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June 30, 2022

Mr. Jim Proce City Manager City of Anna P.O. Box 776 Anna, Texas 75409

RE: PRELIMINARY CHARGES FOR FISCAL YEAR 2023

Dear Mr. Proce:

To assist the City of Anna in the preparation of its budget, the District is providing preliminary estimates of revenues, expenses, and city charges for FY 2023. These estimates are based on the most recent information available and are subject to change as the District continues to develop its FY 2023 annual budget. As the District progresses through the budget process, demand projections will be revised accordingly in an effort to reflect your estimated minimum annual demand for the upcoming year.

At this time, metered wastewater flow is estimated to be billed at a rate of \$2.1210 per 1,000 gallons for wastewater transported through the Upper East Fork Interceptor System and at a rate of \$3.1057 per 1,000 gallons for wastewater treated in the Regional Wastewater System.

Please note current economic and market conditions are placing significant pressure on commodity prices, staffing costs and disrupting supply chains the District is reliant upon. The combination of world-wide events including the pandemic and the Russia/Ukraine conflict has exacerbated the significant supply issues and limited vendor options for chemicals to treat water and wastewater. To mitigate the unprecedented increase in chemicals, we conducted out-of-cycle rebids for many of the chemicals we need to meet the mission, which shifted the contract terms from a historically utilized fixed unit price contract to a contract that adjusts pricing quarterly based on appropriate indices. These new contracts allow the District to secure the essential supply of chemicals necessary for our services and water quality standards by sharing an acceptable level of market risk with our supply partners, until such time that the chemical market regains predictability, and we can shift back to an annual fixed pricing model.

As is occurring in organizations throughout the country, the District is challenged with a high turnover rate and the highest inflation numbers in 40 years. We have seen some stabilization in the District's turnover rate, however as of May 31<sup>st</sup>, 2022 it remains higher than average at 11.6%. It is imperative that the District offer competitive pay to attract and retain professional staff to plan, provide and manage the District's continually growing systems and services. The proposed FY 2023 budget also incorporates revisions to our capital improvement programs to address growth, maintenance of aging infrastructure, and peak flows. In the Regional Water System, the District is planning for new water sources to meet the needs of a fast-growing region. Additionally, construction costs and interest rates are on the rise adding to debt service expense.

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At your convenience, you may visit our website at http://www.ntmwd.com, for additional Financial Transparency information and to view past committee meeting presentations. Should you have any questions or need additional information, please contact Jeanne Chipperfield, Deputy Director – Administrative Services, by e-mail at jchipperfield@ntmwd.com.

Sincerely,

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Dennater Covington

**Executive Director** 

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Revenues and Expenses	2020-21			2021-22		2021-22		2022-23		/ariance \$	Variance %
-		Actual	•••••	Original Budget		Amended Budget		Proposed Budget		o Original Budget	To Original Budget
Revenues											
Wastewater Sales:											
Members	\$	76,970,969	\$	85,452,095	\$	84,523,770	\$	94,259,435	\$	8,807,340	10.31%
Customers		2,270,401		2,030,340		2,486,490		2,777,460		747,120	36.80%
Total Wastewater Sales	\$	79,241,370	\$	87,482,435	\$	87,010,260	\$	97,036,895	\$	9,554,460	10.92%
Total Other Revenues	\$	2,722,975	\$	607,920	\$	584,335	\$	648,495	\$	40,575	6.67%
Interest Income	\$	13,460	\$	10,390	\$	17,015	\$	17,015	\$	6,625	63.76%
Total Revenues	\$	81,977,804	\$	88,100,745	\$	87,611,610	\$	97,702,405	\$	9,601,660	10.90%
Expenses											
Personnel:											
Salaries	\$	8,950,772	\$	9,548,820	\$	9,146,375	\$	11,283,860	\$	1,735,040	18.17%
Other		4,604,867		4,880,325		4,803,635		5,515,330		635,005	13.01%
Total Personnel	\$	13,555,639	\$	14,429,145	\$	13,950,010	\$	16,799,190	\$	2,370,045	16.43%
Supplies:											
Fuel	\$	410,012	\$	452,405	\$	456,405	\$	723,450	\$	271,045	59.91%
Chemicals		3,243,499		4,849,455		5,095,455		6,285,190		1,435,735	29.61%
Other		3,145,938		3,887,435		4,017,095		4,423,905		536,470	13.80%
Total Supplies	\$	6,799,449	\$	9,189,295	\$	9,568,955	\$	11,432,545	\$	2,243,250	24.41%
Services:											
Consulting	\$	375,645	\$	597,430	\$	602,570	\$	422,500	\$	(174,930)	-29.28%
Insurance		254,186		537,685		490,725		564,970		27,285	5.07%
Landfill Service Fees		3,934,552		3,690,275		3,690,275		3,925,935		235,660	6.39%
Maintenance		1,397,167		2,106,245		1,665,488		1,842,665		(263,580)	-12.51%
Power		8,442,458		3,067,300		3,067,300		3,738,600		671,300	21.89%
Shared Services		8,090,048		9,238,160		9,079,360		11,168,560		1,930,400	20.90%
Other		2,610,020		3,018,165		2,898,092		3,390,020		371,855	12.32%
Total Services	\$	25,104,076	\$	22,255,260	\$	21,493,810	\$	25,053,250	\$	2,797,990	12.57%
Capital Outlay	\$	2,614,252	\$	2,668,175	\$	3,039,965	\$	2,481,050	\$	(187,125)	-7.01%
Escrow	\$	-	\$	443,000	\$	1,178,350	\$	-	\$	(443,000)	-100.00%
Capital Improvement Fund	\$	-	\$	-	\$	_	\$	-	\$	_	0.00%
Debt Service	\$	33,904,387	\$	39,115,870	\$	38,380,520	\$	41,936,370	\$	2,820,500	7.21%
Total Expenses		81,977,804	\$	88,100,745	\$	87,611,610	\$	97,702,405	\$	9,601,660	10.90%
Net Revenues	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	0.00%

## UPPER EAST FORK INTERCEPTOR SYSTEM NORTH TEXAS MUNICIPAL WATER DISTRICT

Revenues and Expenses	2020-21		2021-22		2021-22		2022-23		Variance S	Variance %
		Actual	Original Budget		Amended Budget		Proposed Budget		o Original Budget	To Original Budget
Revenues										
Wastewater Sales:										
Members	\$	36,942,237	\$ 41,849,780	\$	41,454,100	\$	47,074,630	\$	5,224,850	12.48%
Customers		1,480,554	1,348,470		1,651,570		1,896,890		548,420	40.67%
Total Wastewater Sales	\$	38,422,791	\$ 43,198,250	\$	43,105,670	\$	48,971,520	\$	5,773,270	13.36%
Total Other Revenues	\$	426,085	\$ 519,230	\$	503,520	\$	539,485	\$	20,255	3.90%
Interest Income	\$	9,500	\$ 5,375	\$	10,005	\$	10,005	\$	4,630	86.14%
Total Revenues	\$	38,858,376	\$ 43,722,855	\$	43,619,195	\$	49,521,010	\$	5,798,155	13.26%
Expenses										
Personnel:										
Salaries	\$	1,547,428	\$ 1,868,930	\$	1,785,695	\$	2,044,355	\$	175,425	9.39%
Other		675,948	843,180		825,660		931,035		87,855	10.42%
Total Personnel	\$	2,223,376	\$ 2,712,110	\$	2,611,355	\$	2,975,390	\$	263,280	9.71%
Supplies:										
Fuel	\$	64,521	\$ 76,700	\$	76,700	\$	84,530	\$	7,830	10.21%
Chemicals		3,040,646	3,679,500		3,679,500		4,335,100		655,600	17.82%
Other		509,560	762,280		759,220		777,810		15,530	2.04%
Total Supplies	\$	3,614,727	\$ 4,518,480	\$	4,515,420	\$	5,197,440	\$	678,960	15.03%
Services:										
Consulting	\$	278,809	\$ 721,500	\$	721,500	\$	770,000	\$	48,500	6.72%
Insurance		83,314	137,100		137,100		143,390		6,290	4.59%
Landfill Service Fees		4,078	5,020		5,020		5,280		260	5.18%
Maintenance		1,754,814	3,147,940		3,151,905		3,174,440		26,500	0.84%
Power		2,789,961	1,250,000		1,250,000		1,300,000		50,000	4.00%
Shared Services		3,228,842	3,947,680		3,937,680		4,976,610		1,028,930	26.06%
Other		244,503	329,405		335,595		342,890		13,485	4.09%
Total Services	\$	8,384,320	\$ 9,538,645	\$	9,538,800	\$	10,712,610	\$	1,173,965	12.31%
Capital Outlay	\$	125,731	\$ 601,500	\$	601,500	\$	417,000	\$	(184,500)	-30.67%
Escrow	\$	_	\$ -	\$		\$	-	\$	-	0.00%
Capital Improvement Fund	\$	-	\$ _	\$	-	\$	618,000	\$	618,000	0.00%
Debt Service	\$	24,510,222	\$ 26,352,120	\$	26,352,120	\$	29,600,570	\$	3,248,450	12.33%
Total Expenses		38,858,376							5,798,155	13.26%
Net Revenues	\$	-	\$ -	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	0.00%