt accrues interest at prime, which as of the end of 2015 was at 3.25%, plus 1%. Developer notes payable are included in current liabilities.

### (8) Long-Term Debt

### **Bonds Payable:**

Water Utility bonds payable at December 31, 2015 are as follows:

Water Works Revenue Bonds of 2003 – original issue of \$5,800,000 – interest
rates range from 4.13% to 4.25% and mature serially in amounts ranging
from \$480,000 in 2016 to \$505,000 in 2017, redeemable prior to maturity for
bonds maturing on or after 2014, plus unamortized bond premium of \$1,034.

\$ 986,034

Water Works Revenue Bonds of 2005 – original issue of \$16,700,000 – interest rates range from 4.00% to 4.13% and mature serially in amounts ranging from \$1,590,000 in 2016 to \$2,345,000 in 2019, redeemable prior to maturity for bonds maturing on or after 2015, plus unamortized bond premium of \$10,331.

7,845,331

Water Works Revenue Bonds of 2012 – original issue of \$40,000,000 – interest rates range from 2.00% to 3.00% and mature serially in amounts ranging from \$1,160,000 in 2016 to \$2,975,000 in 2032, redeemable prior to maturity for bonds maturing on or after 2023, plus unamortized bond premium of \$435,806.

37,775,806

Water Works Revenue Bonds of 2014 – original issue of \$63,000,000 – interest rates range from 2.00% to 4.00% and mature serially in amounts ranging from \$585,000 in 2016 to \$5,730,000 in 2034, redeemable prior to maturity for bonds maturing on or after 2024, plus unamortized bond premium of \$1,342,780.

63,857,780

Total Less: Current portion Noncurrent Bonds payable, net 110,464,951 (3,815,000) \$106,649,951

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Water Utility bond debt service requirements to maturity as of December 31, 2015 are as follows:

Year Due	<u>Principal</u>	<u>Interest</u>	<u>Total</u>
2016	\$ 3,815,000	\$ 3,534,268	\$ 7,349,268
2017	3,920,000	3,415,969	7,335,969
2018	4,030,000	3,293,206	7,323,206
2019	4,150,000	3,167,606	7,317,606
2020	2,820,000	3,034,775	5,854,775
2021 to 2025	27,225,000	13,587,575	40,812,575
2026 to 2030	35,425,000	8,818,650	44,243,650
2031 to 2035	27,290,000	2,344,050	29,634,050
Total	\$108,675,000	\$41,196,099	\$149,871,099

### Wastewater Utility bonds payable at December 31, 2015 are as follows:

stewater Utility bonds payable at December 31, 2015 are as follows:	
Sewage Works Revenue Bonds of 2007 – original issue of \$24,155,000 – interest rates range from 4.50% to 4.75% and mature serially in amounts from \$1,100,000 in 2016 to \$1,775,000 in 2027, redeemable at 100% beginning in 2017, less unamortized bond discount of \$12,431.	\$ 16,882,569
Sewage Works Revenue Bonds of 2010 – original issue of \$41,045,000 – interest rates range from 4.25% to 4.50% and mature serially in amounts from \$1,825,000 in 2016 to \$3,135,000 in 2030, redeemable at 100% beginning in 2020, less unamortized bond discount of \$155,160.	35,649,840
Sewage Works Revenue Bonds of 2011, Series A – original issue of \$38,100,000 – interest rate is 2.80% annually and mature serially in amounts from \$2,635,000 in 2016 to \$3,490,000 in 2026, redeemable at 100% beginning in 2022.	32,915,000
Sewage Works Revenue Bonds of 2012, Series B – original issue of \$15,530,000 – interest rates range from 2.00% to 3.00% and mature serially in amounts from \$1,010,000 in 2016 to \$1,295,000 in 2027, redeemable at 100% beginning in 2023, plus unamortized debt premium of \$459,203.	13,984,203
Sewage Works Refunding Revenue Bonds of 2012 – original issue of \$19,675,000 – interest rate is 1.45% annually and mature serially in amounts from \$1,960,000 in 2016 to \$2,140,000 in 2022, redeemable at 100% beginning in 2021, plus unamortized debt premium of \$33,266.	14,368,266
Sewage Works Refunding Revenue Bonds of 2013 – original issue of \$7,335,000 – interest rate is 1.0% and mature serially in amounts from \$1,365,000 in 2016 to \$1,390,000 in 2018.	4,130,000
Sewage Works Revenue Bonds of 2013, Series A – original issue of \$32,955,000 – interest rate is 1.95% and mature serially in amounts from \$1,845,000 in 2016 to \$4,060,000 in 2024, plus unamortized debt premium	00 1015:-

29,464,815

of \$479,815.

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Sewage Works Revenue Bonds of 2013, Series B – original issue of \$42,260,000 – interest rates range from 3.50% to 3.63% and mature serially in amounts from \$4,165,000 in 2025 to \$5,295,000 in 2033, redeemable at 100% beginning in 2023.

42,260,000

 Total
 189,654,693

 Less: Current portion
 (11,740,000)

 Noncurrent Bonds payable, net
 \$177,914,693

Wastewater Utility bond debt service requirements to maturity as of December 31, 2015 are as follows:

Year Due	<u>Principal</u>	<u>Interest</u>	<u>Total</u>
2016	\$ 11,740,000	\$ 5,935,984	\$ 17,675,984
2017	12,140,000	5,636,895	17,776,895
2018	12,435,000	5,327,607	17,762,607
2019	12,755,000	5,004,935	17,759,935
2020	13,085,000	4,659,322	17,744,322
2021 to 2025	64,695,000	17,781,981	82,476,981
2026 to 2030	46,615,000	7,649,763	54,264,763
2031 to 2035	<u>15,385,000</u>	1,121,169	<u>16,506,169</u>
Total	<u>\$188,850,000</u>	<u>\$53,117,656</u>	<u>\$241,967,656</u>

Stormwater Utility bonds payable at December 31, 2015 are as follows:

Stormwater Management District Revenue Bonds of 2006 – original issue of \$17,000,000 – interest rate is 4.00% and mature serially in amounts from \$1,205,000 in 2016 to \$1,500,000 in 2021, redeemable at 100% beginning in 2016, plus unamortized bond premium of \$15,285.

\$ 8,105,285

Less: Current portion

Noncurrent Bonds payable, net

(1,205,000)
\$ 6,900,285

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Stormwater Utility bond debt service requirements to maturity as of December 31, 2015 are as follows:

Year Due	<u>Principal</u>	<u>Interest</u>	<u>Total</u>
2016	\$1,205,000	\$ 323,600	\$ 1,528,600
2017	1,260,000	275,400	1,535,400
2018	1,315,000	225,000	1,540,000
2019	1,375,000	172,400	1,547,400
2020	1,435,000	117,400	1,552,400
2021 to 2025	1,500,000	60,000	1,560,000
Total	\$8,090,000	\$1,173,800	\$ 9,263,800

#### **Loans Payable:**

Indiana State Revolving Fund Loan Program (SRF) is a program that provides wastewater and drinking water loans, often at reduced interest rates and reduced issuance costs, to Indiana cities and towns. SRF "draw-down" loans are awarded as a "not-to-exceed" loan amount and the amount is later fixed at the amount actually borrowed to complete the pre-established wastewater or drinking water projects. The interest rate is fixed at the time of the award and the duration is established shortly thereafter. For shared pool loans, SRF coordinates the financing activities for several Indiana communities and issues bonds on the open market to provide the funding for each community's projects. The loan amount, interest rate and duration are fixed at the time of the consolidated loan's issuance. Occasionally, SRF will make traditional loans with fixed rate, amount and duration.

With the exception of the SRF Revenue Bonds of 2008, SRF loans payable are issued on a parity basis with revenue bonds and are collateralized identically by the net revenues of the issuing Utility.

Details of all Water Utility State Revolving Fund (SRF) loans payable at December 31, 2015 are as follows:

SRF Shared Pool loans:

Waterworks SRF Revenue Bonds of 2006 – final pool share - \$31,900,000 – the interest rate is 3.95% and mature serially in amounts ranging from \$2,270,000 in 2016 to \$2,755,000 in 2021, redeemable prior to maturity for bonds maturing after 2017.

\$15,040,000

Waterworks SRF Revenue Bonds of 2011, Series B – original pool share issue \$26,906,000 – the interest rate is 2.967% and matures serially in amounts ranging from \$1,214,000 in 2016 to \$2,073,000 in 2031, redeemable prior to maturity for bonds maturing after 2021.

25,732,000

 Total
 40,772,000

 Less: Current portion
 (3,484,000)

 Noncurrent Loan payable
 \$37,288,000

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Water Utility anticipated loan debt service requirements to maturity as of December 31, 2015 are as follows:

Year Due	<u>Principal</u>	<u>Interest</u>	<u>Total</u>
2016	\$ 3,484,000	\$ 1,357,548	\$ 4,841,548
2017	3,618,000	1,231,864	4,849,864
2018	3,759,000	1,101,319	4,860,319
2019	3,901,000	965,657	4,866,657
2020	4,051,000	824,848	4,875,848
2021 to 2025	10,558,000	2,511,232	13,069,232
2026 to 2030	9,328,000	1,157,545	10,485,545
2031 to 2035	2,073,000	61,506	2,134,506
Total	\$40,772,000	<u>\$ 9,211,519</u>	\$49,983,519

Details of all Wastewater Utility State Revolving Fund (SRF) loans payable at December 31, 2015 are as follows:

#### SRF Draw-down loans:

maturing after 2020.

SRF Draw-down loans:	
Sewage Works SRF Revenue Bonds of 2005 – Final Draw - \$40,000,000 – the interest rate is 3.10% and mature serially in amounts ranging from \$2,000,000 in 2016 to \$2,635,000 in 2025, redeemable prior to maturity for bonds maturing after 2017.	\$ 23,030,000
Sewage Works SRF Revenue Bonds of 2009, Series A – Final Draw - \$5,000,000 – the interest rate is 0.16% and mature serially in amounts ranging from \$243,046 in 2016 to \$248,547 in 2030, redeemable prior to maturity for bonds maturing after 2020.	3,686,804
Sewage Works SRF Revenue Bonds of 2011, Series B – Draw up to \$33,576,000 – the interest rate is 2.29% and matures serially in amounts ranging from \$1,476,000 in 2016 to \$2,073,000 in 2031, redeemable prior to maturity for bonds maturing after 2023.	28,143,000
Sewage Works SRF Revenue Bonds of 2012, Series A – Draw up to \$10,415,000 – the interest rate is 1.78% and matures serially in amounts ranging from \$461,000 in 2016 to \$612,000 in 2032, redeemable prior to maturity for bonds maturing after 2024.	9,064,000
Sewage Works SRF Revenue Bonds of 2014, Series A – Draw up to \$17,000,000 – as of December 31, 2015, total draw is \$8,286,628 – the interest rate is 2.35% and matures serially in amounts ranging from \$737,000 in 2016 to \$1,094,000 in 2033, redeemable prior to maturity for bonds maturing after 2026.	7,566,628
SRF Shared Pool loans:	

23,870,238

Sewage Works SRF Revenue Bonds of 2009, Series B - final pool share -

\$29,091,005 – the interest rate is 4.16% and mature serially in amounts ranging from \$1,178,002 in 2016 to \$2,084,297 in 2030, redeemable prior to maturity for bonds

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Sewage Works SRF Revenue Bonds of 2014, Series B – final pool share - \$60,872,000 – the interest rate is 3.074% and matures serially in amounts ranging from \$625,000 in 2016 to \$2,012,000 in 2034, redeemable prior to maturity for bonds maturing after 2027.

60,872,000

Sewage Works SRF Revenue Bonds of 2014, Series C – final pool share - \$5,015,000 – the interest rate is 3.074% and matures serially in amounts ranging from \$195,000 in 2016 to \$350,000 in 2034, redeemable prior to maturity for bonds maturing after 2027.

5,015,000

#### SRF Traditional loans:

Sewage Works SRF Revenue Bonds of 2008 - original issue of \$906,000

– the interest rate is 2.0% and matures at \$120,000 in 2016, redeemable prior to maturity for all outstanding bonds.

120,000

Total Less: Current portion Noncurrent Loans payable 161,367,670 (7,035,048) \$ 154,332,622

Wastewater Utility anticipated loan debt service requirements to maturity, after all remaining loan principal has been drawn down, as of December 31, 2015 are as follows:

Year Due	<u>Principal</u>	<u>Interest</u>	<u>Total</u>
2016	\$ 7,035,048	\$ 4,928,991	\$ 11,964,039
2017	7,133,442	4,730,664	11,864,106
2018	7,346,875	4,527,982	11,874,857
2019	7,561,431	4,318,699	11,880,130
2020	7,796,201	4,102,746	11,898,947
2021 to 2025	48,873,640	16,828,707	65,702,347
2026 to 2030	56,229,405	9,134,116	65,363,521
2031 to 2035	28,105,000	1,693,333	29,798,333
Total	\$170,081,042	\$50,265,238	\$220,346,280

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### Changes in Long-Term Liabilities

The following is a summary of long-term obligations for the Utilities for the year ended December 31, 2015:

Water Utility Bonds and loans	Balance <u>Jan. 1, 2015</u>	<u>Additions</u>	<u>Deductions</u>	Balance <u>Dec. 31, 2015</u>	Current <u>Portion</u>
Revenue bonds payable, net Loans payable Total bonds and loans	\$114,235,892 <u>44,129,000</u> 158,364,892	\$  	\$3,770,941 <u>3,357,000</u> 7,127,941	\$110,464,951 <u>40,772,000</u> 151,236,951	\$3,815,000 <u>3,484,000</u> 7,299,000
Other noncurrent liabilities Accrued compensated absences Interfund payable Net pension liability (see note 12) Total other noncurrent liabilities	1,128,129 195,221 3,480,951 4,804,301	851,456  3,006,393 3,857,849	910,946 124,245 752,411 1,787,602	1,068,639 70,976 5,734,933 6,874,548	636,962 70,976  707,938
	<u>\$163,169,193</u>	\$ 3,857,849	<u>\$8,915,543</u>	<u>\$158,111,499</u>	\$8,006,938
Wastewater Utility Bonds and loans	Balance <u>Jan. 1, 2015</u>	<u>Additions</u>	<u>Deductions</u>	Balance Dec. 31, 2015	Current <u>Portion</u>
Revenue bonds payable, net Loans payable Total bonds and loans	\$201,229,490 100,063,474 301,292,964	\$ <u>67,352,808</u> 67,352,808	\$11,574,797 6,048,612 17,623,409	\$189,654,693 <u>161,367,670</u> 351,022,363	\$11,740,000 <u>7,035,048</u> 18,775,048
Other noncurrent liabilities Accrued compensated absences Interfund payable Net pension liability (see note 12) Total other noncurrent liabilities	866,662 98,842 5,088,346 6,053,250	950,439  4,394,653 5,345,092	940,610 90,934 1,099,851 2,131,395	876,491 7,908 8,383,148 9,267,547	555,121 7,908  563,029
	<u>\$307,346,814</u>	<u>\$72,697,900</u>	<u>\$19,754,804</u>	\$360,289,910	\$19,338,077
Stormwater Utility Bonds and loans	Balance <u>Jan. 1, 2015</u>	Additions	<u>Deductions</u>	Balance <u>Dec. 31, 2015</u>	Current <u>Portion</u>
Revenue bonds payable, net Loans payable Total bonds and loans	\$ 9,265,443  9,265,443	\$  	\$1,160,158  1,160,158	\$8,105,285  8,105,285	\$1,205,000  1,205,000
Other noncurrent liabilities					
Accrued compensated absences Interfund payable Net pension liability (see note 12) Total other noncurrent liabilities	189,936 92,823 <u>1,868,336</u> <u>2,151,095</u>	244,791  <u>1,613,626</u> <u>1,858,417</u>	240,641 56,222 403,843 700,706	194,086 36,601 3,078,119 3,308,806	152,499 36,601  189,100
	<u>\$11,416,538</u>	<u>\$1,858,417</u>	<u>\$1,860,864</u>	<u>\$11,414,091</u>	<u>\$1,394,100</u>

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Yard Waste Utility	Balance Jan. 1, 2015		ditions	Deductions	Balance Dec. 31, 2015	Current <u>Portion</u>	
Bonds and loans Revenue bonds payable, net Loans payable Total bonds and loans	\$ -	\$ 	  	\$	\$	\$  	
Other noncurrent liabilities Accrued compensated absences Interfund payable Net pension liability (see note 12) Total other noncurrent liabilities	1,25. 5  1,31	7 	3,762   3,762	2,522 30  2,552	27	1,730 27  1,757	
	<u> </u>		3,762	\$ 2,552	- <u> </u>	\$ 1,757	

### (9) Related Party Transactions

During the course of operations, numerous transactions occurred between the Utilities and City for goods and services rendered. The Utilities received \$835,104 in 2015 from the City for water, sewer and stormwater services.

The City received the following from the Utilities in 2015:

	Water	Wastewater	Stormwater	Yard Waste	Electric	
	<u>Utility</u>	<u>Utility</u>	<u>Utility</u>	<u>Utility</u>	<u>Utility</u>	<u>Totals</u>
Self insurance	\$2,640,648	\$2,443,749	\$ 606,913	\$ 6,333	\$	\$ 5,697,643
Garage services	658,751	633,867	187,981	239		1,480,838
Overhead charges	549,381	804,215	294,548	6,619		1,654,763
Office and technical services	165,504	138,506	82,389	302		386,701
Transfers out in lieu of taxes	2,600,000	4,419,422	1,400,000			8,419,422
Totals	\$6,614,284	\$8,439,759	\$2,571,831	\$ 13,493	\$	\$17,639,367

## (10) Interfund Assets and Liabilities

As of December 31, 2015, amounts due from/to other funds of the City resulting from various interfund transactions were as follows:

#### Due from City:

,		<u>Payabl</u>	<u>le Fund</u>	
Receivable Fund	<u>General</u>	Garage	Legacy	<u>Total</u>
Water	\$15,319	\$ 1,049	\$	\$16,368
Wastewater	10,109	984		11,093
Stormwater	902	3,205	5,416	9,523
Electric				
Yard Waste	<u>25</u>			25
Total	<u>\$26,355</u>	\$ 5,238	<u>\$ 5,416</u>	<u>\$37,009</u>

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#### Due to City:

			<u>Payable</u>	e Fund		
Receivable Fund	<u>Water</u>	<u>Wastewater</u>	Stormwater	<u>Electric</u>	Yard Waste	<u>Total</u>
General	\$1,319,145	\$2,227,998	\$ 742,232	\$	\$ 87	\$ 4,289,462
Benefits	10,871	9,956	2,411		22	23,260
CSQ Parking	828	1,358	505		9	2,700
Garage	58,603	43,646	15,012		18	117,279
MVH	245	1,528				1,773
Solid Waste	438,968	642,587	235,350		5,289	1,322,194
Capitol Imp.	5,790	7,962	2,917		65	16,734
CD Strategies	77	112	41		1	231
Total	<u>\$1,834,527</u>	\$2,935,147	\$ 998,468	<u>\$</u>	<u>\$ 5,491</u>	<u>\$5,773,663</u>

#### Interfund Receivables / Payables

In 2011, the Utilities participated in the City's Commercial Master Lease wherein the Utilities financed the purchase of rolling stock at a not to exceed value of \$1,322,000. The Utilities will repay the City with interest over the 5 year term of the lease. The Utilities have set up interfund payables to the City for its share of the Commercial Master Lease as follows:

Interfund Payable	Current	Non-G	<u>Current</u>	<u>Total</u>
Water Utility	\$ 70,976	\$		\$ 70,976
Wastewater Utility	7,908			7,908
Stormwater Utility	36,601			36,601
Yard Waste Utility	 27			 27
Total	\$ 115,512	\$		\$ 115,512

### (11) Equity Transfers

The 10-year sewer capacity improvement program includes storm sewer construction funded through the Wastewater Utility or Stormwater Utility. New storm sewers allow old combined sewers to be converted to sanitary-only lines. As projects are completed, the new storm sewers are transferred from the Wastewater Utility to the Stormwater Utility and new sanitary sewers are transferred from Stormwater Utility to Wastewater Utility. The amount transferred from Wastewater Utility to Stormwater Utility was \$4,293,838 in 2015. The amount transferred from Stormwater Utility to Wastewater Utility was \$753 in 2015.

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### (12) Restatements – Change in Accounting Principle

Net position as of January 1, 2015 has been restated as follows for the implementation of GASB Statement No. 68, as amended by GASB Statement No. 71:

	<u>Water</u> Utility	<u>Wastewater</u> Utility	Stormwater Utility	<u>Total</u>
Net position, previously reported at Dec. 31, 2014	\$164,638,096	\$262,237,729	\$100,570,431	\$527,446,256
Prior period adjustment:  Net pension liability  Deferred outflows of resources related to pensions:	(3,480,951)	(5,088,346)	(1,868,336)	(10,437,633)
Changes in proportion and differences between employer contributions and proportionate share				
of contributions	49,130	71,817	26,370	147,317
Employer contributions subsequent to the measurement date	471,348	683,806	251,854	1,407,008
Deferrred inflows of resources related to pensions: Differences between expected and actual				
experience	(15,620)	(22,833)	(8,384)	(46,837)
Net difference between projected and actual investment earnings on pension plan investments Changes in proportion and differences between	(678,609)	(986,775)	(363,099)	(2,028,483)
employer contributions and proportionate share of contributions Total prior period adjustment	(2,823) (3,657,525)	(4,126) (5,346,457)	(1,514) (1,963,109)	(8,463) (10,967,091)
, ,				
Net position, restated at January 1, 2015	<u>\$160,980,571</u>	<u>\$256,891,272</u>	<u>\$ 98,607,322</u>	<u>\$516,479,165</u>

### (13) Risk Management

The City, including the Utilities, retains the risk of loss for claims related to employee health, on-the-job injury, auto, and general liabilities, while continuing to buy premium insurance for a number of other risks. The City has established internal service funds to finance these risks. Interfund premiums are billed monthly on a cost allocation basis most appropriate to the type of risk involved. An excess policy covers individual health insurance claims in excess of \$325,000 per year and the insurance company assumes the risk when total monthly claims exceed an amount based upon an aggregate monthly factor. An excess policy for workers compensation covers individual claims in excess of \$250,000 per employee per injury. The general and auto liability is limited by Indiana government tort liability limits of \$700,000 per person and incident. Liabilities are the responsibility of the City's internal service funds.

### (14) Pension Plan – Public Employee's Retirement Fund

### Plan Description

The Utilities contribute to the Public Employees' Retirement Fund (PERF), a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan. PERF provides retirement, disability, and survivor benefits to plan members and beneficiaries. All full-time employees are eligible to participate in the defined benefit plan. State statutes (IC 5-10.2 and 5-10.3) govern, through

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the Indiana Public Retirement System (INPRS) Board, most requirements of the system and give the Utilities authority to contribute to the plan. The PERF retirement benefit consists of the pension provided by employer contributions plus an annuity provided by the member's annuity savings account (ASA). The annuity savings account consists of member's contributions, set by state statute at three percent of compensation, plus the interest credited to the member's account. The employer may elect to make the contributions on behalf of the member.

INPRS administers the plan and issues a publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information for the plan as a whole and for its participants. The report is available online at http://www.inprs.in.gov or may be obtained by contacting:

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#### Benefits Provided

The PERF retirement benefit consists of the sum of a defined pension benefit provided by the Utilities' contributions plus the amount credited to the member's annuity savings account. Pension benefits vest after 10 years of creditable service. Members are immediately vested in their annuity savings account. At retirement, a member may choose to receive a lump sum payment of the amount credited to the member's annuity savings account, receive the amount as an annuity, or leave the contributions invested with INPRS.

A member who has reached age 65 and has at least 10 years of creditable service is eligible for normal retirement and is entitled to 100 percent of the pension benefit component. This annual pension benefit is equal to 1.1 percent times the average annual compensation times the number of years of creditable service. The average annual compensation in this calculation uses the highest 20 calendar quarters of salary in a covered position.

A member who has reached age 60 and has at least 15 years of creditable service is eligible for normal retirement and is entitled to 100 percent of the pension benefit. A member who is at least 55 years old and whose age plus number of years of creditable service is at least 85 is entitled to 100 percent of the pension benefit.

A member who has reached age 50 and has at least 15 years of creditable service is eligible for early retirement with a reduced pension. A member retiring early receives a percentage of the normal pension benefit, which remains the same for the member's lifetime.

The PERF plan provides disability benefits to members who have at least 5 years of creditable service and become disabled while in active service, on FMLA leave, receiving workers' compensation benefits, or receiving employer provided disability insurance benefits. The

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member must be qualified for social security disability benefits and furnish proof of the qualification. The disability benefit is calculated the same as that for a normal retirement without reduction for early retirement. Also, under certain circumstances, upon the death in service of a member, a survivor benefit may be paid to a surviving spouse or surviving dependent children under the age of 18.

The monthly pension benefits for members in pay status may be increased periodically as cost of living adjustments (COLA), however, such increases are not guaranteed by statute and have historically been provided on an "ad hoc" basis. These increases can only be granted by the Indiana General Assembly.

#### Contributions

The contributions requirements of the plan members and the Utilities are established and may be amended by the INPRS Board of Trustees. The required contributions are based on actuarial investigations and valuation in accordance with IC 5-10.2. The funding policy provides for periodic employer contributions at actuarially determined rates, that expressed as percentages of annual covered payroll, are sufficient to fund the pension benefits when they become due. PERF members are required to contribute 3 percent of their annual covered salary. For 2015, the Utilities are required to contribute at an actuarially determined rate of 11.2 percent of annual covered payroll. The Utilities' contribution to the plan for the year ending December 31. 2015 was \$2,163,471 and was equal to the required contribution for each year.

### Actuarial Assumptions

The actuarial assumptions used in the June 30, 2015 valuation of the Public Employee's Pension Fund were adopted by the INPRS Board in April, 2015. The total pension liability in the June 30, 2015 actuarial valuation was determined using the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods included in the measurement:

Inflation2.25%Salary increases2.50% to 4.25%Cost-of-living increases1.00%

Mortality rates were based upon the RP-2014 (with MP-2014 improvement removed) Total Data Set Mortality Table projected on a fully generational basis using the future mortality improvement scale inherent in the mortality projection included in the Social Security Administration's 2014 Trustee Report.

The actuarial assumptions used are based on plan experience from July 1, 2010 through June 30, 2014 and were first used in the June 30, 2015 valuation. The actuarial cost method used for computing the total pension liability is the Entry Age Normal – Level Percent of Payroll method.

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The actuarial assumptions and methods used in the June 30, 2015 valuation of the Public Employees' Retirement Fund resulted in the following assumption changes:

- The inflation assumption changed from 3.00% to 2.25% per year.
- The future salary increase assumption changed from a range of 3.25% to 4.50% to a range of 2.50% to 4.25%.
- The mortality assumption changed from the 2013 IRS Static Mortality projected five years with Scale AA to the RP-2014 (with MP-2014 improvement removed) Total Data Set Mortality Table projected on a fully generational basis using the future mortality improvement scale inherent in the mortality projection included in the Social Security Administration's 2014 Trustee Report.
- The retirement, termination and disability assumptions were updated based on recent experience.
- The ASA annuitization assumption was updated from 50% of members assumed to annuitize their ASA balance to 60% of members assumed to annuitize their ASA balance prior to January 1, 2017.

The long term return expectation for the INPRS defined benefit retirement plans has been determined by using a building block approach and assumes a time horizon, as defined in the INPRS Investment Policy Statement. A forecasted rate of inflation serves as the baseline for the return expectation. Various real return premiums over the baseline inflation rate have been established for each asset class. The long term expected nominal rate of return has been determined by calculating a weighted average of the expected real return premiums for each asset class, adding the projected inflation rate, and adding the expected return form rebalancing uncorrelated asset classes. The target allocation and best estimates of geometric real rates of return for each major asset class are summarized below:

		Long Term
	Target	Expected Real
	Allocation	Rate of Return
	(%)	(%)
Public Equity	22.5	5.3
Private Equity	10.0	5.6
Fixed Income – Ex Inflation Linked	22.0	2.1
Fixed Income – Inflation Linked	10.0	0.7
Commodities	8.0	2.0
Real Estate	7.5	3.0
Absolute Return	10.0	3.9
Risk Parity	10.0	5.0
Total	100.0	

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### **Discount Rate**

The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was 6.75%. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed the contributions from employers would be, at a minimum, made at the actuarially determined required rates computed in accordance with the current funding policy adopted by the INPRS Board. Projected inflows from investment earnings were calculated using the long term assumed investment rate of 6.75%. Based on those assumptions, each defined benefit pension plan's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make all projected future benefit payments of current plan members. Therefore, the long term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was applied to all periods of projected benefits to determine the total pension liability for each plan.

# <u>Sensitivity of the Utilities' Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate</u>

The following represents the net pension liability of the Utilities, calculated using the discount rate of 6.75 percent, as well as what the Utilities' net pension liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1-percentage point lower (5.75 percent) or 1-percentage point higher (7.75 percent) than the current rate:

	1% Decrease ( <u>5.75%)</u>	Current Rate (6.75%)	1% Increase (7.75%)
Utilities proportionate share of the net			
pension liability	\$25,365,868	\$17,196,200	\$10,413,882

### <u>Pension Liabilities, Pension Expense, Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of</u> Resources Related to Pensions

As of December 31, 2015, the Utilities reported a liability of \$17,196,200 for their proportionate share of the net pension liability. The net pension liability was measured as of June 30, 2015, and the total pension liability used to calculate the net pension liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of that date. The Utilities' proportion of the net pension liability was based on wages reported by employers relative to the collective wages of the plan. At June 30, 2015, the Utilities' proportion was 0.0042221 percent, which was an increase of 0.0002503 from its proportion measured as of June 30, 2014.

For the year ended June 30, 2015, the Utilities recognized pension expenses of \$2,987,586. At June 30, 2015, the Utilities reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions from the following sources:

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	Deferred Outflows of	Deferred Inflows of
	Resources	Resources
Difference between expected and actual experience	\$ 738,141	\$ 35,563
Net difference between projected and actual investment earnings on pension plan		
investments	2,899,494	1,617,238
Changes of assumptions	1,453,657	
Changes in proportion and differences between employer contributions and		
proportionate share of contributions	661,171	9,044
Employer contributions subsequent to the measurement date	1,586,402	
	\$7,338,865	\$ 1,661,845

\$1,586,402 was reported as deferred outflows of resources related to pensions resulting from Utilities' contributions subsequent to the measurement date will be recognized as a reduction of the net pension liability in the year ended December 31, 2015. Other amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions will be recognized in pension expense as follows:

Year Ended June 30, 2015	
2016	\$ 1,359,669
2017	1,359,669
2018	646,406
2019	724,874
2020	
Thereafter	

#### Pension Plan Fiduciary Net Position

The pension plan's fiduciary net position has been determined on the same basis of accounting used by the pension plan. Detailed information about the pension plan's fiduciary net position is available in the separately issued INPRS financial report, which is available online at <a href="http://www.inprs.in.gov">http://www.inprs.in.gov</a> or may be obtained by contacting:

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#### Benefit Payment Policies

Pension, disability, special death benefits and distributions of contributions and interest are recognized when due and payable to members or beneficiaries. Benefits are paid once the retirement or survivor applications have been processed and approved. Distributions of contributions and interest are distributions from inactive, non-vested members' annuity savings accounts. These distributions may be requested by members or automatically distributed by the fund when certain criteria are met.

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#### Valuation of Pension Plan Investments

The pooled and non-pooled investments are reported at fair value. Fair value is the amount at which an investment could be exchanged in a current transaction between willing parties, other than in a forced or liquidation sale.

Short-term investments consist primarily of cash, money market funds, certificates of deposits and fixed income instruments with maturities of less than one year. Short-term investments are reported at cost, which approximates fair value or, for fixed income instruments, valued using similar methodologies as other fixed income securities described below.

Fixed income securities consist primarily of the U.S. government, U.S. government-sponsored agencies, publicly traded debt and commingled investment debt instruments. Equity securities consist primarily of domestic and international stocks in addition to commingled equity instruments. Fixed income and equity securities are generally valued based on published market prices and quotations from national security exchanges and securities pricing services. Securities that are not traded on a national security exchange are valued using modeling techniques that include market observable inputs required to develop a fair value. Commingled funds are valued using the net asset value (NAV) of the entity.

Alternative investments include limited partnership interests in private equity, absolute return, private real estate and risk parity investment strategies. Publicly traded alternative investments are valued based on quoted market prices. In the absence of readily determinable public market values, alternative investments are valued using current estimates of fair value obtained from the general partner or investment manager. Moreover, holdings are generally valued by a general partner or investment manager on a quarterly or semi-annual basis. Valuation assumptions are based upon the nature of the investment and the underlying business. Additionally, valuation techniques will vary by investment type and involve a certain degree of expert judgement. Alternative investments, such as investments in private equity or real estate, are generally considered to be illiquid long-term investments. Due to the inherent uncertainty that exists in the valuation of alternative investments, the realized value upon the sale of an asset may differ from the fair value.

Derivative instruments are marked to market daily with changes in fair value recognized as part of investments and investment income.

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#### (15) Commitments and Contingencies

#### Consent Decree:

The Utilities' combined storm and sanitary sewer system does not comply with federal Clean Water regulations. After several years of negotiations with the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and Indiana Department of Environmental Management (IDEM), the EPA lodged a Consent Decree with the federal court on December 28, 2007. The Consent Decree became effective April 1, 2008. Under the terms and conditions of the Consent Decree, the Utilities committed to reduce the number of combined sewer overflow (CSO) days in a typical year to one day on the St. Joseph River and four days on the St. Mary's and Maumee Rivers. The infrastructure cost to reduce the number of CSO events is approximately \$240 million, concluding in 2025. The Utilities also agreed to eliminate three known sanitary sewer overflows at an estimated combined cost of \$31 million by specific dates noted in the Consent Decree. Additionally, the Utilities committed to maintain the entire sewer system to performance standards prescribed in the Utilities' Long-Term Control Plan incorporated by reference into the Consent Decree. The Consent Decree further provides for stipulated penalties for failure to achieve specified construction milestones, reporting deadlines or maintenance objectives. The Utilities are in full compliance with the Consent Decree's terms and conditions.

#### Aqua Agreement:

As part of the Asset Acquisition Agreement (AAA) executed December 4, 2014, the City shall pay \$2.75 per thousand gallons of sewage conveyed to Aqua Indiana, Inc. and a minimum of \$1,505,625 per year for each of the first 5 years after effective date. The effective date is the latest of the following dates: 1) the effective date of approval by the IURC, 2) The effective date of the approval by IDEM in a manner and upon discharge parameters that are consistent with the Preliminary National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Standards, or 3) the date of the Purchased Assets Closing, as defined in the AAA. The effective date will be item 3, December 4, 2014. The rate and minimum shall be adjusted by a consumer price index (CPI) escalator and will cover an additional 5 years. For years 11 through 15, the rate will escalate by a CPI escalator and the annual minimum shall be \$120,000 per year.

#### Other:

The Utilities have entered into many contracts for various construction projects. Remaining contract payments as of December 31, 2015 for each utility are as follows:

Water Utility	\$ 1,201,064
Wastewater Utility	6,716,411
Stormwater Utility	94,143
Admin Utility	104,441
•	\$ 8,116,059

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Major contracts awarded subsequent to December 31, 2015:

Board of Works <u>Award Date</u>	Major Contract Project Description	<u>Amount</u>
<u>Water Utility</u> 03/23/2016	Three Rivers Filtration Plant Lab HVAC Improvement	\$ 604,407
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Stormwater Utility		
03/16/2016	South Maumee Relief Sewer	\$ 6,451,499
03/09/2016	GS and Junk Ditch Sewer Force Main Total Wastewater	3,791,131 \$ 10,242,630

### (16) Subsequent Events

On May 24, 2016, the Common Council approved the refinancing on the Sewage Works SRF Revenue Bonds of 2005 and the Sewage Works Revenue Bonds of 2007. They also authorized the amending of the 2014 bond ordinance to include additional projects.

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### Schedule of Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability

	<u>2015</u>	<u>2014</u>
Proportion of the net pension liability (asset)	0.42%	0.40%
Proportionate share of the net pension liability	\$17,196,200	\$10,437,633
Covered employee-payroll	\$20,223,082	\$19,391,743
Proportionate share of the net pension liability (asset) as a percentage of its		
covered-employee payroll	85.03%	53.83%
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability	77.30%	84.30%

<sup>\*</sup>GASB 68 requires that information be shown for 10 years. Until a full 10 year trend is complied, information will be shown for those years for which the information is available.

### Schedule of Contributions for Pension Plan

	<u>2015</u>	<u>2014</u>
Contractually required contribution	\$ 2, <del>163,</del> 471	\$ 2,196,819
Contributions in relation to the contractually required contributions	2,163,471	2,196,819
Contribution deficiency (excess)	\$ <u></u>	<u>\$</u>
Covered-employee payroll	\$20,223,082	\$19,391,743
Contributions as a percentage of covered-employee payroll	10.70%	11.33%

<sup>\*</sup>GASB 68 requires that information be shown for 10 years. Until a full 10 year trend is complied, information will be shown for those years for which the information is available.

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#### (1) Financial Reporting – Pension Plans – Changes in Assumptions

For the Public Employees Retirement Fund, in 2015, the inflation assumption changed from 3.0% to 2.25% per year and the future salary increase assumption was reduced from a range of 3.25% to 4.5% to a range of 2.5% to 4.25%. The mortality assumption changed from the 2013 IRS Static Mortality projected five years with Scale AA to the RP-2014 (with MP-2014 improvement removed) Total Data Set Mortality Table projected on a fully generational basis using the future mortality improvement scale inherent in the mortality projection included in the Social Security Administration's 2014 Trustee Report. The retirement, termination, and disability assumptions were updated based on recent experience. The ASA annuitization assumption was updated from 50% of members assumed to annuitize their ASA balance to 60% of members assumed to annuitize their ASA balance prior to January 1, 2017.