# OFFICIAL STATEMENT Dated January 22, 2015

Ratings: Fitch: "AA" Moody's: "Aa2" S&P: "AA" (See "RATINGS" herein.)

Due: May 15, as shown on inside cover

#### **NEW ISSUE – Book-Entry-Only**

In the opinion of Co-Bond Counsel (named below), assuming continuing compliance by the City (defined below) after the date of initial delivery of the Bonds (defined below) with certain covenants contained in the Ordinance (defined below) and subject to the matters set forth under "TAX MATTERS" herein, interest on the Bonds for federal income tax purposes under existing statutes, regulations, published rulings, and court decisions (1) will be excludable from the gross income of the owners thereof pursuant to section 103 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended to the date of initial delivery of the Bonds, and (2) will not be included in computing the alternative minimum taxable income of the owners thereof who are individuals or, except as herein described, corporations. (See "TAX MATTERS" herein.)

#### \$303,235,000 CITY OF SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS

(A political subdivision of the State of Texas located primarily in Bexar County) WATER SYSTEM JUNIOR LIEN REVENUE AND REFUNDING BONDS, SERIES 2015B (NO RESERVE FUND)

Dated Date: February 1, 2015 Interest to Accrue from Date of Delivery

GENERAL... The City of San Antonio, Texas (the "City"), acting on behalf and for the benefit of the San Antonio Water System ("SAWS"), is issuing its \$303,235,000 Water System Junior Lien Revenue and Refunding Bonds, Series 2015B (No Reserve Fund) (the "Bonds") pursuant to the general laws of the State of Texas, including particularly Chapter 1207, as amended, Texas Government Code ("Chapter 1207"), Chapter 1371, as amended, Texas Government Code ("Chapter 1371" and, together with Chapter 1207, the "Act"), Chapter 1502, as amended, Texas Government Code, the City's Home Rule Charter, and the ordinance (the "Ordinance") relating to the Bonds adopted by the City Council of the City (the "City Council") on December 11, 2014. As permitted by the Act, the City Council has, in the Ordinance, delegated to certain authorized officials of the City and SAWS (each a "Designated Financial Officer") the authority to establish final terms of sale of the Bonds, which final sales terms of the Bonds are evidenced in an "Approval Certificate" relating to the Bonds. The Approval Certificate was executed by the Senior Vice President/Chief Financial Officer of SAWS on January 22, 2015.

PAYMENT TERMS . . . Interest on the Bonds will accrue from their date of initial delivery to the initial purchasers thereof identified below (the "Underwriters"), will be payable on May 15 and November 15 of each year, commencing May 15, 2015, and will be calculated on the basis of a 360-day year consisting of twelve 30-day months. The definitive Bonds will be initially registered and delivered only to Cede & Co., the nominee of The Depository Trust Company, New York, New York ("DTC"), acting as a securities depository (the "Securities Depository"), pursuant to the Book-Entry-Only System described herein. The City reserves the right to discontinue the use of the Securities Depository. Beneficial ownership of the Bonds may be acquired in denominations of \$5,000 or integral multiples thereof. No physical delivery of the Bonds will be made to the owners thereof. Principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds will be payable by the Paying Agent/Registrar to Cede & Co., which will make distribution of the amounts so paid to the participating members of DTC for subsequent payment to the beneficial owners of the Bonds (see "THE BONDS – Book-Entry-Only System" herein). The initial Paying Agent/Registrar is U.S. Bank National Association, Dallas, Texas (see "THE BONDS – Paying Agent/Registrar" herein).

SECURITY . . . The Bonds are special obligations of the City, payable, both as to principal and interest, solely from and secured by, together with the other currently outstanding Junior Lien Obligations (as described herein), a junior lien on and pledge of the Net Revenues (as defined herein) of the City's combined water and wastewater system (the "System") remaining after the City's satisfaction of its debt service payment and reserve fund obligations relating to the Senior Lien Obligations (as described herein). The Reserve Fund (defined herein) providing additional security for certain of the outstanding Junior Lien Obligations does not additionally secure the Bonds. The City has not covenanted or obligated itself to pay the Bonds from money raised or to be raised from taxation (see "THE BONDS – Security and Source of Payment; Pledge of Net Revenues" herein). In the Ordinance, the City has authorized the SAWS Board of Trustees (the "Board") to manage, operate, and maintain the System.

**PURPOSE**... Proceeds from the sale of the Bonds will be used to provide funds for the purposes of (i) building, improving, extending, enlarging, equipping, and repairing the System, (ii) refunding certain of the currently outstanding Senior Lien Obligations and Junior Lien Obligations (each, as described in Schedule I hereto, the "Refunded Obligations"), and (iii) paying the costs of their issuance.

# CUSIP PREFIX: 79642B MATURITY SCHEDULE & 9 DIGIT CUSIP See Schedule on Inside Cover

LEGALITY . . . The Bonds are offered for delivery when, as and if issued and received by the Underwriters, and subject to the approving opinion of the Attorney General of Texas and the approval of certain legal matters by Norton Rose Fulbright US LLP and Escamilla & Poneck, LLP, San Antonio, Texas, Co-Bond Counsel (see "APPENDIX E - FORM OF CO-BOND COUNSEL'S OPINION" herein). Certain legal matters will be passed upon for the City by the City Attorney, for the Board by Langley & Banack, Incorporated, San Antonio, Texas, and for the Underwriters by McCall, Parkhurst & Horton L.L.P., San Antonio, Texas, Counsel for the Underwriters.

**DELIVERY** . . . It is expected that the Bonds will be available for initial delivery through the services of DTC on or about February 18, 2015.

Wells Fargo Securities Ramirez & Co., Inc.

COASTAL SECURITIES, INC. MESIROW FINANCIAL, INC. RICE FINANCIAL PRODUCTS COMPANY STIFEL, NICOLAUS & COMPANY, INCORPORATED

#### MATURITY SCHEDULE

#### \$204,590,000 Serial Bonds

| Principal<br>Amount | Stated<br>Maturity<br>(May 15) | Interest<br>Rate (%) | Initial<br>Yield (%) | CUSIP<br>No. <sup>(1)</sup><br>Suffix |
|---------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|---------------------------------------|
| 1,950,000           | 2015                           | 2.000                | 0.080                | T52                                   |
| 3,115,000           | 2016                           | 5.000                | 0.320                | T60                                   |
| 3,265,000           | 2017                           | 5.000                | 0.610                | T78                                   |
| 3,435,000           | 2018                           | 5.000                | 0.820                | T86                                   |
| 3,555,000           | 2019                           | 2.000                | 1.050                | T94                                   |
| 3,690,000           | 2020                           | 5.000                | 1.220                | U27                                   |
| 3,875,000           | 2021                           | 5.000                | 1.470                | U35                                   |
| 4,075,000           | 2022                           | 5.000                | 1.700                | U43                                   |
| 4,280,000           | 2023                           | 5.000                | 1.870                | U50                                   |
| 3,535,000           | 2024                           | 5.000                | 2.010                | U68                                   |
| 1,710,000           | 2025                           | 2.500                | 2.150                | U76                                   |
| 1,775,000           | 2026                           | 5.000                | $2.270^{(2)}$        | U84                                   |
| 1,865,000           | 2027                           | 5.000                | $2.380^{(2)}$        | U92                                   |
| 1,960,000           | 2028                           | 5.000                | $2.470^{(2)}$        | V26                                   |
| 2,065,000           | 2029                           | 5.000                | $2.540^{(2)}$        | V34                                   |
| 2,170,000           | 2030                           | 5.000                | $2.600^{(2)}$        | V42                                   |
| 2,280,000           | 2031                           | 5.000                | $2.650^{(2)}$        | V59                                   |
| 2,395,000           | 2032                           | 5.000                | $2.700^{(2)}$        | V67                                   |
| 2,520,000           | 2033                           | 5.000                | $2.750^{(2)}$        | V75                                   |
| 2,650,000           | 2034                           | 5.000                | $2.790^{(2)}$        | V83                                   |
| 15,515,000          | 2035                           | 4.000                | $3.240^{(2)}$        | V91                                   |
| 18,260,000          | 2035                           | 5.000                | $2.730^{(2)}$        | W66                                   |
| 16,120,000          | 2036                           | 4.000                | $3.260^{(2)}$        | W25                                   |
| 19,225,000          | 2036                           | 5.000                | $2.750^{(2)}$        | W74                                   |
| 36,880,000          | 2037                           | 4.000                | $3.280^{(2)}$        | W58                                   |
| ****                | ****                           | ****                 | ****                 | ****                                  |
| 42,425,000          | 2040                           | 4.000                | $3.340^{(2)}$        | W33                                   |

# \$98,645,000 Term Bonds

79,150,000 5.00% Term Bond due May 15, 2039; Priced to Yield  $2.910\%^{(2)}$ ; CUSIP Suffix No. 82,000 4.00% Term Bond due May 15, 2045; Priced to Yield  $3.390\%^{(2)}$ ; CUSIP Suffix No. 80,0000 Term Bond due May 15, 2045; Priced to Yield  $3.390\%^{(2)}$ ; CUSIP Suffix No. 80,0000 Term Bond due May 15, 2045; Priced to Yield  $9.390\%^{(2)}$ ; CUSIP Suffix No.  $9.390\%^{(2)}$ 

# (Interest accrues from the Date of Delivery)

**REDEMPTION...** The City has reserved the right, at its option, to redeem Bonds having stated maturities on and after May 15, 2026, in whole or in part, in principal amounts of \$5,000 or any integral multiple thereof, on May 15, 2025, or any date thereafter, at the par value thereof plus accrued interest to the date of redemption. In addition, the Term Bonds (defined herein) are subject to mandatory sinking fund redemption. (See "THE BONDS – Redemption" herein.)

<sup>(1)</sup> The CUSIP number is included solely for the convenience of owners of the Bonds. CUSIP is a registered trademark of the American Bankers Association. CUSIP data herein is provided by CUSIP Global Services, managed by Standard & Poor's Financial Services LLC on behalf of The American Bankers Association. This data is not intended to create a database and does not serve in any way as a substitute for the CUSIP Services. None of the City, the Board, the Co-Financial Advisors, nor the Underwriters is responsible for the selection or correctness of the CUSIP number set forth herein.

<sup>(2)</sup> Yield calculated based on the assumption that the Bonds denoted and sold at a premium will be redeemed on May 15, 2025, the first optional call date for the Bonds, at a redemption price of par plus accrued interest.

#### USE OF INFORMATION

This Official Statement, which includes the cover page, Schedule, and the Appendices hereto, does not constitute an offer to sell or the solicitation of an offer to buy in any jurisdiction to any person to whom it is unlawful to make such offer, solicitation or sale.

No dealer, broker, salesperson or other person has been authorized by the City, the Board, the Co-Financial Advisors, or the Underwriters to give information or to make any representation other than those contained in this Official Statement, and, if given or made, such other information or representations must not be relied upon as having been authorized by any of the foregoing.

The information set forth herein has been obtained from the City and other sources believed to be reliable, but such information is not guaranteed as to accuracy or completeness and is not to be construed as a representation, promise or guarantee of the Co-Financial Advisors or the Underwriters. This Official Statement contains, in part, estimates and matters of opinion which are not intended as statements of fact, and no representation is made as to the correctness of such estimates and opinions, or that they will be realized.

The information and expressions of opinion contained herein are subject to change without notice, and neither the delivery of this Official Statement nor any sale made hereunder shall, under any circumstances, create any implication that there has been no change in the affairs of the City (including the System) or other matters described herein.

THE BONDS ARE EXEMPT FROM REGISTRATION WITH THE UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION AND CONSEQUENTLY HAVE NOT BEEN REGISTERED THEREWITH. THE REGISTRATION, QUALIFICATION, OR EXEMPTION FOR THE BONDS IN ACCORDANCE WITH APPLICABLE SECURITIES LAW PROVISIONS OF THE JURISDICTIONS IN WHICH THE BONDS HAVE BEEN REGISTERED, QUALIFIED, OR EXEMPTED SHOULD NOT BE REGARDED AS A RECOMMENDATION FOR THE PURCHASE THEREOF.

THE UNDERWRITERS HAVE PROVIDED THE FOLLOWING SENTENCE FOR INCLUSION IN THIS OFFICIAL STATEMENT. THE UNDERWRITERS HAVE REVIEWED THE INFORMATION IN THIS OFFICIAL STATEMENT IN ACCORDANCE WITH, AND AS PART OF, THEIR RESPONSIBILITIES TO INVESTORS UNDER THE FEDERAL SECURITIES LAWS AS APPLIED TO THE FACTS AND CIRCUMSTANCES OF THIS TRANSACTION, BUT THE UNDERWRITERS DO NOT GUARANTEE THE ACCURACY OR COMPLETENESS OF SUCH INFORMATION.

IN CONNECTION WITH THIS OFFERING, THE UNDERWRITERS MAY OVER-ALLOT OR EFFECT TRANSACTIONS WHICH STABILIZE THE MARKET PRICE OF THE ISSUE AT A LEVEL ABOVE THAT WHICH MIGHT OTHERWISE PREVAIL IN THE OPEN MARKET. SUCH STABILIZING, IF COMMENCED, MAY BE DISCONTINUED AT ANY TIME.

NONE OF THE CITY, THE BOARD, THE UNDERWRITERS, NOR THE CO-FINANCIAL ADVISORS MAKES ANY REPRESENTATION OR WARRANTY WITH RESPECT TO THE INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THIS OFFICIAL STATEMENT REGARDING DTC OR ITS BOOKENTRY-ONLY SYSTEM, AS SUCH INFORMATION WAS PROVIDED BY DTC.

THE AGREEMENTS OF THE CITY, THE BOARD AND OTHERS RELATED TO THE BONDS ARE CONTAINED SOLELY IN THE CONTRACTS DESCRIBED HEREIN. NEITHER THIS OFFICIAL STATEMENT NOR ANY OTHER STATEMENT MADE IN CONNECTION WITH THE OFFER OR SALE OF THE BONDS IS TO BE CONSTRUED AS CONSTITUTING AN AGREEMENT WITH THE PURCHASERS OF THE BONDS. INVESTORS SHOULD READ THE ENTIRE OFFICIAL STATEMENT, INCLUDING THE SCHEDULE AND ALL APPENDICES ATTACHED HERETO, TO OBTAIN INFORMATION ESSENTIAL TO MAKING AN INFORMED INVESTMENT DECISION.

NEITHER THE UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION NOR ANY STATE SECURITIES COMMISSION HAS APPROVED OR DISAPPROVED OF THE SECURITIES OR PASSED UPON THE ADEQUACY OR ACCURACY OF THIS DOCUMENT. ANY REPRESENTATION TO THE CONTRARY IS A CRIMINAL OFFENSE.

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# CITY OFFICIALS, STAFF AND CONSULTANTS

#### ELECTED OFFICIALS - CITY OF SAN ANTONIO

| City Council                               | Length of Service | Term Expires | Occupation                |
|--|-------------------|--------------|---------------------------|
| Ivy R. Taylor, Mayor <sup>(1)</sup>        | 5 Months          | May 31, 2015 | College Lecturer          |
| Roberto Treviño, District 1 <sup>(2)</sup> | 1 Month           | May 31, 2015 | Architect                 |
| Alan Warrick, District 2 <sup>(3)</sup>    | 1 Month           | May 31, 2015 | CEO                       |
| Rebecca Viagran, District 3                | 1 Year, 7 Months  | May 31, 2015 | Business Owner            |
| Rey Saladaña, District 4                   | 3 Years, 7 Months | May 31, 2015 | Adjunct Professor         |
| Shirley Gonzales, District 5               | 1 Year, 6 Months  | May 31, 2015 | Business Owner            |
| Ray Lopez, District 6                      | 5 Years, 7 Months | May 31, 2015 | Retired                   |
| Cris Medina, District 7                    | 3 Years, 7 Months | May 31, 2015 | Business Owner            |
| Ron Nirenburg, District 8                  | 1 Year, 6 Months  | May 31, 2015 | Broadcast General Manager |
| Joe Krier, District 9                      | 1 Year, 2 Month   | May 31, 2015 | Business Owner            |
| Mike Gallagher, District 10                | 11 Months         | May 31, 2015 | Retired                   |

<sup>(1)</sup> Ivy R. Taylor, Mayor of San Antonio, was selected from the then-current members of City Council to fill the vacated position for the remainder of the unexpired term of former Mayor Julián Castro, who resigned from his position after his appointment as Secretary of the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development.
(2) On December 11, 2014, Roberto Treviño, District 1 City Councilman, was selected by the other members of City Council to finish the unexpired term of former Councilman Diego M. Bernal (concluding on May 31, 2015), who filed to run for Texas House District 123 representative.

#### APPOINTED OFFICIALS - SAN ANTONIO WATER SYSTEM BOARD OF TRUSTEES

| Board   | Length of Service | Term Expires | Occupation                                     |
|---|-------------------|--------------|--|
| Heriberto Guerra<br>Chairman                  | 3 Years, 4 Months | May 31, 2018 | Chairman and CEO Avanzar Interior Technologies |
| Louis E. Rowe<br>Vice Chairman                | 5 Years, 7 Months | May 31, 2017 | President and CEO<br>Goetting & Associates     |
| Patricia E. Merritt<br>Secretary              | 1 Year, 2 Months  | May 31, 2018 | Retired  |
| Patricia Jasso Assistant Secretary            | 1 Year, 2 Months  | May 31, 2016 | Retired  |
| Ernesto Arrellano, Jr. Trustee                | 1 Year, 2 Months  | May 31, 2017 | USAA<br>Investment Operations Analyst          |
| Wesley Reed Williams Trustee                  | 1 Year, 2 Months  | May 31, 2017 | Retired  |
| Ivy R. Taylor, Mayor and<br>Ex-Officio Member | 5 Months          | May 31, 2015 | College Lecturer                               |

#### SELECTED ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF - SAN ANTONIO WATER SYSTEM

|                    |   | Length of           | Total              |
|--------------------|---|---------------------|--------------------|
| Name               | Position  | Service with System | Government Service |
| Robert R. Puente   | President/Chief Executive Officer                   | 6 Years, 8 Months   | 24 Years           |
| Steven M. Clouse   | Senior Vice President/Chief Operating Officer       | 25 Years, 4 Months  | 27 Years, 1 Month  |
| Douglas P. Evanson | Senior Vice President/Chief Financial Officer       | 9 Years, 8 Months   | 9 Years, 8 Months  |
| Agnes Barard       | Vice President – Customer Service                   | 3 Months            | 3 Months           |
| Ashok Kaji         | Interim Vice President – Engineering & Construction | 22 Years, 8 Months  | 37 Years, 1 Month  |
| Nancy Belinsky     | Vice President and General Counsel                  | 11 Years, 8 Months  | 11 Years, 8 Months |
| Sharon De La Garza | Vice President - Human Resources                    | 2 Year, 9 Months    | 18 Years, 9 Months |
| Donovan Burton     | Interim Vice President – Public Affairs             | 8 Years, 2 Months   | 22 Years, 6 Months |
| Charles Ahrens     | Vice President – Water Resources & Conservation     | 10 Years, 6 Months  | 27 Years, 6 Months |

<sup>(3)</sup> On August 14, 2014, the City Council voted to temporarily appoint Keith Toney to fill the District 2 vacancy created when Mayor Ivy R. Taylor was voted to succeed former Mayor Julián Castro. A special election was held on November 4, 2014 to appoint a permanent replacement, which resulted in a run-off election, held on December 9, 2014, at which Alan Warrick was elected as the permanent replacement for the remainder of Ms. Taylor's term.

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# SELECTED ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF - CITY OF SAN ANTONIO

| Name                             | Position                          | Tenure with<br>City of San Antonio | Tenure in<br>Current Position |
|----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Sheryl L. Sculley <sup>(1)</sup> | City Manager                      | 9 Years, 2 Months                  | 9 Years, 2 Months             |
| Erik J. Walsh                    | Deputy City Manager               | 20 Years, 7 Months                 | 3 Years, 3 Months             |
| Peter Zanoni (2)                 | Deputy City Manager               | 17 Years, 9 Months                 | 2 Years, 1 Month              |
| Ed Belmares                      | Assistant City Manager            | 8 Years                            | 3 Years, 3 Months             |
| David Ellison                    | Assistant City Manager            | 3 Years, 6 Months                  | 2 Years, 9 Months             |
| Carlos Contreras (3)             | Assistant City Manager            | 5 Years, 11 Months                 | 2 Years, 1 Month              |
| Gloria Hurtado (4)               | Assistant City Manager            | 3 Years, 10 Months                 | 2 Years, 1 Month              |
| Martha G. Sepeda <sup>(5)</sup>  | Acting City Attorney              | 11 Years, 9 Months                 | 1 Month                       |
| Leticia M. Vacek                 | City Clerk                        | 10 Years, 7 Months                 | 10 Years, 7 Months            |
| Ben Gorzell, Jr.                 | Chief Financial Officer           | 24 Years, 2 Months                 | 4 Years, 5 Months             |
| Troy Elliott                     | Director of Finance               | 18 Years, 4 Months                 | 3 Years, 3 Months             |
| Maria Villagomez                 | Director of Management and Budget | 17 Years, 3 Months                 | 5 Years, 2 Months             |

<sup>(1)</sup> Hired as City Manager in November 2005 with more than 30 years of public management experience, including serving as Assistant City Manager of the City of Phoenix, Arizona for 16 years and City Manager of Kalamazoo, Michigan, for which she worked for 15 years.

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<sup>(2)</sup> Promoted to Deputy City Manager effective November 19, 2012. Prior to his promotion, Mr. Zanoni served as the City's Assistant City Manager beginning on April 7, 2010.

<sup>(3)</sup> Promoted to Assistant City Manager effective November 19, 2012. Prior to his promotion, Mr. Contreras served as the City's Director of Intergovernmental Relations Department

beginning on February 1, 2009.
Promoted to Assistant City Manager effective November 19, 2012. Prior to her promotion, Mrs. Hurtado served as the City's Director of Human Services Department beginning on March 14, 2011.

Named Acting City Attorney on December 1, 2014, following the resignation of Robert F. Greenblum, who accepted a staff position with former Mayor Julián Castro at the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development.



#### OFFICIAL STATEMENT

#### RELATING TO

#### \$303,235,000

# CITY OF SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS (A political subdivision of the State of Texas located primarily in Bexar County)

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WATER SYSTEM JUNIOR LIEN REVENUE AND REFUNDING BONDS
SERIES 2015B (NO RESERVE FUND)

#### INTRODUCTION

This Official Statement, which includes the Schedule and Appendices hereto, provides certain information regarding the issuance of \$303,235,000 City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Junior Lien Revenue and Refunding Bonds, Series 2015B (No Reserve Fund) (the "Bonds"). Capitalized terms used in this Official Statement have the same meanings assigned to such terms in the Ordinance (hereinafter defined), except as otherwise indicated herein (see "SELECTED PROVISIONS OF THE ORDINANCE" in APPENDIX D).

There follows in this Official Statement descriptions of the Bonds and certain information regarding the San Antonio Water System ("SAWS" or the "System") and its finances. All descriptions of documents contained herein are only summaries and are qualified in their entirety by reference to each such document. Copies of such documents may be obtained from the Co-Financial Advisors, Public Financial Management, Inc., Arlington, Virginia, and Estrada Hinojosa & Company, Inc., San Antonio, Texas, by electronic mail or upon payment of reasonable copying, handling and delivery charges.

This Official Statement speaks only as of its date, and the information contained herein is subject to change. A copy of the Final Official Statement (defined below) will be filed with the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board ("MSRB") through its Electronic Municipal Market Access ("EMMA") system. See "CONTINUING DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION" for a description of the City's undertaking to provide certain information on a continuing basis.

#### DESCRIPTION OF THE CITY

The City of San Antonio, Texas (the "City" or "San Antonio") is a political subdivision and municipal corporation of the State of Texas (the "State") duly organized and existing under the laws of the State, including the City's Home Rule Charter. The City was incorporated in 1837, and first adopted its Home Rule Charter in 1951. The City operates under a Council/Manager form of government with a City Council comprised of the Mayor and 10 Councilmembers. The terms of the Mayor and the Councilmembers are two years and subject to four term limitations imposed in the City's Home Rule Charter. The City Manager is the chief administrative officer for the City. Some of the services that the City provides are: public safety (police and fire protection), highways and streets, electric, gas, water and sanitary sewer utilities, health and social services, culture/recreation and parks, public transportation, public improvements, planning and zoning, and general administrative services. The 2010 Census population for the City was 1,327,407 and for Bexar County was 1,714,773. For the 2010 San Antonio population, it was determined that the U.S. Census Bureau had erroneously assigned 35 census blocks to the City that are actually outside of the City limits. The revised 2010 San Antonio population is 1,326,539. The U.S. Census Bureau ranks San Antonio as the second largest city in Texas and the seventh largest city in the United States. The City's Information Technology Services Department estimated the City's population to be 1,410,782 in 2014 and estimated Bexar County's population to be 1,863,449 in 2014. The City covers approximately 467 square miles within Bexar County. For additional information regarding the City, see "APPENDIX A - GENERAL INFORMATION REGARDING THE CITY."

# CITY'S COMBINED WATER AND WASTEWATER SYSTEM

The System consists of the City's combined water and wastewater system. Management, operation, and maintenance of the System is vested in the SAWS Board of Trustees (the "Board") under the various City ordinances authorizing the issuance of SAWS debt obligations, including the Ordinance.

#### PLAN OF FINANCING

# PURPOSE

Proceeds from the sale of the Bonds will be used for the purposes of (i) building, improving, extending, enlarging, equipping, and repairing the System, (ii) refunding certain of the currently outstanding Senior Lien Obligations and Junior Lien Obligations (each, as described in Schedule I hereto, the "Refunded Obligations"), and (iii) paying the costs of their issuance.

#### REFUNDED OBLIGATIONS

The Refunded Obligations, and interest due thereon, are to be paid on their respective scheduled redemption dates from funds to be deposited with U.S. Bank National Association, Dallas, Texas (the "Escrow Agent") pursuant to an Escrow and Trust Agreement, dated as of December 11, 2014 (the "Escrow Agreement"), between the City and the Escrow Agent.

The Ordinance provides that from the proceeds of the sale of the Bonds received from the Underwriters and a cash contribution of the City, if any, the City will deposit with the Escrow Agent the amount necessary to accomplish the discharge and final payment of the Refunded Obligations to redemption prior to stated maturity. Such funds will be held by the Escrow Agent in a special escrow account (the "Escrow Fund"), a portion of which will be held uninvested in cash and the remainder to be used to purchase a portfolio of

securities authorized by Section 1207.062, Texas Government Code, which authorization includes direct noncallable obligations of the United States and noncallable obligations of an agency or instrumentality of the United States rated as to investment quality by a nationally recognized investment rating firm not less than "AAA" or its equivalent and guaranteed by the full faith and credit of the United States of America the (the "Federal Securities") maturing in time to make such payment. Under the Escrow Agreement, the Escrow Fund is irrevocably pledged to the payment of the principal of and interest on the Refunded Obligations.

Prior to, or simultaneously with, the issuance of the Bonds, the City will give irrevocable instructions to provide notice to the owners of the Refunded Obligations that such Refunded Obligations will be redeemed prior to stated maturity on which date money will be made available to redeem the Refunded Obligations from money held under the Escrow Agreement.

Grant Thornton LLP, a nationally recognized accounting firm (the "Accountants"), will verify at the time of delivery of the Bonds to the Underwriters the mathematical accuracy of the schedules that demonstrate the Federal Securities will mature and pay interest in such amounts which, together with uninvested funds, in the Escrow Fund, will be sufficient to pay, when due, the principal of and interest on the Refunded Obligations. Such maturing principal of and interest on the Federal Securities and uninvested cash will not be available to pay the Bonds (see "VERIFICATION OF ARITHMETICAL AND MATHEMATICAL COMPUTATIONS" herein).

By the deposit of certain Bond proceeds and cash, if any, with the Escrow Agent pursuant to the Escrow Agreement, and the investment of a portion thereof in the Federal Securities, the City will have effectuated the defeasance of the Refunded Obligations pursuant to the respective terms of the City ordinances authorizing their issuance. It is the opinion of Co-Bond Counsel that, as a result of such defeasance, and in reliance upon the report of the Accountants, the Refunded Obligations will no longer be payable from the applicable pledge of Net Revenues (defined herein) of the System made under the respective City ordinances authorizing their issuance, but will be payable solely from the amounts on deposit in the Escrow Fund and held for such purpose by the Escrow Agent, and that the Refunded Obligations will be defeased and are not to be included in or considered to be indebtedness of the System for the purpose of a limitation of indebtedness or for any other purpose.

The City has covenanted in the Escrow Agreement to make timely deposits to the Escrow Fund, from lawfully available funds, of any additional amounts required to pay the principal of and interest on the Refunded Obligations should, for any reason, the cash balances on deposit or scheduled to be on deposit in the Escrow Fund be insufficient to make such payment.

#### ISSUANCE OF ADDITIONAL OBLIGATIONS IN CLOSE PROXIMITY TO THE BONDS

On December 11, 2014, the City sold its \$75,920,000 Water System Junior Lien Revenue Bonds, Series 2015A (the "Series 2015A Bonds") to the Texas Water Development Board ("TWDB") pursuant to its Drinking Water State Revolving Fund Program. The Series 2015A Bonds closed on January 21, 2015.

The Series 2015A Bonds are issued as Additional Junior Lien Obligations that are Reserve Fund-Secured Junior Lien Obligations (defined herein) for the purpose of financing improvements and additions to the System. As Reserve Fund-Secured Junior Lien Obligations, the Series 2015A Bonds are additionally benefited by the creation and establishment of a Reserve Fund securing certain currently outstanding Junior Lien Obligations.

# THE BONDS

# DESCRIPTION OF THE BONDS

The Bonds are dated February 1, 2015, and mature on May 15 in each of the years and in the amounts shown on the inside cover page hereof. Interest will accrue from their date of initial delivery to the initial purchasers thereof (the "Underwriters"), will be computed on the basis of a 360-day year composed of twelve 30-day months, and will be payable on May 15 and November 15, commencing May 15, 2015. The definitive Bonds will be issued only in fully registered form in any integral multiple of \$5,000 for any one maturity and will be initially registered and delivered only to Cede & Co., the nominee of DTC, pursuant to the Book-Entry-Only System described herein. No physical delivery of the Bonds will be made to the owners thereof. Principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds will be payable by the Paying Agent/Registrar to Cede & Co., which will make distribution of the amounts so paid to the participating members of DTC for subsequent payment to the beneficial owners of the Bonds (see "THE BONDS – Book-Entry-Only System" herein).

# **AUTHORITY FOR ISSUANCE**

The Bonds are issued pursuant to the general laws of the State of Texas, including particularly Chapter 1207, as amended, Texas Government Code ("Chapter 1207"), Chapter 1371, as amended, Texas Government Code ("Chapter 1371" and, together with Chapter 1207, the "Act"), Chapter 1502, as amended, Texas Government Code, the City's Home Rule Charter, and an ordinance (the "Ordinance") authorizing the issuance of the Bonds adopted by the City Council of the City (the "City Council") on December 11, 2014. As permitted by the Act, the City Council has, in the Ordinance, delegated to certain authorized officials of the City and SAWS (each a "Designated Financial Officer") the authority to establish final terms of sale of the Bonds, which final sales terms are evidenced in an "Approval Certificate" relating to the Bonds. The Approval Certificate was executed by the Senior Vice President/Chief Financial Officer of SAWS on January 22, 2015.

The Bonds are issued as Junior Lien Obligations—No Reserve Fund and, as a result thereof, the Bonds are not additionally benefited by the creation and establishment of a Reserve Fund (see "SECURITY FOR THE BONDS – Parity Lien Ordinance Amendment" herein).

# SECURITY AND SOURCE OF PAYMENT; PLEDGE OF NET REVENUES

The Bonds are special obligations of the City, payable both as to principal and interest, solely from and secured by, together with the other Junior Lien Obligations (as described herein), a junior lien on and pledge of the Net Revenues of the System remaining after satisfaction of all City payment and reserve fund obligations relating to the Senior Lien Obligations. **The Bonds are not additionally benefited by the creation and** 

establishment of a Reserve Fund. The City has not covenanted or obligated itself to pay the Bonds from money raised or to be raised from taxation.

All Net Revenues of the System remaining after satisfaction of financial obligations of the City resulting from the prior pledge thereof and lien thereon securing the payment of the Senior Lien Obligations and any Additional Senior Lien Obligations hereafter issued by the City (as defined in the Ordinance) have been irrevocably pledged to the payment and security of the Junior Lien Obligations, which includes the Bonds, the Previously Issued Junior Lien Obligations, the Junior Lien Obligations—No Reserve Fund, and any Additional Junior Lien Obligations hereafter issued by the City (as each such term is defined in the Ordinance), including the establishment and maintenance of special funds or accounts created for the payment and security thereof. This pledge constitutes a junior lien on the Net Revenues of the System. In addition to the foregoing, the City has, in the Ordinance, reserved the right to pledge, and has in fact pledged, on a subordinate and inferior lien level of priority to the pledge thereof and lien thereon securing the payment of the Junior Lien Obligations, the Net Revenues of the System as security for the Subordinate Lien Obligations (as defined in the Ordinance), as well as the right to pledge, on a further subordinated and inferior lien level of priority to the pledge thereof and lien thereon securing the payment of the Subordinate Lien Obligations, the Net Revenues of the System as security for the Inferior Lien Obligations (as defined in the Ordinance). To date, the City has not issued any Inferior Lien Obligations.

For a complete description of the security for the Bonds, see "SECURITY FOR THE BONDS" herein.

#### PERFECTION OF SECURITY FOR THE BONDS

Chapter 1208, as amended, Texas Government Code, applies to the issuance of the Bonds and the pledge of the Net Revenues, and such pledge is therefore, valid, effective and perfected. Should Texas law be amended while the Bonds are outstanding and unpaid, the result of such amendment being that the pledge of the Net Revenues is to be subject to the filing requirements of Chapter 9, Texas Business and Commerce Code, in order to preserve to the registered owners of the Bonds a security interest in such pledge, the City has covenanted in the Ordinance to take such measures as it determines is reasonable and necessary to enable a filing of a security interest in said pledge to occur.

#### **OUTSTANDING DEBT**

After the issuance of the Bonds and the refunding of the Refunded Obligations that were originally issued as Senior Lien Obligations, the City will have outstanding Senior Lien Obligations, as follows:

| Dated             | Outstanding            |   |
|-------------------|------------------------|---|
| Date              | Debt (\$)              | Issue Description   |
| November 15, 2005 | 735,000 <sup>(1)</sup> | Water System Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2005                                       |
| January 15, 2007  | 253,635,000            | Water System Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2007                                       |
| January 15, 2009  | 145,885,000            | Water System Revenue and Refunding Bonds, Series 2009                                   |
| November 1, 2009  | 102,750,000            | Water System Revenue Bonds, Taxable Series 2009B (Direct Subsidy - Build America Bonds) |
| November 15, 2010 | 105,055,000            | Water System Revenue Bonds, Taxable Series 2010B (Direct Subsidy - Build America Bonds) |
| March 15, 2011    | 40,865,000             | Water System Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2011                                       |
| August 15, 2011   | 157,640,000            | Water System Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2011A                                      |
| February 1, 2012  | 219,995,000            | Water System Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2012                                       |
| September 1, 2012 | 159,075,000            | Water System Revenue and Refunding Bonds, Series 2012A                                  |
| Total             | \$1,185,635,000        |   |

<sup>(1)</sup> Excludes the Refunded Obligations that were originally issued as Senior Lien Obligations.

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In addition to the outstanding Senior Lien Obligations presented above, the City will, after the issuance of the Bonds and the other obligations described under "PLAN OF FINANCING – Issuance of Additional Obligations in Close Proximity to the Bonds" herein, and the refunding of the Refunded Obligations that were originally issued as Junior Lien Obligations, have outstanding the Junior Lien Obligations secured by and payable from Net Revenues as follows:

| Dated             | Outstanding              |  |
|-------------------|--------------------------|--|
| Date              | Debt (\$) <sup>(1)</sup> | Issue Description  |
| December 15, 2006 | 5,595,000                | Water System Junior Lien Revenue and Refunding Bonds, Series 2007                                  |
| December 15, 2006 | 23,285,000               | Water System Junior Lien Revenue and Refunding Bonds, Series 2007A                                 |
| May 15, 2008      | 25,685,000               | Water System Junior Lien Revenue Bonds, Series 2008  |
| May 15, 2008      | 20,205,000               | Water System Junior Lien Revenue and Refunding Bonds, Series 2008A                                 |
| November 1, 2009  | 47,855,000               | Water System Junior Lien Revenue Bonds, Series 2009  |
| November 1, 2009  | 35,000,000               | Water System Junior Lien Revenue and Refunding Bonds, Series 2009A                                 |
| February 1, 2010  | 35,280,000               | Water System Junior Lien Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2010                                      |
| December 1, 2010  | 15,995,000               | Water System Junior Lien Revenue and Refunding Bonds, Series 2010A                                 |
| May 15, 2011      | 21,080,000               | Water System Junior Lien Revenue Bonds, Series 2011  |
| May 15, 2011      | 16,850,000               | Water System Junior Lien Revenue and Refunding Bonds, Series 2011A                                 |
| April 1, 2012     | 26,030,000               | Water System Junior Lien Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2012 (No Reserve Fund)                    |
| August 1, 2012    | 18,495,000               | Water System Junior Lien Revenue Bonds, Series 2012  |
| April 1, 2013     | 47,605,000               | Water System Junior Lien Revenue Bonds, Series 2013A   |
| April 15, 2013    | 81,010,000               | Water System Junior Lien Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2013B (No Reserve Fund)                   |
| October 1, 2013   | 25,140,000               | Water System Junior Lien Revenue Bonds, Series 2013C   |
| October 1, 2013   | 58,605,000               | Water System Junior Lien Revenue Bonds, Series 2013D   |
| October 1, 2013   | 76,170,000               | Water System Junior Lien Revenue and Refunding Bonds, Series 2013E (No Reserve Fund)               |
| October 1, 2013   | 100,000,000              | Water System Variable Rate Junior Lien Revenue and Refunding Bonds, Series 2013F (No Reserve Fund) |
| April 1, 2014     | 103,930,000              | Water System Junior Lien Revenue and Refunding Bonds, Series 2014A (No Reserve Fund)               |
| April 1, 2014     | 100,000,000              | Water System Variable Rate Junior Lien Revenue and Refunding Bonds, Series 2014B (No Reserve Fund) |
| June 1, 2014      | 38,260,000               | Water System Junior Lien Revenue Bonds, Series 2014C   |
| June 1, 2014      | 22,400,000               | Water System Junior Lien Revenue Bonds, Series 2014D   |
| January 1, 2015   | 75,920,000               | Water System Junior Lien Revenue Bonds, Series 2015A   |
| February 1, 2015  | 303,235,000              | The Bonds  |
| Total             | \$1,323,630,000          |  |
|                   |                          |  |

<sup>(1)</sup> Excludes the Refunded Obligations that were originally issued as Junior Lien Obligations.

In addition to the outstanding Senior Lien Obligations and Junior Lien Obligations presented above, the following Subordinate Lien Obligations are outstanding:

| Authorized<br>Amount <sup>(1)</sup> | Amount<br>Outstanding <sup>(2)</sup> | Issue Description                             |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---|
| \$500,000,000                       | \$25,000,000                         | Water System Commercial Paper Notes, Series A |
| \$500,000,000                       | \$113,550,000 <sup>(3)</sup>         | Water System Commercial Paper Notes, Series B |

<sup>(1)</sup> Represents the combined authorization of the Series A Notes and the Series B Notes (i.e. the combined principal amount of Series A Notes and Series B Notes that can be outstanding at any time is \$500,000,000).

None of the above obligations, including the Bonds, are a charge upon any other income or revenues of the City, other than Net Revenues, and will never constitute an indebtedness or pledge of the general credit or taxing powers of the City. The Ordinance does not create a lien or mortgage on the System, except the Net Revenues with respect to the Bonds, and no judgment against the City may be enforced by levy and execution against any property owned by the City.

See the "Combined System Revenue Debt Service Requirements" table under "DEBT AND OTHER FINANCIAL INFORMATION" for a description of the debt service requirements on all outstanding indebtedness issued by the City for the benefit of the System.

#### FLOW OF FUNDS

The flow of funds of the System requires that Gross Revenues of the System be applied in sequence to: (i) current Maintenance and Operating Expenses, including maintenance of an operating reserve equal to two months of expenses for the current Fiscal Year; (ii) payment of amounts required on any Senior Lien Obligations issued by the City; (iii) payment of amounts required on any Junior Lien Obligations issued by the City; (iv) payment of amounts required on any Inferior Lien Obligations issued by the City; and (vi) transfers to the City's General Fund and to the Renewal and Replacement Fund. The Commercial Paper Program (under which the City may issue Series A Notes and Series B Notes in a combined amount not to exceed \$500,000,000) represents the City's only currently outstanding Subordinate Lien Obligations, but it is authorized to issue Additional Subordinate Lien Obligations. The City has not issued any Inferior Lien Obligations, but the City is authorized to do so under the Ordinance. (See "THE BONDS – Security and Source

<sup>(2)</sup> Unaudited as of the date of this Official Statement.

<sup>(3) \$94,895,000</sup> of this outstanding balance of Series B Notes is attributed to the redemption of the Series 2003A and Series 2003B Subordinate Lien Obligations. See "DEBT INFORMATION - Interest Rate Hedge Transaction" herein for additional information. The remaining \$18,655,000 of this outstanding balance of Series B Notes is attributed to the acquisition of an operating surface water treatment facility, with the cost associated with such acquisition (i.e. debt service on these Series B Notes and associated liquidity and administrative fees) being allocated to and paid by the District Special Project (defined herein) through which SAWS assumed BexarMet (defined herein). See "THE DISTRICT SPECIAL PROJECT – Surface Water Treatment Plant" herein.

of Payment; Pledge of Net Revenues" herein; see also "SECURITY FOR THE BONDS – Flow of Funds" and "APPENDIX D - SELECTED PROVISIONS OF THE ORDINANCE" herein).

#### RATES

The City has covenanted in the Ordinance that it will at all times charge and collect rates for services rendered by the System sufficient to (i) pay all Maintenance and Operating Expenses of the System, (ii) produce "Pledged Revenues" (substantively defined in the Ordinance to mean the senior and superior lien on and pledge of Net Revenues of the System securing the repayment of the Senior Lien Obligations and any Additional Senior Lien Obligations, plus any additional revenues, income, receipts, or other resources of the City pledged as security for the Senior Lien Obligations) at least equal to 1.25 times the interest on and the principal of the Senior Lien Obligations and the amounts required to be deposited in any reserve or contingency fund created for the payment and security of the Senior Lien Obligations, and (iii) produce Net Revenues, together with any other lawfully available funds, to pay the principal of and interest on the currently outstanding Junior Lien Obligations, which includes the Bonds, as the same become due and payable and to deposit the amounts required to be deposited in any special fund or account created and established for the payment and security of any Additional Junior Lien Obligations hereafter issued by the City. (See "SECURITY FOR THE BONDS – Rate Covenant" for a description of additional rate covenants of the City.)

#### ADDITIONAL OBLIGATIONS

In the Ordinance, the City has reserved the right to issue (i) Additional Senior Lien Obligations, which are primarily secured by and payable from a lien on and pledge of the Net Revenues of the System (included in the definition of Pledged Revenues) that is senior and superior to the pledge thereof and lien thereon securing the Bonds, (ii) Additional Junior Lien Obligations, which are secured by and payable from a lien on and pledge of the Net Revenues of the System on parity with the pledge thereof and lien thereon securing the Bonds, (iii) Additional Subordinate Lien Obligations, which are primarily secured by and payable from a lien on and pledge of the Net Revenues of the System that is subordinate and inferior to the pledge thereof and lien thereon securing the Bonds, and (iv) Inferior Lien Obligations, which are primarily secured by and payable from a lien on and pledge of the Net Revenues of the System that is further subordinated and inferior to the pledge thereof and lien thereon securing the Subordinate Lien Obligations and any Additional Subordinate Lien Obligations.

The issuance of Additional Senior Lien Obligations is subject to the requirements of the ordinances of the City authorizing the respective issuance of Senior Lien Obligations and include, as the primary threshold matter, the ability to demonstrate that the Pledged Revenues, for the preceding Fiscal Year or for any 12 consecutive calendar month period out of the 18-month period ending not more than ninety (90) days preceding the month the ordinance authorizing the issuance of the Additional Senior Lien Obligations is adopted, are equal to at least 125% of the maximum annual debt service requirements for all Senior Lien Obligations to be outstanding after giving effect to the issuance of the Additional Senior Lien Obligations then proposed.

The City's issuance of Additional Junior Lien Obligations payable from a parity lien pledge of the Net Revenues, which (together with the Previously Issued Junior Lien Obligations and the Junior Lien Obligations-No Reserve Fund (which includes the Bonds)) will be equally and ratably secured by a junior lien on and pledge of the Net Revenues of the System, is subject to complying with certain conditions in the Ordinance. For the issuance of Additional Junior Lien Obligations the repayment of which is not insured by a municipal bond insurance policy and that are not sold to the TWDB, and in addition to certain other covenants, the Net Revenues, for the preceding Fiscal Year or for any 12 consecutive calendar month period out of the 18-month period preceding the month the ordinance authorizing the issuance of the Additional Junior Lien Obligations is adopted, must be equal to at least the average annual requirement for the payment of principal of and interest on all outstanding Junior Lien Obligations after giving effect to the Additional Junior Lien Obligations then proposed. For the issuance of Additional Junior Lien Obligations the repayment of which is not insured by a municipal bond insurance policy and that are sold to the TWDB, the City must show that Net Revenues for the same reporting period identified above are at least equal to one and one-fourth times the average annual requirement for the payment of principal of and interest on all outstanding Junior Lien Obligations after giving effect to the Additional Junior Lien Obligations then proposed. The issuance of Additional Junior Lien Obligations that are Reserve Fund-Secured Junior Lien Obligations (defined herein) also require satisfaction of certain conditions precedent, including additionally funding, as necessary, the Reserve Fund. (See "SECURITY FOR THE BONDS - Reserve Fund" herein). The Ordinance also specifies the conditions upon which Additional Subordinate Lien Obligations and Inferior Lien Obligations may be issued. See "APPENDIX D - SELECTED PROVISIONS OF THE ORDINANCE" for terms and conditions to be satisfied for the issuance of Additional Junior Lien Obligations herein.

#### REDEMPTION

Optional Redemption. The City reserves the right, at its option, to redeem Bonds having stated maturities on and after May 15, 2026, in whole or in part in principal amounts of \$5,000 or any integral multiple thereof, on May 15, 2025, or any date thereafter, at the par value thereof plus accrued interest to the date of redemption.

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Mandatory Redemption. The Bonds maturing on May 15, 2039 and May 15, 2045 (the "Term Bonds") are subject to mandatory sinking fund redemption in accordance with the following schedule:

| Term Bonds      |                 |             | Term Bonds     |
|-----------------|-----------------|-------------|----------------|
| S               | tated to Mature | St          | ated to Mature |
| on May 15, 2039 |                 | on          | May 15, 2045   |
|                 | Principal       |             | Principal      |
| Year            | Amount (\$)     | <u>Year</u> | Amount (\$)    |
| 2038            | 38,585,000      | 2041        | 3,595,000      |
| 2039            | 40,565,000*     | 2042        | 3,740,000      |
|                 |                 | 2043        | 3,895,000      |
|                 |                 | 2044        | 4,050,000      |
|                 |                 | 2045        | 4,215,000*     |
|                 |                 |             |                |

<sup>\*</sup>Payable at Stated Maturity

The principal amount of a Term Bond required to be redeemed pursuant to the operation of such mandatory redemption provisions shall be reduced, at the option of the City, by the principal amount of any Term Bonds of such series and Stated Maturity which, at least 50 days prior to the mandatory redemption date (1) shall have been defeased or acquired by the City and delivered to the Paying Agent/Registrar for cancellation, (2) shall have been purchased and canceled by the Paying Agent/Registrar at the request of the City with money in the Bond Fund, or (3) shall have been redeemed pursuant to the optional redemption provisions set forth above and not theretofore credited against a mandatory redemption requirement.

#### SELECTION OF BONDS FOR REDEMPTION

If less than all of the Bonds are to be redeemed, the City may select the maturities of Bonds to be redeemed. If less than all the Bonds of any maturity are to be redeemed, the Paying Agent/Registrar (or DTC while the Bonds are in Book-Entry-Only form) shall determine by lot the Bonds, or portions thereof, within such maturity to be redeemed. If a Bond (or any portion of the principal sum thereof) shall have been called for redemption and notice of such redemption shall have been given, such Bond (or the principal amount thereof to be redeemed) shall become due and payable on such redemption date and interest thereon shall cease to accrue from and after the redemption date, provided funds for the payment of the redemption price and accrued interest thereon are held by the Paying Agent/Registrar on the redemption date.

Bonds of a denomination larger than \$5,000 may be redeemed in part (\$5,000 or any integral multiple thereof). Any Bond to be partially redeemed must be surrendered in exchange for one or more new Bonds of the same stated maturity and interest rate for the unredeemed portion of the principal

#### NOTICE OF REDEMPTION

Not less than 30 days prior to a redemption date for the Bonds, the City shall cause a notice of redemption to be sent by United States mail, first class, postage prepaid, to the registered owners of the Bonds to be redeemed, in whole or in part, at the address of the registered owner appearing on the registration books of the Paying Agent/Registrar at the close of business on the business day next preceding the date of mailing such notice. By the date fixed for such redemption, due provision must be made with the Paying Agent/Registrar for the payment of the required redemption price for the Bonds or portions thereof which are to be so redeemed. ANY NOTICE SO MAILED SHALL BE CONCLUSIVELY PRESUMED TO HAVE BEEN DULY GIVEN, WHETHER OR NOT THE REGISTERED OWNER RECEIVES SUCH NOTICE. NOTICE HAVING BEEN SO GIVEN, AND SUCH PROVISION MADE FOR THE PAYMENT OF THE BONDS, THE BONDS CALLED FOR REDEMPTION SHALL BECOME DUE AND PAYABLE ON THE SPECIFIED REDEMPTION DATE, AND NOTWITHSTANDING THAT ANY BOND OR PORTION THEREOF HAS NOT BEEN SURRENDERED FOR PAYMENT, INTEREST ON SUCH BOND OR PORTION THEREOF SHALL CEASE TO ACCRUE AFTER THE DATE FIXED FOR REDEMPTION, AND THEY WILL NOT BE REGARDED AS BEING OUTSTANDING EXCEPT FOR THE RIGHT OF THE REGISTERED OWNER TO RECEIVE THE REDEMPTION PRICE FROM THE PAYING AGENT/REGISTRAR OUT OF THE FUNDS PROVIDED FOR SUCH PAYMENT.

The Paying Agent/Registrar and the City, so long as a Book-Entry-Only System is used for the Bonds, will send any notice of redemption, notice of proposed amendment to the Ordinance or other notices with respect to the Bonds only to DTC. Any failure by DTC to advise any Direct Participant (hereinafter defined), or of any Direct Participant or Indirect Participant (hereinafter defined) to notify the Beneficial Owner (hereinafter defined), will not affect the validity of the redemption of the Bonds called for redemption or any other action premised on any such notice. Redemption of portions of the Bonds by the City will reduce the outstanding principal amount of such Bonds held by DTC. In such event, DTC may implement, through its Book-Entry-Only System, a redemption of such Bonds held for the account of Direct Participants in accordance with its rules or other agreements with Direct Participants and then Direct Participants and Indirect Participants may implement a redemption of such Bonds from the Beneficial Owners. Any such selection of Bonds to be redeemed will not be governed by the Ordinance and will not be conducted by the City or the Paying Agent/Registrar. Neither the City nor the Paying Agent/Registrar will have any responsibility to Direct Participants, Indirect Participants or the persons for whom Direct Participants act as nominees, with respect to the payments on the Bonds or the providing of notice to Direct Participants, Indirect Participants, or Beneficial Owners of the selection of portions of the Bonds for redemption.

#### AMENDMENTS

Subject to the provisions of the Ordinance, the City may amend the Ordinance without the consent of or notice to any registered owners in any manner not detrimental to the interests of the registered owners, including the curing of any ambiguity, inconsistency, or formal defect or omission therein. In addition, the City may, with the written consent of the registered owners of a majority in aggregate principal amount of the Bonds then outstanding affected thereby, amend, add to, or rescind any of the provisions of the Ordinance; except that, without the consent of the registered owners of all of the Bonds affected, no such amendment, addition, or rescission may (i) change the date specified as the date on which the principal of or any installment of interest on any Bond is due and payable, reduce the principal amount thereof, the rate of interest thereon, or the redemption price therefor, change the place or places at or the coin or currency in which any Bond or interest thereon is payable, or in any other way modify the terms of payment of the principal of or interest on the Bonds, (ii) give any preference to any Bond over any other Bond, or (3) reduce the aggregate principal amount of Bonds required for consent to any amendment, addition, or rescission.

#### DEFEASANCE

The Ordinance provides that any Bond will be deemed paid and will no longer be considered to be outstanding within the meaning of the Ordinance when payment of principal of and interest on such Bond to its stated maturity or date of prior redemption has been made or provided for. Payment may be provided for by deposit of any combination of (ii) money in an amount sufficient to make such payment and/or (ii) Government Securities (defined herein). Any such deposit, with respect to a net defeasance, must be certified by an independent public accountant to be of such maturities and interest payment dates and bear such interest as will, without reinvestment, be sufficient to make the payment to be provided for on the Bond; provided, however, that no certification by an independent accounting firm of the sufficiency of deposits shall be required in connection with a gross defeasance of Bonds. The Ordinance provides that "Government Securities" means (a) direct, noncallable obligations of the United States of America, including obligations that are unconditionally guaranteed by the United States of America, (b) noncallable obligations of an agency or instrumentality of the United States of America, including obligations that are unconditionally guaranteed or insured by the agency or instrumentality and that are rated as to investment quality by a nationally recognized investment rating firm not less than "AAA" or its equivalent, (c) noncallable obligations of a state or an agency or a county, municipality, or other political subdivision of a state that have been refunded and that are rated as to investment quality by a nationally recognized investment rating firm not less than "AAA" or its equivalent, and (d) any additional securities and obligations hereafter authorized by Texas law as eligible for use to accomplish the discharge of obligations such as the Bonds. There is no assurance that the ratings for U.S. Treasury securities acquired to defease any Bonds, or those for any other Government Securities, will be maintained at any particular rating category. Further, there is no assurance that current Texas law will not be amended in a manner that expands or contracts the list of permissible defeasance securities (such list consisting of those securities identified in clauses (a) through (c) above), or any rating requirement thereon, that may be purchased with defeasance proceeds relating to the Bonds ("Defeasance Proceeds"), though the City has reserved the right to utilize any additional securities for such purpose in the event the aforementioned list is expanded. Because the Ordinance does not contractually limit such permissible defeasance securities and expressly recognizes the ability of the City to use lawfully available Defeasance Proceeds to defease all or any portion of the Bonds, registered owners of Bonds are deemed to have consented to the use of Defeasance Proceeds to purchase such other defeasance securities, notwithstanding the fact that such defeasance securities may not be of the same investment quality as those currently identified under Texas law as permissible defeasance securities.

Upon such deposit as described above, such Bonds will no longer be regarded to be outstanding obligations for any purpose, including the application of any limitation on indebtedness. After firm banking and financial arrangements for the discharge and final payment of the Bonds have been made as described above, all rights of the City to initiate proceedings to call the Bonds for redemption or take any other action amending the terms of the Bonds are extinguished; provided, however, that, the City's right to redeem the Bonds defeased to stated maturity is not extinguished if the City has reserved the option, to be exercised at the time of the defeasance of the Bonds, to call for redemption, at an earlier date, those Bonds which have been defeased to their stated maturity date, if the City; (i) in the proceedings providing for the firm banking and financial arrangements, expressly reserves the right to call the Bonds for redemption; (ii) gives notice of the reservation of that right to the owners of the Bonds immediately following the making of the firm banking and financial arrangements; and (iii) directs that notice of the reservation be included in any redemption notices that it authorizes.

#### **BOOK-ENTRY-ONLY SYSTEM**

This section describes how ownership of the Bonds is to be transferred and how the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds are to be paid to and accredited by DTC while the Bonds are registered in its nominee name. The information in this section concerning DTC and the Book-Entry-Only System has been provided by DTC for use in disclosure documents such as this Official Statement. The City, the Board, the Co-Financial Advisors, and the Underwriters believe the source of such information to be reliable, but take no responsibility for the accuracy or completeness thereof.

The City and the Board cannot and do not give any assurance that (i) DTC will distribute payments of debt service on the Bonds, or redemption or other notices, to DTC Participants, (ii) DTC Participants or others will distribute debt service payments paid to DTC or its nominee (as the registered owner of the Bonds), or redemption or other notices, to the Beneficial Owners, or that they will do so on a timely basis, or (iii) DTC will serve and act in the manner described in this Official Statement. The current rules applicable to DTC are on file with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission, and the current procedures of DTC to be followed in dealing with DTC Participants are on file with DTC.

The Depository Trust Company ("DTC"), New York, New York, will act as securities depository for the Bonds. The Bonds will be issued as fully-registered securities registered in the name of Cede & Co. (DTC's partnership nominee). One fully registered certificate will be issued for each maturity of the Bonds in the aggregate principal amount of each such maturity and will be deposited with DTC.

DTC, the world's largest depository, is a limited-purpose trust company organized under the New York Banking Law, a "banking organization" within the meaning of the New York Banking Law, a member of the Federal Reserve System, a "clearing corporation" within the meaning of the New York Uniform Commercial Code, and a "clearing agency" registered pursuant to the provisions of Section 17A of the Securities Exchange

Act of 1934. DTC holds and provides asset servicing for over 3.5 million issues of U.S. and non-U.S. equity, corporate and municipal debt issues, and money market instrument (from over 100 countries) that DTC's participants ("Direct Participants") deposit with DTC. DTC also facilitates the post-trade settlement among Direct Participants of sales and other securities transactions in deposited securities through electronic computerized book-entry transfers and pledges between Direct Participants' accounts. This eliminates the need for physical movement of securities certificates. Direct Participants include both U.S. and non-U.S. securities brokers and dealers, banks, trust companies, clearing corporations, and certain other organizations. DTC is a wholly-owned subsidiary of The Depository Trust & Clearing Corporation ("DTCC"). DTCC, is the holding company of DTC, National Securities Clearing Corporation and Fixed Income Clearing Corporation, all of which are registered clearing agencies. DTCC is owned by the users of its regulated subsidiaries. Access to the DTC system is also available to others such as both U.S. and non-U.S. securities brokers and dealers, banks, trust companies, and clearing corporations that clear through or maintain a custodial relationship with a Direct Participant, either directly or indirectly ("Indirect Participants"). DTC has a Standard & Poor's rating of AA+. The DTC Rules applicable to its Participants are on file with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission. More information about DTC can be found at www.dtcc.com.

Purchases of Bonds under the DTC system must be made by or through Direct Participants, which will receive a credit for the Bonds on DTC's records. The ownership interest of each actual purchaser of each Bond ("Beneficial Owner") is in turn to be recorded on the Direct and Indirect Participants' records. Beneficial Owners will not receive written confirmation from DTC of their purchase, but Beneficial Owners are expected to receive written confirmations providing details of the transactions, as well as periodic statements of their holdings, from the Direct or Indirect Participant through which the Beneficial Owners entered into the transaction. Transfers of ownership interest in the Bonds are to be accomplished by entries made on the books of Participants acting on behalf of Beneficial Owners. Beneficial Owners will not receive certificates representing their ownership interests in the Bonds, except in the event that use of the book-entry system for the Bonds is discontinued.

To facilitate subsequent transfers, all Bonds deposited by Direct Participants with DTC are registered in the name of DTC's partnership nominee, Cede & Co., or such other name as may be requested by an authorized representative of DTC. The deposit of Bonds with DTC and their registration in the name of Cede & Co. or such other DTC nominee do not effect any change in beneficial ownership. DTC has no knowledge of the actual Beneficial Owners of the Bonds; DTC's records reflect only the identity of the Direct Participant to whose account such Bonds are credited, which may or may not be the Beneficial Owners. The Participants will remain responsible for keeping account of their holdings on behalf of their customers.

Conveyance of notices and other communications by DTC to Direct Participants, by Direct Participants to Indirect Participants, and by Direct Participants and Indirect Participants to Beneficial Owners will be governed by arrangements among them, subject to any statutory or regulatory requirements as may be in effect from time to time.

Redemption notices shall be sent to DTC. If less than all of the Bonds within an issue are being redeemed, DTC's practice is to determine by lot the amount of the interest of each Direct Participant in such issue to be redeemed.

Neither DTC nor Cede & Co. will consent or vote with respect to the Bonds unless authorized by a Direct Participant in accordance with DTC's procedures. Under its usual procedures, DTC mails an Omnibus Proxy to the City as soon as possible after the record date. The Omnibus Proxy assigns Cede & Co.'s consenting or voting rights to those Direct Participants to whose accounts the Bonds are credited on the record date (identified in a listing attached to the Omnibus Proxy).

Payments on the Bonds will be made to DTC. DTC's practice is to credit Direct Participants' accounts, upon DTC's receipt of funds and corresponding detail information from the City or the Paying Agent/Registrar on payable dates in accordance with their respective holdings shown on DTC's records. Payments by Participants to Beneficial Owners will be governed by standing instructions and customary practices, as in the case with securities held for the accounts of customers in bearer form or registered in "street name," and will be the responsibility of such Participant and not of DTC, the Paying Agent/Registrar or the City, subject to any statutory or regulatory requirements as may be in effect from time to time. Payment of redemption proceeds and principal of and interest on the Bonds to DTC is the responsibility of the City, disbursement of such payments to Direct Participants shall be the responsibility of DTC, and disbursement of such payments to the Beneficial Owners shall be the responsibility of Direct and Indirect Participants.

DTC may discontinue providing its services as depository with respect to the Bonds at any time by giving reasonable notice to the City or the Paying Agent/Registrar. Under such circumstances, in the event that a successor depository is not obtained, Bond certificates are required to be printed and delivered.

The City may decide to discontinue use of the system of book-entry transfers through DTC (or a successor securities depository). In that event, Bond certificates will be printed and delivered.

Use of Certain Terms in Other Sections of this Official Statement. In reading this Official Statement it should be understood that while the Bonds are in the Book-Entry-Only System, references in other sections of this Official Statement to registered owners should be read to include the person for which the Participant acquires an interest in the Bonds, but (i) all rights of ownership must be exercised through DTC and the Book-Entry-Only System, and (ii) except as described above, notices that are to be given to registered owners under the Ordinance will be given only to DTC.

Information concerning DTC and the Book-Entry-Only System has been obtained from DTC and is not guaranteed as to accuracy or completeness by, and is not to be construed as a representation by the City, the Board, the Co-Financial Advisors or the Underwriters.

Effect of Termination of Book-Entry-Only System. In the event that the Book-Entry-Only System is discontinued by DTC or the use of the Book-Entry-Only System is discontinued by the City, printed certificates representing the Bonds will be issued to the holders and the Bonds will be subject to transfer, exchange and registration provisions as set forth in the Ordinance and summarized under "THE BONDS - Transfer, Exchange and Registration" below.

#### PAYING AGENT/REGISTRAR

The initial paying agent/registrar is U.S. Bank National Association, Dallas, Texas (the "Paying Agent/Registrar"). In the Ordinance, the City retains the right to replace the Paying Agent/Registrar. The City covenants to maintain and provide a Paying Agent/Registrar at all times until the Bonds are duly paid and any successor Paying Agent/Registrar must be a commercial bank or trust company organized under the laws of the State of Texas or other entity duly qualified and legally authorized to serve as and perform the duties and services of Paying Agent/Registrar for the Bonds. Upon any change in the Paying Agent/Registrar for the Bonds, the City agrees to promptly cause a written notice thereof to be sent to each registered owner of the Bonds by United States mail, first class, postage prepaid, which notice will also give the address of the new Paying Agent/Registrar.

Principal of the Bonds will be payable to the registered owner at maturity or prior redemption upon presentation at the designated payment office of the Paying Agent/Registrar in Dallas, Texas. Interest on the Bonds will be payable by check, dated as of the interest payment date, and mailed by the Paying Agent/Registrar to registered owners as shown on the records of the Paying Agent/Registrar on the Record Date (defined herein) (see "THE BONDS – Record Date for Interest Payment" herein), or by such other method, acceptable to the Paying Agent/Registrar, requested by, and at the risk and expense of, the registered owner. If the date for the payment of the principal of or interest on the Bonds is a Saturday, Sunday, legal holiday, or day on which banking institutions in the city where the Paying Agent/Registrar is located are authorized by law or executive order to close, then the date for such payment will be the next succeeding day which is not such a Saturday, Sunday, legal holiday, or day on which banking institutions are authorized to close; and payment on such date will have the same force and effect as if made on the original date payment was due.

Initially, the Bonds are issued utilizing the Book-Entry-Only System of the DTC. No physical delivery of the Bonds will be made to the Beneficial Owners of the Bonds and the registered owner of the Bonds appearing on the books of the Paying Agent/Registrar will be Cede & Co., the nominee of DTC. The use of the Book-Entry-Only System may affect the method and timing of payment to the Beneficial Owners of the Bonds. (See "THE BONDS - Book-Entry-Only System" above.)

#### TRANSFER, EXCHANGE AND REGISTRATION

In the event the Book-Entry-Only System should be discontinued, the Bonds may be transferred and exchanged on the registration books of the Paying Agent/Registrar only upon presentation and surrender thereof to the Paying Agent/Registrar and such transfer or exchange shall be without expense or service charge to the registered owner, except for any tax or other governmental charges required to be paid with respect to such registration, exchange, and transfer. Bonds may be assigned by the execution of an assignment form on the respective Bonds or by other instrument of transfer and assignment acceptable to the Paying Agent/Registrar. New Bonds will be delivered by the Paying Agent/Registrar, in lieu of the Bonds being transferred or exchanged, at the corporate trust office of the Paying Agent/Registrar, or sent by United States mail, first class, postage prepaid, to the new registered owner or his designee. To the extent possible, new Bonds issued in an exchange or transfer of Bonds will be delivered to the registered owner or assignee of the registered owner in not more than three business days after the receipt of the Bonds to be canceled, and the written instrument of transfer or request for exchange duly executed by the registered owner or his duly authorized agent, in form satisfactory to the Paying Agent/Registrar. New Bonds registered and delivered in an exchange or transfer will be in any integral multiple of \$5,000 for any one maturity and for a like aggregate principal amount as the Bonds surrendered for exchange or transfer. See "THE BONDS – Book-Entry-Only System" herein for a description of the system to be utilized initially in regard to ownership and transferability of the Bonds. Neither the City nor the Paying Agent/Registrar will be required to transfer or exchange any Bond (i) during the period commencing with the close of business or any Record Date and ending with the opening of business on the following principal or interest payment date, or (ii) with respect to any Bond called for redemption, in whole or in part, within 45 days of the date fixed for redemption; provided, however, such limitation of transfer is not applicable to an exchange by the registered owner of the uncalled balance of a Bond.

## RECORD DATE FOR INTEREST PAYMENT

The record date ("Record Date") for determining the person to whom interest on a Bond is payable on any interest payment date means the close of business on the last business day of the preceding month.

In the event of a non-payment of interest on a scheduled payment date, and for 30 days thereafter, a new record date for such interest payment (a "Special Record Date") will be established by the Paying Agent/Registrar, if and when funds for the payment of such interest have been received from the City. Notice of the Special Record Date and of the scheduled payment date of the past due interest ("Special Payment Date", which must be 15 days after the Special Record Date) will be sent at least five business days prior to the Special Record Date by United States mail, first class postage prepaid, to the address of each Holder of a Bond appearing on the registration books of the Paying Agent/Registrar at the close of business on the last business day next preceding the date of mailing of such notice.

#### PAYMENT RECORD

The City has never defaulted in payments on its bonded indebtedness.

# **BONDHOLDERS' REMEDIES**

If the City defaults in the payment of principal, interest, or redemption price on the Bonds when due, or if it fails to make payments into any fund or funds created in the Ordinance, or defaults in the observation or performance of any other covenants, conditions, or obligations set forth in the Ordinance, the registered owners may seek a writ of mandamus to compel City officials to carry out their legally imposed duties with respect to the Bonds, if there is no other available remedy at law to compel performance of the Bonds or the Ordinance and the City's obligations are not uncertain or disputed. The issuance of a writ of mandamus is controlled by equitable principles, and rests with the discretion of the court, but may not be arbitrarily refused. There is no acceleration of maturity of the Bonds in the event of default and, consequently, the remedy of mandamus may have to be relied upon from year to year. The Ordinance does not provide for the appointment of a trustee to represent the

interest of the bondholders upon any failure of the City to perform in accordance with the terms of the Ordinance, or upon any other condition and accordingly all legal actions to enforce such remedies would have to be undertaken at the initiative of, and be financed by, the registered owners. The Texas Supreme Court ruled in Tooke v. City of Mexia, 197 S.W.3d 325 (Tex. 2006) that a waiver of sovereign immunity in a contractual dispute must be provided for by statute in "clear and unambiguous" language. Chapter 1371, which pertains to the issuance of public securities by issuers such as the City, permits the City to waive sovereign immunity in the proceedings authorizing the issuance of the Bonds. Notwithstanding its reliance upon the provisions of Chapter 1371 in connection with the issuance of the Bonds (as further described under the caption "THE BONDS - Authority for Issuance"), the City has not waived the defense of sovereign immunity with respect thereto. Because it is unclear whether the Texas legislature has effectively waived the City's sovereign immunity from a suit for money damages outside of Chapter 1371, bondholders may not be able to bring such a suit against the City for breach of the covenants included in the Bonds or the Ordinance. Even if a judgment against the City could be obtained, it could not be enforced by direct levy and execution against the City's property. Furthermore, the City is eligible to seek relief from its creditors under Chapter 9 of the U.S. Bankruptcy Code ("Chapter 9"). Although Chapter 9 provides for the recognition of a security interest represented by a specifically pledged source of revenues (such as the Net Revenues), such provision is subject to judicial construction. Chapter 9 also includes an automatic stay provision that would prohibit, without Bankruptcy Court approval, the prosecution of any other legal action by creditors or bondholders of an entity which has sought protection under Chapter 9. Therefore, should the City avail itself of Chapter 9 protection from creditors, the ability to enforce would be subject to the approval of the Bankruptcy Court (which could require that the action be heard in Bankruptcy Court instead of other federal or state court); and the Bankruptcy Code provides for broad discretionary powers of a Bankruptcy Court in administering any proceeding brought before it. The opinion of Co-Bond Counsel will note with respect to the Bonds that all opinions relative to the enforceability of the Ordinance and the Bonds are qualified with respect to the customary rights of debtors relative to their creditors and to general principals of equity that permit the exercise of judicial discretion.

#### SOURCES AND USES OF BOND PROCEEDS

Proceeds from the sale of the Bonds, along with a cash contribution of the System, are expected to be expended as follows:

| Sources of Funds                 |                   |
|----------------------------------|-------------------|
| Par Amount of the Bonds          | \$ 303,235,000.00 |
| Reoffering Premium               | 39,584,606.15     |
| System Contribution              | 14,503,450.50     |
| Total Sources of Funds           | \$357,323,056.65  |
|                                  |                   |
| Uses of Funds                    |                   |
| Escrow Fund Deposit              | \$274,692,944.97  |
| Construction Fund Deposit        | 80,625,483.00     |
| Underwriters' Discount           | 1,165,243.02      |
| Cost of Issuance and Contingency | 839,385.66        |
| Total Uses of Funds              | \$357,323,056.65  |

#### SECURITY FOR THE BONDS

# COMBINED SYSTEM

The City has previously authorized the creation of the System, a single, unified water system consisting of the City's then existing waterworks, wastewater, and water reuse systems, together with all future improvements and additions thereto, and all replacements thereof. In addition, the System Ordinance (hereinafter defined) permits the City to incorporate into the System a stormwater system (including all existing drainage facilities) and any other related system to the extent permitted by law. Currently, the City assumes the overall responsibility of the stormwater program. See "THE SAN ANTONIO WATER SYSTEM - Stormwater System" herein. The System will not include (i) any Special Projects which are declared by the City, upon the recommendation of the Board, not to be part of the System and which are financed with obligations payable from sources other than ad valorem taxes, Pledged Revenues, or Net Revenues or (ii) any water or water-related properties and facilities owned by the City as part of its electric and gas systems.

# PLEDGED REVENUES

The Bonds are special obligations of the City which, together with the currently outstanding Previously Issued Junior Lien Obligations, Junior Lien Obligations-No Reserve Fund, and any Additional Junior Lien Obligations hereafter issued (collectively, the "Junior Lien Obligations"), are payable solely from and equally and ratably secured by a lien on and pledge of the Net Revenues of the System that is junior and inferior to the pledge thereof and lien thereon securing the repayment of the Senior Lien Obligations and any Additional Senior Lien Obligations hereafter issued by the City (which first lien on Net Revenues is included in the definition of "Pledged Revenues"), along with any other additional revenues, income, receipts, or other resources that are pledged by the City to the payment of the Junior Lien Obligations (but excluding revenues excluded from Gross Revenues). At this time, no such additional revenues, income, receipts, or other resources are so pledged. The term "Net Revenues" means Gross Revenues less Maintenance and Operating Expenses. The term "Gross Revenues" means all revenue with respect to or on account of the operation and ownership of the System, excluding (i) payments received by the Board under the CPS Contract (as defined herein) together with earnings thereon, (ii) income derived from the investment or deposit of money in the Construction Fund and, until the Reserve Fund contains the Required Reserve Amount, money in the Reserve Fund, and (iii) certain other amounts. Maintenance and Operating Expenses means all current expenses of operating and maintaining the System not paid from the proceeds of any Debt, including, for example, the cost of all salaries, labor, and materials; certain expenses of repairs and extensions; the costs of employee benefits; and the costs of purchasing water and wastewater treatment services from other entities, but excluding allowance for depreciation and other items not requiring an

outlay of cash, and excluding interest on the Bonds or any other Debt. For a more detailed description of the defined terms referenced above, see "APPENDIX D - SELECTED PROVISIONS OF THE ORDINANCE" herein.

The Bonds do not constitute an indebtedness or general obligation of the City, the State of Texas, or any other entity; the Bonds are not payable from any funds raised or to be raised by taxation; and owners of the Bonds shall never have the right to demand payment thereof from the levy of ad valorem taxes or from any other source not pledged to the payment of the Bonds. No lien has been created on the physical properties of the System to secure payment of the Bonds (see "BONDHOLDERS" REMEDIES" herein).

#### FLOW OF FUNDS

The Ordinance provides that the Gross Revenues will be deposited by the Board, upon receipt, into the System Fund and will be pledged and appropriated to the extent required for the following uses and in the order of priority shown:

FIRST: to the payment of all necessary and reasonable Maintenance and Operating Expenses as defined herein or required by statute, including, but not limited to, Chapter 1502, as amended, Texas Government Code (formerly Texas Revised Civil Statutes Annotated Article 1113, as amended), to be a first charge on and claim against the Gross Revenues, including a two-month reserve amount based upon the budgeted amount of Maintenance and Operating Expenses for the current Fiscal Year, which amount shall be retained in the System Fund.

SECOND: to the payment of the amounts required to be deposited into the special funds and accounts created and established for the payment, security and benefit of the currently outstanding Senior Lien Obligations and any Additional Senior Lien Obligations hereafter issued by the City.

THIRD: to the payment of the amounts required to be deposited into the special funds and accounts created and established for the payment, security and benefit of the currently outstanding Junior Lien Obligations and any Additional Junior Lien Obligations hereafter issued by the City.

FOURTH: to the payment of the amounts that must be deposited in any special funds and accounts created and established for the payment, security and benefit of the currently outstanding Subordinate Lien Obligations and any Additional Subordinate Lien Obligations hereafter issued by the City.

FIFTH: to the payment of the amounts that must be deposited in any special funds and accounts created and established for the payment, security, and benefit of any Inferior Lien Obligations hereafter issued by the City.

SIXTH: to the payment of the amounts to be transferred to the City's General Fund and into the Renewal and Replacement Fund, in accordance with the applicable provisions of the Ordinance.

For a more detailed description of the funds referenced above, and the Board's obligations with respect thereto, see "APPENDIX D - SELECTED PROVISIONS OF THE ORDINANCE" herein.

# BOND FUND; EXCESS BOND PROCEEDS

For purposes of providing funds to pay the principal of and interest on the Bonds as the same become due and payable, the City shall maintain, at the Depository, a separate and special fund or account created and known as the "Bond Fund." The City has covenanted that there shall be deposited from the System Fund into the Bond Fund prior to each principal and interest payment date from the available Net Revenues an amount equal to one hundred percent (100%) of the amount required to fully pay the interest on and the principal of the Bonds then falling due and payable, such deposits to pay maturing principal and accrued interest on the Bonds to be made in substantially equal monthly installments on or before the first day of each month, beginning on or before the first day of the month next following the delivery of the Bonds to the Underwriters. No such deposit shall be required if, on the first day of each month, revenues sufficient to pay the maturing principal and interest payments are, and remain on deposit in the Bond Fund. If the Net Revenues in any month are insufficient to make the required payments into the Bond Fund, then the amount of any deficiency in such payment shall be added to the amount otherwise required to be paid into the Bond Fund in the next month.

The required monthly deposits to the Bond Fund for the payment of principal of and interest on the Bonds shall continue to be made as hereinabove described until such time as (i) the total amount on deposit in the Bond Fund is equal to the amount required to fully pay and discharge all Outstanding Junior Lien Obligations (principal and interest) or (ii) the Bonds are no longer Outstanding.

Accrued interest and premium, if any, received from the Underwriters shall be taken into consideration and reduce the amount of the monthly deposits hereinabove required to be deposited into the Bond Fund from the Net Revenues. Additionally, any proceeds of the Bonds, and investment income thereon, not expended for authorized purposes shall be deposited into the Bond Fund and shall be taken into consideration and reduce the amount of monthly deposits required to be deposited into the Bond Fund from the Net Revenues.

# PARITY LIEN ORDINANCE AMENDMENT

By ordinance of the City Council adopted on March 8, 2012, the City has amended the respective City ordinances authorizing the issuance of each series of the then-outstanding Previously Issued Junior Lien Obligations. These ordinance amendments permitted the City to issue, under certain circumstances described below, Junior Lien Obligations-No Reserve Fund, which are City obligations payable from and secured by a junior and inferior lien on and pledge of Net Revenues on parity with the lien thereon and pledge thereof securing the Reserve Fund-Secured Junior Lien Obligations (defined below), but that are not additionally benefited by money on deposit in the Reserve Fund.

Prior to the effectiveness of these ordinance amendments, all Additional Junior Lien Obligations were required to be additionally secured by a lien on and pledge of the Reserve Fund. The aforementioned ordinance amendments, which are now effective, allow the City to issue Junior Lien Obligations-No Reserve Fund so long as such Junior Lien Obligations-No Reserve Fund are sold to parties other than the TWDB. The City remains permitted to issue from time to time Reserve Fund-Secured Junior Lien Obligations upon satisfaction of the conditions described below under "SECURITY FOR THE BONDS – Reserve Fund" (in addition to the other prerequisites to the issuance of Additional Junior Lien Obligations described herein under "THE BONDS – Additional Obligations").

The necessary amendments to City ordinances to permit the issuance of Junior Lien Obligations-No Reserve Fund were consented to by each bond insurer and surety fund provider for each series of then-outstanding Previously Issued Junior Lien Obligations, as well as the TWDB (being the sole owner or consent right holder with respect to this matter for each series of then-outstanding Previously Issued Junior Lien Obligations).

As used herein, "Junior Lien Obligations-No Reserve Fund" means the City's (i) Water System Junior Lien Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2012 (No Reserve Fund), (ii) Water System Junior Lien Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2013B (No Reserve Fund), (iii) Water System Junior Lien Revenue and Refunding Bonds, Series 2013F (No Reserve Fund), (v) Water System Junior Lien Revenue and Refunding Bonds, Series 2014A (No Reserve Fund), (vi) Water System Variable Rate Junior Lien Revenue and Refunding Bonds, Series 2014A (No Reserve Fund), (vi) Water System Variable Rate Junior Lien Revenue and Refunding Bonds, Series 2014B (No Reserve Fund), (vii) upon issuance, the Bonds, and (viii) any Additional Junior Lien Obligations hereafter issued that are not additionally benefited by money on deposit in the Reserve Fund; the term "Reserve Fund-Secured Junior Lien Obligations" means the Previously Issued Junior Lien Obligations and any Additional Junior Lien Obligations (including the Series 2015A Bonds) that are secured by a parity lien on and pledge of the Reserve Fund and specifically excluding the Junior Lien Obligations-No Reserve Fund.

The Bonds, represent the seventh issuance of Junior Lien Obligations - No Reserve Fund.

#### RESERVE FUND

The City ordinances authorizing the respective issuance of the Previously Issued Junior Lien Obligations require the Board to accumulate and maintain a reserve for the payment of the currently outstanding Junior Lien Obligations that are Reserve Fund – Secured Junior Lien Obligations (the "Required Reserve Amount") equal to the Average Annual Debt Service Requirements (calculated on a Fiscal Year basis and determined as of the date of issuance of the most recently issued series of Additional Junior Lien Obligations that are Reserve Fund – Secured Junior Lien Obligations) of the Junior Lien Obligations that are Reserve Fund – Secured Junior Lien Obligations. To comply with this requirement, the City has heretofore created and established and now maintains, a separate and special fund or account known as the "City of San Antonio, Waterworks and Sewer System Junior Lien Revenue Bond Reserve Fund" (the "Reserve Fund"), which fund or account is maintained at the Depository. All funds deposited into the Reserve Fund (excluding earnings and income derived or received from deposits or investments which will be transferred to the System Fund during such period as there is on deposit in the Reserve Fund the Required Reserve Amount) shall be used solely for the payment of the principal of and interest on the currently outstanding Junior Lien Obligations that are Reserve Fund – Secured Junior Lien Obligations when and to the extent other funds available for such purposes are insufficient, and, in addition, may be used to retire the last stated maturity or interest on any Junior Lien Obligations that are Reserve Fund – Secured Junior Lien Obligations. As of the date of issuance of the Bonds, the Reserve Fund is fully funded with a combination of cash, investments, and reserve fund surety policies issued by qualified providers.

Except as hereinafter described, as and when Additional Junior Lien Obligations (including the Series 2015A Bonds) that are Reserve Fund – Secured Junior Lien Obligations are delivered and incurred, the Required Reserve Amount shall be increased, if required, to an amount calculated in the manner provided in the City ordinances authorizing the respective issuance of the Previously Issued Junior Lien Obligations that are Reserve Fund-Secured Junior Lien Obligations. Any additional amount required to be maintained in the Reserve Fund shall be so accumulated by the deposit of the necessary amount of the proceeds of the issue or other lawfully available funds in the Reserve Fund immediately after the delivery of the issue of the then proposed Additional Junior Lien Obligations that are Reserve Fund – Secured Junior Lien Obligations, or, at the option of the City, by the deposit of monthly installments, made on or before the tenth day of each month following the month of delivery of the then proposed Additional Junior Lien Obligations that are Reserve Fund – Secured Junior Lien Obligations, of not less than 1/60<sup>th</sup> of the additional amount to be maintained in the Reserve Fund by reason of the issuance of the Additional Junior Lien Obligations that are Reserve Fund – Secured Junior Lien Obligations then being issued (or 1/60<sup>th</sup> of the balance of the additional amount not deposited immediately in cash), thereby ensuring the accumulation of the appropriate Required Reserve Amount.

When and so long as the cash and investments in the Reserve Fund equal the Required Reserve Amount, no deposits need be made to the credit of the Reserve Fund; but, if and when the Reserve Fund at any time contains less than the Required Reserve Amount other than as the result of the issuance of Additional Junior Lien Obligations (including the Series 2015A Bonds) that are Reserve Fund – Secured Junior Lien Obligations as described in the preceding paragraph), the City has covenanted and agreed to cure the deficiency in the Required Reserve Amount by resuming the Required Reserve Fund Deposits to said Fund or account from the Net Revenues of the System, or any other lawfully available funds, such monthly deposits to be in amounts equal to not less than  $1/60^{th}$  of the Required Reserve Amount covenanted by the City to be maintained in the Reserve Fund with any such deficiency payments being made on or before the tenth day of each month until the Required Reserve Amount has been fully restored. The City has further covenanted and agreed that, subject only to the prior payments to be made to the Bond Fund relating to the Junior Lien Obligations and as required by the ordinances authorizing the issuance of the currently outstanding Senior Lien Obligations or any Additional Senior Lien Obligations hereafter issued by the City, the Net Revenues shall be applied and appropriated and used to establish and maintain the Required Reserve Amount and to cure any deficiency in such amounts as required by the terms of the ordinances authorizing the respective issuance of Previously Issued Junior Lien Obligations that are Reserve Fund-Secured Junior Lien Obligations.

During such time as the Reserve Fund contains the Required Reserve Amount, the City may, at its option, withdraw all surplus funds in the Reserve Fund in excess of the Required Reserve Amount and deposit such surplus in the System Fund; provided, however, to the extent that such excess amount represents bond proceeds, then such amounts must be transferred to the Bond Fund.

See "THE BONDS - Security and Source of Payment" and "SELECTED PROVISIONS OF THE ORDINANCE - Reserve Fund" in APPENDIX D herein.

#### PAYMENTS TO GENERAL FUND OF THE CITY

Pursuant to the Ordinance, the Board is required to transfer to the General Fund of the City, no later than the last business day of each month, an amount of money calculated not to exceed 5% (or such lesser amount as may be determined from time to time by the City Council) of the Gross Revenues (after payment of all Maintenance and Operating Expenses and debt service requirements on any outstanding Debt) for the preceding month to be utilized by the City in the manner permitted by the provisions of Chapter 1502, as amended, Texas Government Code. The amount so transferred shall be net of all amounts owed by the City to the Board for use of the System's services and facilities by the City and its instrumentalities. The amounts payable to the General Fund of the City are required to be paid *pari passu* with deposits to the Renewal and Replacement Fund. (See "SECURITY FOR THE BONDS – Renewal and Replacement Fund" below.)

To the extent that the available Net Revenues in any month are insufficient for the Board to make all or part of the transfer otherwise required to be made to the General Fund of the City, the Board is required to make up such shortfall (i) in the next month in which available Net Revenues exceed the amounts otherwise required to be transferred to the General Fund of the City and the *pari passu* payment to the Renewal and Replacement Fund or (ii) to the extent such shortfall has not been made up by the last month of the Fiscal Year, solely from any surplus funds deposited into the Renewal and Replacement Fund during such Fiscal Year. The Board's obligation to make up any shortfall in a Fiscal Year does not carry over to a subsequent Fiscal Year.

See "APPENDIX D - SELECTED PROVISIONS OF THE ORDINANCE - Payments to City General Fund" herein.

#### RENEWAL AND REPLACEMENT FUND

The Renewal and Replacement Fund has been established and confirmed under the Ordinance for the purpose of (i) paying the costs of improvements, enlargements, extensions, additions, replacements or other capital expenditures related to the System, (ii) paying the costs of unexpected or extraordinary repairs or replacements of the System for which System funds are not available, (iii) paying unexpected or extraordinary expenses of operation and maintenance of the System for which System funds are not otherwise available, (iv) depositing any funds received by the City pursuant to the contract with CPS Energy, the city owned electricity and gas utility, for the provision of recycled water (the "CPS Contract"), and such funds, including any interest or income thereon, are required to be maintained in a separate, segregated account of the Renewal and Replacement Fund and may only be used to pay Maintenance and Operating Expenses of the System's water reuse facilities or the debt service requirements on any obligations incurred as permitted by the CPS Contract and in no event may any such amount, including interest and income thereon, be transferred to the General Fund of the City, except as permitted by the CPS Contract, (v) paying bonds or other obligations of the System for which other System revenues are not available, (vi) in the last month of any Fiscal Year to make up any shortfall in the required payments to the General Fund of the City, or (vii) for any other lawful purpose in support of the System.

Deposits to the Renewal and Replacement Fund are required to be *pari passu* with the gross amount payable to the General Fund of the City (prior to the deduction of any charges for water utility services provided by the System to the City) until the full amount payable to the City has been paid. That is, such deposits to the Renewal and Replacement Fund are to be made equally and ratably, without preference, and on a dollar-for-dollar basis with the gross amount payable to the General Fund of the City, prior to the deduction of any charges for services, until the full amount to be paid to the General Fund of the City in a Fiscal Year has been paid. Thereafter all surplus Net Revenues are to be deposited to the Renewal and Replacement Fund.

See "APPENDIX D - SELECTED PROVISIONS OF THE ORDINANCE - Renewal and Replacement Fund" herein.

#### RATE COVENANT

The City has agreed, while any of the Senior Lien Obligations and Junior Lien Obligations are outstanding, to establish and maintain rates and charges for facilities and services afforded by the System that are reasonably expected, on the basis of available information and experience and with due allowance for contingencies, to produce Gross Revenues in each Fiscal Year sufficient:

- (a) to pay Maintenance and Operating Expenses;
- (b) to produce Pledged Revenues sufficient to pay (i) 1.25 times the Annual Debt Service Requirements for such Fiscal Year on the Senior Lien Obligations, and (ii) the amounts required to be deposited in any reserve or contingency fund created for the payment and security of the Senior Lien Obligations and any other obligations or evidences of indebtedness issued or incurred that are payable from and equally and ratably secured solely by a first lien on and pledge of the Pledged Revenues;
- (c) to produce Net Revenues, together with any other lawfully available funds (including the proceeds of Debt which the City expects will be utilized to pay all or part of the principal and interest on any obligations described in this subparagraph), sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on the currently outstanding Junior Lien Obligations and the Subordinate Lien Obligations or any Additional Junior Lien Obligations, Additional Subordinate Lien Obligations and/or Inferior Lien Obligations hereafter issued by the City and the amounts required to be deposited in any special fund created for the payment and security of any such obligations, and any other obligations payable from and secured by a junior, subordinate or inferior lien on and pledge of the Net Revenues;
- (d) to produce Net Revenues, together with any other lawfully available funds, to make the required transfers to the General Fund of the City as described in the Ordinance; and
  - (e) to pay any other Debt payable from the Net Revenues or secured by a lien on revenues of the System.

See "SAWS STATISTICAL SECTION AND MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION – Monthly, Water, Sewer, and Water Supply Fee Rates" and "APPENDIX D - SELECTED PROVISIONS OF THE ORDINANCE – Rates and Charges" herein.

#### REFUNDABLE TAX CREDIT BONDS

The refundable tax credits to be received by the City in connection with any obligations secured by System revenues that are designated as obligations entitling the City to the receipt of refundable tax credits from the United States Department of the Treasury under the Code (including, but not limited, to obligations designated as "build America bonds" and "qualified bonds" under the Code), will be considered as an offset to debt service on those obligations to which the credit relates for the purpose of satisfying any debt service coverage requirements under the Ordinance, including satisfaction of any rate covenant, reserve fund requirement, or prerequisite to the issuance of additional indebtedness at any lien level.

The City has determined that the reduced amount of refundable tax credit payments to be received from the United States Treasury in relation to its outstanding obligations designated as "build America bonds" or "qualified bonds" under the Code as a result of the automatic reductions in federal spending effective March 1, 2013 pursuant to the Budget Control Act of 2011 (commonly referred to as "Sequestration"), and extensions thereof pursuant to the Bipartisan Budget Act of 2013 signed into law by the President on December 26, 2013, will not have a material impact on the financial condition of the City or its ability to pay regularly scheduled debt service on its outstanding obligations when and in the amounts due and owing. See Footnote (3) to table appearing under "DEBT AND OTHER FINANCIAL INFORMATION – Combined System Revenue Debt Service Requirements" herein.

#### THE SAN ANTONIO WATER SYSTEM

#### HISTORY AND MANAGEMENT

On February 13, 1992, the City Council determined that it was in the best interest of the citizens of the City and the customers served by the water and wastewater systems to consolidate all water related systems, functions, agencies and activities into one agency. This action was taken due to the myriad of issues confronting the City related to the development and protection of its water resources. The consolidation provided the City a singular voice of representation when promoting or defending the City's goals and objectives for water resource protection, planning and development when dealing with local, regional, state, and federal water authorities and officials.

Final City Council approval for the consolidation was given on April 30, 1992 with the approval of Ordinance No. 75686 (the "System Ordinance"). The System Ordinance approved the creation of the System, a single unified system consisting of the City's existing waterworks (formerly the City Water Board), wastewater and water reuse systems (formerly departments of the City), together with all future improvements and additions thereto, and all replacements thereof. In addition, the System Ordinance authorizes the City to incorporate into the System a stormwater system and any other related system to the extent permitted by law.

Simultaneously with the creation of the System, the City sold its \$635,925,000 City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 1992 for the purpose of (i) enabling the City to consolidate its waterworks, wastewater and water reuse systems, and (ii) refunding all outstanding obligations of the City issued to finance improvements to and extensions of its waterworks, wastewater and water reuse systems; and refunding certain other outstanding obligations relating to the City's waterworks, wastewater and water reuse systems; which are secured by and payable from a pledge of revenues derived from, the City's waterworks, wastewater and water reuse systems, respectively. The City believes that refunding the obligations and establishing the System in 1992 has allowed the City greater flexibility in meeting future financing requirements. More importantly, it has allowed the City to develop, implement, and plan for its water needs through a single agency.

The System provides water and wastewater service to the majority of the population within the corporate limits of the City and Bexar County which totals approximately 1.7 million residents. The System employs over 1,700 personnel and maintains approximately 10,000 miles of water and sewer mains.

The complete management and control of the System is vested in a board of trustees ("Board" or "Board of Trustees") which initially had five members. Subsequent legislation authorized expansion to a board consisting of seven members. The Board consists of the Mayor of San Antonio (as an ex-officio Board member) and six persons who are residents of the City or reside within the area serviced by the System. With the exception of the Mayor, all other Board members are appointed by the City Council for four-year, staggered terms, and are eligible for reappointment for one additional four year term. Four Board members must be appointed from four different quadrants in the City and two Board members are appointed from the north and south sides of the City. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the membership on the Board may be increased to an amount greater than seven, to include the Mayor of the City as an ex-officio member, as otherwise appointed by the City Council.

Attached hereto as APPENDIX B are excerpts from SAWS' Comprehensive Annual Financial Report for the year ended December 31, 2013 which provides the System's recent operating results. See "APPENDIX B - EXCERPTS FROM THE SAN ANTONIO WATER SYSTEM COMPREHENSIVE ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT".

The present members of the Board are:

| Board                                      | Length<br>Of Service | Term Expires | Occupation                                     |
|--|----------------------|--------------|--|
| Heriberto Guerra<br>Chairman               | 3 Years, 4 Months    | May 31, 2018 | Chairman and CEO Avanzar Interior Technologies |
| Louis E. Rowe<br>Vice Chairman             | 5 Years, 7 Months    | May 31, 2017 | President and CEO Goetting & Associates        |
| Patricia E. Merritt Secretary              | 1 Year, 2 Months     | May 31, 2018 | Retired  |
| Patricia Jasso Assistant Secretary         | 1 Year, 2 Months     | May 31, 2016 | Retired  |
| Ernesto Arrellano, Jr. Trustee             | 1 Year, 2 Months     | May 31, 2017 | USAA<br>Investment Operations Analyst          |
| Wesley Reed Williams<br>Trustee            | 1 Year, 2 Months     | May 31, 2017 | Retired  |
| Ivy R. Taylor, Mayor and Ex-Officio Member | 5 Months             | May 31, 2015 | College Lecturer                               |

Except as provided in the System Ordinance, the Board has absolute and complete authority and power to control, manage, and operate the System and controls the expenditure and application of the Gross Revenues of the System and in connection therewith is vested with all of the powers of the City with respect thereto, including all powers necessary or appropriate for the performance of all covenants, undertakings, and agreements of the City contained in the System Ordinance, and with the exception of fixing rates and charges for services rendered by the System and other matters hereinafter described, the Board has full power and authority to make rules and regulations governing the furnishing of services of the System to customers for the payment of the same, and for the discontinuance of such services upon the failure of customers to pay for the services.

The Board, to the extent authorized by law, has authority to make extensions, improvements, and additions to the System and to acquire by purchase or otherwise properties of every kind in connection therewith.

#### EXCEPTIONS

As noted, under the System Ordinance, only the City Council can fix rates and charges for service rendered by the System. Similarly, State law provides that only the City Council can authorize the sale of revenue bonds or other securities, exercise the use of condemnation for the acquisition of real property, and select and appoint members of the Board. Additionally, Ordinance No. 74050 adopted on August 1, 1991, provides that the disposition of real property by the System requires some degree of oversight by the City.

The general operations of the System are under the supervision of the President/Chief Executive Officer who is employed by the Board. The Board shall appoint and employ all other officers, employees, and professional consultants, which it may deem desirable.

#### ADVISORY COMMITTEES

There are four ongoing advisory committees which provide comment and report to the Board and the System staff on System projects and activities: the Citizens Advisory Panel ("CAP"), the Community Conservation Committee ("CCC"), the Capital Improvements Advisory Committee ("CIAC"), and the BexarMet Integration Advisory Committee ("BMIAC"). Members for each of these committees are sought to represent diverse interests from the System's service area. In addition to these ongoing advisory committees, the Rates Advisory Committee ("RAC"), a special purpose committee, was implemented in early 2014. Similar to the other committees, the membership of the RAC is designed to represent diverse viewpoints from the System's service area.

Citizen Advisory Panel ("CAP"). The CAP was established in 1998 to provide System staff and the Board with indications of the acceptability of water resource projects, policies, and programs. The CAP's charge is to support the development of the System's 50-year water resource plan; review the application of evaluative criteria for the plan; identify concerns raised under these criteria; and to suggest ways for adjusting the System's programs to meet these concerns.

CAP meetings are held monthly and open to the public. CAP members are actively engaged in the process to develop new water supplies for the City and Bexar County region.

*Community Conservation Committee* ("CCC"). The CCC was organized in 1996 to provide input to System staff and the Board on conservation issues. The CCC is the cornerstone of the System's public involvement in conservation and drought management efforts.

The CCC provides input on program development and program performance. It does much of its work through work groups that enlist community experts to address specific issues. Over the last several years, the CCC's major accomplishments included the development of a pilot program to evaluate and reduce water use among the System's top commercial and residential users. In addition, CCC members were involved in promoting water conservation as a core component of San Antonio's green building initiatives called Mission Verde. This resulted in the most comprehensive water conservation ordinance for new construction in the United States as determined by the Alliance for Water Efficiency.

Capital Improvements Advisory Committee ("CIAC"). The CIAC advises the City Council on impact fees and was first formed in 1987. The 11-member committee is appointed by City Council (one from each City Council district and one member appointed by the Mayor to represent the City's extraterritorial jurisdiction), with representation from the real estate and development industry and the general community.

Impact fees are one-time fees charged to developers for new development to pay for general benefit facilities such as treatment plants, tanks, wells, water supply projects and large transmission mains and outfall mains. Collecting adequate impact fees helps fund construction of infrastructure needed to support growth with minimum impact on existing ratepayers. The impact fees are updated once every 5 years, with the most recent update approved June 9, 2014. (See "SAWS STATISTICAL SECTION AND MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION - Impact Fees" herein.)

BexarMet Integration Advisory Committee ("BMIAC"). The BMIAC was created on April 3, 2012, pursuant to Senate Bill 341 (defined herein) to provide feedback and advice to System staff and the Board on the integration of the services and infrastructure of BexarMet. The Board is required to consult with the BMIAC not less than quarterly each year. (See "THE DISTRICT SPECIAL PROJECT – Bexar Metropolitan Water District" herein.)

Rates Advisory Committee ("RAC"). SAWS has been undertaking a comprehensive rates, fees and charges study (the "Rate Design Study") since February 2014. The purpose of the Rate Design Study is to provide SAWS with information regarding the rate structure for water delivery, water resource development, recycled water, and wastewater. The RAC, comprised of a cross-section of SAWS customers, will be asked to provide input to the Board on the Rate Design Study. Among the various rate issues to be addressed, the Rate Design Study will specifically develop a proposed single, integrated water rate structure for both SAWS and former BexarMet customers now being served through the hereinafter defined District Special Project. Additionally, the Rate Design Study will address the impact of the Vista Ridge Water Transmission and Purchase Agreement on the SAWS rate structure (see "THE SAN ANTONIO WATER SYSTEM – Water Transmission and Purchase Agreement for Carrizo and Simsboro Aquifer Water"). The Rate Design Study is expected to be completed in 2015.

#### ADMINISTRATION AND OPERATING PERSONNEL

The President/Chief Executive Officer of SAWS is Robert R. Puente. Prior to joining SAWS in May 2008, Mr. Puente served in the Texas House of Representatives where he was Chair of the House Natural Resources Committee and served on the House Local Ways and Means Committee. Mr. Puente was first elected to the Texas House of Representatives in 1991. Mr. Puente also received his Doctor of Jurisprudence from The University of Texas School of Law in 1982, and practiced law as a private attorney and managed his own firm from 1983 to 2008.

The Senior Vice President/Chief Operating Officer is Steven M. Clouse. During his tenure with SAWS, Mr. Clouse has worked in several departments and served in many capacities including three plus years as the Vice President – Production and Treatment Operations. Prior to the System's inception in 1992, he worked for the Environmental Management Department of the City of San Antonio.

The Senior Vice President/Chief Financial Officer is Douglas P. Evanson. Mr. Evanson joined SAWS in April of 2005. Prior to joining SAWS, Mr. Evanson was the Assistant Treasurer at Black & Veatch. Before that, he was the Chief Financial Officer for United Energy and Multinet Gas, electricity and natural gas distribution companies located in Melbourne, Australia.

The Vice President of Customer Service is Agnes Barard, who joined SAWS in mid-October 2014. Prior to joining SAWS, Ms. Barard was Director of Customer Care and Revenue Management with Puget Sound Energy in Washington State for six years. Ms. Barard also served as the Vice President, Customer Care for Green Mountain Energy from 2000 to 2004.

The interim Vice President of Engineering and Construction is Ashok Kaji. Mr. Kaji began serving in this capacity on January 1, 2015 following the retirement of the previous Senior Vice President – Strategic Resources, Kelley Neumann, who had 22 years of service with the System. A nation-wide search for a permanent Vice President – Engineering and Construction replacement is currently underway. Mr. Kaji has been with SAWS since the date of its formation in May 1992. Prior to the formation of SAWS, he worked for the Wastewater Division of the City.

The Vice President and General Counsel is Nancy Belinsky. Ms. Belinsky joined the System in 2003. Prior to joining SAWS, Ms. Belinsky practiced commercial real estate law with the law firm of Akin Gump Strauss Hauer and Feld LLP. Ms. Belinsky received her Doctor of Jurisprudence from St. Mary's University School of Law.

The Vice President of Human Resources is Sharon De La Garza. Ms. De La Garza joined the System in 2012. Prior to joining SAWS, Ms. De La Garza was Assistant City Manager for the City of San Antonio, having spent a total of ten years with the City. Ms. De La Garza also served as the Assistant Human Resources Director and Human Resource Director for the City of Dallas, Texas from 1999 to 2004.

The interim Vice President of Public Affairs is Donovan Burton. Mr. Burton began service in this capacity on November 3, 2014 when Greg Flores committed himself full time to focus on SAWS' legislative agenda in 2015. A posting for this position has been made and circulated to potential candidates both internal and external to SAWS. Mr. Burton joined SAWS in November of 2006. Prior to joining SAWS, he worked for 10 years for a local State Representative in Austin, heading up a legislative office and a committee with primary jurisdiction over military and homeland security issues. Mr. Burton also served in the U.S. Navy for four years from 1989-1993.

The Vice President of Water Resources and Conservation is Charles Ahrens. Mr. Ahrens joined SAWS in July of 2004. Prior to SAWS he worked at the Bexar Metropolitan Water District and the Edwards Underground Water District.

|                    |   | Length of           | Total              |
|--------------------|---|---------------------|--------------------|
| Name               | Position  | Service with System | Government Service |
| Robert R. Puente   | President/Chief Executive Officer                   | 6 Years, 8 Months   | 24 Years           |
| Steven M. Clouse   | Senior Vice President/Chief Operating Officer       | 25 Years, 4 Months  | 27 Years, 1 Month  |
| Douglas P. Evanson | Senior Vice President/Chief Financial Officer       | 9 Years, 8 Months   | 9 Years, 8 Months  |
| Agnes Barard       | Vice President – Customer Service                   | 3 Months            | 3 Months           |
| Ashok Kaji         | Interim Vice President – Engineering & Construction | 22 Years, 8 Months  | 37 Years, 1 Month  |
| Nancy Belinsky     | Vice President and General Counsel                  | 11 Years, 8 Months  | 11 Years, 8 Months |
| Sharon De La Garza | Vice President - Human Resources                    | 2 Year, 9 Months    | 18 Years, 9 Months |
| Donovan Burton     | Interim Vice President – Public Affairs             | 8 Years, 2 Months   | 22 Years, 6 Months |
| Charles Ahrens     | Vice President – Water Resources & Conservation     | 10 Years, 6 Months  | 27 Years, 6 Months |

#### SYSTEM STRUCTURE

The System is structured to strategically position functions to maximize efficiencies and responsiveness to System customers. Eight groups report to the President/CEO, which include the Senior Vice President/COO, Senior Vice President/CFO, Vice President – Customer Service, Vice President – Engineering and Construction, Vice President and General Counsel, Vice President – Human Resources, Vice President – Public Affairs, and Vice President – Water Resources and Conservation.

The Internal Audit Department, which is responsible for financial and operational audits of System departments, divisions, activities, and programs, reports functionally to the Board and administratively to the President/CEO.

*President/Chief Executive Officer.* The President/CEO is responsible and accountable for overall leadership and management of SAWS. Following the guidance and direction of the Board and City Council, the President/CEO implements policy, directs and works alongside employees to achieve the System's mission and goals as well.

Senior Vice President/Chief Operating Officer. The Senior Vice President/Chief Operating Officer is responsible for the day-to-day operations of the System. The following four groups report directly to the Chief Operating Officer.

## **Operations Group**

The Operations Group oversees the overall Production and Treatment Operations, Distribution and Collection Operations, and Sewer System Improvements Groups. This area is responsible for managing the operation and maintenance of the water distribution and wastewater collection systems, and the water and wastewater treatment plants. The group consists of the following:

- Cooling Responsible for the production of chilled water to provide centralized thermal services to federal, city, and private facilities in the City;
- Facilities Management and Maintenance Provides building maintenance and management services at corporate headquarters including space planning, office reconfigurations, oversight of HVAC systems, mailroom and contracts for custodial, landscaping and cafeteria services at the headquarters. The area is also responsible for the maintenance of buildings and grounds at the System's service centers and treatment plants. This includes internal and external building maintenance and repairs, as well as landscaping, fencing, parking lots, gates, and roads;
- Fleet Provides comprehensive maintenance services for vehicles and equipment. The Fleet Department manages vehicle replacement and disposal, company fuel, and operates the corporate vehicle pool program;
- Security Manages a proactive security program and associated support contracts for the System employees and properties; monitors available threat-level information and develops strategies for ongoing security-related communications with employees, response organizations and employees:
- Office of Energy Management Manages the CPS Energy metering and bill review and payment process. Develops the energy budget and tracks expenses and analysis trends. Monitors the energy Demand Side Management program with CPS Energy; and
- Emergency Operations Center Manages the 24-hour emergency center and reports/dispatches crews for water leaks, main breaks and overall tactical response to problems with the system; monitors lift stations across the city through a Supervisory Control and Data Acquisition computer system.

#### **Production and Treatment Operations**

The Production and Treatment Operations group provides the essential function of managing the 24-hour-a-day operation of the water and wastewater systems. The group is responsible for the operation, maintenance, and repair of facilities and equipment involved in the production and distribution of potable water; the operation, maintenance, and repair of the System's wastewater treatment plants; and the processing of wastewater biosolids for ultimate disposal. The group consists of the following departments:

- Production Manages the production of potable water for System customers;
- Treatment Operations Oversees all the operations of the wastewater treatment plants of the System as well as manages all the biosolids to ensure proper recycling or disposal in compliance with State and federal regulations; and
- Treatment Maintenance Manages centralized electrical maintenance across all the System's services, manages the mechanical maintenance of the System's wastewater treatment plants, lift stations, and the Aquifer Storage and Recovery project.

# **Sewer System Improvements**

The Sewer System Improvements Department is responsible for developing, implementing, and administering various programs designed to reduce sanitary sewer overflows in the wastewater collection system, including the following:

- Maintenance Planning Provides overall data management and reporting pertaining to the operations and maintenance of the Wastewater Collection system, including sewer cleaning and inspection using televising equipment; and
- Sanitary Sewer Program Management Provides comprehensive program oversight for activities and programs related to sewer system overflow ("SSO") reduction. This includes identification and implementation of remedial measures associated with capacity constraints and condition in the wastewater collection system as well as various other activities such as the flow metering programs and the Fats, Oils, and Grease program.

# **Distribution and Collection Operations**

Distribution and Collection Operations group operates, maintains, and repairs the water distribution and wastewater collection systems ensuring the System's customers receive uninterrupted, quality potable water and associated wastewater services. This is accomplished by providing:

- Emergency Response Provides critical support to the System's customers and crews 24/7;
- Construction Crews Offers in-house construction expertise, including asphalt and concrete services, to improve service restoration and increase customer satisfaction;
- Leak Detection Programs Ensures water leaks are identified, reducing water loss; and
- SSO Line Cleaning and Televising Program in support of the Consent Decree (defined herein; see "THE SAN ANTONIO WATER SYSTEM Sewer Management Program").

Senior Vice President/CFO. The Senior Vice President/CFO is responsible for the overall financial management of the System. The following two groups report directly to the Chief Financial Officer:

#### **Financial Services**

Financial Services ensures the System's efficient operation by effectively managing and reporting on the System's overall financial position, ensuring compliance with current legal and regulatory requirements, and providing timely financial support, services, and guidance to internal and external stakeholders. This group is further broken down into the following departments:

- Financial Planning Responsible for the short and long range financial plan and developing and implementing the budget;
- Accounting Manages payroll, general records, property records, and accounts payable;
- Finance and Treasury Responsible for the securitization and overall management of the System's debt; investment, cash, and bank relationship management; and remittance processing;
- · Purchasing Manages the processing and contracting of all purchasing requests for material, supplies, and services; and
- Supply Responsible for inventory and distribution support of all materials for the System.

# **Information Services**

Information Services is responsible for the delivery of applications and information technology services, designed to promote innovation, to sustain growth and enabling the System to better serve the community. This group is further broken down into the following departments:

- Information Technology Provides the following services: data center services, network engineering services, IP telephony services, computer operations services, print shop services, client services, and desktop support services;
- Application Supports all functional areas of the System and responsible for the System's software from requirements and design through programming, configuration, implementation, 24/7 operations, upgrades and sustainability; and
- Program Management and Administration Includes Information Systems program administration, project management, business
  process re-engineering, quality assurance, organizational change management to support the System's Innovation and Technology
  strategies.

*Vice President – Customer Service.* The Vice President- Customer Service is responsible for providing the highest level of service to System customers at all times and responding in the most expedient and professional manner possible. This group is also responsible for the accurate and timely billing of System customers and maintenance of customer accounts. This group consists of the following departments:

- Billing Reviews the billing process for accuracy of all the System's bills printed daily; resolves customer service online billing issues;
- Customer Care Promptly handles all inbound telephone customer inquiries regarding billing, account information, service
  problems, and payments; and operates four full service walk-in locations;
- Field Operations Responsible for service turn-on/off requests; collection of delinquent accounts; fire hydrant meter readings; and setting, removing and testing water meters;
- Meter Reading Ensures that all the System's water meters are read on schedule, recorded and researched for accurate billing

- Revenue Collections Determines and ensures correct billing format for customer accounts; and handles inbound calls regarding collection of delinquent accounts; and
- Quality Responsible for training and process improvements throughout Customer Service.

*Vice President – Engineering and Construction.* The Vice President – Engineering and Construction coordinates the development and execution of the annual Capital Improvements Program. The group performs engineering analysis of existing facilities and plans new infrastructure to meet the increasing water and wastewater demands of the growing community. The group also designs and manages the construction of new and replacement water and wastewater infrastructure. The Engineering and Construction Department is further broken down into the following departments:

- Infrastructure Planning Manages the System's impact fee program, maintains infrastructure maps and GIS databases; develops water and wastewater master plans, and manages new development;
- Production, Recycle, Treatment Engineering Handles planning, design and construction management for water production facilities and water recycling plants;
- Collection & Distribution Engineering Plans and designs the water distribution system and the wastewater collection system;
- Governmental Engineering Manages all intergovernmental capital projects;
- Pipeline Inspections Inspects pipeline construction projects and water supply projects, and manages the backflow prevention program; and
- Service Center Location Initiative Assesses service and customer center location needs; identifies the most cost-effective and operationally efficient facility plan for these service centers.

*Vice President and General Counsel.* The Vice President and General Counsel provides legal advice and counsel to the Board and System management and also oversees the Contracting and Corporate Real Estate Departments. This group consists of the following departments:

- Legal Provides full service, in-house legal support to the Board, Executive Management and staff; provides legal advice and opinions, researches legal issues, drafts legal documents and memoranda, and manages the activities of outside legal counsel;
- Contracting Manages the administration of all construction and professional services contracts; including those funded through TWDB; manages all System records in compliance with the Texas Local Government Records Act, Texas Public Information Act, and best records management practice; oversees administration of the System's Small, Minority and Women Owned Business Program; and
- Corporate Real Estate Responsible for property acquisitions, dispositions and lease management activities; manages third-party use of utility-owned property; supports all construction and maintenance activities by obtaining all rights of entry and easements involving access to property of third parties.

*Vice President - Human Resources.* The Vice President - Human Resources is responsible for all aspects of human resources as well as safety and environmental health. Human Resources engages in attracting, training, and retaining a workforce of qualified employees to help the System in reaching its organization goals and mission through a focus on excellence and continuous improvement. Human Resources consists of the following departments:

- Employment and Staffing Provides staffing and recruiting for both internal and external positions to promote workforce diversity and talent and obtain the most qualified candidates;
- Compensation & Benefits Plans, develops, and manages the employees' compensation and benefit and wellness programs to ensure competitive and cost-effective plans and programs are in place;
- Employee Development & Communications Develops and administers a variety of employee programs including career development, orientations, education assistance, internship and mentoring programs;
- Training and Development– Establishes training objectives and strategies that integrate with the System's strategic plan and implements both in-house and off-site employee training for career and self-development;
- Risk Management- Manages all facets of SAWS' comprehensive commercial insurance program as well as the conduct of premises risk assessments;
- Safety Coordinates all SAWS safety activities and ensures a safe environment for all SAWS employees; and
- Claims Operates as an in-house insurance office for SAWS, handling all workers compensation, casualty and subrogation claims

Vice President – Public Affairs. The Vice President – Public Affairs is responsible for providing communications that engages proactive strategic outreach and partnerships to inform and involve the System's customers and stakeholders in the success of the organization. By building trust and understanding among ratepayers and decision makers, the System can more effectively administer San Antonio's water, wastewater, and water reuse services and manage the City's long-range water needs. This group consists of the following departments:

- Communications Provides communication through Creative Services, which is responsible for internal and external publications, and Public Relations, which is responsible for media relations to ensure accurate news coverage concerning the System and advertising for building and maintaining awareness of corporate programs, projects and image; and
- External Relations Covers all targeted community outreach efforts such as community relations with neighborhood leaders; inter-governmental relations with elected officials and agencies; and youth education in developing tomorrow's informed water customers.

Vice President - Water Resources and Conservation. The Vice President - Water Resources and Conservation is responsible for the development, management and conservation of water supplies, as well as drought management and water rights acquisitions. The Water

Resources and Conservation group is also responsible for all water quality issues and ensuring extensive sampling and monitoring for compliance purposes. The group consists of the following four departments:

- Water Resources Develops and implements long-term, sustainable water supply projects while proactively managing existing supplies;
- Conservation Delivers nationally recognized indoor and outdoor conservation programs that achieve cost-effective water savings;
- Resource Protection & Compliance Ensures water quality of all sources are protected; enforces the regulatory requirements established to protect regional water quality; monitors best management practices at construction sites; utilizes an extensive sampling and monitoring network for compliance purposes; and
- Laboratory Services Provides analytical services; activities include sample testing, environmental and safety tests, regulatory reporting, analytical planning, training and quality assurance. The lab is certified by the National Environmental Laboratory Accreditation Conference.

#### UTILITY SYSTEM

The System includes all water resources, properties, facilities, and plants owned, operated, and maintained by the City relating to supply, storage, treatment, transmission, and distribution of treated potable water, and chilled water (collectively, the "Waterworks System"); collection and treatment of wastewater (the "Wastewater System"); and treatment and reuse of wastewater (the "Water Reuse System"). The System does not include any "Special Projects" which are declared by the City, upon the recommendation of the Board, not to be part of the System and are financed with obligations payable from sources other than ad valorem taxes, Pledged Revenues, or Net Revenues or any water or water-related properties and facilities owned by the City as part of its electric and gas system. See "SECURITY FOR THE BONDS – Pledged Revenues" herein and "APPENDIX D - SELECTED PROVISIONS OF THE ORDINANCE" herein. The District Special Project (defined herein) is a Special Project that is not currently part of the System prior to integration with the System (to occur by 2017). See "THE DISTRICT SPECIAL PROJECT" herein.

In addition to the water related utilities, which the Board has under its control, on May 13, 1993, the City Council approved Ordinance No. 77949 which established initial responsibilities over the stormwater quality program with the Board and adopted a schedule of rates to be charged for stormwater drainage services and programs. As of the date hereof, the stormwater program is deemed to not be a part of the System. (See "THE SAN ANTONIO WATER SYSTEM - Stormwater System" herein.)

Since 2006 the System has submitted 21 separate applications to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality ("TCEQ") to expand its CCN or service areas, for water and sewer service, to the ETJ boundary of the City. These applications have added 28,309 acres to the water service area and 276,849 acres to the sewer service area. When the TCEQ grants a CCN to a water or sewer purveyor, it provides that purveyor with a monopoly for retail service. By expanding the CCN to the ETJ, developments needing retail water and sewer service within the ETJ must apply to SAWS. Service can then be provided according to System standards, avoiding small, undersized systems servicing new development. The expansion of the CCN to the ETJ supports development regulations for the City. Within the ETJ, the City has certain standards for the development that ensure areas developed in the ETJ and then annexed by the City will already have some City development regulations in place.

#### WATERWORKS SYSTEM

The City acquired its Waterworks System in 1925 through the acquisition of the San Antonio Water Supply Company, a privately owned company. Since such time and until 1992, when the System was created, management and operation of the Waterworks System was under the control of the City Water Board. The System's authority to provide potable water service within a defined area was established by Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity No. 10640 ("CCN") originally issued by the Public Utility Commission of Texas on November 1, 1979, as amended and updated with substantial expansion as reflected in its certificate currently on file at the TCEQ. The System's Waterworks System service area currently extends over approximately 662 square miles, making it the largest water purveyor in Bexar County. The System serves approximately 80% of the water utility customers in Bexar County (which amount increases to approximately 92% when factoring the customers of the DSP). As of November 30, 2014, the System provided potable water service to approximately 374,000 customer connections. Potable water service is provided to residential, commercial, multifamily, industrial and wholesale accounts. The System monitors its Waterworks System on a constant basis to ensure compliance with the Safe Drinking Water Act. (See "ENVIRONMENTAL MATTERS" herein.)

The Waterworks System currently utilizes 27 elevated storage tanks and 38 ground storage reservoirs, of which 12 act as both, with combined storage capacities of 200 million gallons. As of November 30, 2014, the Waterworks System had installed 5,113 miles of distribution mains, ranging in size from 4 inches to 61 inches in diameter, the majority of which are between 6 inches and 12 inches in diameter.

# WASTEWATER SYSTEM

The City Council created the City Wastewater System in 1894. A major sewer system expansion program began in 1960 with bond proceeds for new treatment facilities and an enlargement of the Wastewater System. In 1970, the City became the regional agent of the TCEQ. In 1992, the Wastewater System was consolidated with the City's Waterworks and Recycling Systems to form the System.

The System serves a substantial portion of the residents of the City, 12 governmental entities and other customers outside the corporate limits of the City. As regional agent, the System has certain prescribed boundaries that currently cover an area of approximately 630 square miles. The System also coordinates with the City for wastewater planning for the City's total planning area, its ETJ, of approximately 1,107 square miles. The population for this planning area is approximately 1.7 million people. As of November 30, 2014, the System provided wastewater services to approximately 424,000 customer connections.

In addition to the treatment facilities owned by SAWS, there are six privately owned and operated sewage and treatment plants within the City's ETL

The Wastewater System is composed of approximately 5,300 miles of mains and three major treatment plants, Dos Rios, Leon Creek and Medio Creek. All three plants are conventional activated sludge facilities. The System holds Texas Pollutant Discharge Elimination System ("TPDES") wastewater discharge permits, issued by the TCEQ for 187 million gallons per day ("MGD") in treatment capacity and 46 MGD in reserve permit capacity. See "ENVIRONMENTAL MATTERS" herein. The permitted flows from the Wastewater System's three regional treatment plants represent approximately 98% of the municipal discharges within the City's ETJ.

#### CHILLED WATER SYSTEM

The System owns, operates, and maintains five thermal energy facilities providing chilled water services to governmental and private entities. Two of the facilities, located in the City's downtown area, provide chilled water to 21 customers. They include various City facilities such as the Henry B. Gonzalez Convention Center and the Alamodome, which constitute a large percentage of the System's downtown chilled water annual production requirements. In addition to City facilities, the two central plants also provide chilled water service to a number of major hotels in the downtown area, including the Grand Hyatt, Marriott Riverwalk and Hilton Palacio Del Rio. The other three thermal facilities, owned and operated by the System, are located at the Port of San Antonio industrial area (formerly Kelly USA) and provide chilled water to large industrial customers that include Lockheed Martin and Boeing Aerospace. The System's chilled water producing capacity places it as one of the largest producers of chilled water in south Texas. The chilled water system had gross revenues of \$10.8 million in Fiscal Year 2013.

Prior to June 2014, the System was providing thermal steam services to 11 downtown customers from a central downtown plant. In light of advancements in modular heating technology, it became increasingly apparent in recent years that continuing to operate a centralized steam system was not sustainable economically over the long term for the System or its customers. As a consequence, working in close coordination with customers to ensure uninterrupted heating services, the System discontinued steam service in June of 2014. The System anticipates this action to have a positive financial impact as a result of operational costs savings outweighing any resultant loss in revenues.

#### RECYCLING WATER SYSTEM

The System is permitted to sell Type I (higher quality) recycled water from its Water Recycling Centers located on the City's south side, and has been doing so since 2000. The water recycling program is designed to provide 35,000 acre-feet per year of recycled water to commercial and industrial businesses in the City. The original system was comprised of two major transmission lines, running east and west. In 2008, these two major transmission lines were interconnected at the northern end, providing additional flexibility to this valuable water resource. In 2013, an additional Water Recycling Center and pipeline was connected to the western line, providing further recycled water system redundancy. Currently, approximately 130 miles of pipeline deliver highly treated effluent to approximately 60 customers. Recycled water is being delivered for industrial processes, cooling towers, and irrigation of golf courses and parks, all of which would otherwise rely on potable-quality water. Aside from supporting the local economy, this water recycling system also releases water into the upper San Antonio River and Salado Creek to sustain base flows. The result has been significant and lasting environmental improvements for the aquatic ecosystems in these streams.

Combined with the 50,000 acre-feet per year used by CPS Energy, this is the largest recycled water system in the United States. The System recently amended its contract with CPS Energy to provide such recycled water through 2060. The revenues derived from the CPS Contract have been excluded from the calculation of Gross Revenues, and are not included in any transfers by SAWS to the City.

# STORMWATER SYSTEM

The Texas Pollutant Discharge Elimination System ("TPDES") is administered by the TCEQ. The System is a co-permittee with the City and Texas Department of Transportation ("TxDOT") under TPDES Permit No. WQ0004284000 (the "Stormwater Permit"). The Stormwater Permit was originally issued on September 28, 2007 and amended on April 11, 2011, but expired on September 28, 2012. The co-permittees continue to operate under the terms of the expired permit until its renewal by the TCEQ. The Stormwater Permit identifies the joint and individual requirements of the City, TxDOT, and the System. Each of the co-permittees have developed a Stormwater Management Plan outlining their operational responsibilities. See "ENVIRONMENTAL MATTERS" herein. An agreement between the System and the City for stormwater services has been in place since October 3, 1996.

In September of 1997, the City established a Stormwater Utility by ordinance. The System is contractually obligated to perform certain program requirements as described in the Stormwater Permit. The City has the overall responsibility for the program. The approved annual budget for the System's share of program responsibilities for Fiscal Year 2014 was approximately \$4.4 million for which the System anticipates being reimbursed in full from the stormwater utility fee imposed by the City.

# WATER SUPPLY

In 1996, the City Council initiated the current era of San Antonio water supply planning when it appointed a 34-member citizens committee to develop strategic policies and goals for management of the City's water resources. The Citizens Committee on Water Policy report, entitled "A Framework for Progress: Recommended Water Policy Strategy for the San Antonio Area," was unanimously accepted by the City Council and became the foundation of the System's efforts. On November 5, 1998, the City Council accepted the Water Resources Plan entitled "Securing Our Water Future Together" (the "1998 Plan") as the first comprehensive, widely supported water resource plan for the City. The 1998 Plan established programs for immediate implementation, as well as a process for developing long-term water resources. In October 2000, the City Council created a permanent funding mechanism (known as the Water Supply Fee) for water supply development and water quality protection through Ordinance No. 92753. The Water Supply Fee provides a specific fund for the development of water resources.

In August 2005, the Board unanimously approved the Water Resource Plan 2005 Update (the "2005 Update"). The 2005 Update represented a comprehensive review of the assumptions governing population and per capita consumption projections in Bexar County through 2050. The 2005 Update included an analysis of each water supply alternative available for meeting future needs and demonstrated the System's commitment to obtain additional water supplies. The projected capital cost of the water supply projects approved in the 2005 Update totaled more than \$2 billion. As a result of continuing concerns relative to the cost of the projects identified, potential changes in projects, and changes in SAWS personnel, a new Water Supply Task Force was assembled in June 2008 to review, evaluate, and update the System's Water Resource plan. This task force, completed its review in early 2009. After a comprehensive public outreach period, the Board and the City Council approved the 2009 Water Management Plan. The 2009 Water Management Plan Update was subsequently updated in 2012 to incorporate the results of the 2010 United States Census, the integration of the Bexar Metropolitan Water District with the System, changes in water resource projects, the results of the Edwards Aquifer Habitat Conservation Plan, and additional information on supply and demand during drought. This effort resulted in the 2012 Water Management Plan, which was approved by the SAWS Board on December 4, 2012.

The 2012 Water Management Plan outlines a diversified foundation for the City's water supply. While the Edwards Aquifer will always be the cornerstone of San Antonio's water supply, the System has already successfully developed several alternative water sources, such as Canyon Lake, the Trinity Aquifer, and the Carrizo Aquifer. The System's recycled water program provides highly treated wastewater to CPS Energy and other industrial and commercial customers who would otherwise use potable water. The System's underground Aquifer Storage and Recovery reservoir allows SAWS to collect unused Edwards Aquifer water during wet years and use it in times of drought.

As of December 31, 2014, the System's unrestricted, permitted contractual water supply includes the following:

- Edwards Aquifer, 255,102 acre-feet, which represents 58% of the System's total supply;
- Twin Oaks Aquifer Storage and Recovery ("ASR") underground storage, 73,527 acre-feet, which represents 16% of total supply;
- Recycled Water to CPS Energy, 50,000 acre-feet, which represents 11% of total supply;
- Recycled Water to other customers, 25,000 acre-feet, which represents 6% of total supply;
- Canyon Lake, 8,500 acre-feet, which represents 2% of total supply;
- Regional Carrizo Aquifer, 17,200 acre-feet, which represents 4% of total supply;
- Local Carrizo Aquifer, 9,850 acre-feet, which represents 2% of total supply; and
- Trinity Aquifer, 3,500 acre-feet, which represents slightly less than 1% of total supply.

See "THE SAN ANTONIO WATER SYSTEM – Water Transmission and Purchase Agreement for Carrizo and Simsboro Aquifer Water" herein for a description of a recent (and significant) water resource acquisition.

#### EDWARDS AQUIFER BACKGROUND

For most of its modern history, the City obtained nearly all of its water from the Edwards Aquifer. The Edwards Aquifer lies beneath an area approximately 3,600 square miles in size. Including its recharge zone, it underlies all or part of 13 counties, varying from five to 30 miles in width, and stretching over 175 miles in length, beginning in Brackettville, Kinney County, Texas, in the west and stretching to Kyle, Hays County, Texas, in the east. The Edwards Aquifer receives most of its water from rainfall runoff, rivers, and streams flowing across the 4,400 square miles of drainage basins located above it.

Much of the Edwards Aquifer region consists of agricultural land, but it also includes areas of population ranging from communities with only a few hundred residents to the City and its surrounding metropolis, which serves as a home for nearly two million residents. In 2014, the Edwards Aquifer directly supplied approximately 73% of the potable water for municipal, domestic, industrial, and commercial needs for the System's service area. Naturally occurring artesian springs, such as the Comal Springs and the San Marcos Springs, are fed by Edwards Aquifer water and are utilized for commercial, municipal, agricultural, and recreational purposes, while at the same time supporting ecological systems containing rare and unique aquatic life.

The Edwards Aquifer is recharged by seepage from streams and by precipitation infiltrating directly into the cavernous, honeycombed, limestone outcroppings in its north and northwestern area. Practically continuous recharge is furnished by spring fed streams, with storm water runoff adding additional recharge. The historical annual recharge, from 1934 to the present, to the reservoir is approximately 556,900 acre-feet. The average annual recharge over the last four decades is approximately 695,900 acre-feet. The lowest recorded recharge was 43,000 acre-feet in 1956, while the highest was 2,485,000 acre-feet in 1992. Recharge has been increased by the construction of recharge dams over an area of the Edwards Aquifer exposed to the surface known as the recharge zone. The recharge dams, or flood-retarding structures, slow floodwaters and allow much of the water that would have otherwise bypassed the recharge zone to infiltrate the Edwards Aquifer.

# EDWARDS AQUIFER REGULATION

In 1993, the Texas Legislature adopted the Edwards Aquifer Authority Act. This act created the Edwards Aquifer Authority ("EAA" or "Edwards Aquifer Authority") as a conservation and reclamation district under Article XVI, Section 59, of the Texas Constitution. The EAA is governed by a 17 member Board of Directors, with 15 voting directors elected from single member districts apportioned to counties within the EAA's jurisdiction, and two non-voting directors appointed to reflect downstream and western regional interests, all pursuant to and in accordance with the Edwards Aquifer Act. The EAA has broad powers to manage, conserve, preserve, and protect the Edwards Aquifer and to increase the recharge of, and prevent the waste or pollution of water in, the aquifer. Among other charges, the EAA was directed to limit groundwater withdrawals from the Edwards Aquifer through a permitting system. The EAA was also directed by the Texas Legislature to ensure that, not later than December 31, 2012, the continuous minimum springflows of the Comal Springs (in New Braunfels) and the San Marcos Springs (in San Marcos) are maintained to protect endangered and threatened species to the extent required by federal law and to achieve other purposes of the EAA Act. To date, the EAA's exercise of power has been primarily limited to managing Edward Aquifer withdrawals, although the EAA has initiated efforts in recent years to regulate water quality (as evidenced by its adoption of rules concerning water quality).

As a consequence of the EAA's permitting regime, the System's access to Edwards Aquifer supplies is now limited to its highest, pre-1991 annual historic use plus any additional permitted withdrawal rights that the System can acquire by lease or purchase. As of December 31, 2014, through permitting, purchases, and leases, the System has access to 255,102 acre-feet per year of Edwards Aquifer groundwater withdrawal rights, which is approximately 45% of the regional pumping cap. See "THE SAN ANTONIO WATER SYSTEM – Edwards Aquifer Recovery Implementation Program and the Edwards Aquifer Habitat Conservation Plan" herein. Approximately 224,683 acre-feet of this inventory is owned and the remainder leased. The 2012 Water Management Plan also identified the potential purchase or lease a total of 10,900 acre-feet of additional Edwards Aquifer water in the period between 2012 and 2020. All Edwards Aquifer permitted withdrawal rights are subject to ongoing regulation by the EAA, with more stringent use limitations applied during periods of drought.

#### EDWARDS AQUIFER MANAGEMENT; CITY'S EDWARDS AQUIFER MANAGEMENT PLAN

Edwards Aquifer Authority. Pursuant to applicable Texas law, including the Edwards Aquifer Authority Act and legislation enrolled subsequent thereto serving to supplement and/or amend this legislation, the EAA has adopted rules that require a reduction in the amount of permitted Edwards Aquifer water rights that may be pumped annually for the duration of a drought event. During a period of drought management, water rights are impacted on a pro rata basis based on the number of days of a calendar year that there exists a particular category of drought (depending on severity) requiring a reduction in pumping. Reductions of permitted rights to withdraw water are generally applied to all permit holders, though there do exist some limited exceptions applicable to agriculture users. The various stages of reduction in permitted water rights are declared by the EAA Board of Directors and impact the System's access to its permitted Edwards Aquifer water rights, without input or action by the City or the System. The EAA's drought triggers and requisite reduction in pumping for the San Antonio and Uvalde Pools of the Edwards Aquifer are indicated in the following tables. The entirety of the System's Edwards Aquifer water rights are subject to the restrictions associated with the San Antonio Pool.

| SAN ANTONIO POOL                  |                     |                      |                                      |                      |  |  |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------|----------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------|--|--|
|                                   | San Marcos Springs  | Index Well J-17      |                                      | Withdrawal Reduction |  |  |
| Comal Springs Flow <sup>(1)</sup> | Flow <sup>(1)</sup> | Level <sup>(2)</sup> | Critical Period Stage <sup>(3)</sup> | (%)                  |  |  |
| < 225                             | < 96                | < 660                | I                                    | 20                   |  |  |
| < 200                             | < 80                | < 650                | II                                   | 30                   |  |  |
| < 150                             | N/A                 | < 640                | III                                  | 35                   |  |  |
| < 100                             | N/A                 | < 630                | IV                                   | 40                   |  |  |
| < 45/40 <sup>(4)</sup>            | N/A                 | < 625                | $V^{(4)}$                            | 44                   |  |  |

| UVALDE POOL                       |   |   |                                      |                          |  |  |
|-----------------------------------|---|---|--------------------------------------|--------------------------|--|--|
| Comal Springs Flow <sup>(1)</sup> | San Marcos Springs<br>Flow <sup>(1)</sup> | Index Well J-27<br>Level <sup>(2)</sup> | Critical Period Stage <sup>(3)</sup> | Withdrawal Reduction (%) |  |  |
| N/A                               | N/A                                       | N/A                                     | I                                    | N/A                      |  |  |
| N/A                               | N/A                                       | < 850                                   | II                                   | 5                        |  |  |
| N/A                               | N/A                                       | < 845                                   | III                                  | 20                       |  |  |
| N/A                               | N/A                                       | < 842                                   | IV                                   | 35                       |  |  |
| N/A                               | N/A                                       | < 840                                   | V                                    | 44                       |  |  |

<sup>(1)</sup> Measured in cubic feet per second.

The San Antonio Pool is currently in Critical Period Stage III (effective November 9, 2014) and the Uvalde Pool is currently in Critical Period Stage V. For additional information on the various levels of drought restrictions imposed by the EAA and current level of the Edwards Aquifer, see www.edwardsaquifer.org.

City's Edwards Aquifer Management Plan. In addition, and separate and apart from the EAA's rules governing withdrawal of Edwards Aquifer water during drought, the City has established a proactive Aquifer Management Plan to manage the region's water resources during periods of drought. Established by City ordinance, the Aquifer Management Plan also restricts water use based on specific levels of the Edwards Aquifer. The City approved the following Edwards Aquifer level triggers in 2009 and updated specific regulations associated with each trigger in 2013.

Year Round – Year round restrictions are in effect when the Edwards Aquifer level is above 660 feet mean sea level at the monitored well (J-17 Index Well). During year round watering restrictions, SAWS customers are permitted to water landscape with an irrigation system or sprinkler any day of the week between the hours of 8 p.m. and 10 a.m.

Stage One – Stage One restrictions begin when the 10-day rolling average of the Edwards Aquifer level drops to 660 feet mean sea level at the monitored well (J-17 Index Well). SAWS customers are limited to one-day-per week landscape watering with an irrigation system or sprinkler based on the last number of the customer's street address and are only allowed to water between the hours of 8:00 p.m. and 10:00 a.m.

<sup>(2)</sup> Measured in mean sea level.
(3) A change to a critical period

A change to a critical period stage with higher withdrawal reduction percentages, including initially into Stage I for the San Antonio Pool and Stage II for the Uvalde Pool, is triggered if the 10-day average of daily springflows at the Comal Springs or the San Marcos Springs or the 10-day average of daily Aquifer levels at the J-17 or J-27 Index Wells, as applicable, drop below the lowest number of any of the trigger levels for that stage. A change from any critical period stage to a critical period stage with a lower withdrawal reduction percentage, including existing from Stage I for the San Antonio Pool and Stage II for the Uvalde Pool, is triggered only when the 10-day average of daily springflows at the Comal Springs and the San Marcos Springs and the 10-day average of daily Aquifer levels at the J-17 or J-27 Index Wells, as applicable, are all above the same stage trigger level.

<sup>(4)</sup> In order to enter into Critical Period Stage V, the applicable springflow trigger is either less than 45 cubic feet per second based on a ten-day rolling average or less than 40 cubic feet per second based on a three-day rolling average. Expiration of Critical Period Stage V is based on a ten-day rolling average of 45 cubic feet per second or greater.

Stage Two – Stage Two restrictions begin when the 10-day rolling average of the Edwards Aquifer level drops to 650 feet mean sea level at the monitored well (J-17 Index Well). SAWS customers are limited to one-day-per week landscape watering with an irrigation system or sprinkler based on the last number of the customer's street address and are only allowed to water from 7 a.m. to 11 a.m. and from 7 p.m. to 11 p.m. on their assigned day.

Stage Three – Stage Three restrictions may begin when the 10-day rolling average of the Edwards Aquifer level drops to 640 feet mean sea level at the monitored well (J-17 Index Well) and the total supply of water to SAWS from the Edwards Aquifer and other available sources is insufficient to meet customer demand while complying with applicable regulations governing water supply withdrawals. SAWS customers are limited to landscape watering with an irrigation system or sprinkler once every other week based on the last number of the customer's street address and are only allowed to water from 7 a.m. to 11 a.m. and from 7 p.m. to 11 p.m. on their assigned day.

Stage Four – Stage Four restrictions may be declared if the total supply of water from the Edwards Aquifer and other available water sources to SAWS is insufficient to meet customer demand while complying with applicable regulations governing water supply withdrawals. Stage Four restrictions may be declared at the discretion of the City Manager upon completion of a 30-day monitoring period following Stage Three declaration. SAWS customers are limited to landscape watering with an irrigation system or sprinkler once every other week based on the last number of the customer's street address and are only allowed to water from 7 a.m. to 11 a.m. and from 7 p.m. to 11 p.m. on their assigned day. Also during Stage Four, a drought surcharge is assessed on all accounts for water used or assumed to be used for landscape irrigation. The surcharge is the highest volumetric rate assessed by SAWS and is assessed on any residential and irrigation account with monthly water usage exceeding 12,717 and 5,236 gallons, respectively. The surcharge rate is assessed in addition to the regular water and wastewater rates.

Due to varying weather patterns, the City has been in and out of drought restrictions based on the fluctuating mean sea level of the Edwards Aquifer at the J-17 monitoring well as well as changes in spring flow. See "THE SAN ANTONIO WATER SYSTEM – Ongoing Drought Management Efforts" for the System's efforts relative to ongoing drought management and the potential impact thereof. As of the date hereof, the City is in Stage Two drought restrictions.

#### EDWARDS AQUIFER RECOVERY IMPLEMENTATION PROGRAM AND THE EDWARDS AQUIFER HABITAT CONSERVATION PLAN

In 2007, the Texas Legislature adopted legislation commonly known as Senate Bill 3 ("SB 3") to address various water-related environmental issues confronting the State. Among other provisions, the legislation established a new, higher pumping cap of 572,000 acre-feet for the Edwards Aquifer, thus making more water available for pumping when Edwards Aquifer levels are high. However, it also incorporated into State statute certain existing regulatory restrictions on water availability during periods of drought. When Edwards Aquifer levels at certain gauges and springflows at Comal Springs and San Marcos Springs fall to identified trigger points, pumping allocations are reduced by the EAA by 20% to 44% depending on the severity of the drought. In February 2009, the City's Code of Ordinances was updated to ensure that restrictions on water usage by City residents are permitted to commence in close proximity to the occurrence of these restrictions on pumping by SAWS and other water purveyors in the City. (See "THE SAN ANTONIO WATER SYSTEM – Edwards Aquifer Management; City's Edwards Aquifer Management Plan".) The EAA made changes to these restrictions in 2012 as part of the Edwards Aquifer Habitat Conservation Plan ("HCP").

SB 3 also directed the EAA to develop a Recovery Implementation Program for federally listed threatened or endangered species associated with the Edwards Aquifer. The legislation called for the program to be developed through a facilitated, consensus-based process that involved input from the United States Fish and Wildlife Service (the "USFWS" or the "Service"), other appropriate federal agencies, and all interested stakeholders. The EAA and certain State agencies were specifically charged to develop and execute a program document that may be in the form of an HCP used in issuance of an Incidental Take Permit.

In response to this directive, the EAA and various regional stakeholders initiated the Edwards Aquifer Recovery Implementation Program ("EARIP") in 2007 pursuant to a Memorandum of Agreement and various other documents. The EARIP was managed by a steering committee of 26 voting members representing a wide cross-section of regional interests, including the System. The System was represented with one vote on this Steering Committee. Multiple other stakeholders are also participating in the program. The EARIP engaged Dr. Robert Gulley, a scientist and attorney with extensive experience in Endangered Species Act issues, as its program manager and Texas A&M University for program administrative support. The EARIP also engaged a professional facilitation team and appointed an expert science committee to guide the program's work.

Acting through work groups, committees, and meetings of the whole, the EARIP actively pursued its legislative mandates. The System participated at all levels through its Steering Committee representative and a team of staff professionals. The EARIP elected to develop the HCP as the program document required by SB 3.

On November 7, 2011, the EARIP steering committee and stakeholders endorsed the final draft of the HCP, an Implementing Agreement, and a Funding and Management Agreement by a vote of 24-1 (with one abstention) all of which were recommended to the Board of Directors of the EAA. The steering committee members who objected or abstained from the recommendation clearly stated support of the program as a whole, but declined to endorse the funding method. The stakeholders and the members of the Steering Committee reached broad consensus on the fundamental elements and associated details of a multi-year adaptive management plan which formed the foundation of the HCP in support of the desired Incidental Take Permit with a term of 15 years. The stakeholders also reached consensus on the level of springflow to be achieved by Phase One of the management plan. Studies and action undertaken during Phase One will determine whether different levels of springflow need to be pursued in Phase Two.

The City, acting by and through SAWS, along with the EAA, the City of New Braunfels, the City of San Marcos, and Texas State University – San Marcos, filed an application for an Incidental Take Permit ("ITP") to protect future groundwater withdrawals from the Edwards Aquifer and other activities affecting listed threatened or endangered species associated with the Edwards Aquifer. On March 18, 2013, the Service approved the submitted HCP and issued Incidental Take Permit No. TE63663A-0.

These five entities are individually, and in certain cases collectively, responsible for implementing the conservation measures, as well as the minimization and mitigation measures, defined in the HCP. With the addition of the Guadalupe-Blanco River Authority ("GBRA") as a non-voting observer, these five partners comprise the HCP Implementing Committee. The HCP Implementing Committee is responsible for supervising all aspects of the implementation of the HCP, including routine decisions and strategic policy matters. The HCP Implementing Committee operates under a requirement of 100% consensus agreement. The System is active and engaged in the HCP Implementing Committee.

The Steering Committee of the EARIP has transitioned into the role of a Stakeholder Committee. The Stakeholder Committee will consult with and advise the program manager and HCP Implementing Committee. The System is represented on and engages with the Stakeholder Committee.

The Phase One activities associated with ensuring minimum continuous springflows will include a Voluntary Irrigation Pumping Suspension Option ("VISPO"), a Regional Conservation Program, prescribed use of the ASR Facility, and a EAA Critical Period Stage V Drought Management stage as a back-up to the other activities. The ASR commitment anticipates that the EAA or appropriate contractor, currently the San Antonio River Authority ("SARA"), will lease and deliver to SAWS up to 50,000 acre-feet of Edwards Aquifer groundwater withdrawal rights for pumping and storage in the ASR Facility during periods of water availability. SAWS will then be required at certain drought trigger levels over a 10-year period equal to the drought of record to forbear pumping from the Edwards Aquifer in like amounts to what was previously stored on behalf of the EAHCP (up to 46,300 acre-feet of water in the driest year). SAWS may use the ASR, or other supplies of water, to accomplish this forbearance at its discretion. EAA Critical Period Stage V pumping restrictions will reduce firm yield of Edwards Aquifer permits to 56% of the face permit amount if the San Antonio Pool of the Edwards Aquifer reaches one of the Stage V trigger levels discussed previously. The 2012 Water Management Plan accounts for and addresses these changes.

In addition to the springflow management activities, the proposed management plan requires mitigation and habitat restoration activities at the Comal and San Marcos Springs. These activities include recreation management, additional biological research, modeling enhancement, expansion of refugia facilities and control of non-native species.

Total average annual cost over the term of the Phase One activities is currently estimated to be \$17.4 million (funding for which is described below).

In addition to the Phase One conservation measures, additional modeling and scientific research will be conducted during Phase One as part of the adaptive management process. Phase One conservation measures will continue in Phase Two unless terminated by a decision of the Permit holders. An additional, or "presumptive", Phase Two conservation measure has been identified for implementation if monitoring indicates that the results of the Phase One activities are inadequate to provide the necessary habitat protection, and no other Phase Two measure is agreed upon by all of the Permit holders. This presumptive Phase Two activity will be expanded use of the ASR, after completion of the water resources integration pipeline. The concept generally involves using the expanded pipeline capacity to deliver the same volume of water (46,300 acre-feet) more quickly from the ASR into the SAWS distribution system, thereby also more quickly reducing pumping at selected SAWS pumping facilities during deep, extended drought periods. Current aquifer models indicate that additional reductions in pumping in EAA Critical Period Stage V (to 47%) may be necessary to accomplish the level of minimum springflow protectiveness outlined in the HCP. The applied research in Phase One, including aquifer model refinements and improvements, biological studies, ecological studies, and species life history requirements investigations will provide a basis for a better-informed scientific assessment of the necessity of Phase Two, the springflow levels, and the appropriateness of the habitat goals within the HCP. The impact of these additional pumping restrictions on the 2012 Water Management Plan has not yet been fully analyzed.

In 2011, the EARIP determined that the imposition of fees on pumpers of Edwards Aquifer groundwater was the best available way to fund the activities. Due to the legislative cap on agricultural pumping fees, the burden of EARIP's program costs fell upon municipal and industrial pumpers. The Edwards Aquifer Authority approved an annual special program fee of \$50/acre-foot to support the HCP (in addition to the standard EAA management fee), which became effective April 2, 2012. The Edwards Aquifer Authority fees for 2014 were \$84/acre-foot. The 2015 Edwards Aquifer Authority budget continues to set a flat fee of \$84/acre-foot.

The HCP-supported activities of 2014 were focused on ecological restoration of critical habitat and low-flow biological and ecological monitoring. Steady progress was also made on both the ecological and groundwater models under development. Springflow in the Comal and San Marcos ecosystems decreased to the point of triggering a provision of the ITP that required suspension of certain restoration activities for a significant portion of the year. Autumn rains brought springflow back above these levels, and a permit amendment clarifying this provision allowed restoration activities to resume in late 2014. In September 2014, in anticipation of a year of triggered payments, the VISPO program was fully subscribed, with more than 40,000 acre-feet of Edwards Aquifer permits enrolled. The 2014 year also marked the first time VISPO triggered, with the Edwards Aquifer level several feet below the VISPO trigger threshold. This amount of enrolled water will be, therefore, suspended from use for the 2015 growing season. The effects of triggering VISPO on Edwards Aquifer levels in 2015 are not known but will be studied. 2014 also marked the first full year of operations under a complex Interlocal Contract developed in 2013 between the System and the EAA for the use and management of the ASR Facility for springflow protection purposes. The EAA issued nine notices of available groundwater for storage in the ASR in 2014 for 6,202 acre-feet (though critical period reductions reduced this amount to 4,031 acre-feet). The System successfully stored approximately 4,031 acre-feet in the ASR for the EAHCP in 2014. In the event of a return to drought of record-like conditions as specified in the Interlocal Contract and the HCP, SAWS will be required to further forbear pumping from the Edwards Aquifer beyond required reductions in the amount provided by the EAA. SAWS has several options to accomplish this forbearance including: using HCP provided stored water, conservation measures, or additional water supplies. Determining whether the region has returned to drought of recordlike conditions is based on the level of the 10-year average of Edwards Aquifer recharge in combination with J-17 Index Well levels. The most recently calculated (2004-2013) 10-year rolling average of Edwards Aquifer recharge is 714,960 acre-feet. Based on the recorded levels of annual recharge during the last 10 years, and should drought conditions continue or worsen, 2016 is the earliest potential date that such a determination could be made.

Leasing activities by the EAA for the ASR springflow protection program enrolled 6,202 acre-feet in various lease frameworks, approximately 37% of the goal for the first tier of leases. Enrollment is expected to continue in 2015, but is being slowed by drought and changes to the Edwards Aquifer water market. The EAA also engaged the services of the National Academies of Science – National Research Council to empanel a Science Review Panel to provide independent, objective scientific review in late 2013. That panel's work began in 2014 and will continue through 2019. The panel's first report is anticipated in early 2015.

In 2013, the HCP was nominated for and awarded the prestigious Secretary of the Interior's Partners in Conservation Award, a national award presented annually to the nation's premier conservation programs. The Partners in Conservation Awards recognize outstanding examples of conservation achievements that highlight cooperation among diverse federal, state, and local governments; public and private entities; non-profit organizations; and individuals. The Award was presented by the Secretary of the Interior to the HCP participants, including the System, in January 2014 in Washington, D.C.

# TWIN OAKS AQUIFER STORAGE AND RECOVERY

An ASR project involves injecting ground or surface water into an aquifer, storing it and later retrieving it for use. Essentially, it accomplishes storage that is traditionally provided through surface water reservoirs without the concern of evaporation. The ASR is primarily designed to optimize use of water from the Edwards Aquifer; the optimization takes place when aquifer levels are high and the System is able to store excess Edwards Aquifer water rights to help offset demand on the Edwards Aquifer when those levels reach critical stages in future years. During those critical stages the System will deliver stored Edwards Aquifer water from ASR to its customers; it is during this time that the aquifer is most vulnerable to increased demand. The reduced demand helps slow the downward trend of declining levels until rain events return to recharge the aquifer. In December 2002, the Evergreen Underground Water Conservation District and the System approved an Aquifer Protection and Management Agreement. This agreement ensures operation of the ASR if the property is annexed into the district, manages groundwater production, and commits the System to monitoring water levels and mitigation of potential negative impacts.

The System began study of an ASR project in 1996, acquired 3,200 acres in southern Bexar County and completed construction of Phase I of the \$125 million ASR project and the approximately \$60 million "integration facilities" to transport this water into the System's distribution system. Phase I of the project was dedicated on June 18, 2004 and gave the System the ability to inject or recover up to 30,000 acre-feet of Edwards Aquifer water per year.

In 2006, the ASR was an integral component of the System's drought management strategy. Approximately 5,800 acre-feet of supplies were withdrawn during the hot, dry summer months in order to reduce peak demand during the drought period. The ASR helped curtail the continued decline long enough to allow autumn rainfall to recharge the Edwards Aquifer. The System's ASR facility was recognized in 2007 by the National Groundwater Association as the "2007 Outstanding Groundwater Project."

In 2008, the System continued capital improvements to complete Phase II of the project, which involved well field expansion and treatment plant improvements through the completion of 13 additional wells, the addition of a 7.5 million gallon storage tank, and the addition of various pumping facilities. The \$55 million Phase II expansion completed in January 2010 effectively doubled the System's ability to inject Edwards Aquifer groundwater of approximately 60,000 acre-feet per year and recover a significant volume to facilitate meeting demand. The System has continued to store water in the ASR. During 2011, the System withdrew approximately 13,218 acre-feet of water from the ASR for customer use to slow the rate of the water level decline of the Edwards Aquifer and delay as much as possible entering into a more restrictive stage of water use. During 2012, the System increased the storage in the ASR by nearly 7,000 acre-feet. In 2013, the ASR Facility was instrumental in weathering the third year of an ongoing drought, contributing 14,711 acre-feet of supply to the System (or about 6% of that year's demand). The drought continued in 2014, with the ASR Facility contributing 19,562 acre-feet of supply to the System, which amounted to approximately 8% of the year's demand. As a result of lessened demands attributable to cooler weather, the System began storing water on behalf of the HCP in November 2014. As of December 31, 2014, the System has stored the required 4,031 acre-feet for the HCP and stored an additional 783 acre-feet of water for its own behalf.

In the 2009 Water Management Plan, the role of the ASR was expanded to use the facility as a longer –term storage reserve and to expand the ASR storage capability to serve as a long-term strategy to optimize available water resources. Also, as described under "THE SAN ANTONIO WATER SYSTEM – Edwards Aquifer Recovery Implementation Program and the Edwards Aquifer Habitat Conservation Plan" herein, the ASR is an integral component of the HCP. As of December 31, 2014, the System had amassed net storage of approximately 73,500 acre-feet of water that will be used in long-term drought situations (including, possibly, the ongoing drought) to help meet the System's water needs. Of this amount, 4,031 acre-feet has been stored on behalf of the EAA in support of the HCP. Recent investigations contracted by the System have preliminary indications that ASR storage capacity may be as high as 200,000 acre-feet.

In January 2015, the System once again began drawing from the ASR to meet System demand. For additional discussion, see "THE SAN ANTONIO WATER SYSTEM - Ongoing Drought Impact and Management Efforts" herein.

# TRINITY AQUIFER PROJECTS

The System reached a milestone in February 2002 with the introduction of the first non-Edwards drinking water supply from the Lower Glen Rose/Cow Creek formation of the Trinity Aquifer in northern Bexar County. The System has wholesale contracts with Massah Corporation ("Oliver Ranch") and Sneckner Partners, Ltd. ("BSR Water Company") for delivery of up to 5,000 acre feet per year of non-Edwards groundwater from the Trinity Aquifer from two properties located in north-central Bexar County. The construction cost to produce and deliver this water supply was approximately \$15.8 million. Initial delivery of water from the Oliver Ranch project began in February 25, 2002 with BSR Water Company production commencing in July 2003 and becoming fully operational in June 2004.

During the five-year period 2009-2013, production from the Oliver Ranch and BSR Water Company projects ranged from approximately 1,700 acre-feet to 3,400 acre-feet.

In July 2012, SAWS, on behalf of the DSP, entered into an agreement with Water Exploration Company, Ltd. ("WECO") to purchase groundwater produced by WECO from the Trinity Aquifer. In connection with this agreement, two prior water purchase agreements between the DSP and WECO were terminated. The agreement has a term of 15 years, with two optional five year extensions. Currently, SAWS is obligated to purchase up to 17,000 acre-feet per year in monthly increments not to exceed 1,417 acre-feet, if water is made available. SAWS is only required to pay for delivered water meeting all state and federal drinking water standards. The DSP is responsible for payment of the first 5,000 acre-feet of water delivered to the agreed upon point of delivery, with SAWS being responsible for any water delivered to the agreed upon point of delivery in excess of 5,000 acre-feet. The well-field which is the subject of the agreement has never been pumped at full capacity. As a result, the actual amount of groundwater to be supplied within the constraints of the agreement will not be known until full production is underway. The cost of the water is consistent with the cost of other non-Edwards Aquifer water supplies being developed by SAWS.

During 2014, total production from the Trinity Aquifer under all three projects totaled 4,761 acre-feet. In severe drought, the 2012 Water Management Plan acknowledges that the Trinity Aquifer water may be reduced to 2,000 acre-feet per annum. Based upon the performance of the Trinity Aquifer during the currently ongoing drought, SAWS management has concluded that the firm yield on these projects in severe drought conditions may be even less than 2,000 acre-feet.

#### WESTERN CANYON PROJECT

The System, along with entities in Comal and Kendall Counties (together the "participants"), contracted with the GBRA to deliver water from the Canyon Lake Reservoir. The System has been receiving project water since April of 2006 and, in 2014, received 9,055 acre-feet. Over time, the amount received could decline to a guaranteed amount of 4,000 acre-feet as GBRA's in-district participants in the project complete infrastructure necessary to enable them to obtain their contracted supply and their growth allows the participants to utilize their full allotment of reserved water.

The System receives all water produced by the project that is not used by other participants. Pursuant to its terms, the contract with GBRA will terminate December 31, 2037, with an option to extend until 2077 under new payment terms.

#### BRACKISH GROUNDWATER DESALINATION PROGRAM

A brackish groundwater desalination ("BGD") program is well suited for the south central Texas region, which contains more than 300 million acre-feet of brackish groundwater. The 2012 Water Management Plan calls for completion of a brackish water desalination plant to annually produce 12,210 acre-feet of potable water per year by 2016.

SAWS feasibility work on a brackish groundwater desalination project was completed in 2008. The purpose of the feasibility work was to determine the long-term sustainability of the water supply, the water quality, and if treatment of brackish water through reverse osmosis would be successful. Sustainable brackish water resources were identified in south Bexar County to support operation of a desalination plant for greater than 50 years. The salinity of the brackish water is low and therefore very favorable for use with the reverse osmosis process. Successful pilot testing of the reverse osmosis membranes was conducted during 2009 and 2010 and indicated that a recovery rate of 90% is sustainable. The pilot testing report was submitted to the TCEQ in June 2010 for review and approval. Formal approval of three different membranes has also been received by TCEQ. The reverse osmosis treatment plant will be located in southern Bexar County on property owned by the System. Water from the desalination plant will be integrated by pipeline into the northwest portion of City. Concentrate disposal will be accomplished through the use of deep well injection. SAWS submitted a Notice of Intent for a Class I Underground Injection Control (UIC) General Permit to TCEQ in June 2011. Authorization under the Class I General Permit allows SAWS to complete the test injection well and develop four additional injection well sites. SAWS received authorization to drill the Class I test injection well on August 2, 2011 and the four additional Class I injection wells on September 4, 2011. The test injection well was drilled and completed in June 2012. The first phase of SAWS' BGD program will require two Class I injection wells.

SAWS selected a Program Manager and received Board approval on May 1, 2012 to begin the conceptual design of this program. In December 2012, the Board approved the Construction Manager at Risk. The Construction Manager at Risk will provide constructability review of the design work and manage the construction of the program. Design engineering was approved by the Board in January 2013. In early 2014, SAWS Program Manager Black & Veatch completed the design of the first phase of the BGD program. Following the completion of the design, a Guaranteed Maximum Price ("GMP") construction contract was developed by the Construction Manager, Zachry-Parsons. The GMP is a "not to exceed" construction price for Phase I of the BGD program. On March 4, 2014 SAWS Board awarded a \$109.4 million contract to Zachry-Parsons for construction of the remaining items of the BGD program. SAWS and City officials broke ground on the City's new desalination plant in southern Bexar County on July 2, 2014.

With updated estimates concerning the amount of brackish water that can be blended with the fully treated water, the anticipated annual yield of Phase 1 has increased to 13,440 acre-feet. Phase 1 of the BGD program is still on schedule for operation in late 2016 with receipt of the full 13,440 acre-feet anticipated in 2017. When all planned phases of the BGD program are constructed, a total of approximately 33,600 acre-feet per year is expected to be produced by 2026.

The City has received support for this project from the TWDB through subsidized loans. In December 2009, the City sold to TWDB its "Water System Junior Lien Revenue and Refunding Bonds, Series 2009A" pursuant to the TWDB's Water Infrastructure Fund ("WIF") program to provide funds for the planning and design (and to refund outstanding commercial paper notes initially issued) for the desalination project. In August 2011, the City sold "Water System Junior Lien Revenue Bonds, Series 2011", for the construction of production wells, a test injection well, and property acquisition for the Phase One production well fields, and in May 2013, the City sold its "Water System Junior Lien Revenue Bonds, Series 2013A (WIF)" for construction related costs of the desalination project.

#### REGIONAL CARRIZO PROGRAMS

The 2012 Water Management Plan calls for the water from this project to be available for SAWS use through a 2013 agreement with the Schertz/Seguin Local Government Corporation ("SSLGC") in late 2013.

Developing and sustaining the Regional Carrizo Aquifer Program requires permits for groundwater drilling, production, and transport from the Gonzales County Underground Water Conservation District (the "District"). The District is a local governmental entity with a locally elected Board of Directors. The District operates pursuant to statutory authority set forth in Chapter 36 of the Texas Water Code. SAWS submitted an initial, consolidated permit application to the District in June 2005 for production and transportation of approximately 23,000 acre-feet of Carrizo Aquifer groundwater. That application was rejected by the District's General Manager as being administratively incomplete. Shortly after the application was rejected, the District changed its rules to reduce by half the amount of groundwater that can be produced per acre of land controlled. SAWS re-filed its application in June 2006 to request permits for the production and transportation of 11,688 acre-feet of Carrizo Aquifer groundwater. Pursuant to the District's current rules, production permits have a term of five years, after which they may be reissued by the District's Board of Directors. Transportation permits have a term of 30 years, subject to periodic five-year review.

SAWS' application was declared administratively complete on July 12, 2006, and contested by several parties on October 10, 2006. Throughout 2007, 2008, and 2009, SAWS participated in several public hearings, multiple mediation sessions, and extensive pre-hearing discovery as part of the contested case hearing process. The contested case hearing took place during October and December of 2009, in Gonzales, Texas. Additional mediation sessions were held in December 2009, and February 2010, ultimately resulting in four entities withdrawing their protests of SAWS' applications. Two entities continued to oppose the applications. On July 13, 2010, the District approved SAWS' permit application to drill, produce, and transport 11,688 acre-feet of Carrizo Aquifer water from Gonzales County. The permit was formally issued on September 22, 2010.

The remaining contesting parties filed a motion for rehearing with the District on July 30, 2010. The District's Board of Directors took no action on the motion. Consequently, pursuant to the rules of the District, the Motion for Rehearing was deemed denied on October 29, 2010. The Water Protection Association ("WPA"), one of the contesting parties, filed an appeal from the District's decision in the Judicial District Court of Gonzales County.

The District and SAWS filed motions to dismiss the appeal for want of jurisdiction because WPA failed to timely exhaust its administrative remedies. The motions were denied by the district court by interlocutory order dated April 27, 2011. The District and SAWS appealed the district court's decision to the Court of Appeals for the Thirteenth District of Texas at Corpus Christi. On May 31, 2012, the Court vacated the trial court's judgment and dismissed the case for want of jurisdiction. WPA did not file a motion for rehearing. Therefore, the case is over and the permits are final and non-appealable.

In order to minimize the cost of the project by foregoing the need for a major new pipeline, SAWS has negotiated a Mutual Regional Water Supply Contract with the cities of Schertz and Seguin and the SSLGC for shared use of that entity's existing infrastructure in Gonzales County and Guadalupe County, located in the vicinity of the System's project well field. The SSLGC is a statutory quasi-governmental corporation created by the cities of Schertz and Seguin to develop and operate a ground water supply for those municipalities. It also provides services to certain other small municipalities in the area.

Successful negotiations concluded in December 2010 and were formalized by the Board, the Board of Directors of the SSLGC, and the City Councils of Schertz and Seguin on February 1, 2011 when they entered into the Mutual Regional Water Supply Contract (the "MRWS Contract"). On July 19, 2012, the SSLGC initially delivered its \$25,425,000 Contract Revenue Bonds, Series 2012 (San Antonio Water System Expansion Water Treatment Project 2), the repayment of which is secured by the payments to be made by SAWS to the SSLGC under the aforementioned MRWS Contract. As a result of the issuance of these contract revenue bonds, the obligation of the System to make payments to SSLGC under the MRWS Contract, as maintenance and operating expenses of the System, is unconditional. In addition to funding the expansion of the treatment facilities, the System will pay the SSLGC for water treatment and transportation services relative to the 11,688 acre-feet of water expected to be produced by SAWS from the Carrizo Aquifer. The System may also purchase surplus water produced by SSLGC at the same rate charged to the cities of Schertz and Seguin. Utilizing SSLGC's pipeline reduced the capital investment by SAWS necessary to complete this water supply project by approximately \$88 million. The final engineering report was submitted by SSLGC and accepted by SAWS. Construction activities began on July 30, 2012.

Construction activities are complete. Pipeline installation and testing is complete, as is the project's pumping facilities and communications system. Delivery of surplus water from SSLGC was initiated on November 12, 2013, with initial delivery of water from SAWS' wellfield in Gonzales County occurring in the first half of 2014. Construction and testing of SSLGC's water treatment plant expansion to treat and transport all of SAWS' water was completed June 6, 2014. SAWS received approximately 7,600 acre-feet of SAWS wellfield and SSLGC surplus water in 2014. SAWS currently anticipates receiving its full permitted amount, as well as approximately 4,000 acre-feet of SSLGC surplus water, in 2015.

#### LOCAL CARRIZO WATER PROJECT

A provision of the 2002 Water Resource Protection and Management Agreement with the Evergreen Underground Water Conservation District gives the System the ability to withdraw up to 2 acre-feet per year of Carrizo Aquifer water per surface acre of land owned or leased. This equates to a firm yield of approximately 9,850 acre-feet per year.

The approximately \$17 million Local Carrizo Water Supply program is comprised of two phases: an aquifer storage and recovery onsite phase and an aquifer storage and recovery offsite phase. The onsite phase began production in August 2008, with production of 383 acre-feet in 2008 and approximately 5,300 acre-feet in 2009. The offsite phase was completed in August 2010. This project will reduce the effects of this naturally

occurring movement of water and provide increased operational flexibility of recovering the stored water. Combined production from both phases of this project totaled 9,389 acre-feet in 2014.

# EXPANDED CARRIZO PRODUCTION

In early 2012, a preliminary analysis was performed to determine the potential for additional production from the Carrizo Aquifer in southern Bexar County. Based on the analysis, a more in-depth study of the feasibility for expanded Carrizo Aquifer production was begun in late 2012.

The study looked at the possibility of developing additional Carrizo Aquifer production in a three phase approach of 7,000 acre-feet per year per phase for a total of 21,000 acre-feet per year. These production numbers were included in the 2012 Water Management Plan. Initial analysis of available data indicates that productivity of the Carrizo Aquifer in the study area appears to be sufficient to supply the proposed production levels without resulting in significant effects on surrounding Carrizo Aquifer wells. Modeling efforts are completed for Phase I and Phase II locations, while modeling efforts for Phase III locations continues to recommend optimum well spacing and production levels for the project.

A formal design contract for the first phase of this project was awarded in September 2014. Current plans assume that construction will be completed during mid-2017 with SAWS able to receive approximately 4,000 acre-feet in 2017 and the full 7,000 acre-feet of yield in 2018. Expansion of this source of supply beyond 7,000 acre-feet may require expansion of SAWS' existing water treatment plant.

#### WATER TRANSMISSION AND PURCHASE AGREEMENT FOR CARRIZO AND SIMSBORO AOUIFER WATER

In an effort to achieve significant diversification of the City's water supply, the Board, on January 14, 2011, solicited requests for competitive sealed proposals for the provision and delivery of alternative water supplies for the purpose of meeting the System's water supply needs (the "Solicitation"). In response to the Solicitation, the Board received nine responses, from which three finalists were selected and reviewed prior to determining that a joint-venture proposal (such proposer, hereafter referred to as "Abengoa VR") to deliver Carrizo and Simsboro aquifer water presented the most advantageous possibility for the City to obtain an alternative water source. On July 1, 2014, the Board formally selected the water supply proposal of Abengoa VR as the most advantageous to the System, subject to negotiation of an acceptable contract and City Council support.

On September 29, 2014 and October 15, 2014 the Board adopted resolutions, and on October 30, 2014 the City Council adopted an ordinance, approving the execution of a Water Transmission and Purchase Agreement (the "Agreement") between the City, acting by and through SAWS, and Abengoa Vista Ridge, LLC ("Abengoa VR"), pursuant to which Abengoa VR has committed to make available to SAWS, and SAWS has agreed to pay for, up to 50,000 acre-feet of potable water ("Project Water") per year for an initial period of 30 years plus a limited (10 year) extension period under certain events (hereinafter referred to as the "operational" phase). To produce and deliver the Project Water, Abengoa VR will develop well fields to withdraw water from the Carrizo and Simsboro aquifers in Burleson County, Texas pursuant to currently-held long-term leases with landowners and construct (or cause to be constructed) a 142-mile pipeline from this well field to northern Bexar County (the well fields and the pipeline, together, the "Project"). The pipeline will be connected to the SAWS distribution system at this delivery point in northern Bexar County (the "Connection Point").

The Agreement is separated into three distinct phases. The "development" phase commenced on November 4, 2014, which was the date of complete execution and delivery of the Agreement, and is scheduled to last between 18 and 30 months. The "development" phase concludes upon satisfaction of certain contractual requirements, the most significant of which is when Abengoa VR obtains permanent construction financing for the Project. These events are referred to as "financial closure" and its occurrence results in the conclusion of the "development" phase and commencement of the "construction" phase of the Project by Abengoa VR. During the "construction" phase of the Project, SAWS will also begin construction of improvements to the System necessary to accept and integrate the Project Water, at an anticipated capital cost to SAWS of approximately \$115 million. This "construction" phase is scheduled to last 42 months and its conclusion will result in the commencement of the aforementioned 30-year "operational" phase, during which period SAWS is obligated to pay for Project Water (up to 50,000 acre-feet annually) made available to it by Abengoa VR at the Connection Point.

During the "development" phase, SAWS has retained the right to terminate the Agreement for its convenience, subject to its payment of a termination fee to Abengoa VR (determined based on the costs incurred by Abengoa VR pursuant to the Agreement from commencement of the "development" phase to the date of termination, such termination fee being capped at \$40.1 million). After "financial closure", SAWS has also retained the right to terminate the Agreement by purchasing the Project for the aggregate amount of the outstanding Project debt, contract breakage costs and return of and on equity contributions by Abengoa VR's principals (no cap is imposed upon such amount as exists if the Agreement is terminated during the "development" phase). At the end of the "operational" phase, ownership of the Project will be transferred to SAWS at no cost. SAWS has also entered into a separate agreement with Blue Water Vista Ridge, LLC, the lessee of the Project Water, to continue to acquire the 50,000 acre-feet of untreated groundwater upon the termination of the Agreement and transfer of the Project to SAWS, and the cost of such water at the end of the Agreement will be tied to the costs of then-prevailing two-year Edwards Aquifer water leases.

Pursuant to the terms of the Agreement, SAWS will pay costs arising under the Agreement, as a maintenance and operating expense of the System, only for Project Water made available at the Connection Point (which payment will include the costs of operating and maintaining the Project). SAWS will have no obligation to pay for any debt issued by Abengoa VR, and any such debt will be non-recourse to SAWS. SAWS anticipates that Project Water (the cost of which is paid directly to Abengoa VR), together with Project operations and maintenance (as a direct pass through under the Agreement) and Project electricity (paid directly by SAWS to the utility providers), will initially cost approximately \$2,200 per acre foot, resulting in an annual charge to the SAWS system of approximately \$110 million (which amount does not take into account potential revenue increases resultant from Project Water being available to SAWS for sale). The Board and the City Council have committed to account for the anticipated payment obligation of the System under the Agreement for purposes of rate making and setting not later than the date of "financial closure". SAWS projects that, absent any increase in System revenues attributable to the availability of Project Water for sale, its payment obligation under the Agreement will result in a rate increase of approximately 16% to the average monthly SAWS residential bill by 2020 (which increase does not include other projected rate increases anticipated to occur by such time).

The execution of the Agreement represents a significant diversification of the City's water source, as SAWS projects that Project Water, if delivered at the maximum amount (which is the expectation of both SAWS and Abengoa VR), will account for approximately 20% of the System's and the DSP's current annual usage.

Abengoa VR is led by Abengoa (NASDAQ: ABGB), an international company with more than 70 years of experience in sustainable and innovative technology solutions and project financing in the water, energy and environmental sectors. Abengoa has successfully completed more than 100 infrastructure projects worldwide using private financing, with a total investment in excess of \$21 billion.

#### EXPANDED BRACKISH GROUNDWATER DESALINATION

In 2013, SAWS commissioned a concept study to explore an expanded BGD project. The findings of this concept study identified an alternative supply of water that was priced similar to projects already being considered.

This project would potentially be a phased approach to deliver a firm yield of approximately 50,000 acre-feet per year from wellfields in Wilson County. If expanded BGD is pursued, timing and yield will be dependent on the System's current BGD project, implementation of the Agreement for Project Water (see "THE SAN ANTONIO WATER SYSTEM – Water Transmission and Purchase Agreement for Carrizo and Simsboro Aquifer Water" herein), and projected needs through the 2030s. This future project will continue to be researched and analyzed to determine its full viability as a long term option for the System.

#### OCEAN DESALINATION

While not explicitly targeted for pursuit in the near term, the 2012 Water Management Plan alludes to the development of an ocean desalination project as one of the options to meet the System's long-term water needs. Communications and outreach activities were undertaken in 2009. Partnering opportunities will continue to be explored in the future. Ocean desalination appears to be the most expensive source of new water resources. A feasibility study will be commissioned at some time in the future to provide some certainty to cost estimates for informed, future consideration.

#### WATER RESOURCES INTEGRATION PROGRAM

The 2012 Water Management Plan addresses the operating challenge of co-locating the Brackish Groundwater Desalination Program, Local Carrizo, Expanded Carrizo Production, and ASR projects at a single site (Twin Oaks in southern Bexar County) by continuing to recommend the expedited construction of the Water Resources Integration Program ("WRIP"). It will bring water to the western half of the City to match the System's current capability to bring water to the eastern part of the City. The initial phase of the program is scheduled for completion in 2016.

Construction will be divided into two phases. Phase I construction commenced in 2014 and is to become operational in 2016. Phase I construction will consist of 28 miles of pipeline, a high service pump station, and a ground storage tank and distribution pumps to deliver up to 50 million gallons per day of water from the Twin Oaks facility to the System's distribution system.

Phase 2 is scheduled for construction in 2020 and is expected to be online in 2021. Phase 2 consists of 17 miles of pipeline, the remaining portion of the high service pump station, and a second ground storage tank and additional high service pumps to increase the total production capacity of water from the Twin Oaks facility to 75 million gallons per day.

# CONSERVATION

General. Beginning in 1994, the System implemented aggressive water conservation programs, which have reduced the total per capita water consumption from a high of 225 gallons per person per day ("gpcd") in 1982 to 126 in 2013. In 2012, the System again updated its Water Management Plan, and instituted advanced conservation goals which reflected both the dry year demand that it experienced in 2011, as well as the legislatively-mandated integration of the BexarMet service area into the System. The new targets aim at keeping demand from increasing during hot and dry years. The goal of the 2012 Water Management Plan is to reduce dry year demand from the 143 gpcd experienced in 2011 to 135 gpcd under similar weather conditions. Reaching this goal by 2020 requires achieving permanent savings in peak water consumption every year. By the year 2020, a total equivalent of 16,500 acre feet of water is planned to be "acquired" through these permanent peak water savings.

Strategies to Save Water. Conservation results are achieved through a combination of education and outreach, reasonable regulation and financial incentives. Education is provided through workshops and events offered directly by staff and through partnerships with expert volunteers. Over 100,000 people receive face to face education on how to save water through these efforts each year.

Regulations that save water are negotiated with impacted stakeholder groups to determine where it is logical to set a conservation standard for a particular activity. An example is regulations that set standards to ensure that swimming pools are designed to operate as efficiently as possible. Other regulations set efficiency standards for landscape and irrigation, power washing, decorative fountains, and car wash operations.

Financial incentives include a tiered rate structure, free conservation supplies, rebates for efficiency upgrades and coupons that offset material costs. Each incentive is designed to achieve a change in how water is used for a particular activity. The incentives are evaluated to assess the cost per gallon of water saved to ensure that they acquire water savings at a rate lower than the cost of new water. The new focus on peak water savings has resulted in procedures that place a higher financial incentive on programs that result in landscape irrigation reductions than on programs that reduce the year-round baseline use of water.

**Residential Conservation Programs.** Residential conservation programs encourage customers to save water inside their homes and ensure that their landscape and irrigation practices are efficient. A variety of education and rebate incentive programs are available to help ratepayers understand how following best practices can save water and money. Customers learn about these programs through the System's website, public

events, direct mail inserts in bills, paid advertisements and educational materials in popular local periodicals. The System's most effective programs for indoor water use reduction include the following:

<u>Conservation Consultations</u> provide the System's ratepayers with a free analysis of their in-ground irrigation system and landscape care needs. Trained Conservation consultants visit homes to review each component of irrigation systems to determine maintenance needs to make suggestions for improving efficiency. Customers are invited to participate in the review process to get the maximum benefit from the site visit. A report that outlines any necessary maintenance repairs, suggestions for design improvements and how much water the system uses is provided to customers. The consultation visit includes suggestions on rebate incentive amounts available for making suggested design improvements. Customers are advised of ways to further reduce outdoor consumption by adjusting irrigation scheduling and by considering other landscape options.

<u>Conservation Coupons</u> provide instant incentive savings to customers who wish to make changes in their landscape or irrigation system. The coupons offset the upfront costs associated with transforming portions of their traditional landscape to attractive bedding areas comprised of hardy, drought-tolerant plants. The incentives require customers to replace grass with lower water use options in the same space. Coupon packages are offered several times per year and reflect seasonal plant offerings available in locally owned plant nurseries. Some coupons also offset the material costs of replacing grass by installing a patio.

<u>Irrigation Design Rebates</u> are designed to make an irrigation system more efficient or remove it altogether and receive a rebate to help cover the cost. During a conservation meeting, consultants work with local irrigators to help identify design flaws in a customer's irrigation system that, if changed, can result in both water savings and healthier landscapes.

<u>Plumbers to People</u> provides leak repairs and retrofits to qualified low-income homeowner customers. The System, in cooperation with the City's Department of Human Services, qualifies applicants based on the current Federal Assistance Guidelines. Only leaks that result in a loss of potable water are eligible for repair under the program. Water conservation is achieved by quickly repairing leaks that would otherwise continue due to the cost of repairs.

<u>Conservation Makeover</u> assists low-income customers by saving water and money. Analysis of low-income housing where high water bills and older housing stock indicate the possibility of leaks or high flow fixtures identifies households for the program. Letters are sent out offering a conservation assessment, replacement of high flow fixtures and repair of minor leaks. Contracted plumbers provide services.

<u>Garden Style SA website</u> is a one stop resource for inspiring designs, drought-hardy plants and regional expert advice to help SAWS customers transform their landscapes into a water-saving showpiece.

<u>WaterSaver E-Newsletter</u> is a weekly free information service provided to customers who want expert advice on how to take care of their landscape. It includes timely lawn irrigation advice that is based on current weather conditions. Local horticulture experts provide weekly articles on seasonal landscape care featuring plants that thrive in the City. A gardening expert responds to regularly submitted questions.

Commercial Conservation Programs. Commercial customers account for 10 percent of the System's customer base, but represent 40 percent of the System's annual water sales; therefore, there is great potential for both water and monetary savings through the System's commercial conservation programs. The System has been working closely with commercial customers for the past 20 years to help them conserve water, maintain profitability and become a water wise corporate partner. Water audits and case-by-case custom rebates for retrofits are also available. Every year, the System presents conservation awards to recognize businesses, organizations and/or individuals that voluntarily initiated water conservation practices. The System's most effective programs for commercial and industrial water use reduction include the following:

<u>Irrigation Design Rebates</u> provide an incentive for commercial properties to upgrade older, water wasting irrigation equipment with newer options that apply water more efficiently. Rebates are available to zone irrigation areas by plant material, to convert spray irrigation to drip and to cap areas that do not require irrigation.

<u>Commercial Custom Rebate Program</u> allows commercial water users of all sizes to apply on a case-by-case basis for a rebate for installation of water conserving equipment. The rebate pays for part of the costs of equipment changes based on the water projected to be saved over a ten-year period. The program requires a pre-audit, a pre-inspection and on-going verification of water savings. Examples of retrofit projects are diverse and include reclamation of air conditioning condensate, a change in process water usage, or retrofit to a non-water use technology.

<u>Cooling Tower Consultations</u> help businesses manage their cooling towers as efficiently as possible. This program provides for free consultations on all cooling towers within the System's service area. A cooling tower review provides the customer with detailed advice on their specific operation, as well as recommendations for achieving water and energy savings through increased cycles of concentration, capture of blowdown water for reuse in other applications, or installation of other water conserving equipment.

<u>Landscape & Irrigation Consultations</u> allow conservation staff to work with irrigation and landscape professionals and with building managers to put best management practices in place as businesses are finding that irrigation consumption can account for a significant amount of their total water usage. These visits include a review of the overall site plan, the landscape maintenance plan, irrigation system quality and irrigation scheduling. Customers are left with information on retrofits to improve efficiencies and irrigation scheduling advice. As part of the site analysis, custom rebates may be approved to encourage irrigation upgrades.

Certified WaterSaver Car Wash Program. In 1997, the Southwest Car Wash Association ("SCWA") partnered with SAWS to create the first certified car wash program. This partnership helped to develop new standards for both existing and proposed car wash facilities within the San Antonio area, resulting in significant water savings. With direct input and cooperation from the car wash industry, the SAWS WaterSaver Car Wash Program has continued to evolve over the past 17 years. Today's WaterSaver Car Wash Program results in real water savings, protects

water quality, provides recognition and financial incentives for program participants and works with local nonprofits seeking to earn money for worthwhile projects.

# WATER QUALITY AND QUANTITY

The System's Resource Protection and Compliance Department is responsible for the System's efforts in protecting the quality of the Edwards Aquifer and, in cooperation with the System's Water Resources Department, conducting technical evaluations of how to increase its yield. The TCEQ has adopted rules relating to the activities of landowners in the recharge and drainage zones of the Edwards Aquifer. The City has adopted ordinances applicable within its city limits that limit or regulate activities, which could be harmful to water quality and has, through its Unified Development Code, regulated certain development within the City's ETJ (five miles from city limits).

Research on the Edwards Aquifer is conducted as part of the Edwards Aquifer Optimization program. This is a comprehensive program that identifies and evaluates technical options to increase available yield from the Edwards Aquifer and to attempt to use the aquifer's storage capacity more efficiently. The goal of these studies is to gain a better understanding of the hydrogeologic framework, chemical and hydraulic characteristics, and ground water flowpaths of the freshwater-saline water interface of the Edwards Aquifer. The United States Geological Survey (the "USGS") conducted a study of the San Marcos Springs hydrogeology and water balance known as the San Marcos Springs Recharge – Investigative Study. This effort encompasses scientific investigative work to refine the hydrogeologic setting, determine the hydraulic properties and groundwater flow gradient, and define local sources and flowpaths providing flow from San Marcos Springs. This study provides data for evaluation of the local versus regional sourcing of springflow, the effectiveness of current management strategies, and the need for revised management policies to maintain San Marcos Springs flow. The final Report has completed USGS editorial review and is now available on the USGS website.

# SEWER MANAGEMENT PROGRAM

In March 2007, SAWS was orally notified by Region 6 of the United States Environmental Protection Agency (the "EPA") of alleged failures to comply with the Clean Water Act due to the occurrence of SSOs. The EPA subsequently referred the matter to the United States Department of Justice (the "DOJ") for enforcement action. SAWS engaged in settlement negotiations with the EPA and the DOJ to resolve the allegations. On June 4, 2013, the Board approved a Consent Decree between SAWS and the United States of America and the State of Texas to resolve this enforcement action. SAWS signed the Consent Decree on June 5, 2013 and the Consent Decree was subsequently executed by the United States of America and the State of Texas. On September 13, 2013, after consideration of the comments received, the United States of America filed its Motion for entry of the Consent Decree, requesting the Court to approve the Consent Decree by signing and entering it. The Consent Decree was signed and entered by the Court on October 15, 2013. During the 10 to 12 year term of the Consent Decree, SAWS estimates the cost to perform the operating and maintenance requirements of the Consent Decree will be approximately \$250 million. Additionally, SAWS estimates that capital investments of approximately \$850 million will be required over the Consent Decree term. As with any estimate, the actual amounts incurred could differ materially. Since entry into the Consent Decree, SAWS has performed its obligations under the terms of the Consent Decree and is in material compliance with its terms, conditions, and requirements. Since 2010, SAWS has seen a significant reduction in SSOs, from 538 in 2010 to 196 in 2014.

# ONGOING DROUGHT IMPACT AND MANAGEMENT EFFORTS

The San Antonio region is beginning its fifth year of a significant drought that began in late 2010. As a result of this extended drought, the region has been in various stages of EAA Critical Periods and is currently in EAA Critical Period Stage Three drought restrictions; the City has been in Stage Two drought restrictions of the City's Aquifer Management Plan since May 2012. As described under "THE SAN ANTONIO WATER SYSTEM – Edwards Aquifer Management Plan", and for the duration of these stages of drought management, the SAWS Edwards Aquifer pumping allocation is reduced by 35% and SAWS customers are limited to one-day-per week landscape watering with an irrigation system or sprinkler. As a result of the ongoing drought conditions, SAWS and the DSP have both had their permitted allotments of Edwards Aquifer rights cut back by 22.08%, 28.92% and 34.90% for the three years ended December 31, 2012, 2013, and 2014, respectively. While the System has had adequate water supplies to meet customer demand for the duration of this drought, available DSP supplies have been independently inadequate to meet the demands of its customers during these three years. In order to meet DSP customer demand, SAWS provided the DSP 1.3 billion and 1.8 billion gallons of water, respectively, through a series of interconnections in 2012 and 2013. This water was sold to the DSP at the SAWS wholesale water rate, resulting in operating revenues to SAWS (operating expenses to the DSP) of \$3.6 million and \$5.1 million in 2012 and 2013, respectively. SAWS calculates and bills the DSP for water provided on a quarterly basis. Through the first nine months of 2014, SAWS provided an additional 2.8 billion gallons of water to the DSP and recognized \$8.6 million in operating revenues associated with such sales.

The continuing drought conditions (and resultant outdoor watering restrictions) did impact the System's 2013 water revenues, with operating revenues from the Water Delivery and Water Supply core businesses ending the year approximately \$4 million less than budget. This reduction would have totaled approximately \$9.1 million absent the sale of water to the DSP discussed above. As a result of the water sales to the DSP and favorable wastewater operating revenues, SAWS total operating revenues for 2013 finished the year almost \$4 million favorable to budget. In response to the ongoing drought, during early 2013, the System formulated a Drought Management Team which consisted of members from multiple disciplines within SAWS whose purpose was to formulate strategies for dealing with the ongoing operational and financial impacts of the drought. This team has been meeting at least every other week since its formation.

As previously stated, the EAA has declared (and there is currently in effect) Critical Period Stage III for the San Antonio Pool, which declaration reduces both the System's and DSP's pumping allocation from the Edwards Aquifer by 35% for the duration of this and any other Critical Period Stage III event. While the EAA has been, and is now in, Critical Period Stage III restrictions, SAWS has never before had to implement its own Aquifer Management Plan Stage Three drought restrictions (which would limit outdoor watering by an irrigation system or sprinkler to once every two weeks). If this were to happen, such as if these drought conditions persist or worsen into 2015, additional restrictions resultant from the implementation of the City's Aquifer Management Plan Stage Three could negatively impact SAWS water-related revenues. Initial estimates

of this potential impact range from \$10 - \$20 million in possible revenue reductions; however, as there are a number of variables involved, the potential revenue reduction could be more or less than these initial estimates. SAWS believes that it has the ability to mitigate a significant portion of any potential revenue reductions through implementation of additional cost saving measures. Additionally, should SAWS declare Stage Four drought restrictions under the City's Aquifer Management Plan, a drought surcharge is assessed on monthly water usage exceeding 12,717 gallons for any residential customer and 5,236 gallons for any irrigation account. SAWS anticipates that the implementation of such a surcharge, if enacted, would likely recoup a significant portion of any potential reduction in revenue stemming from drought restrictions imposed under Stages Three and Four of the City's Aquifer Management Plan.

#### DEBT AND OTHER FINANCIAL INFORMATION

# COMBINED SYSTEM REVENUE DEBT SERVICE REQUIREMENTS

| Fiscal                 |                  | Existing                | Debt <sup>(1)</sup>               |                  |                | The Bonds      |                | Total  | Percent                    |
|------------------------|------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|--|----------------------------|
| Year<br>Ended<br>12/31 | Principal        | Interest <sup>(2)</sup> | Less<br>Tax Credit <sup>(3)</sup> | Total            | Principal      | Interest       | Total          | Debt<br>Service<br>Requirements <sup>(4)</sup> | of<br>Principal<br>Retired |
| 2015                   | \$ 62,580,000    | \$ 85,005,058           | \$ (3,679,249)                    | \$ 143,905,810   | \$ 1,950,000   | \$10,103,879   | \$12,053,879   | \$ 155,959,689                                 | 2.57%                      |
| 2016                   | 68,300,000       | 83,418,575              | (3,633,898)                       | 148,084,677      | 3,115,000      | 13,532,625     | 16,647,625     | 164,732,302                                    | 5.42%                      |
| 2017                   | 71,530,000       | 81,051,634              | (3,580,644)                       | 149,000,991      | 3,265,000      | 13,373,125     | 16,638,125     | 165,639,116                                    | 8.40%                      |
| 2018                   | 73,885,000       | 78,479,168              | (3,520,550)                       | 148,843,618      | 3,435,000      | 13,205,625     | 16,640,625     | 165,484,243                                    | 11.48%                     |
| 2019                   | 75,085,000       | 75,805,840              | (3,455,535)                       | 147,435,304      | 3,555,000      | 13,084,200     | 16,639,200     | 164,074,504                                    | 14.61%                     |
| 2020                   | 78,640,000       | 72,918,040              | (3,386,277)                       | 148,171,763      | 3,690,000      | 12,956,400     | 16,646,400     | 164,818,163                                    | 17.89%                     |
| 2021                   | 82,685,000       | 69,711,735              | (3,311,785)                       | 149,084,950      | 3,875,000      | 12,767,275     | 16,642,275     | 165,727,225                                    | 21.34%                     |
| 2022                   | 85,655,000       | 66,227,640              | (3,231,616)                       | 148,651,024      | 4,075,000      | 12,568,525     | 16,643,525     | 165,294,549                                    | 24.92%                     |
| 2023                   | 86,455,000       | 62,587,124              | (3,145,899)                       | 145,896,224      | 4,280,000      | 12,359,650     | 16,639,650     | 162,535,874                                    | 28.54%                     |
| 2024                   | 89,505,000       | 58,828,116              | (3,054,178)                       | 145,278,937      | 3,535,000      | 12,164,275     | 15,699,275     | 160,978,212                                    | 32.24%                     |
| 2025                   | 93,370,000       | 54,859,751              | (2,956,008)                       | 145,273,743      | 1,710,000      | 12,054,525     | 13,764,525     | 159,038,268                                    | 36.03%                     |
| 2026                   | 98,675,000       | 50,639,203              | (2,838,210)                       | 146,475,993      | 1,775,000      | 11,988,775     | 13,763,775     | 160,239,768                                    | 40.04%                     |
| 2027                   | 103,890,000      | 46,132,242              | (2,712,143)                       | 147,310,099      | 1,865,000      | 11,897,775     | 13,762,775     | 161,072,874                                    | 44.25%                     |
| 2028                   | 107,905,000      | 41,557,739              | (2,599,304)                       | 146,863,435      | 1,960,000      | 11,802,150     | 13,762,150     | 160,625,585                                    | 48.63%                     |
| 2029                   | 80,305,000       | 37,588,571              | (2,482,148)                       | 115,411,423      | 2,065,000      | 11,701,525     | 13,766,525     | 129,177,948                                    | 51.91%                     |
| 2030                   | 80,615,000       | 34,246,964              | (2,352,544)                       | 112,509,419      | 2,170,000      | 11,595,650     | 13,765,650     | 126,275,069                                    | 55.21%                     |
| 2031                   | 83,690,000       | 31,011,107              | (2,217,194)                       | 112,483,913      | 2,280,000      | 11,484,400     | 13,764,400     | 126,248,313                                    | 58.64%                     |
| 2032                   | 85,385,000       | 27,739,751              | (2,076,643)                       | 111,048,108      | 2,395,000      | 11,367,525     | 13,762,525     | 124,810,633                                    | 62.14%                     |
| 2033                   | 89,375,000       | 24,356,749              | (1,930,457)                       | 111,801,292      | 2,520,000      | 11,244,650     | 13,764,650     | 125,565,942                                    | 65.80%                     |
| 2034                   | 126,300,000      | 19,762,302              | (1,471,093)                       | 144,591,209      | 2,650,000      | 11,115,400     | 13,765,400     | 158,356,609                                    | 70.94%                     |
| 2035                   | 67,090,000       | 15,569,088              | (995,368)                         | 81,663,720       | 33,775,000     | 10,282,350     | 44,057,350     | 125,721,070                                    | 74.96%                     |
| 2036                   | 69,600,000       | 12,862,413              | (809,973)                         | 81,652,439       | 35,345,000     | 8,712,525      | 44,057,525     | 125,709,964                                    | 79.14%                     |
| 2037                   | 72,215,000       | 10,033,839              | (617,487)                         | 81,631,353       | 36,880,000     | 7,171,900      | 44,051,900     | 125,683,253                                    | 83.49%                     |
| 2038                   | 61,210,000       | 7,390,781               | (417,627)                         | 68,183,154       | 38,585,000     | 5,469,675      | 44,054,675     | 112,237,829                                    | 87.46%                     |
| 2039                   | 60,475,000       | 5,002,997               | (210,208)                         | 65,267,790       | 40,565,000     | 3,490,925      | 44,055,925     | 109,323,715                                    | 91.49%                     |
| 2040                   | 42,520,000       | 3,107,399               | (52,292)                          | 45,575,106       | 42,425,000     | 1,628,300      | 44,053,300     | 89,628,406                                     | 94.88%                     |
| 2041                   | 37,245,000       | 1,916,611               | -                                 | 39,161,611       | 3,595,000      | 707,900        | 4,302,900      | 43,464,511                                     | 96.50%                     |
| 2042                   | 33,385,000       | 1,052,548               | -                                 | 34,437,548       | 3,740,000      | 561,200        | 4,301,200      | 38,738,748                                     | 97.98%                     |
| 2043                   | 23,065,000       | 464,355                 | -                                 | 23,529,355       | 3,895,000      | 408,500        | 4,303,500      | 27,832,855                                     | 99.06%                     |
| 2044                   | 12,210,000       | 160,436                 | -                                 | 12,370,436       | 4,050,000      | 249,600        | 4,299,600      | 16,670,036                                     | 99.71%                     |
| 2045                   | 3,185,000        | 31,372                  |                                   | 3,216,372        | 4,215,000      | 84,300         | 4,299,300      | 7,515,672                                      | 100.00%                    |
|                        | \$ 2,206,030,000 | \$ 1,159,519,147        | \$ (60,738,332)                   | \$ 3,304,810,815 | \$ 303,235,000 | \$ 281,135,129 | \$ 584,370,129 | \$ 3,889,180,944                               |                            |

<sup>(1)</sup> Includes all outstanding Senior Lien Obligations and Junior Lien Obligations, but excludes tax-exempt commercial paper and the Refunded Obligations

For purposes of illustration, interest on the San Antonio Water System Variable Rate Junior Lien Revenue and Refunding Bonds, Series 2013F and San Antonio Water System Variable Rate Junior Lien Revenue and Refunding Bonds, Series 2014B calculated at an assumed rate of 1.25% and 1.50%, respectively. While such obligations accrue interest at a variable rate, actual interest paid will vary dependent on market conditions.

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Takes into account refundable tax credit anticipated to be received from the United States Department of the Treasury (the "Subsidy Payment") as a result of certain Senior Lien Obligations being issued and sold as "build America bonds" under and pursuant to the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 used to offset debt service payments on subject outstanding Senior Lien Obligations. Though used for such purpose, such amounts are not pledged to the payment of any Senior Lien Obligations. Subsidy Payment so the received from the United States Treasury in relation to the aforementioned Build America Bonds as a result of the automatic reductions in federal spending effective March 1, 2013 pursuant to the Budget Deficit Control Act of 2011 (commonly referred to as "Sequestration"), and extensions thereof pursuant to the Bipartisan Budget Act of 2013 signed into law by the President on December 26, 2013, will not have a material impact on the financial condition of the System or its ability to pay regularly scheduled debt service on its outstanding obligations when and in the amounts due and owing. See "SECURITY FOR THE BONDS – Refundable Tax Credit Bonds" herein. Subsidy payments reduced by 7.3% per annum through final maturity of the related Senior Lien Obligations to account for Sequestration.

Total debt service excludes tax-exempt commercial paper and the Refunded Obligations, but includes the Bonds.

#### INTEREST RATE HEDGE TRANSACTION

To hedge against changes in interest expense associated with the Subordinate Lien Obligations designated as the "City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Subordinate Lien Revenue and Refunding Bonds, Series 2003-A and 2003-B" (the "2003 Subordinate Lien Obligations"), which were issued in a weekly interest reset mode, the City has entered into an agreement with JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A., as the successor in interest to Bear Stearns Financial Products Inc. Under the agreement, the City must pay any excess monthly (and the counterparty must pay any deficit monthly) of 4.18% per annum over the Municipal Swap Index published by The Securities Industry and Financial Markets Association applied to a specified notional amount that reduces annually through the date of stated termination. The City's obligations under the agreement, both scheduled payments and termination payments (subject to the policy's terms and condition, including policy limits upon termination), are insured by MBIA Insurance Corporation ("MBIA"); the counterparty's obligations are not insured or guaranteed. In February 2009 MBIA ceded its U.S. public finance book of business (which includes the aforementioned hedge insurance policy) to subsidiary MBIA Insurance Corp. of Illinois, which has been renamed National Public Finance Guarantee Corp. The City and the counterparty may each terminate the agreement if the other party (or in some cases, its insurer) commits an event of default (including under other specified transactions and indebtedness) or certain acts of insolvency, or may not legally perform its obligations under the agreement, or merges or otherwise combines with or transfers substantially all of its assets to a materially less creditworthy entity. In that case, neither party may terminate the agreement without the consent of MBIA. The counterparty may also terminate the agreement if (i) MBIA defaults on the hedge insurance policy, (ii) MBIA fails to maintain an "A3" rating from Moody's and an "A-" rating from S&P (the counterparty's ability to exercise the right to terminate upon the occurrence of either of (i) or (ii) requires also that an event of default occurs and is continuing with respect to the City or a termination event occurs and is continuing with respect to the City), or (iii) the ratings assigned to the Senior Lien Obligations are reduced below "A1" by Moody's or "A+" by S&P and the claims paying ability of MBIA are reduced below "A2" by Moody's or below "A" by S&P. Under certain circumstances, MBIA may exercise the parties' termination rights. If either party terminates the agreement, the City must pay to the counterparty (or the counterparty must pay to the City) the mean or median average of amounts quoted by leading dealers to be paid to or by the counterparty to enter into an economically equivalent agreement with the counterparty, regardless of whether the City or the counterparty was the defaulting party.

The City's obligations under the agreement are secured by a lien on the Net Revenues of the System on a parity with the lien securing the 2003 Subordinate Lien Obligations, and other Additional Subordinate Lien Obligations, except that the lien securing any uninsured portion of the City's termination obligations is subordinate to that lien. Any amounts received by the City under the agreement will be revenues of the System. They will not be available to pay the 2003 Subordinate Lien Obligations unless Net Revenues remain after paying debt service due on the Senior Lien Obligations and the Junior Lien Obligations. The counterparty's indexed obligations under the agreement are expected to correlate closely to the City's interest obligations on the 2003 Subordinate Lien Obligations and Commercial Paper Notes so long as the credit of the credit enhancer and liquidity bank and the tax-exempt status on the 2003 Subordinate Lien Obligations and Commercial Paper Notes are maintained. If the counterparty's obligations do not correlate closely, or if the counterparty defaults in payment under the agreement, the City would be exposed to possible increases in the rate of interest on the 2003 Subordinate Lien Obligations and Commercial Paper Notes.

The System still considers the swap agreement to be a valuable variable rate management tool within its debt portfolio. Accordingly, the System negotiated amendments to the swap agreement, effective June 16, 2009, with JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A. and MBIA to amend the swap agreement to allow the remaining 2003 Subordinate Lien Obligations outstanding to be redeemed with Commercial Paper Notes (Series B Notes), while maintaining the swap agreement as an existing obligation to all parties. These amendments provide for the conditional release of MBIA's swap insurance policy upon the occurrence of certain future events. The System redeemed the remaining 2003 Subordinate Lien Obligations on June 24, 2009 with Commercial Paper Notes. See "Commercial Paper Note Program" below. No such 2003 Subordinate Lien Obligations are currently outstanding; \$94,895,000 in Commercial Paper Notes (Series B Notes) used to redeem 2003 Subordinate Lien Obligations are currently outstanding.

If the swap agreement is terminated, the City could be obligated to make a substantial payment to the counterparty, depending on market conditions. As of December 31, 2014, the termination payment that the City would be liable for if the swap agreement were terminated on such date would be \$20.1 million (unaudited and unverified). Prospective investors should be aware that the value of the termination payments varies day to day and that such valuation herein provided represents an unaudited and unverified estimate provided to SAWS by JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A., as the swap counterparty. For more information concerning the swap agreement, see "APPENDIX B - EXCERPTS FROM THE SAN ANTONIO WATER SYSTEM ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT", Note G. The City may also enter into other interest rate hedging transactions payable from System revenues in the future, with comparable risks, although no such transactions are currently contemplated.

#### COMMERCIAL PAPER NOTE PROGRAM

The City Council has authorized a Tax-Exempt Commercial Paper Program for the System (the "TECP") in the amount of \$500,000,000, to be issued from time to time as the City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Commercial Paper Notes, Series A and the City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Commercial Paper Notes, Series B (the "Series A Notes" and "Series B Notes", respectively). The purpose of the TECP is to provide funds for the interim financing of a portion of the costs of capital improvements to the System. Scheduled maturities of the short-term borrowing under the TECP may not extend past September 20, 2042. The TECP is supported by separate revolving credit agreements with Bank of Tokyo-Mitsubishi UFJ, Ltd., acting through its New York branch ("Bank of Tokyo"), and Wells Fargo Bank, N.A. ("Wells Fargo") (together the "Agreement"), each of which expire by their terms on October 5, 2015. Bank of Tokyo supports the Series A Notes in the amount of \$250,000,000 and Wells Fargo supports the Series B Notes in the amount of \$150,000,000, providing for the combined liquidity support for this program of \$400,000,000. As of the date of this Official Statement \$138,550,000 in Commercial Paper Notes are outstanding, comprised of \$25,000,000 in Series A Notes and \$113,550,000 in Series B Notes. Any advances for payment of Commercial Paper Notes under the Agreements are secured by a lien and pledge of the Net Revenues of the System subordinate to the Senior Lien Obligations, and the Junior Lien Obligations (including the Bonds) and on a parity with the Commercial Paper Notes (which are the only Subordinate Lien Obligations currently outstanding) and the System's obligations under the interest hedge transaction described above.

#### PENSION FUND

The System's retirement program includes benefits provided by Texas Municipal Retirement System ("TMRS"), a State-wide multi-employer public retirement plan, and the San Antonio Water System Retirement Plan ("SAWSRP"), which serves as a supplement to TMRS. SAWSRP is a single-employer plan administered by the Principal Financial Group. SAWSRP has a defined benefit component covering employees hired prior to June 1, 2014 and a defined contribution component covering employees hired on or after June 1, 2014. The System makes annual contributions to TMRS and the defined benefit component of the SAWSRP equal to the actuarially determined contribution amounts. The System makes contributions to separate retirement accounts for eligible employees participating in the defined contribution component of the SAWSRP in accordance with the provisions of the plan, which currently require a System contribution equal to four percent of eligible employees' compensation. (For more detailed information concerning the retirement plans, see "APPENDIX B - EXCERPTS FROM THE SAN ANTONIO WATER SYSTEM ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT" – Note K.)

In July 2012, the Governmental Accounting Standards Board ("GASB") issued Statement No. 68, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions, which replaced GASB Statements No. 27 and 50. Some of the key provisions of GASB Statement No. 68 include:

- The difference between the actuarial present value of projected benefit payments and the pension plan's fiduciary net position at the measurement date is to be reported on the employer's statement of net position as either a net pension asset or liability.
- The actuarial cost method used to determine the actuarial present value of projected benefit payments is the entry age actuarial method. Under this method, the present value of the projected benefits of each individual included in an actuarial valuation is allocated on a level basis over the earnings or service of the individual between entry age and assumed exit age.
- To the extent that the pension plan's investments are projected to be sufficient to make projected benefit payments, the expected long-term rate of return on pension plan investments is to be used as the discount rate applied to projected benefit payments. If the pension plan's investments are projected to be insufficient to fund all future benefit payments, the discount rate applied to the unfunded portion is based on the index rate for 20-year, tax-exempt general obligation bonds with an average rating of AA/Aa or higher.
- The majority of the changes in the net pension asset or liability are to be recognized immediately as pension expense. Some changes are to be reported as deferred inflows and/or deferred outflows of resources and amortized to pension expense over prescribed periods of time, based on the nature of the deferred item.

GASB Statement No. 68 is effective for fiscal years beginning after June 15, 2014 and will be adopted by the System for the calendar year ending December 31, 2015. At December 31, 2013, the System reported a net pension obligation of \$3.4 million in accordance with the provision of GASB Statement No. 27. Preliminary analysis of both the TMRS and SAWSRP plans indicates that GASB Statement No. 68 will result in a restated net pension liability of approximately \$50 million once adopted by the System on January 1, 2015. This will result in a charge to unrestricted net position for the difference between the recorded net pension obligation as of December 31, 2014 and the restated net pension liability measured under GASB Statement No. 68.

# OTHER POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS ("OPEB")

The System provides certain postretirement medical and life insurance benefits to qualified employees, their spouses, and other dependents through a single-employer defined benefit plan administered by the System. The authority to establish and amend the OPEB provisions is vested in the System's Board.

By State law, any employee that retires under either the TMRS or SAWSRP is eligible, at the time of retirement, to obtain health insurance benefits similar to those offered to active SAWS employees. Contributions made by retirees for health insurance benefits vary based on retirement date, years of service and the health care options selected. Retirees may also purchase coverage for their spouse at group rates partially subsidized by SAWS. After age 65, healthcare benefits under the plan are supplemental to Medicare benefits.

In 2007, the System implemented GASB Statement No. 45, Accounting and Financial Reporting by Employers for Postemployment Benefits Other Than Pensions. In connection with the adoption of GASB Statement No. 45, the System implemented certain changes to its OPEB plan. Prior to 2012, the System funded all obligations arising under these plans on a pay-as-you-go basis. In March 2012, SAWS established an OPEB Trust for the exclusive purpose of providing benefits to eligible retirees and their dependents. The System made contributions to the OPEB Trust of \$12 million in 2012, \$4 million in 2013, and \$6 million in 2014, in addition to funding the pay-as-you-go costs for those years, which averaged approximately \$7.5 million over the three year period. Going forward, the System expects to make annual contributions to the OPEB Trust in accordance with a plan that results in significantly reducing the unfunded actuarial accrued liability over a period of time.

Plan members' required contributions vary depending on the health plan selected by the retiree as well as the number of years of service at the time of retirement. In 2011, the System's Board approved increases in the required contributions by plan members beginning in 2012. These increases will be phased in over eight years. The expected long-term impact of these increases will result in the plan members eventually contributing one-third of the annual premiums for retiree health insurance. Plan members receiving benefits contributed \$570,000 in 2012 and \$719,000 in 2013. Based on the latest actuarial valuation dated January 1, 2013, the unfunded actuarial accrued liability for this plan was \$267.6 million and the annual required contribution was \$21.9 million.

Several plan changes intended to significantly reduce both the actuarial accrued liability and the annual required contributions were implemented during 2013 and 2014. Employees hired as of January 1, 2014 are not eligible for subsidized health coverage after retirement and all retirees that are eligible for Medicare coverage will be required to enroll in a Medicare Advantage plan beginning in 2015. A new actuarial valuation was performed as of January 1, 2014 reflecting these changes. The actuarial accrued liability was reduced to \$139.6 million and the annual required contribution for 2014 is \$13 million. For further information with respect to the System's OPEB liabilities, please refer to Note K of the excerpts from SAWS' Comprehensive Annual Financial Report for the year ended December 31, 2013. (See "APPENDIX B - EXCERPTS FROM THE SAN ANTONIO WATER SYSTEM ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT".)

#### CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM

The following is a proposed five-year Capital Improvement Program for the System. It is the intention of the System to fund the program with long-term bonds, tax-exempt commercial paper, impact fees, and excess System revenues. The System contemplates the following summary of capital improvement projects during calendar year 2015:

- \$26.7 Million is budgeted for the wastewater treatment program to repair/replace/upgrade treatment facilities and provide capacity for future growth;
- \$1.4 Million is budgeted for the wastewater collection program to fix deteriorated components of the collection system, and provide capacity for future growth;
- \$82.1 Million is budgeted to replace sewer and water mains;
- \$51.9 Million is budgeted for the governmental replacement and relocation program;
- \$16.0 Million is budgeted to construct new or fix deteriorated components of the production facilities; and
- \$15.4 Million is budgeted for water supply development, water treatment, and water transmission projects for new sources of water.

The capital improvement projections in the following table were prepared by the System staff.

# Capital Improvement Projections\* Fiscal Year Ended December 31.

|                           | Tiscar Fear Ended December 51, |             |      |             |    |             |    |             |    |             |      |               |
|---------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------|------|-------------|----|-------------|----|-------------|----|-------------|------|---------------|
|                           | 2015                           |             | 2016 |             |    | 2017        |    | 2018        |    | 2019        |      | Total         |
| Water Supply              | \$                             | 17,419,200  | \$   | 32,637,831  | \$ | 87,956,911  | \$ | 59,126,900  | \$ | 133,999,610 | \$   | 331,140,452   |
| Water Delivery            |                                | 57,263,069  |      | 71,846,320  |    | 83,395,758  |    | 57,018,444  |    | 52,946,241  |      | 322,469,832   |
| Wastewater                |                                | 139,507,443 |      | 217,612,360 |    | 150,776,899 |    | 171,718,332 |    | 138,073,427 |      | 817,688,461   |
| Heating and Cooling       |                                | 2,585,000   |      | 2,745,270   |    | 2,138,510   |    | 540,100     |    | 2,456,597   |      | 10,465,477    |
| Total Annual Requirements | \$                             | 216,774,712 | \$   | 324,841,781 | \$ | 324,268,078 | \$ | 288,403,776 | \$ | 327,475,875 | \$ 3 | 1,481,764,222 |

<sup>\*</sup> Preliminary, subject to change.

#### PROJECT FUNDING APPROACH

The following table was prepared by the System staff based upon information and assumptions it deems reasonable, and shows the projected financing sources to meet the projected capital needs.

# Projected Funding Sources\*

|               |                  | Fiscal Year Ended December 31, |    |             |    |             |    |             |    |             |      |               |  |
|---------------|------------------|--------------------------------|----|-------------|----|-------------|----|-------------|----|-------------|------|---------------|--|
|               | 2015             |                                |    | 2016        |    | 2017        |    | 2018        |    | 2019        |      | Total         |  |
| Revenues      | \$ 37,706,328 \$ |                                | \$ | 87,606,697  | \$ | 80,920,448  | \$ | 63,664,669  | \$ | 69,582,544  | \$   | 339,214,777   |  |
| Impact Fees   |                  | 49,610,901                     |    | 60,991,011  |    | 51,298,077  |    | 19,472,450  |    | 22,000,000  |      | 203,372,439   |  |
| Debt Proceeds |                  | 129,457,483                    |    | 176,244,073 |    | 192,049,553 |    | 205,266,657 |    | 235,893,331 |      | 939,177,006   |  |
| Total         | \$               | 216,774,712                    | \$ | 324,841,781 | \$ | 324,268,078 | \$ | 288,403,776 | \$ | 327,475,875 | \$ 3 | 1,481,764,222 |  |

<sup>\*</sup> Preliminary, subject to change.

#### FINANCIAL POLICIES

Basis of Accounting. The financial statements are prepared using the accrual basis of accounting. Under this method, revenues are recorded when earned and expenses are recorded at the time liabilities are incurred.

*Debt Service Fund Balance.* The System maintains the parity lien Debt Service Fund and the Reserve Fund, as applicable, in accordance with the ordinances authorizing the currently outstanding Senior Lien Obligations and Junior Lien Obligations, respectively.

**Budgetary Procedures.** The System prepares and presents, 60 days prior to the beginning of each fiscal year, an annual budget prepared on an accrual basis to serve as a tool in controlling and administering the management and operation of the System. The annual budget reflects an estimate of Gross Revenues and an estimate of the disposition of these revenues in accordance with the flow of funds required by Ordinance No. 75686. The annual budget is submitted to City Council for review and consultation. Encumbrances are not formally recorded in the accounting system but are monitored and disclosed if significant amounts are outstanding at year end. Outstanding encumbrances lapse at year end and must be reappropriated in the following year.

# INVESTMENT INFORMATION

Available investable funds of the System, acting on behalf of the City, are invested as authorized and required by the Texas Public Funds Investment Act, Chapter 2256, Texas Government Code, as amended (the "Investment Act") and in accordance with an Investment Policy approved by the Board of the System. The Investment Act requires that the System establish an investment policy to ensure that City funds are invested only in accordance with State law. The most recent update to the investment policy was adopted on December 2, 2014. The System's

investments are managed by its Senior Vice President/Chief Financial Officer, Treasurer, and the Manager-Finance, who, in accordance with the Investment Policy, reports investment activity to the Board.

Legal Investments. Under Texas law, the City is authorized to invest in (1) obligations, including letters of credit, of the United States or its agencies and instrumentalities, (2) direct obligations of the State of Texas or its agencies and instrumentalities, (3) collateralized mortgage obligations directly issued by a federal agency or instrumentality of the United States, the underlying security for which is guaranteed by an agency or instrumentality of the United States, (4) other obligations, the principal and interest of which are unconditionally guaranteed or insured by, or backed by the full faith and credit of the State of Texas or the United States or their respective agencies and instrumentalities, including obligations that are fully guaranteed or insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation or by the explicit full faith and credit of the United States, (5) obligations of states, agencies, counties, cities, and other political subdivisions of any state rated as to investment quality by a nationally recognized investment rating firm not less than "A" or its equivalent, (6) (a) certificates of deposit and share certificates issued by a depository institution that has its main office or branch office in the State of Texas, that are guaranteed or insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation or the National Credit Union Share Insurance Fund or their respective successors, or are secured as to principal by obligations described in clauses (1) through (5) and clause (13) or in any other manner and amount provided by law for System deposits, and in addition (b) the System is authorized, subject to certain conditions, to invest in certificates of deposit with a depository institution that has its main office or branch office in the State of Texas and that participates in the Certificate of Deposit Account Registry Service® network ("CDARS®") and as further provided by Texas law, (7) fully collateralized repurchase agreements that have a defined termination date, are fully secured by a combination of cash and obligations described in clause (1) and require the security being purchased by the City or cash held by the City to be pledged to the City, held in the City's name and deposited at the time the investment is made with the City or with a third party selected and approved by the City, and are placed through a primary government securities dealer or a financial institution doing business in the State of Texas, (8) bankers' acceptances with the remaining term of 270 days or less from the date of issuance, if the short-term obligations of the accepting bank or its parent are rated at least "A-1" or "P-1" or the equivalent by at least one nationally recognized credit rating agency, (9) commercial paper with the remaining term of 270 days or less from the date of issuance that is rated at least "A-1" or "P-1" or the equivalent by at least (a) two nationally recognized credit rating agencies or (b) one nationally recognized credit rating agency if the paper is fully secured by an irrevocable letter of credit issued by a U.S. or state bank, (10) no-load money market mutual funds registered with and regulated by the United States Securities and Exchange Commission that have a dollar weighted average portfolio maturity of 90 days or less and include in their investment objectives the maintenance of a stable net asset value of \$1 for each share, (11) no-load mutual fund registered with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission that: have an average weighted maturity of less than two years; invest exclusively in obligations described herein and in the Investment Act and are continuously rated as to investment quality by at least one nationally recognized investment rating firm of not less than "AAA" or its equivalent, (12) public funds investment pools that have an advisory board which includes participants in the pool and are continuously rated as to investment quality by at least one nationally recognized investment rating firm of not less than "AAA" or "AAAm" or its equivalent, and (13) bonds issued, assumed or guaranteed by the State of Israel. Texas law also permits the City to invest bond proceeds in a guaranteed investment contract subject to the limitations set forth in the Investment Act.

Entities such as the City may enter into securities lending programs if (i) the securities loaned under the program are 100% collateralized including accrued income, a loan made under the program allows for termination at any time and a loan made under the program is either secured by (a) obligations that are described in clauses (1) through (5) and clause (13) above, (b) pledged irrevocable letters of credit issued by a state or national bank that is continuously rated by a nationally recognized investment rating firm at not less than "A" or its equivalent or (c) cash invested in obligations described in clauses (1) through (5) and clause (13) above, clause (9) above and clauses (10) and (11) above, or an authorized investment pool; (ii) securities held as collateral under a loan are pledged to such investing entity or a third party designated by such investing entity; (iii) a loan made under the program is placed through either a primary government securities dealer or a financial institution doing business in the State of Texas; and (iv) the agreement to lend securities has a term of one year or less.

The System may invest in such obligations directly or through government investment pools that invest solely in such obligations provided that the pool are rated no lower than "AAA" or "AAA-m" or an equivalent by at least one nationally recognized rating service. The System is specifically prohibited from investing in (1) obligations whose payment represents the coupon payments on the outstanding principal balance of the underlying mortgage-backed security collateral and pays no principal; (2) obligations whose payment represents the principal stream of cash flow from the underlying mortgage-backed security and bears no interest; (3) collateralized mortgage obligations that have a stated final maturity of greater than 10 years; and (4) collateralized mortgage obligations the interest rate of which is determined by an index that adjusts opposite to the changes in a market index.

Investment Policies. Under Texas law, the System is required to invest its funds in accordance with written investment policies that primarily emphasize safety of principal and liquidity; that address investment diversification, yield, maturity, and the quality and capability of investment management; that includes a list of authorized investments for System funds, maximum allowable stated maturity of any individual investment, the maximum average dollar-weighted maturity allowed for pool fund groups, and the methods to monitor the market price of investments acquired with public funds and the requirement for settlement of all transactions, except investment pool funds and mutual funds, on a delivery versus payment basis and procedures to monitor rating changes in investments acquired with public funds and the liquidation of such investments. All System funds must be invested consistent with a formally adopted "Investment Strategy Statement" that specifically addresses each fund's investment. Each Investment Strategy Statement will describe its objectives concerning: (1) suitability of investment type; (2) preservation and safety of principal; (3) liquidity; (4) marketability of each investment; (5) diversification of the portfolio; and (6) yield.

Under Texas law, System investments must be made "with judgment and care, under prevailing circumstances, that a person of prudence, discretion, and intelligence would exercise in the management of the person's own affairs, not for speculation, but for investment, considering the probable safety of capital and the probable income to be derived." At least quarterly the investment officers of the System must submit to the Board an investment report detailing (1) the investment position of the System; (2) that all investment officers jointly prepared and signed the report; (3) the beginning market value, the fully accrued interest, and the ending value of each pooled fund group; (4) the book value and market value of each separately listed asset at the end of the reporting period; (5) the maturity date of each separately invested asset; (6) the account or fund or pooled fund group for which each individual investment was acquired; and (7) the compliance of the investment portfolio as it relates to

(a) adopted investment strategy statements and (b) State law. No person may invest System funds without express written authority from the Board.

Additional Provisions. Under Texas law, the System is additionally required to (1) annually review its adopted policies and strategies; (2) adopt an order or resolution stating that it has reviewed its investment policy and investment strategies and records any changes made to either its investment policy or investment strategy in the said order or resolution; (3) require any investment officers with personal business relationships or relative with firms seeking to sell securities to the entity to disclose the relationship and file a statement with the Texas Ethics Commission and the Board; (4) require the registered principal of firms seeking to sell securities to the System to (a) receive and review the System's investment policy; (b) acknowledge that reasonable controls and procedures have been implemented to preclude imprudent investment activities; and (c) deliver a written statement attesting to these requirements; (5) perform an annual audit of the management controls on investments and adherence to the System's investment policy; (6) provide specific investment training for the Chief Financial Officer and investment officers; (7) restrict reverse repurchase agreements to not more than 90 days and restrict the investments of reverse repurchase agreement funds to no greater than the term of the reverse repurchase agreement; (8) restrict the investment in mutual funds in the aggregate to no more than 15% of the System's monthly average fund balance, excluding bond proceeds and reserves and other funds held for debt service and further restrict the investment in on-load money market mutual funds of any portion of bond proceeds, reserves and funds held for debt service and to no more than 15% of the entity's monthly average fund balance, excluding bond proceeds and reserves and other funds held for debt service and to no more than 15% of the entity's monthly average fund balance, excluding bond proceeds and reserves and other funds held for debt service and to no more than 15% of the entity's monthly average

Current Investments. At September 30, 2014, investable System funds were 68.50% invested in obligations of the United States, or its agencies and instrumentalities, 22.30% invested in money market funds, 1.17% invested in Certificates of Deposit, and .47% invested in municipals, with the balance in demand/savings accounts and cash on hand. The investments and maturity terms are consistent with State law, and SAWS' investment policy, which objectives are to preserve principal, limit risk, maintain diversification and liquidity, and to maximize interest earnings.

The market value of such investments (as determined by SAWS by reference to published quotations, dealer bids, and comparable information) was approximately 100.01% of their book value and approximately 100.00% of its purchase price; with 95.63% of the System's investments maturing in less than one year. No funds of SAWS are invested in derivative securities; i.e., securities whose rate of return is determined by reference to some other instrument, index, or commodity.

As of September 30, 2014, the System funds were invested in the following categories (data presented is unaudited):

|                         |             | Carrying       |                |
|-------------------------|-------------|----------------|----------------|
|                         | Percentages | Amount (1)     | Market Value   |
| Money Market Deposits   | 22.30%      | \$ 190,905,822 | \$ 190,905,822 |
| Municipals              | 0.47%       | 4,036,651      | 4,038,783      |
| Certificates of Deposit | 1.17%       | 10,000,000     | 10,000,000     |
| U.S. Treasury Notes     | 1.17%       | 10,002,642     | 9,999,944      |
| U.S. Agency Notes       | 67.33%      | 576,215,956    | 576,281,780    |
| Demand and Savings      | 7.55%       | 64,617,002     | 64,617,002     |
| Cash on Hand            | 0.01%       | 29,920         | 29,920         |
| Total                   | 100.00%     | \$ 855,807,993 | \$855,873,251  |

<sup>(1)</sup> At Amortized Cost.

# THE DISTRICT SPECIAL PROJECT

#### BEXAR METROPOLITAN WATER DISTRICT

Except for information specifically pertaining to SAWS or the City, the information in this section was made publically available by the former Bexar Metropolitan Water District ("BexarMet"). Neither SAWS nor the City has verified the accuracy or completeness of information relating to BexarMet operations or the financial results hereinafter described or referenced that were the sole responsibility of BexarMet prior to its dissolution and assumption by the City.

BexarMet was created by the 49th Texas Legislature in 1945, to serve anticipated growth in Bexar County. From an initial account base of 4,765 primarily residential accounts, it grew to more than 92,000 residential and commercial accounts served in 2011. Over several years, repeated customer complaints about inadequate service, alleged mismanagement, and excessive rates resulted in legislative intervention in 2007, through the enactment of House Bill 1565, by the 80th Texas Legislature mandating various operational and financial audits of BexarMet along with the creation of the Joint Committee on Oversight of the Bexar Metropolitan Water District (the "Oversight Committee") to monitor operations, management, and governance of BexarMet. Attempts to implement legislative remedies concerning BexarMet operations during the 81st Texas Legislative Session were unsuccessful and monitoring by the Oversight Committee continued through the start of the 82nd Texas Legislative Session in January 2011. During that time, BexarMet dismissed its General Manager for failing to disclose an indictment for conduct alleged to have occurred at his prior place of employment and unrelated to BexarMet operations (a charge to which he pled guilty in 2012). Additionally, allegations were made that BexarMet was misstating certain revenues recognized in its 2010 interim preliminary unaudited financial statements. To remove any appearance of impropriety, the governing body of BexarMet (the "BexarMet Board") hired an external forensic auditor to review the claims. The revenue entries at issue were reversed during the completion of the final audit, and BexarMet received an unqualified opinion in its final annual audit. As disclosed in its preliminary financial statements and in the final 2010 audit, due to abnormally high rainfall during the 2010 fiscal year, BexarMet revenues were down approximately 10% which resulted in BexarMet failing to maintain its debt service coverage

ratio as required by its authorizing orders for its debt obligations. In anticipation of the potential debt service coverage ratio shortfall, the BexarMet Board, with the assistance of an outside rate consultant, expedited its review of its existing rates and rate structure, and diligently worked to formulate a new rate structure to provide sufficient revenues to meet its covenanted rate coverage requirements and maintain its capital improvement plan, while balancing the impact on its ratepayers. The new rate structure was adopted with implementation of a 7% increase on September 1, 2010. BexarMet anticipated that additional budget cutting measures coupled with the new rates and additional revenues generated thereby, would restore its fiscal health. In addition to the foregoing, and during this time, BexarMet continued to report to the Oversight Committee and worked diligently to improve its operations and financial position. For fiscal year ended April 30, 2011, according to the records released by BexarMet, BexarMet realized a record amount of gross revenues, ended the fiscal year with a debt service coverage ratio of 1.57; and received an unqualified opinion on its 2011 audited financial statements.

#### DISSOLUTION AND ASSUMPTION BY THE CITY

At the beginning of the 82nd Texas Legislative Session, the Oversight Committee recommended that two bills be passed. In May 2011, the 82nd Texas Legislature enacted Senate Bill 341 ("Senate Bill 341" or "SB 341"). SB 341 established several key measures including the immediate monitoring and review of BexarMet operations by the TCEQ. The primary component of SB 341, however, required the conduct of an election (the "Election") by BexarMet ratepayers to vote on the dissolution of BexarMet and consolidation with SAWS, which Election was held on November 8, 2011. At this Election, BexarMet ratepayers voted in favor of dissolution (9,047 votes for versus 3,172 votes against).

These results were canvassed by the BexarMet Board and certified to the Texas Secretary of State on November 18, 2011. The last prerequisite to the assumption of operational control and management of BexarMet by SAWS was preclearance of the Election results by the United States Department of Justice (the "DOJ"), which was received on January 27, 2012. The City commenced assumption procedures on January 28, 2012. SAWS, acting by and through the City, took action to accommodate the assumption of BexarMet in accordance with the requirements and specifications of SB 341. On October 20, 2011, the City Council adopted an ordinance creating a "Special Project", as authorized by SB 341 and pursuant to City ordinances authorizing then-outstanding Senior Lien Obligations, where the assumed BexarMet will reside as a segregated component unit of SAWS until full integration into the SAWS system occurs within the timeframe specified by SB 341. The City received judicial validation of this position pursuant to declaratory judgment action filed under Chapter 1205, as amended, Texas Government Code (In re the City of San Antonio and Certain Public Securities, Cause No. D-1-GV-12-000115, 410th Judicial District Court of Travis County, Texas).

Pursuant to SB 341: (a) the term of each Director of BexarMet expired on the date the Election results were certified to the Secretary of State of Texas; (b) SAWS assumed control of the operation and management of BexarMet on the date the Election results were certified to the Secretary of State of the State of Texas; (c) not later than the 90th day after the date the Election results were certified to the Secretary of State of Texas, the TCEQ, in consultation with the Oversight Committee, was required to transfer or assign to the SAWS all: (1) rights and duties of BexarMet, including existing contracts, duties, assets, and obligations of BexarMet, (2) files, records, and accounts of BexarMet, including those that pertained to the control, finances, management, and operation of BexarMet, and (3) permits, approvals, and certificates necessary to provide water services; (d) to the extent that a transfer of an item required the approval of a state agency, the state agency was required to grant approval without additional notice or hearing; and (e) after the TCEQ transferred the property, assets, and liabilities as prescribed by this section, the TCEQ was required to enter an order dissolving BexarMet. On May 30, 2012, the TCEQ entered an order finally dissolving BexarMet in accordance with the provisions of SB 341. Information filings for the former BexarMet made prior to these dates remain available on the MAC (defined herein) website under the City's listings as its "Water System Special Project."

SB 341 stated that its intent was not to enhance or harm the position of a party that had contracted with BexarMet and no law or charter provision may be construed to limit the SAWS performance of an obligation under a contract transferred or assigned to SAWS as a result of the dissolution of BexarMet, if revenue from the contract was pledged wholly or partly to pay debt service on revenue bonds approved by the Texas Attorney General.

In the five years prior to dissolution, BexarMet made, in addition to its requisite annual filings, periodic material event notice filings with EMMA concerning the following matters: enactment of SB 341; covenant default under a direct-pay letter of credit with Wells Fargo Bank, National Association supporting its then-existing commercial paper program; covenant defaults under its bond documentation, including failure to meet debt service coverage requirements; material litigation; and termination of an existing interest rate hedging agreement. In addition, BexarMet timely made its annual disclosure filings during this period, with the exception of its requisite filing for the fiscal year ending April 30, 2011 (filed late in two parts on November 14, 2011 and November 17, 2011, respectively). BexarMet filed notice with EMMA of this late filing on November 29, 2011.

BexarMet's financial statements for the fiscal year ending April 30, 2011 and official statements are available on EMMA and through the MAC as described above.

# **DSP WATERWORKS SYSTEM**

The waterworks system assumed by SAWS through the District Special Project (the "District Special Project" or the "DSP") that belonged to the former BexarMet (the "DSP Waterworks System") provides water service to an area of approximately 272 square miles in Bexar, Atascosa, and Medina counties. The service area is a non-contiguous area that consists of portions of the south side of San Antonio, portions of south and west Bexar County, northern Atascosa County and eastern Medina County. The service area also includes the cities of Somerset, Castle Hills, Hill Country Village, and Hollywood Park, the Stone Oak and Timberwood Park subdivisions in northern Bexar County, and a portion of northeast San Antonio. Within the service area, there are approximately 101,500 water connections. There are approximately 88 water wells that provide water to approximately 91 ground storage facilities which have a capacity totaling approximately 37 million gallons of storage, and 21 elevated storage facilities totaling approximately 27 million gallons of storage. In addition, there are approximately 1,380 miles of transmission and distribution water lines.

The DSP assumed ownership and operational responsibilities of the DSP Waterworks System on January 28, 2012. The former BexarMet was dissolved by order of the TCEQ on May 30, 2012. All references to the former BexarMet, including with respect to references to actions preceding these dates, are replaced with references to the DSP as a result of the foregoing. The DSP is not currently a part of the System, but SB 341 requires that the waterworks system maintained by the DSP be merged into the System, creating one consolidated system, not later than 2017. SAWS anticipates compliance with this legislative deadline.

# WATER RESOURCES

The DSP Waterworks System has the following water supplies:

*Edwards Aquifer.* Through permitting, purchases, and leases, the DSP has access to 33,922 acre-feet of Edwards Aquifer groundwater withdrawal rights. The DSP received an initial pumping permit of 22,824 acre-feet, and through purchase or leases, has acquired an additional 11,098 acre-feet.

*Trinity Aquifer.* For a discussion of the DSP's portion of water provided by the Trinity Aquifer, please see "THE SAN ANTONIO WATER SYSTEM – Trinity Aquifer Projects."

Canyon Regional Water Authority. The Canyon Regional Water Authority ("CRWA") is a public entity created by the Texas Legislature to develop non-Edwards Aquifer water supplies for its members. The CRWA has a contract with GBRA for the purchase of raw water from Canyon Lake, and has constructed a treatment plant for the water downstream on Lake Dunlap. Under the terms of a multi-party agreement between CRWA, GBRA, the DSP and others, the DSP is allocated the right and obligation to purchase 4,000 acre-feet of this water, although 500 acre-feet are sub-leased to the City of Cibolo through December 31, 2018. The CRWA agreement with GBRA expires in 2024, at which time CRWA is obligated by contract with the DSP to replace the 4,000 acre-feet of Canyon Lake water with water from other sources.

CRWA has also constructed a groundwater project known as the Wells Ranch Project to produce water from the Carrizo-Wilcox Aquifer in Gonzales and Guadalupe Counties. Pursuant to a contract with CRWA, the DSP has a right and obligation to purchase 2,800 acre-feet of water per year from this project. CRWA has a contractual obligation to develop an additional 1,450 acre-feet of water for the DSP from the Wells Ranch Project by 2015, but the DSP and CRWA are negotiating the termination of that obligation. The agreement between DSP and CRWA for the purchase of water from the Wells Ranch Project expires in 2047, but includes an extension option.

Medina Valley. The Medina Valley consists of a 950 square mile drainage area upstream of the confluence of Medio Creek, Potranco Creek, and the Medina River. The surface runoff from about two-thirds of the Medina Valley is upstream of Medina Lake. For purposes of water resource protection and minimizing customer costs, the DSP has adopted a non-degradation policy in support of TCEQ's public water supply stream quality designations. The DSP has contracted with the USGS for water quality and quantity measurements in support of its Medina Valley surface water development activities.

The DSP owns and leases approximately 10,000 acre-feet per year of municipal surface water rights in the Medina Valley. These "run-of-river" rights have minimum downstream flow restrictions that prohibit diversions when streamflow gets below 20 cubic feet per second ("cfs").

The Bexar-Medina-Atascosa Counties Water Control and Improvement District No. 1 ("BMA") is authorized to impound up to 254,000 acre-feet of water in Medina Lake and annually divert approximately 66,000 acre-feet per year (20,000 acre-feet per year for municipal and industrial purposes and 46,000 acre-feet per year for agricultural irrigation). The most current agreement between the DSP and BMA was executed in 2007, for the lease of approximately 20,000 acre-feet per year of municipal/industrial water, at a cost of \$69 per acre-foot. According to the Water Supply Agreement ("WSA"), this raw water cost increased at the end of 2012 to the GBRA Basin-Wide Rate, which is \$130 per acre-foot as of October 2014. Under the WSA, the DSP is required to use the water purchased for municipal purposes within its service areas or, upon prior approval of BMA, may resell to third parties outside of its service areas for any lawful purpose. Third party sales of water diverted by the DSP outside of the San Antonio River Basin require the approval of the TCEQ. This surface water right has no minimum downstream flow restrictions.

In December 1999, the Plant (defined herein) began treating Medina River water to drinking water standards. Generally, when downstream flow conditions are above 20 cfs, the DSP uses its run-of-river rights to divert and treat at the Plant. When downstream flow conditions are below 20 cfs, the DSP uses its WSA with BMA to divert and treat at the Plant. (See "THE DISTRICT SPECIAL PROJECT – Surface Water Treatment Plant" herein.)

Due to the severity of the ongoing drought, Medina Lake is currently at approximately 3% of capacity. The BMA has indefinitely suspended the availability of Medina Lake water to irrigation users. Due to water quality concerns, the DSP elected to indefinitely shut down the Plant in April 2013. In 2013, DSP diverted and treated approximately 1,600 acre-feet of Medina Valley water, with no water being diverted and treated during 2014.

Central Valley. The Central Valley consists of an 850 square mile drainage area upstream of the confluence of Calaveras Creek, the Medina River, and the San Antonio River. The DSP owns 1,100 acre-feet per year of run-of-river water rights from the Medina River in the Central Valley. The DSP also owns 630 acre-feet of run-of-river water rights from the San Antonio River in the Central Valley. All water rights owned by the DSP in the Central Valley are located downstream of the Plant and will require the construction and acquisition of additional water storage facilities, pump stations, and pipelines for transporting the water to the Plant.

# SURFACE WATER TREATMENT PLANT

The Bexar Metropolitan Development Corporation (the "Corporation") was an industrial development corporation created under the "Development Corporation Act of 1979," Chapter 501, Texas Local Government Code, as amended, by BexarMet (now the DSP) to construct a surface water treatment plant (the "Plant") located southwest of the City of San Antonio. The Corporation issued its "Bexar Metropolitan

Development Corporation Water Facility Contract Revenue Bonds, Series 1998" (the "Corporation Bonds"), to finance the construction of the Plant. The Plant, currently operated by United Water Services San Antonio LLC (a private company), is located on a 39-acre site owned by the Corporation, approximately one and one quarter miles from the Medina River. The Plant is capable of treating 15.0 MGD expandable in modular form to an ultimate treatment capacity of 27.0 MGD.

Raw water supply to the Plant is withdrawn from the Medina River downstream of the Lake Medina Diversion Dam (see "THE DISTRICT SPECIAL PROJECT – Surface Water Resources – Medina Valley" herein). The Medina River drainage basin contains 1,354 square miles, and the adjacent land is primarily rural in nature. Raw water quality data for the Medina River compiled by various laboratories indicates that, with proper treatment, the Plant's raw water supply is a suitable drinking water source.

The DSP and the Corporation entered into a "Lease With an Option to Purchase," dated as of July 1, 1998 (the "Lease"), pursuant to which the DSP leased the Plant from the Corporation for a period from July 16, 1998 until May 1, 2028, unless earlier terminated by the DSP pursuant to the Lease. During the term of the Lease, the DSP is required each month to pay, among other things, all debt service on the Corporation Bonds, the costs to operate and maintain the Plant and to fund the "Bexar Metropolitan Development Corporation Major Maintenance Fund", a repair and replacement fund for the Plant, and all costs and expenses of the Corporation in the administration of the Lease and the Plant. All payments made by the DSP under the Lease are characterized as "operating expenses" of the DSP.

Effective August 6, 2012, the Corporation Bonds were redeemed using proceeds from the SAWS commercial paper program (the Series B Notes), effectuating the acquisition of the Plant by SAWS pursuant to the terms of the Lease. Upon the completion of the purchase of the Plant by SAWS and the redemption of the Corporation Bonds, the purpose of the Corporation was fulfilled. Accordingly, the Corporation was dissolved on October 12, 2012. The cost of servicing this debt (including allocable costs of liquidity and other administrative fees), as well as the cost of operating and maintaining the Plant, is allocated to and paid by the DSP and any production from the Plant will continue to be sold by the DSP to satisfy the needs of the customers of the DSP Waterworks System.

# POST-ASSUMPTION CITY ACTIONS

Since its assumption of BexarMet on January 28, 2012 by and through the DSP, the City has taken multiple actions relative to the former BexarMet system aimed at increasing operational efficiency and strengthening its financial and operational condition. These actions include:

- Acquisition of the Plant by SAWS and allocation of the resultant short-term, variable rate debt expense to the DSP, as described above, has resulted in a decreased maintenance and operation expense of the DSP of approximately \$2.4 million for the 17-month period beginning August 6, 2012 and ending on December 31, 2013 (being the difference between the pro-rata annual debt service on the Corporation Bonds for such period less the allocated debt expense (interest and facility fees only; no principal) for the same period carried by SAWS of \$197,800);
- Establishment of a flexible rate revolving note private placement program, in an authorized amount not to exceed \$100,000,000 at any time outstanding, pursuant to which the DSP can issue from time to time program notes that are to be sold to Wells Fargo Bank, National Association, under a Note Purchase Agreement, dated as of June 28, 2012 and expiring on May 1, 2015, and the proceeds from which may be used for authorized purposes. On June 28, 2012, the DSP initially issued \$68,700,000 in program notes for the purpose of refinancing \$10,000,000 in commercial paper notes (that had been converted to bank bonds under BexarMet's former commercial paper program), as well as refinancing BexarMet's Waterworks System Revenue Bonds, Series 1998 in the aggregate principal amount of \$33,662,958.85 and its Waterworks System Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2002 in the aggregate principal amount of \$22,035,000. These actions resulted in interest expense savings to the DSP of approximately \$3 million for the period June 28, 2013 through December 31, 2013. On November 25, 2014, an additional \$10,000,000 was issued under the Note Purchase Agreement to fund capital improvements for the DSP. On December 11, 2014, the City approved an ordinance expanding program capacity to \$115,000,000 and authorizing the City's execution of the First Amendment to the Note Purchase Agreement with Wells Fargo Bank, National Association, to extend the expiration date of the Note Purchase Agreement to May 1, 2017, and increase the Bank's purchasing commitment thereunder to \$115,000,000. The program amendment and the First Amendment to the Note Purchase Agreement are anticipated to be effective as of January 29, 2015;
- Implementation of various operational efficiencies, to include (i) complete integration of System and DSP staff; (ii) conversion from DSP payroll system to System standards; (iii) integration and conversion of networks, servers, customer billing accounts, and all business applications; and (iv) consolidation of staff to a single facility;
- Renegotiation of water supply contracts to incorporate terms determined by System staff to reflect current water market standards;
- Amendment of the DSP's fiscal year end from April 30 to December 31, to align with the SAWS' fiscal year; and
- Sale by SAWS to the DSP of 1.3 and 1.8 billion gallons of water, at wholesale rates and delivered through system interconnections, in 2012 and 2013, respectively, to meet DSP customer demand as a result of insufficiency of the DSP's independent water resources. The water sold to the DSP by SAWS resulted in operating revenues to SAWS and operating expenses to the DSP of \$3.6 million and \$5.1 million in 2012 and 2013 respectively. The sale of water from SAWS to the DSP continued in 2014, with SAWS providing 2.8 billion gallons of water to the DSP through the first nine months of the year, resulting in SAWS recognizing \$8.6 million in operating revenues and the DSP recognizing the same amount as an operating expense.

These actions have produced positive results. The DSP's (i) senior lien debt service coverage was 1.94 as of December 31, 2013 and (ii) days cash-on-hand was 197 days as of December 31, 2013 (1.99 senior lien debt service coverage as of November 30, 2014 and on a rolling 12-month basis, and 174 days cash-on-hand as of November 30, 2014; unaudited). SAWS approved its most recent audited financial results for the DSP on April 1, 2014 in conjunction with the delivery of the SAWS audit.

On February 13, 2012, Standard and Poor's Rating Services, ("S&P") revised its outlook to positive and affirmed the "A" rating on the BexarMet revenue bond obligations and on March 14, 2012, Moody's Investors Services ("Moody's") confirmed the "A1" rating of the BexarMet senior lien obligations, the "A2" rating on its subordinate lien obligations and revised its outlook to stable from negative. Both S&P and Moody's cited the assumption of BexarMet by SAWS as the reason for the revised rating. On May 30, 2012, Fitch Ratings affirmed the "A" rating on the

BexarMet debt assumed by SAWS and revised the outlook to positive. Moody's affirmed these ratings on March 12, 2013; S&P affirmed its ratings on March 19, 2013. On May 24, 2013, Fitch Ratings upgraded the BexerMet senior lien obligations to "A+" from "A", and its subordinate lien debt obligations to "A" from "A-", and revised its outlook to stable. On March 31, 2014, S&P raised the rating of the BexarMet waterworks system revenue debt to "A+" from "A", with a stable outlook.

The DSP, as of December 31, 2013, had outstanding indebtedness secured by and payable from (i) a senior and superior lien on and pledge of the net revenues of the DSP Waterworks System in the amount of \$151,896,387 (excluding accreted interest on capital appreciation bonds) and (ii) a subordinate and inferior lien on and pledge of the net revenues of the DSP Waterworks System (which includes the outstanding program notes issued from time to time under the aforementioned flexible rate revolving note private placement program) in the amount of \$88,990,000. Debt allocated to the DSP, the costs of which are paid from gross revenues of the DSP Waterworks System as maintenance and operations expenses, totals \$18,655,000.

#### SAWS STATISTICAL SECTION AND MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION

The following Statistical Section is derived from SAWS' Comprehensive Annual Financial Report for the year ended December 31, 2013. See "APPENDIX B - EXCERPTS FROM THE SAN ANTONIO WATER SYSTEM ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT". SAWS follows Governmental Accounting Standards Board ("GASB") Statement No. 34, which requires the preparation of a Management's Discussion and Analysis ("MD&A") in connection with the annual financial report of SAWS. Reference is hereby made to APPENDIX B for the MD&A pertaining to the SAWS fiscal year ended December 31, 2013. Certain interim financial reports are made available periodically by SAWS to the general public and are accessible at http://www.saws.org.

Certain historical financial information presented in this Official Statement in table format was derived from SAWS's annual audited financial reports, though the presentation format itself was not separately audited.

The operating results of the System reflect the results of past operations and are not necessarily indicative of results of operations for any future period. Future operations will be affected by factors relating to changes in rates, operating costs, water, wastewater, and other industry regulation, environmental regulation, economic growth of the community, population, weather, and other matters the nature and effect of which cannot at present be determined. See "FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS" herein.

# San Antonio Water System Schedule 1 - Fund Equity Since Inception of GASB 34(accrual basis of accounting) (amounts in thousands)

Fiscal Year 2012<sup>(a)</sup> 2013 2011<sup>(a)</sup> 2010 2009 2008 2007 2006 2005 2004 System Fund: Net investment in capital assets \$ 1,482,196 \$ 1,564,406 \$ 1,447,651 \$ 1,291,968 \$ 1,262,840 \$1,297,893 \$ 1,104,726 \$ 971,355 \$887,192 \$ 792,641 Restricted 40,656 38,389 35,227 33,955 34,649 32,257 29,567 28,380 32,870 27,844 17,937 Unrestricted 19,017 19,407 19,475 27,649 30,849 81,920 Total net position -System Fund 1,522,852 1,602,795 1,482,878 1,344,940 1,316,896 1,348,087 1,153,768 1,027,384 950,911 902,405 Internal Service Fund(b): Net investment in capital assets 496 1,043 822 Unrestricted 9,371 9,475 10,232 Total net position -Internal Service Fund 9.867 10.297 11,275 Debt Service Fund: Restricted 39,710 34,254 34,862 31,222 27,511 25,790 21,324 18,350 15,978 11,706 Total net position -Debt Service Fund 39,710 34,254 34,862 31,222 27,511 25,790 21,324 18,350 15,978 11,706 Reserve Fund: 11.222 Restricted 62,560 58,681 54,696 50,688 41,479 Total net position -62,560 54,696 50,688 41,479 11,222 Reserve Fund 58,681 Renewal & Replacement Fund: Net investment in capital assets 101,212 83,968 98,455 98,555 89,888 85,191 116,344 114,701 73,733 77.767 Unrestricted 118,285 116,179 120,363 94,402 134,096 171,992 185,220 171,037 105,273 23,484 Total net position -Renewal & 219,497 200,147 218,818 192,957 223,984 257,183 301,564 285,738 179,006 101,251 Replacement Fund Project Fund: Net investment in capital assets 179,448 38,101 48,481 159,254 168,738 83,567 93,273 75,673 78,910 91,430 Total net position -Project Fund 38,101 83,567 93,273 78,910 91,430 179,448 48,481 159,254 168,738 75,673 Total – All Funds: Net investment in capital assets 1,762,856 1,686,475 1,594,587 1,549,777 1,521,466 1,466,651 1,314,343 1,162,225 1,040,657 962,881

124,785

120,363

\$ 1,839,735

115,865

113,419

\$1,779,061

103,639

153,503

\$ 1,778,608

69,269

189,929

\$ 1,725,849

50,891

204,695

\$1,569,929

\$ 1,933,978

131,324

116,179

142,926

118,285

\$ 2,024,067

Restricted

Unrestricted

Total Net Position

48,848

145,597

\$ 1,235,102

39,550

115,636

\$ 1,118,067

46,730

208,057

\$ 1,417,012

<sup>(</sup>a) Amounts have been restated as a result of the adoption of GASB 65, Items Previously Reported as Assets and Liabilities.

<sup>(</sup>b) Internal Service Fund was eliminated in 2007. Fund balances were transferred to the System Fund.

San Antonio Water System Schedule 2 - Change in Equity Since Inception of GASB 34 (accrual basis of accounting) (amounts in thousands)

|   | Fiscal Year   |                     |                     |              |            |            |              |            |            |           |
|---|---------------|---------------------|---------------------|--------------|------------|------------|--------------|------------|------------|-----------|
|   | 2013          | 2012 <sup>(a)</sup> | 2011 <sup>(a)</sup> | 2010         | 2009       | 2008       | 2007         | 2006       | 2005       | 2004      |
| Operating Revenues                      |               |                     |                     |              |            |            |              |            |            |           |
| Water delivery                          | \$ 119,767    | \$ 121,078          | \$ 125,188          | \$ 106,864   | \$ 105,204 | \$ 111,379 | \$ 89,991    | \$ 104,104 | \$ 92,954  | \$72,495  |
| Water Supply                            | 134,367       | 136,704             | 130,755             | 117,402      | 113,783    | 123,167    | 101,550      | 117,626    | 107,506    | 78,123    |
| Wastewater                              | 195,584       | 168,368             | 150,520             | 132,408      | 133,641    | 127,400    | 123,180      | 123,780    | 112,769    | 98,691    |
| Chilled water & steam                   | 12,621        | 12,378              | 11,631              | 12,223       | 12,714     | 12,675     | 12,997       | 13,146     | 13,304     | 11,963    |
|   | 462,339       | 438,528             | 418,094             | 368,897      | 365,342    | 374,621    | 327,718      | 358,656    | 326,533    | 261,272   |
| Operating expenses before depreciation: |               |                     |                     |              |            |            |              |            |            |           |
| Salaries and fringe benefits            | 125,210       | 125,295             | 127,816             | 121,523      | 115,177    | 103,556    | 95,821       | 90,857     | 81,752     | 80,403    |
| Contractual services                    | 107,194       | 100,165             | 66,900              | 82,708       | 89,112     | 89,894     | 83,243       | 82,121     | 87,272     | 69,127    |
| Materials and supplies                  | 23,355        | 23,966              | 24,868              | 20,320       | 22,768     | 22,438     | 17,947       | 16,330     | 15,035     | 14,144    |
| Other charges                           | 20,423        | 21,790              | 21,756              | 36,883       | 24,398     | 20,735     | 17,884       | 11,201     | 9,804      | 8,074     |
| Less: Costs capitalized to              |               |                     |                     |              |            |            |              |            |            |           |
| Construction in Progress                | (31,834)      | (33,640)            | (32,282)            | (34,945)     | (35,643)   | (31,137)   | (29,334)     | (23,244)   | (22,714)   | (19,053)  |
| Internal Service Fund – net             |               |                     |                     |              |            |            |              |            |            |           |
| (gain)/loss                             |               |                     |                     |              |            |            |              |            |            |           |
| Operating expense before                | 211210        |                     | 200.050             | 225,100      |            | 207.105    | 105.551      | 155.045    | 151.052    |           |
| depreciation                            | 244,348       | 237,576             | 209,058             | 226,489      | 215,812    | 205,486    | 185,561      | 177,265    | 171,853    | 152,446   |
| Depreciation                            | 111,375       | 103,034             | 98,374              | 107,761      | 86,535     | 83,494     | 78,307       | 71,312     | 67,958     | 60,646    |
| Total operating expenses                | 355,723       | 340,610             | 307,432             | 334,250      | 302,347    | 288,980    | 263,868      | 248,577    | 239,811    | 213,092   |
| Operating Income                        | 106,616       | 97,918              | 110,662             | 34,647       | 62,995     | 85,641     | 63,850       | 110,079    | 86,722     | 48,180    |
| Non-operating revenues:                 |               |                     |                     |              |            |            |              |            |            |           |
| Interest and miscellaneous              | 5,410         | 6,149               | 5,955               | 3,625        | 4,511      | 14,382     | 24,442       | 20,716     | 10,007     | 7,060     |
| Non-operating expenses:                 |               |                     |                     |              |            |            |              |            |            |           |
| Interest Expense                        | 75,606        | 73,987              | 77,022              | 76,805       | 67,686     | 63,556     | 63,672       | 60,612     | 46,788     | 41,592    |
| Amortization of debt insurance          |               |                     |                     |              |            |            |              |            |            |           |
| costs                                   | 4,112         | 3,835               | 2,346               | 2,081        | 1,465      | 1,521      | 1,015        | 645        | 537        | 500       |
| Other finance charges                   | 2,361         | 2,934               | 2,881               | 2,936        | 2,508      | 1,418      | 880          | 1,081      | 931        | 1,144     |
| (Gain)/Loss on sale of capital          | (1.055)       | (420)               | (772)               | (202)        | 104        | (4.01.4)   | 4            | (2.266)    | 1 227      | (121)     |
| assets                                  | (1,075)       | (430)               | (773)               | (392)        | 104        | (4,014)    | 4            | (2,266)    | 1,227      | (131)     |
| Payments to City of San<br>Antonio      | 11.530        | 11 161              | 10,926              | 0.565        | 9,740      | 10,448     | 9,376        | 10,026     | 8,983      | 7,102     |
| Payments to other entities              | 11,528<br>130 | 11,161<br>122       | 10,926              | 9,565<br>124 | 9,740      | 10,448     | 9,376<br>192 | 211        | 213        | 184       |
| •                                       |               |                     |                     |              |            |            |              |            |            |           |
| Total non-operating expense             | 92,662        | 91,609              | 92,526              | 91,119       | 81,622     | 73,048     | 75,139       | 70,309     | 58,679     | 50,391    |
| Special Items                           |               |                     |                     |              |            |            |              | (4,999)    | (3,584)    | (9,786)   |
| Increases (decreases) in net            |               |                     |                     |              |            |            |              |            |            |           |
| position, before capital                |               |                     |                     |              |            |            |              |            |            |           |
| contributions                           | 19,364        | 12,458              | 24,091              | (52,847)     | (14,116)   | 26,975     | 13,153       | 55,487     | 34,466     | (4,937)   |
| Contributions                           | 17,501        | 12,130              | 21,001              | (32,017)     | (11,110)   | 20,773     | 15,155       | 33,107     | 3 1, 100   | (1,237)   |
| Capital contributions                   |               |                     |                     |              |            |            |              |            |            |           |
| Plant Contributions                     | 32,891        | 44,787              | 23,263              | 27,162       | 42,190     | 91,827     | 104,795      | 81,208     | 48,238     | 45,302    |
| Capital Recovery Fees                   | 37,289        | 36,761              | 35,872              | 25,038       | 23,636     | 36,842     | 32,926       | 45,112     | 33,171     | 24,226    |
| Grant Revenue                           | 545           | 237                 | 345                 | 1,100        | 1,049      | 276        | 2,043        | 103        | 1,160      | -,        |
| Total contributions                     | 70,725        | 81,785              | 59,480              | 53,300       | 66,875     | 128,945    | 139,764      | 126,423    | 82,569     | 69,528    |
| Change in net position                  | \$ 90,089     | \$ 94,243           | \$ 83,571           | \$ 453       | \$ 52,759  | \$ 155,920 | \$ 152,917   | \$ 181,910 | \$ 117,035 | \$ 64,591 |

<sup>(</sup>a) Amounts have been restated as a result of the adoption of GASB 65, Items Previously Reported as Assets and Liabilities.

San Antonio Water System Schedule 3 - Equity in System Since Inception of GASB 34 (accrual basis of accounting) (amounts in thousands)

|   | Fiscal Year            |                        |                        |                        |                        |                        |                        |                        |                        |                        |  |  |
|---|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|--|--|
|   | 2013                   | 2012 <sup>(a)</sup>    | 2011 <sup>(a)</sup>    | 2010                   | 2009 <sup>(b)</sup>    | 2008 <sup>(b)</sup>    | 2007                   | 2006                   | 2005                   | 2004                   |  |  |
| Assets:<br>Capital Assets, net of<br>accumulated<br>depreciation<br>Cash and Investments          | \$3,964,000<br>689,482 | \$3,771,228<br>517,876 | \$3,553,065<br>528,761 | \$3,362,867<br>575,629 | \$3,174,264<br>576,652 | \$2,967,190<br>478,919 | \$2,697,592<br>480,240 | \$2,471,129<br>435,543 | \$2,338,280<br>337,322 | \$2,180,021<br>307,769 |  |  |
| Other Assets  | 75,999                 | 71,241                 | 63,658                 | 75,578                 | 74,823                 | 71,110                 | 72,796                 | 65,482                 | 64,828                 | 59,691                 |  |  |
| Total Assets  | 4,729,481              | 4,360,345              | 4,145,484              | 4,014,074              | 3,825,739              | 3,517,219              | 3,250,628              | 2,972,154              | 2,740,430              | 2,547,481              |  |  |
| Deferred Outflows of<br>Resources<br>Loss on Bond<br>Refunding<br>Accumulated<br>Decrease in Fair | 30,943                 | 30,561                 | 2,494                  | -                      | -                      | -                      | -                      | -                      | -                      | -                      |  |  |
| Value of Hedging<br>Derivatives   | 8,372                  | 19,746                 | 18,380                 | 5,575                  |                        |                        |                        |                        |                        |                        |  |  |
| Total Deferred Outflows of Resources  | 39,315                 | 50,307                 | 20,874                 | 5,575                  | -                      | -                      | -                      | -                      | -                      | -                      |  |  |
| Liabilities:<br>Revenue Bonds<br>Payable (net)  | 2.348.834              | 2,083,545              | 1,898,839              | 1,832,523              | 1,743,689              | 1,408,182              | 1,492,865              | 1,257,642              | 1,348,054              | 1,134,379              |  |  |
| Commercial Paper  | 2,340,034              | 2,065,545              | 1,090,039              | 1,032,323              | 1,743,069              | 1,400,102              | 1,492,803              | 1,237,042              | 1,346,034              | 1,134,379              |  |  |
| Notes   | 186,655                | 170,745                | 214,930                | 244,650                | 173,650                | 261,115                | 100,000                | 237,360                | 98,000                 | 238,400                |  |  |
| Other Liabilities   | 209,240                | 222,384                | 212,854                | 163,415                | 129,792                | 122,073                | 87,834                 | 60,140                 | 59,274                 | 56,635                 |  |  |
| Total Liabilities   | 2,744,729              | 2,476,674              | 2,326,623              | 2,240,588              | 2,047,131              | 1,791,370              | 1,680,699              | 1,555,142              | 1,505,328              | 1,429,414              |  |  |
| Equity in System  | \$2,024,067            | \$1,933,978            | \$1,839,735            | \$ 1,779,061           | \$1,778,608            | \$1,725,849            | \$1,569,929            | \$ 1,417,012           | \$1,235,102            | \$1,118,067            |  |  |
| Percentage Equity in<br>System  | 42.7%                  | 44.2%                  | 44.2%                  | 44.3%                  | 46.5%                  | 49.1%                  | 48.3%                  | 47.7%                  | 45.1%                  | 43.9%                  |  |  |

 <sup>(</sup>a) Amounts have been restated as a result of the adoption of GASB 65, Items Previously Reported as Assets and Liabilities.
 (b) Amounts have been restated as a result of the adoption of GASB 53, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Derivative Instruments.

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# Schedule 4 - Water Production, Water Usage and Wastewater Treated (gallons in millions)

Water Sewer Gallons of Gallons of Gallons of Average **Gallons of Water** Water Wastewater Base Rate <sup>(f)</sup> Water Percent Base Usage Usage Production (b) Usage  $Treated^{(c)}$ Rate<sup>(d)</sup> Rate (e) Rate (g) Fiscal Year Unbilled Unbilled 2013 66,391 55,108 11,283 20.09 16.99% 50,076 \$ 7.31 \$ \$ 11.54 \$ 14.27 2012 66,596 55,320 11,276 16.93% 49,055 7.31 20.24 9.92 12.24 2011 70,699 59,133 11,566 16.36% 49,918 7.10 18.10 8.73 10.78 2010 (a) 61,272 52,578 8,694 14.19% 48,152 7.10 18.10 8.73 10.78 2009 62,649 55,295 7,354 11.74% 51,987 6.77 20.04 7.76 9.63 2008 67,523 58,828 8.695 12.88% 50,347 6.56 19.92 7.37 9.14 2007 55.043 49,511 5.532 10.05% 49.217 6.56 19.59 7.37 9.14 2006 63,388 57,724 5,664 8.94% 53,270 6.56 19.69 7.37 9.14 2005 58,990 55,005 3,985 6.76% 49,287 6.11 18.42 7.33 9.10 2004 51,231 49,367 1,864 3.64% 49,592 5.61 15.47 6.60 8.19

**Total Direct Rate** 

<sup>(</sup>a) Reflects rate increase and rate restructuring for water usage beginning in November 2010. Prior to November, Water Base Rate (including TCEQ fees) was \$6.96, Water Usage Rate was \$20.52, Sewer Base Rate (including TCEQ fees) was \$7.81, and Sewer Usage Rate was \$9.63.

<sup>(</sup>b) Pumpage is total potable water production less Aquifer Storage and Recovery recharge.

<sup>(</sup>c) Represents amounts billed to customers. Residential Class customers are billed based on water usage during a consecutive three month billing period from November through March. All other customer classes are billed for wastewater treatment based on actual water usage during each monthly billing period.

<sup>(</sup>d) Rate shown is for 5/8" meters. See Schedule 8 for the rates of other meter sizes.

<sup>(</sup>e) Represents standard (non-seasonal) usage charge for monthly residential water usage of 7,788 gallons per month. Includes water supply and EAA fees.

<sup>(</sup>f) Minimum service availability charge (includes charge for first 1,496 gallons).

<sup>(</sup>g) Represents usage charge for a residential customer based on winter average water consumption of 6,178 gallons per month.

San Antonio Water System Schedule 5 - Sales by Source (accrual basis of accounting) (amounts in thousands)

|   | Fiscal Year |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |
|---|-------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
|   | 2013        | 2012      | 2011      | 2010      | 2009      | 2008      | 2007      | 2006      | 2005      | 2004      |
|   |             |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |
| Water Sales:                            |             |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |
| Residential Class                       | \$71,536    | \$72,620  | \$79,332  | \$66,410  | \$65,333  | \$68,516  | \$56,096  | \$65,927  | \$58,351  | \$44,829  |
| General Class                           | 35,099      | 35,504    | 33,571    | 32,326    | 32,943    | 32,330    | 29,313    | 31,606    | 28,613    | 24,006    |
| Wholesale Class                         | 1,640       | 1,255     | 234       | 136       | 204       | 179       | 120       | 145       | 182       | 114       |
| Irrigation Class <sup>(a)</sup>         | 10,893      | 11,164    | 11,722    | 12,909    | 12,176    | 16,124    | 10,659    | 12,541    | 11,723    | 8,210     |
| Total Water                             | 119,168     | 120,543   | 124,859   | 111,781   | 110,656   | 117,149   | 96,188    | 110,219   | 98,869    | 77,159    |
| Water Supply Fees <sup>(b)</sup>        |             |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |
| Residential Class                       | 43,121      | 44,163    | 51,696    | 45,312    | 45,909    | 49,042    | 39,081    | 48,403    | 42,283    | 28,623    |
| General Class                           | 32,393      | 32,537    | 31,586    | 29,764    | 30,403    | 30,140    | 28,105    | 29,531    | 27,036    | 19,945    |
| Wholesale Class                         | 3,227       | 2,294     | 202       | 158       | 178       | 160       | 132       | 166       | 165       | 104       |
| Irrigation Class                        | 12,057      | 12,058    | 13,029    | 7,154     | 6,288     | 8,016     | 5,285     | 6,154     | 5,741     | 3,559     |
| Total Water Supply Fees                 | 90,798      | 91,052    | 96,513    | 82,388    | 82,778    | 87,358    | 72,603    | 84,254    | 75,225    | 52,231    |
| EAA Pass-through fees (c)               |             |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |
| Residential Class                       | 9.905       | 10,841    | 4,767     | 5,423     | 3,605     | 5,893     | 3,561     | 4,925     | 4,818     | 3,304     |
| General Class                           | 6,991       | 7,352     | 2,930     | 3,648     | 2,387     | 3,622     | 2,560     | 3,005     | 3,080     | 2,303     |
| Wholesale Class                         | 659         | 509       | 18        | 19        | 14        | 19        | 12        | 17        | 19        | 12        |
| Irrigation Class                        | 1,134       | 1,242     | 540       | 765       | 494       | 963       | 481       | 626       | 654       | 411       |
| Total Pass-through fees                 | 18,689      | 19,944    | 8,255     | 9,855     | 6,500     | 10,497    | 6,614     | 8,573     | 8,571     | 6,030     |
| Conservation Fees:                      |             |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |
| Residential Class                       | 2,454       | 2,986     | 3,682     | 2,814     | 2,962     | 3,663     | 1,986     | 4,112     | 3,291     | 2,411     |
| General Class                           | 6,606       | 7,040     | 6,702     | 4,461     | 4,008     | 3,938     | 3,957     | 3,637     | 3,291     | 3,558     |
| Total Conservation                      | 9,060       | 10,026    | 10,384    | 7,275     | 6,970     | 7,601     | 5,943     | 7,749     | 7,259     | 5,969     |
|   |             |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |
| Wastewater Sales:                       |             |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |
| Residential Class                       | 116,775     | 98,674    | 88,702    | 79,118    | 81,202    | 75,752    | 72,212    | 72,901    | 63,605    | 55,763    |
| General Class                           | 62,300      | 54,175    | 48,271    | 41,768    | 41,343    | 40,034    | 38,554    | 38,325    | 37,342    | 31,622    |
| Wholesale Class                         | 7,599       | 6,761     | 6,105     | 5,044     | 5,225     | 5,281     | 6,469     | 6,704     | 6,435     | 5,695     |
| Surcharge                               | 5,438       | 5,134     | 4,815     | 4,861     | 4,648     | 4,614     | 4,409     | 4,271     | 4,081     | 4,019     |
| Total Wastewater                        | 192,112     | 164,744   | 147,893   | 130,791   | 132,418   | 125,681   | 121,644   | 122,201   | 111,463   | 97,099    |
| TCEQ Pass-through fees (d)              |             |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |
| Water customers                         | 1,086       | 1,064     | 1,178     | 964       | -         | -         | -         | -         | -         | -         |
| Wastewater customers                    | 347         | 411       | 464       | 280       | -         | -         | -         | -         | -         | -         |
|   | 1,433       | 1,475     | 1,642     | 1,244     | -         | -         | -         | -         | -         | -         |
| Recycled Water Sales                    | 5,161       | 5,074     | 5,068     | 3,955     | 4,393     | 4,287     | 3,244     | 3,795     | 3,100     | 2,669     |
| Stormwater Fees                         | 5,058       | 4,558     | 4,158     | 3,745     | 3,358     | 3,037     | 3,056     | 3,056     | 2,938     | 2,746     |
| Chilled Water & Steam                   | 12,719      | 12,485    | 11,715    | 12,337    | 12,714    | 12,758    | 13,101    | 13,243    | 13,371    | 12,028    |
| Miscellaneous Fees and                  |             |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |
| Charges                                 | 12,787      | 12,427    | 10,193    | 8,872     | 9,266     | 9,541     | 7,944     | 8,204     | 7,374     | 6,756     |
| Provision for Uncollectible<br>Accounts | (4,646)     | (3,800)   | (2,811)   | (3,463)   | (3,711)   | (3,288)   | (2,619)   | (2,638)   | (1,637)   | (1,415)   |
|   | (.,010)     | (2,000)   | (=,011)   |           | (5,711)   | (2,200)   | (2,017)   | (=,050)   | (1,007)   | (1,110)   |
| Total Operating Revenue                 | \$462,339   | \$438,528 | \$417,869 | \$368,780 | \$365,342 | \$374,621 | \$327,718 | \$358,656 | \$326,533 | \$261,272 |

<sup>(</sup>a) Effective December 1, 2000, an irrigation rate class was approved for water service provided through separate irrigation meters.
(b) Effective December 1, 2000, a water supply fee was approved on all potable water service.
(c) EAA pass-through fees are designed to recoup fees charged by the EAA. The fee is charged based on water usage. Any previous over or under recovery of fees is considered in determining the fees to be charged each year.
(d) TCEQ pass-through fees are designed to recoup fees charged by the TCEQ. Fee is a per customer charge.

# San Antonio Water System Schedule 6 - Sales in Gallons (gallons billed, in millions)

| _   | Fiscal Year |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |  |
|---|-------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--|
|   | 2013        | 2012   | 2011   | 2010   | 2009   | 2008   | 2007   | 2006   | 2005   | 2004   |  |
| Water Sales <sup>(a)</sup> :                    |             |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |  |
| Residential Class                               | 29,206      | 30,070 | 34,153 | 28,932 | 30,667 | 33,025 | 26,651 | 33,162 | 30,917 | 27,054 |  |
| General Class                                   | 20,614      | 20,393 | 20,986 | 19,465 | 20,309 | 20,297 | 19,166 | 20,232 | 19,769 | 18,851 |  |
| Wholesale Class                                 | 1,943       | 1,412  | 128    | 101    | 119    | 108    | 90     | 114    | 121    | 98     |  |
| Irrigation Class                                | 3,345       | 3,445  | 3,866  | 4,080  | 4,200  | 5,398  | 3,604  | 4,216  | 4,198  | 3,364  |  |
| Total Water                                     | 55,108      | 55,320 | 59,133 | 52,578 | 55,295 | 58,828 | 49,511 | 57,724 | 55,005 | 49,367 |  |
| Wastewater Sales:                               |             |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |  |
| Residential Class                               | 27,617      | 26,572 | 27,371 | 26,746 | 29,825 | 28,148 | 27,383 | 28,859 | 25,293 | 25,421 |  |
| General Class                                   | 20,100      | 20,066 | 20,134 | 20,002 | 20,338 | 20,352 | 19,634 | 21,967 | 22,262 | 21,800 |  |
| Wholesale Class                                 | 2,359       | 2,417  | 2,413  | 1,404  | 1,824  | 1,847  | 2,200  | 2,444  | 1,732  | 2,371  |  |
| Total Wastewater                                | 50,076      | 49,055 | 49,918 | 48,152 | 51,987 | 50,347 | 49,217 | 53,270 | 49,287 | 49,592 |  |
| Conservation - Residential Class <sup>(b)</sup> | 2.520       | 2.026  | 4 106  | 2.025  | 2 460  | 2.049  | 2 422  | 4 276  | 2.612  | 2 624  |  |
| Ciass   | 2,520       | 3,026  | 4,106  | 2,935  | 3,469  | 3,948  | 2,432  | 4,276  | 3,613  | 2,634  |  |
| Recycled Water Sales                            | 18,359      | 18,129 | 18,990 | 14,968 | 16,321 | 16,559 | 14,148 | 14,836 | 14,048 | 13,626 |  |

<sup>(</sup>a) Water Supply and EAA fees are billed based on the gallons billed for water sales.(b) Gallons billed for conservation are included in the gallons billed for water sales.

# San Antonio Water System **Schedule 7 - Number of Customer Connections** (average number billed)

|  | Fiscal Year |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |  |  |
|--|-------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|--|--|
|  | 2013        | 2012    | 2011    | 2010    | 2009    | 2008    | 2007    | 2006    | 2005    | 2004    |  |  |
| Water Sales (a):                                   |             |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |  |  |
| Residential Class                                  | 343,667     | 339,204 | 335,280 | 331,853 | 327,610 | 323,754 | 318,270 | 308,807 | 298,271 | 289,458 |  |  |
| General Class                                      | 23,713      | 23,582  | 23,369  | 23,225  | 23,242  | 23,104  | 22,943  | 22,662  | 22,384  | 22,092  |  |  |
| Wholesale Class                                    | 8           | 8       | 7       | 7       | 7       | 7       | 7       | 7       | 6       | 6       |  |  |
| Total Water  | 367,388     | 362,794 | 358,656 | 355,085 | 350,859 | 346,865 | 341,220 | 331,476 | 320,661 | 311,556 |  |  |
| Irrigation Class (b)                               | 8,821       | 8,633   | 8,479   | 8,350   | 8,202   | 7,940   | 7,602   | 7,232   | 6,883   | 6,522   |  |  |
| Wastewater Sales:                                  |             |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |  |  |
| Residential Class                                  | 390,256     | 383,553 | 378,380 | 373,755 | 368,948 | 361,966 | 352,038 | 338,693 | 326,516 | 316,498 |  |  |
| General Class                                      | 25,021      | 24,824  | 24,550  | 24,407  | 24,285  | 23,999  | 23,604  | 23,408  | 23,016  | 22,590  |  |  |
| Wholesale Class                                    | 12          | 12      | 12      | 7       | 12      | 13      | 11      | 12      | 12      | 12      |  |  |
| Total Wastewater                                   | 415,289     | 408,389 | 402,942 | 398,169 | 393,245 | 385,978 | 375,653 | 362,113 | 349,544 | 339,100 |  |  |
| Conservation -<br>Residential Class <sup>(c)</sup> | 20,867      | 23,804  | 33,708  | 21,791  | 26,665  | 29,973  | 15,548  | 31,716  | 27,963  | 18,754  |  |  |
| Recycled Water Sales                               | 97          | 92      | 80      | 81      | 86      | 76      | 71      | 69      | 56      | 51      |  |  |

<sup>(</sup>a) Water Supply and EAA fees are billed to water customers with water usage.

<sup>(</sup>b) Represents the number of customers included in Residential, General and Wholesale Classes which also have irrigation meters.

The residential class rate applied to monthly residential usage in excess of 17,205 gallons is designated as Conservation Fees. These customers are included in the residential class for water sales.

|                                      | Fiscal Year  |          |          |                     |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|--------------------------------------|--------------|----------|----------|---------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
|                                      | 2013         | 2012     | 2011     | 2010 <sup>(c)</sup> | 2009   | 2008   | 2007   | 2006   | 2005   | 2004   |
|                                      |              |          |          |                     |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| Water                                |              |          |          |                     |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| Service Availability Charge b        | y meter size | :        |          |                     |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| 5/8"                                 | \$7.14       | \$7.14   | \$6.91   | \$6.91              | \$6.77 | \$6.56 | \$6.56 | \$6.56 | \$6.11 | \$5.61 |
| 3/4"                                 | 10.01        | 10.01    | 9.68     | 9.68                | 8.59   | 8.32   | 8.32   | 8.32   | 7.75   | 7.12   |
| 1"                                   | 15.75        | 15.75    | 15.23    | 15.23               | 12.49  | 12.10  | 12.10  | 12.10  | 11.28  | 10.36  |
| 1-1/2"                               | 30.09        | 30.09    | 29.10    | 29.10               | 22.25  | 21.56  | 21.56  | 21.56  | 20.09  | 18.46  |
| 2"                                   | 47.28        | 47.28    | 45.73    | 45.73               | 33.95  | 32.90  | 32.90  | 32.90  | 30.66  | 28.18  |
| 3"                                   | 87.44        | 87.44    | 84.56    | 84.56               | 61.27  | 59.37  | 59.37  | 59.37  | 55.33  | 50.85  |
| 4"                                   | 144.78       | 144.78   | 140.02   | 140.02              | 100.30 | 97.19  | 97.19  | 97.19  | 90.58  | 83.25  |
| 6"                                   | 288.17       | 288.17   | 278.69   | 278.69              | 197.89 | 191.75 | 191.75 | 191.75 | 178.70 | 164.24 |
| 8"                                   | 460.22       | 460.22   | 445.09   | 445.09              | 314.96 | 305.19 | 305.19 | 305.19 | 284.43 | 261.42 |
| 10"                                  | 660.95       | 660.95   | 639.22   | 639.22              | 451.57 | 437.57 | 437.57 | 437.57 | 407.80 | 374.81 |
| 12"                                  | 1,234.47     | 1,234.47 | 1,193.88 | 1,193.88            | 841.86 | 815.76 | 815.76 | 815.76 | 760.26 | 698.76 |
| Usage (per 100 gallons)<br>Standard: |              |          |          |                     |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| First 7,481 gallons                  |              |          |          |                     | 0.0906 | 0.0878 | 0.0878 | 0.0878 | 0.0818 | 0.0751 |
| Next 5,236 gallons                   |              |          |          |                     | 0.1309 | 0.1268 | 0.1268 | 0.1268 | 0.1182 | 0.1086 |
| Next 4,488 gallons                   |              |          |          |                     | 0.2058 | 0.1994 | 0.1994 | 0.1994 | 0.1858 | 0.1707 |
| Over 17,205 gallons (a)              |              |          |          |                     | 0.3288 | 0.3186 | 0.3186 | 0.3186 | 0.2969 | 0.2728 |
| Seasonal (b):                        |              |          |          |                     |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| First 7,481 gallons                  |              |          |          |                     | 0.0906 | 0.0878 | 0.0878 | 0.0878 | 0.0818 | 0.0751 |
| Next 5,236 gallons                   |              |          |          |                     | 0.1423 | 0.1379 | 0.1379 | 0.1379 | 0.1285 | 0.1181 |
| Next 4,488 gallons                   |              |          |          |                     | 0.2217 | 0.2148 | 0.2148 | 0.2148 | 0.2002 | 0.1840 |
| Over 17,205 gallons (a)              |              |          |          |                     | 0.4246 | 0.4114 | 0.4114 | 0.4114 | 0.3834 | 0.3523 |
| Standard:                            |              |          |          |                     |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| First 5,985 gallons                  | 0.0948       | 0.0948   | 0.0917   |                     |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| Next 6,732 gallons                   | 0.1372       | 0.1372   | 0.1327   |                     |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| Next 4,488 gallons                   | 0.1935       | 0.1935   | 0.1871   |                     |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| Over 17,205 gallons (a)              | 0.3388       | 0.3388   | 0.3277   |                     |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| Seasonal (d):                        |              |          |          |                     |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| First 5,985 gallons                  | 0.0948       | 0.0948   | 0.0917   |                     |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| Next 6,732 gallons                   | 0.1492       | 0.1492   | 0.1443   |                     |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| Next 4,488 gallons                   | 0.2219       | 0.2219   | 0.2146   |                     |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| Over 17,205 gallons (a)              | 0.4597       | 0.4597   | 0.4446   |                     |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| g (e)                                |              |          |          |                     |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| Sewer (e)                            |              |          |          |                     |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| Service Availability                 |              |          |          |                     |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| Charge (f)                           | 11.49        | 9.86     | 8.68     | 8.68                | 7.76   | 7.37   | 7.37   | 7.37   | 7.33   | 6.60   |
| Usage (per 100 gallons)              | 0.3047       | 0.2615   | 0.2302   | 0.2302              | 0.2057 | 0.1953 | 0.1953 | 0.1953 | 0.1943 | 0.1750 |

<sup>(</sup>a) Includes \$0.0913 per 100 gallons billed as conservation fees.
(b) Rate was applied to all billings beginning July 1 and ending on or about October 31 of each year. At all other times the Standard rate was utilized.
(c) Applies to water billed after November 2010.
(d) Rate is applied to all billings beginning May 1 and ending on or about September 30 of each year. At all other times the Standard rate is utilized.
(e) Residential sewer charges are computed on the basis of average winter usage for 90 days during three consecutive billings periods beginning after November 15 and ending on or before March 15 of each year. 2010 Rate applies to wastewater services billed in December 2010. 2009 rate applies to wastewater services for January 2010 through November 2010.

<sup>(</sup>f) Includes the first 1,496 gallons.

|                                      | Fiscal Year |          |                       |                     |              |          |          |          |        |        |
|--------------------------------------|-------------|----------|-----------------------|---------------------|--------------|----------|----------|----------|--------|--------|
|                                      | 2013        | 2012     | 2011                  | 2010 <sup>(c)</sup> | 2009         | 2008     | 2007     | 2006     | 2005   | 2004   |
|                                      |             |          |                       |                     |              |          |          |          |        |        |
| Water                                |             |          |                       |                     |              |          |          |          |        |        |
| Service Availability Charge b 5/8"   | •           |          | 0.00                  | 0.00                | 0.70         | 0.51     | 0.51     | 0.51     | 7.02   | 7.00   |
| 3/8<br>3/4"                          | 9.29        | 9.29     | 8.98                  | 8.98                | 8.78         | 8.51     | 8.51     | 8.51     | 7.93   | 7.28   |
|                                      | 13.02       | 13.02    | 12.59                 | 12.59               | 11.16        | 10.81    | 10.81    | 10.81    | 10.07  | 9.25   |
| 1"                                   | 20.47       | 20.47    | 19.80                 | 19.80               | 16.23        | 15.73    | 15.73    | 15.73    | 14.66  | 13.47  |
| 1-1/2"                               | 39.12       | 39.12    | 37.83                 | 37.83               | 28.92        | 28.02    | 28.02    | 28.02    | 26.11  | 23.99  |
| 2"                                   | 61.48       | 61.48    | 59.46                 | 59.46               | 44.14        | 42.77    | 42.77    | 42.77    | 39.86  | 36.63  |
| 3"                                   | 113.68      | 113.68   | 109.94                | 109.94              | 79.65        | 77.18    | 77.18    | 77.18    | 71.93  | 66.11  |
| 4"                                   | 188.23      | 188.23   | 182.04                | 182.04              | 130.39       | 126.35   | 126.35   | 126.35   | 117.75 | 108.22 |
| 6"                                   | 374.62      | 374.62   | 362.30                | 362.30              | 257.24       | 249.26   | 249.26   | 249.26   | 232.30 | 213.51 |
| 8"                                   | 598.30      | 598.30   | 578.63                | 578.63              | 409.45       | 396.75   | 396.75   | 396.75   | 369.76 | 339.85 |
| 10"                                  | 859.24      | 859.24   | 830.99                | 830.99              | 587.03       | 568.83   | 568.83   | 568.83   | 530.13 | 487.25 |
| 12"                                  | 1,604.82    | 1,604.82 | 1,552.05              | 1,552.05            | 1,094.42     | 1,060.48 | 1,060.48 | 1,060.48 | 988.33 | 908.39 |
| Usage (per 100 gallons)<br>Standard: |             |          |                       |                     |              |          |          |          |        |        |
| First 7,481 gallons                  |             |          |                       |                     | 0.1176       | 0.1140   | 0.1140   | 0.1140   | 0.1062 | 0.0976 |
| Next 5,236 gallons                   |             |          |                       |                     | 0.1702       | 0.1649   | 0.1649   | 0.1649   | 0.1537 | 0.1412 |
| Next 4,488 gallons                   |             |          |                       |                     | 0.2674       | 0.2591   | 0.2591   | 0.2591   | 0.2415 | 0.2219 |
| Over 17,205 gallons (a)              |             |          |                       |                     | 0.4274       | 0.4141   | 0.4141   | 0.4141   | 0.3859 | 0.3546 |
| Seasonal (b):                        |             |          |                       |                     |              |          |          |          |        |        |
| First 7,481 gallons                  |             |          |                       |                     | 0.1176       | 0.1140   | 0.1140   | 0.1140   | 0.1062 | 0.0976 |
| Next 5,236 gallons                   |             |          |                       |                     | 0.1170       | 0.1793   | 0.1793   | 0.1793   | 0.1671 | 0.0576 |
| Next 4,488 gallons                   |             |          |                       |                     | 0.1830       | 0.1793   | 0.1793   | 0.1793   | 0.2603 | 0.1333 |
| Over 17,205 gallons (a)              |             |          |                       |                     | 0.2882       | 0.5348   | 0.5348   | 0.5348   | 0.2003 | 0.2392 |
| C+                                   |             |          |                       |                     |              |          |          |          |        |        |
| Standard:                            | 0.1224      | 0.1004   | 0.1102                | 0.1100              |              |          |          |          |        |        |
| First 5,985 gallons                  | 0.1234      | 0.1234   | 0.1193                | 0.1193              |              |          |          |          |        |        |
| Next 6,732 gallons                   | 0.1784      | 0.1784   | 0.1725                | 0.1725              |              |          |          |          |        |        |
| Next 4,488 gallons                   | 0.2516      | 0.2516   | 0.2433                | 0.2433              |              |          |          |          |        |        |
| Over 17,205 gallons <sup>(a)</sup>   | 0.4405      | 0.4405   | 0.4260                | 0.4260              |              |          |          |          |        |        |
| Seasonal (d):                        |             |          |                       |                     |              |          |          |          |        |        |
| First 5,985 gallons                  | 0.1234      | 0.1234   | 0.1193                | 0.1193              |              |          |          |          |        |        |
| Next 6,732 gallons                   | 0.1940      | 0.1940   | 0.1876                | 0.1876              |              |          |          |          |        |        |
| Next 4,488 gallons                   | 0.2885      | 0.2885   | 0.2790                | 0.2790              |              |          |          |          |        |        |
| Over 17,205 gallons (a)              | 0.5975      | 0.5975   | 0.5779                | 0.5779              |              |          |          |          |        |        |
| Sewer <sup>(e)</sup>                 |             |          |                       |                     |              |          |          |          |        |        |
| Service Availability                 |             |          |                       |                     |              |          |          |          |        |        |
| Charge (f)                           | 13.81       | 11.85    | 10.43                 | 10.43               | 9.32         | 8.85     | 8.85     | 8.85     | 8.80   | 7.92   |
| Usage (per 100 gallons)              | 0.3656      | 0.3138   | 0.2762                | 0.2762              | 0.2468       | 0.2343   | 0.2343   | 0.2343   | 0.2331 | 0.2100 |
| U (1                                 | 2.2020      | 2.0.200  | <b>-</b> . 0 <b>-</b> | <b>-</b>            | <u>-</u> .00 |          |          |          |        |        |

<sup>(</sup>a) Includes \$0.0966 per 100 gallons billed as conservation fees.
(b) Rate was applied to all billings beginning July 1 and ending on or about October 31 of each year. At all other times the Standard rate was utilized.
(c) Applies to water billed after November 2010.
(d) Rate is applied to all billings beginning May 1 and ending on or about September 30 of each year. At all other times the Standard rate is utilized.
(e) Residential sewer charges are computed on the basis of average winter usage for 90 days during three consecutive billings periods beginning after November 15 and ending on or before March 15 of each year. 2010 Rate applies to wastewater services billed in December 2010. 2009 rate applies to wastewater services for January 2010 through November 2010. 2010.

<sup>(</sup>f) Includes the first 1,496 gallons.

|  | Fiscal Year      |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |
|--|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|
|  | 2013             | 2012             | 2011             | 2010             | 2009             | 2008             | 2007             | 2006             | 2005             | 2004             |
| Water                                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |
| Service Availability Charge by m       | neter size (a):  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |
| 5/8"                                   | \$9.92           | \$9.92           | \$9.59           | \$9.59           | \$9.81           | \$9.51           | \$9.51           | \$9.51           | \$8.86           | \$8.14           |
| 3/4"                                   | 14.18            | 14.18            | 13.71            | 13.71            | 13.16            | 12.75            | 12.75            | 12.75            | 11.88            | 10.91            |
| 1"                                     | 22.68            | 22.68            | 21.93            | 21.93            | 19.21            | 18.61            | 18.61            | 18.61            | 17.34            | 15.93            |
| 1-1/2"                                 | 43.95            | 43.95            | 42.50            | 42.50            | 35.03            | 33.94            | 33.94            | 33.94            | 31.63            | 29.07            |
| 2"                                     | 69.48            | 69.48            | 67.20            | 67.20            | 52.83            | 51.19            | 51.19            | 51.19            | 47.71            | 46.85            |
| 3"                                     | 129.04           | 129.04           | 124.80           | 124.80           | 106.92           | 103.60           | 103.60           | 103.60           | 96.55            | 88.74            |
| 4"<br>6"                               | 214.13           | 214.13           | 207.09           | 207.09           | 176.40           | 170.93           | 170.93           | 170.93<br>339.18 | 159.30           | 146.41           |
| 8"                                     | 426.86           | 426.86           | 412.82           | 412.82           | 350.03           | 339.18           | 339.18           |                  | 316.10           | 290.53           |
| 10"                                    | 682.12<br>979.93 | 682.12<br>979.93 | 659.69<br>947.71 | 659.69<br>947.71 | 543.20<br>755.89 | 526.36<br>732.45 | 526.36<br>732.45 | 526.36<br>732.45 | 490.55<br>682.62 | 450.87<br>627.40 |
| 12"                                    | 1,830.83         | 1,830.83         | 1,770.63         | 1,770.63         | 1,191.85         | 1,154.89         | 1,154.89         | 1,154.89         | 1,076.32         | 989.26           |
| Usage (per 100 gallons)                | 1,030.03         | 1,030.03         | 1,770.03         | 1,770.03         | 1,191.63         | 1,134.69         | 1,134.69         | 1,134.69         | 1,070.32         | 969.20           |
| Below base (b)                         |                  |                  |                  |                  | 0.1086           | 0.1052           | 0.1052           | 0.1052           | 0.0980           | 0.0900           |
| 100-125% of base                       |                  |                  |                  |                  | 0.1050           | 0.1032           | 0.1032           | 0.1032           | 0.0300           | 0.1043           |
| 125-150% of base                       |                  |                  |                  |                  | 0.1237           | 0.1210           | 0.1218           | 0.1210           | 0.1133           | 0.1354           |
| 150-200% of base                       |                  |                  |                  |                  | 0.2138           | 0.2072           | 0.2072           | 0.2072           | 0.1931           | 0.1774           |
| Over 200% of base                      |                  |                  |                  |                  | 0.3160           | 0.3062           | 0.3062           | 0.3062           | 0.2854           | 0.2623           |
| Usage (per 100 gallons)                |                  |                  |                  |                  | 0.0100           | 0.0002           | 0.2002           | 0.0002           | 0.200 .          | 0.2025           |
| Base (d)                               | 0.1148           | 0.1148           | 0.1110           | 0.1110           |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |
| 100-125% of base                       | 0.1372           | 0.1372           | 0.1327           | 0.1327           |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |
| 125-175% of base                       | 0.1924           | 0.1924           | 0.1861           | 0.1861           |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |
| Over 175% of base                      | 0.2818           | 0.2818           | 0.2725           | 0.2725           |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |
| Water – Outside City Limits            |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |
| Service Availability Charge by         | meter size (a):  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |
| 5/8"                                   | 12.89            | 12.89            | 12.47            | 12.47            | 11.83            | 11.46            | 11.46            | 11.46            | 10.68            | 9.81             |
| 3/4"                                   | 18.43            | 18.43            | 17.82            | 17.82            | 15.72            | 15.23            | 15.23            | 15.23            | 14.19            | 13.04            |
| 1"                                     | 29.48            | 29.48            | 28.51            | 28.51            | 22.94            | 22.23            | 22.23            | 22.23            | 20.72            | 19.04            |
| 1-1/2"                                 | 57.14            | 57.14            | 55.26            | 55.26            | 41.69            | 40.40            | 40.40            | 40.40            | 37.65            | 34.60            |
| 2"                                     | 90.33            | 90.33            | 87.36            | 87.36            | 63.01            | 61.06            | 61.06            | 61.06            | 56.71            | 52.30            |
| 3"                                     | 167.76           | 167.76           | 162.24           | 162.24           | 125.31           | 121.42           | 121.42           | 121.42           | 113.16           | 104.00           |
| 4"                                     | 278.37           | 278.37           | 269.22           | 269.22           | 206.48           | 200.08           | 200.08           | 200.08           | 186.47           | 171.38           |
| 6"<br>8"                               | 554.91           | 554.91           | 536.66           | 536.66           | 409.39           | 396.70           | 396.70           | 396.70           | 369.71           | 339.80           |
| 10"                                    | 886.76           | 886.76           | 857.60           | 857.60           | 637.69           | 617.92           | 617.92           | 617.92           | 575.88           | 529.30           |
| 12"                                    | 1,273.92         | 1,273.92         | 1,232.03         | 1,232.03         | 891.35           | 863.71           | 863.71           | 863.71           | 804.95           | 739.84           |
|  | 2,380.08         | 2,380.08         | 2,301.82         | 2,301.82         | 1,444.41         | 1,399.62         | 1,399.62         | 1,399.62         | 1,304.40         | 1,198.89         |
| Usage (per 100 gallons) Below base (b) |                  |                  |                  | 0.1410           | 0.1366           | 0.1366           | 0.1366           | 0.1273           | 0.1170           | 0.1410           |
| 100-125% of base                       |                  |                  |                  | 0.1410           | 0.1584           | 0.1584           | 0.1584           | 0.1273           | 0.1176           | 0.1410           |
| 125-150% of base                       |                  |                  |                  | 0.2121           | 0.2055           | 0.2055           | 0.2055           | 0.1915           | 0.1760           | 0.2121           |
| 150-200% of base                       |                  |                  |                  | 0.2778           | 0.2692           | 0.2692           | 0.2692           | 0.2509           | 0.2306           | 0.2778           |
| Over 200% of base                      |                  |                  |                  | 0.4109           | 0.3982           | 0.3982           | 0.3982           | 0.3711           | 0.3410           | 0.4109           |
| Usage (per 100 gallons)                |                  |                  |                  | 020              | 0.0702           | 0.0702           | 0.0702           | 0.0711           | 0.0.10           | 00               |
| Base (d)                               | 0.1492           | 0.1492           | 0.1443           |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |
| 100-125% of base                       | 0.1783           | 0.1783           | 0.1724           |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |
| 125-175% of base                       | 0.2501           | 0.2501           | 0.2419           |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |
| Over 175% of base                      | 0.3662           | 0.3662           | 0.3542           |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |
| Sewer – Inside City Limits             |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |
| Service Availability Charge (e)        | 11.49            | 9.86             | 8.68             | 8.68             | 7.76             | 7.37             | 7.37             | 7.37             | 7.33             | 6.60             |
| Usage (per 100 gallons)                | 0.3047           | 0.2615           | 0.2302           | 0.2302           | 0.2057           | 0.1953           | 0.1953           | 0.1953           | 0.1943           | 0.1750           |
| Sewer – Outside City Limits            |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |
| Service Availability Charge (f)        | 13.81            | 11.85            | 10.43            | 10.43            | 9.32             | 8.85             | 8.85             | 8.85             | 8.80             | 7.92             |
| Usage (per 100 gallons)                | 0.3656           | 0.3138           | 0.2762           | 0.2762           | 0.2468           | 0.2343           | 0.2343           | 0.2343           | 0.2331           | 0.2100           |
|  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |

<sup>(</sup>a) A portion of the meter charge is billed as conservation fees.
(b) Base is defined as 90% of the previous average annual usage. Effective for water billed through November 2010.
(c) Effective for water billed beginning December 2010.
(d) Base is defined as 100% of the previous average annual usage.
(e) 2010 Rate applies to wastewater services billed in December 2010. 2009 rate applies to wastewater services for January 2010 through November 2010.
(f) Includes the first 1,496 gallons.

| Schedule 11 - Wholesale Cla    | iss Nates   |           |          |                     | Fiscal   | Vear     |          |          |          |          |
|--------------------------------|-------------|-----------|----------|---------------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
|                                | 2013        | 2012      | 2011     | 2010 <sup>(c)</sup> | 2009     | 2008     | 2007     | 2006     | 2005     | 2004     |
| Water - Inside City Limits     |             |           |          |                     |          |          |          |          |          |          |
| Service Availability Charge by | meter size: |           |          |                     |          |          |          |          |          |          |
| 6"                             | \$ 288.17   | \$ 288.17 | \$278.69 | \$278.69            | \$197.89 | \$191.75 | \$191.75 | \$191.75 | \$178.70 | \$164.24 |
| 8"                             | 460.22      | 460.22    | 445.09   | 445.09              | 314.96   | 305.19   | 305.19   | 305.19   | 284.43   | 261.42   |
| 10"                            | 660.95      | 660.95    | 639.22   | 639.22              | 451.57   | 437.57   | 437.57   | 437.57   | 407.80   | 374.81   |
| 12"                            |             |           |          |                     |          |          |          |          |          |          |
|                                | 1,234.47    | 1,234.47  | 1,193.88 | 1,193.88            | 841.86   | 815.76   | 815.76   | 815.76   | 760.26   | 698.76   |
| Usage (per 100 gallons)        |             |           |          |                     |          |          |          |          |          |          |
| Below base (a)                 |             |           |          | 0.0788              | 0.0764   | 0.0764   | 0.0764   | 0.0712   | 0.0654   | 0.0788   |
| 100-125% of base               |             |           |          | 0.0983              | 0.0953   | 0.0953   | 0.0953   | 0.0888   | 0.0816   | 0.0983   |
| 125-150% of base               |             |           |          | 0.1353              | 0.1310   | 0.1310   | 0.1310   | 0.1222   | 0.1123   | 0.1353   |
| 150-200% of base               |             |           |          | 0.1804              | 0.1748   | 0.1748   | 0.1748   | 0.1629   | 0.1497   | 0.1804   |
| Over 200% of base              |             |           |          | 0.2365              | 0.2292   | 0.2292   | 0.2292   | 0.2136   | 0.1963   | 0.2365   |
| Usage (per 100 gallons)        |             |           |          |                     |          |          |          |          |          |          |
| Base (b)                       | 0.0796      | 0.0796    | 0.0770   |                     |          |          |          |          |          |          |
| 100-125% of base               | 0.1196      | 0.1196    | 0.1157   |                     |          |          |          |          |          |          |
| 125-175% of base               | 0.1727      | 0.1727    | 0.1670   |                     |          |          |          |          |          |          |
| Over 175% of base              | 0.2442      | 0.2442    | 0.2362   |                     |          |          |          |          |          |          |
| Water – Outside City Limits    |             |           |          |                     |          |          |          |          |          |          |
| Service Availability Charge by |             |           |          |                     |          |          |          |          |          |          |
| 6"                             | 374.62      | 374.62    | 362.30   | 362.30              | 257.24   | 249.26   | 249.26   | 249.26   | 232.30   | 213.51   |
| 8"                             | 598.30      | 598.30    | 578.63   | 578.63              | 409.45   | 396.75   | 396.75   | 396.75   | 369.76   | 339.85   |
| 10"                            | 859.24      | 859.24    | 830.99   | 830.99              | 587.03   | 568.83   | 568.83   | 568.83   | 530.13   | 487.25   |
| 12"                            | 1,604.82    | 1,604.82  | 1,552.05 | 1,552.05            | 1,094.42 | 1,060.48 | 1,060.48 | 1,060.48 | 988.33   | 908.39   |
| Usage (per 100 gallons)        |             |           |          |                     |          |          |          |          |          |          |
| Below base (a)                 |             |           |          | 0.1025              | 0.0993   | 0.0993   | 0.0993   | 0.0925   | 0.0850   | 0.1025   |
| 100-125% of base               |             |           |          | 0.1279              | 0.1239   | 0.1239   | 0.1239   | 0.1155   | 0.1061   | 0.1279   |
| 125-150% of base               |             |           |          | 0.1760              | 0.1705   | 0.1705   | 0.1705   | 0.1589   | 0.1460   | 0.1760   |
| 150-200% of base               |             |           |          | 0.2346              | 0.2273   | 0.2273   | 0.2273   | 0.2118   | 0.1946   | 0.2346   |
| Over 200% of base              |             |           |          | 0.3075              | 0.2980   | 0.2980   | 0.2980   | 0.2777   | 0.2552   | 0.3075   |
| Usage (per 100 gallons)        |             |           |          |                     |          |          |          |          |          |          |
| Base (b)                       | 0.1035      | 0.1035    | 0.1001   |                     |          |          |          |          |          |          |
| 100-125% of base               | 0.1555      | 0.1555    | 0.1504   |                     |          |          |          |          |          |          |
| 125-175% of base               | 0.2245      | 0.2245    | 0.2171   |                     |          |          |          |          |          |          |
| Over 175% of base              | 0.3174      | 0.3174    | 0.3070   |                     |          |          |          |          |          |          |
| Sewer – Inside City Limits     |             |           |          |                     |          |          |          |          |          |          |
| Usage (per 100 gallons)        | 0.2746      | 0.2357    | 0.2075   | 0.2075              | 0.1854   | 0.1760   | 0.1760   | 0.1760   | 0.1751   | 0.1577   |
| Sewer – Outside City Limits    |             |           |          |                     |          |          |          |          |          |          |
| Service Availability Charge    | 134.93      | 115.82    | 101.95   | 101.95              | 91.11    | 86.50    | 86.50    | 86.50    | 86.07    | 77.54    |
| Usage (per 100 gallons)        | 0.3297      | 0.2830    | 0.2491   | 0.2491              | 0.2226   | 0.2113   | 0.2113   | 0.2113   | 0.2102   | 0.1893   |

<sup>(</sup>a) Base is defined as 90% of the previous average annual usage. Effective for water billed through November 2010.
(b) Base is defined as 100% of the previous average annual usage.
(c) Effective for water billed beginning December 2010.

# San Antonio Water System **Schedule 12 - Irrigation Class Rates**

| Schedule 12 - Irrigation                       | Class Nates          |                      |                      |                      | Fiscal Yea         | ar                 |                    |                    |                    |                    |
|--|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
|  | 2013                 | 2012                 | 2011                 | 2010 <sup>(c)</sup>  | 2009               | 2008               | 2007               | 2006               | 2005               | 2004               |
| Inside City Limits                             | -                    |                      |                      |                      |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |
| Service Availability Charge by meter           |                      |                      |                      |                      | ****               |                    |                    |                    |                    | ****               |
| 5/8"<br>3/4"                                   | \$9.92               | \$9.92               | \$9.59               | \$9.59               | \$9.81             | \$9.51             | \$9.51             | \$9.51             | \$8.86             | \$8.14             |
| 1"   | 14.18<br>22.68       | 14.18<br>22.68       | 13.71<br>21.93       | 13.71<br>21.93       | 13.16<br>19.21     | 12.75<br>18.61     | 12.75<br>18.61     | 12.75<br>18.61     | 11.88<br>17.34     | 10.91<br>15.93     |
| 1-1/2"   | 43.95                | 43.95                | 42.50                | 42.50                | 35.03              | 33.94              | 33.94              | 33.94              | 31.63              | 29.07              |
| 2"   | 69.48                | 69.48                | 67.20                | 67.20                | 52.83              | 51.19              | 51.19              | 51.19              | 47.71              | 43.85              |
| 3"   | 129.04               | 129.04               | 124.80               | 124.80               | 106.92             | 103.60             | 103.60             | 103.60             | 96.55              | 88.74              |
| 4"   | 214.13               | 214.13               | 207.09               | 207.09               | 176.40             | 170.93             | 170.93             | 170.93             | 159.30             | 146.41             |
| 6"   | 426.86               | 426.86               | 412.82               | 412.82               | 350.03             | 339.18             | 339.18             | 339.18             | 316.10             | 290.53             |
| 8"   | 682.12               | 682.12               | 659.69               | 659.69               | 543.20             | 526.36             | 526.36             | 526.36             | 490.55             | 450.87             |
| 10"  | 979.93               | 979.93               | 947.71               | 947.71               | 755.89             | 732.45             | 732.45             | 732.45             | 682.62             | 627.40             |
| 12"  | 1,830.83             | 1,830.83             | 1,770.63             | 1,770.63             | 1,191.85           | 1,154.89           | 1,154.89           | 1,154.89           | 1,076.32           | 989.26             |
| Usage (per 100 gallons) (b)                    |                      |                      |                      |                      |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |
| First 12,717 gallons                           |                      |                      |                      |                      | 0.1526             | 0.1479             | 0.1479             | 0.1479             | 0.1378             | 0.1266             |
| Next 4,488 gallons                             |                      |                      |                      |                      | 0.2290             | 0.2219             | 0.2219             | 0.2219             | 0.2068             | 0.1900             |
| Over 17,205 gallons                            |                      |                      |                      |                      | 0.3160             | 0.3062             | 0.3062             | 0.3062             | 0.2854             | 0.2623             |
| Usage (per 100 gallons)                        |                      |                      |                      |                      |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |
| Standard:                                      |                      |                      |                      |                      |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |
| Zero gallons                                   |                      | -                    | -                    | -                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |
| Next 6,732 gallons                             | 0.1613               | 0.1613               | 0.1560               | 0.1560               |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |
| Next 10,473 gallons                            | 0.1935               | 0.1935               | 0.1871               | 0.1871               |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |
| Over 17,205 gallons (e)                        | 0.3388               | 0.3388               | 0.3277               | 0.3277               |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |
| Usage (per 100 gallons)                        |                      |                      |                      |                      |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |
| Seasonal (d):                                  |                      |                      |                      |                      |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |
| Zero gallons                                   | -                    | -                    | -                    | -                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |
| Next 6,732 gallons                             | 0.1613               | 0.1613               | 0.1560               | 0.1560               |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |
| Next 10,473 gallons                            | 0.2246               | 0.2246               | 0.2172               | 0.2172               |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |
| Over 17,205 gallons (e)                        | 0.4650               | 0.4650               | 0.4497               | 0.4497               |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |
| Outside City Limits                            | · (a)                |                      |                      |                      |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |
| Service Availability Charge by meter 5/8"      | r size (*):<br>12.89 | 12.89                | 12.47                | 12.47                | 11.83              | 11.46              | 11.46              | 11.46              | 10.68              | 9.81               |
| 3/4"   | 18.43                | 18.43                | 17.82                | 17.82                | 15.72              | 15.23              | 15.23              | 15.23              | 14.19              | 13.04              |
| 1"   | 29.48                | 29.48                | 28.51                | 28.51                | 22.94              | 22.23              | 22.23              | 22.23              | 20.72              | 19.04              |
| 1-1/2"   | 57.14                | 57.14                | 55.26                | 55.26                | 41.69              | 40.40              | 40.40              | 40.40              | 37.65              | 34.60              |
| 2"   | 90.33                | 90.33                | 87.36                | 87.36                | 63.01              | 61.06              | 61.06              | 61.06              | 56.91              | 52.30              |
| 3"   | 167.76               | 167.76               | 162.24               | 162.24               | 125.31             | 121.42             | 121.42             | 121.42             | 113.16             | 104.00             |
| 4"   | 278.37               | 278.37               | 269.22               | 269.22               | 206.48             | 200.08             | 200.08             | 200.08             | 186.47             | 171.38             |
| 6"   | 554.91               | 554.91               | 536.66               | 536.66               | 409.39             | 396.70             | 396.70             | 396.70             | 369.71             | 339.80             |
| 8"   | 886.76               | 886.76               | 857.60               | 857.60               | 637.69             | 617.92             | 617.92             | 617.92             | 575.88             | 529.30             |
| 10"<br>12"                                     | 1,273.92<br>2,380.08 | 1,273.92<br>2,380.08 | 1,232.03<br>2,301.82 | 1,232.03<br>2,301.82 | 891.35<br>1,444.41 | 863.71<br>1,399.62 | 863.71<br>1,399.62 | 863.71<br>1,399.62 | 804.95<br>1,304.40 | 739.84<br>1,198.89 |
|  | _,,                  | _,                   | _,                   | _,                   | -,                 | -,                 | -,                 | -,                 | -,                 | -,                 |
| Usage (per 100 gallons) (b)                    |                      |                      |                      |                      |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |
| First 12,717 gallons                           |                      |                      |                      |                      | 0.1982             | 0.1921             | 0.1921             | 0.1921             | 0.1790             | 0.1645             |
| Next 4,488 gallons<br>Over 17,205 gallons      |                      |                      |                      |                      | 0.2976<br>0.4109   | 0.2884<br>0.3982   | 0.2884<br>0.3982   | 0.2884<br>0.3982   | 0.2688<br>0.3711   | 0.2470<br>0.3410   |
| -  |                      |                      |                      |                      |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |
| Usage (per 100 gallons) Standard:              |                      |                      |                      |                      |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |
| Zero gallons                                   |                      |                      |                      |                      |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |
| Next 6,732 gallons                             | 0.2097               | 0.2097               | 0.2028               | 0.2028               |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |
| Next 10,473 gallons                            | 0.2515               | 0.2515               | 0.2432               | 0.2432               |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |
| Over 17,205 gallons (e)                        | 0.4405               | 0.4405               | 0.4260               | 0.4260               |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |
| Usage (per 100 gallons)                        |                      |                      |                      |                      |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |
| Seasonal (d):                                  |                      |                      |                      |                      |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |
| Zero gallons                                   | -                    | -                    | _                    | _                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |
| Next 6,732 gallons                             | 0.2097               | 0.2097               | 0.2028               | 0.2028               |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |
| Next 10,473 gallons<br>Over 17,205 gallons (e) | 0.2920               | 0.2920               | 0.2824               | 0.2824               |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |
| Over 17,203 ganons                             | 0.6045               | 0.6045               | 0.5846               | 0.5846               |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |
| (a) A  | . :- 1.111           | : <b>.</b>           |                      |                      |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |

<sup>(</sup>a) A portion of the meter charge is billed as conservation fees.
(b) Rate applies to water billed through November 2010.
(c) Rate applies to water billed after November 2010.
(d) Seasonal rate is applied to all billings beginning May 1 and ending on or about September 30 of each year. At all other time the Standard rate is applied.
(e) Includes \$.09 per 100 gallons billed as conservation fees.

# San Antonio Water System Schedule 13 - Other Fees

| _   |                                  |                                  |                                  |                                  | Fiscal Y  | ear       |           |           |           |           |
|---|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| -   | 2013                             | 2012                             | 2011                             | 2010                             | 2009      | 2008      | 2007      | 2006      | 2005      | 2004      |
| Water Supply Fees (a):  |                                  |                                  |                                  |                                  |           |           |           |           |           |           |
| Residential Class<br>First 5,985 gallons<br>Next 6,732            | \$0.1080                         | \$0.1054                         | \$0.1023                         | \$0.1023                         | \$0.1529  | \$0.1487  | \$0.1487  | \$0.1487  | \$0.1378  | \$0.1100  |
| gallons<br>Next 4,488   | \$0.1562                         | \$0.1524                         | \$0.1480                         | \$0.1480                         |           |           |           |           |           |           |
| gallons<br>Over 17,205  | \$0.2204                         | \$0.2150                         | \$0.2087                         | \$0.2087                         |           |           |           |           |           |           |
| gallons   | \$0.3857                         | \$0.3763                         | \$0.3653                         | \$0.3653                         |           |           |           |           |           |           |
| General Class   | \$0.1661                         | \$0.1620                         | \$0.1573                         | \$0.1573                         | \$0.1529  | \$0.1487  | \$0.1487  | \$0.1487  | \$0.1378  | \$0.1100  |
| Wholesale Class   | \$0.1661                         | \$0.1620                         | \$0.1573                         | \$0.1573                         | \$0.1529  | \$0.1487  | \$0.1487  | \$0.1487  | \$0.1378  | \$0.1100  |
| Irrigation Class  |                                  |                                  |                                  |                                  | \$0.1529  | \$0.1487  | \$0.1487  | \$0.1487  | \$0.1378  | \$0.1100  |
| First 6,732 gallons<br>Next 10,473 gallons<br>Over 17,205 gallons | \$0.1661<br>\$0.2204<br>\$0.4183 | \$0.1620<br>\$0.2150<br>\$0.4081 | \$0.1573<br>\$0.2087<br>\$0.3962 | \$0.1573<br>\$0.2087<br>\$0.3962 |           |           |           |           |           |           |
| EAA Fee (b)   | \$0.03425                        | \$0.39010                        | \$0.01407                        | \$0.01841                        | \$0.01222 | \$0.01769 | \$0.01352 | \$0.01482 | \$0.01549 | \$0.01226 |
| State-Imposed TCEQ<br>Fees (c)                                    |                                  |                                  |                                  |                                  |           |           |           |           |           |           |
| Water Connection<br>Fee   | \$0.17                           | \$0.17                           | \$0.19                           | \$0.19                           | -         | -         | -         | -         | -         | -         |
| Wastewater<br>Connection Fee                                      | \$0.05                           | \$0.06                           | \$0.05                           | \$0.05                           | -         | -         | -         | -         | -         | -         |

 <sup>(</sup>a) Per 100 gallons. 2010 rate applies to water usage billed in December 2010. 2009 rate applies to water usage billed for January 2010 through November 2010.
 (b) Per 100 gallons. Applies to all billed water. Purpose of fee is to recover fees paid to EAA for permitted water rights. Annual rate takes into account any cumulative deficit or surplus in the recovery, number of EAA water rights, and projected water sales (in gallons) for the year.
 (c) Purpose is to recover fees paid to TCEQ. Each fee is assessed monthly to all Residential, General, and Wholesale accounts as well as each apartment account based on the number of units. Annual rate takes into account any cumulative deficit or surplus in the recovery.

**Schedule 14 - Recycled Water Rates** 

| Schedule 14 - Recycled Wat           | Fiscal Year |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |  |
|--------------------------------------|-------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--|
|                                      | 2013        | 2012   | 2011   | 2010   | 2009   | 2008   | 2007   | 2006   | 2005   | 2004   |  |
| Edwards Exchange Customers           | (a)         |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |  |
| Service Availability Charge by m     |             |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |  |
| 5/8"                                 | \$9.04      | \$9.04 | \$8.74 | \$8.74 | \$8.74 | \$8.74 | \$8.74 | \$8.74 | \$8.74 | \$8.74 |  |
| 3/4"                                 | 11.76       | 11.76  | 11.37  | 11.37  | 11.37  | 11.37  | 11.37  | 11.37  | 11.37  | 11.37  |  |
| 1"                                   | 15.31       | 15.31  | 14.81  | 14.81  | 14.81  | 14.81  | 14.81  | 14.81  | 14.81  | 14.81  |  |
| 1-1/2"                               | 24.35       | 24.35  | 23.55  | 23.55  | 23.55  | 23.55  | 23.55  | 23.55  | 23.55  | 23.55  |  |
| 2"                                   | 35.61       | 35.61  | 34.44  | 34.44  | 34.44  | 34.44  | 34.44  | 34.44  | 34.44  | 34.44  |  |
| 3"                                   | 94.71       | 94.71  | 91.60  | 91.60  | 91.60  | 91.60  | 91.60  | 91.60  | 91.60  | 91.60  |  |
| 4"                                   | 140.77      | 140.77 | 136.14 | 136.14 | 136.14 | 136.14 | 136.14 | 136.14 | 136.14 | 136.14 |  |
| 6"                                   | 268.54      | 268.54 | 259.71 | 259.71 | 259.71 | 259.71 | 259.71 | 259.71 | 259.71 | 259.71 |  |
| 8"                                   | 404.78      | 404.78 | 391.47 | 391.47 | 391.47 | 391.47 | 391.47 | 391.47 | 391.47 | 391.47 |  |
| 10"                                  | 555.04      | 555.04 | 536.79 | 536.79 | 536.79 | 536.79 | 536.79 | 536.79 | 536.79 | 536.79 |  |
| 12"                                  | 684.83      | 684.83 | 662.31 | 662.31 | 662.31 | 662.31 | 662.31 | 662.31 | 662.31 | 662.31 |  |
| Usage (per 100 gallons) Standard:    |             |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |  |
| Transferred amount                   | 0.0238      | 0.0238 | 0.0230 | 0.0230 | 0.0230 | 0.0230 | 0.0230 | 0.0230 | 0.0230 | 0.0230 |  |
| In excess of transferred             | 0.0250      | 0.0200 | 0.0250 | 0.0250 | 0.0250 | 0.0250 | 0.0250 | 0.0200 | 0.0250 | 0.0220 |  |
| amount                               | 0.0892      | 0.0892 | 0.0863 | 0.0863 | 0.0863 | 0.0863 | 0.0863 | 0.0863 | 0.0863 | 0.0863 |  |
| Seasonal (b):                        |             |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |  |
| Transferred amount                   | 0.0238      | 0.0238 | 0.0230 | 0.0230 | 0.0230 | 0.0230 | 0.0230 | 0.0230 | 0.0230 | 0.0230 |  |
| In excess of transferred             |             |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |  |
| amount                               | 0.0948      | 0.0948 | 0.0917 | 0.0917 | 0.0917 | 0.0917 | 0.0917 | 0.0917 | 0.0917 | 0.0917 |  |
| Non-exchange Customers               |             |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |  |
| Service Availability Charge by m     |             |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |  |
| 5/8"                                 | \$9.04      | \$9.04 | \$8.74 | \$8.74 | \$8.74 | \$8.74 | \$8.74 | \$8.74 | \$8.74 | \$8.74 |  |
| 3/4"                                 | 11.76       | 11.76  | 11.37  | 11.37  | 11.37  | 11.37  | 11.37  | 11.37  | 11.37  | 11.37  |  |
| 1"                                   | 15.31       | 15.31  | 14.81  | 14.81  | 14.81  | 14.81  | 14.81  | 14.81  | 14.81  | 14.81  |  |
| 1-1/2"                               | 24.35       | 24.35  | 23.55  | 23.55  | 23.55  | 23.55  | 23.55  | 23.55  | 23.55  | 23.55  |  |
| 2"                                   | 35.61       | 35.61  | 34.44  | 34.44  | 34.44  | 34.44  | 34.44  | 34.44  | 34.44  | 34.44  |  |
| 3"                                   | 94.71       | 94.71  | 91.60  | 91.60  | 91.60  | 91.60  | 91.60  | 91.60  | 91.60  | 91.60  |  |
| 4"                                   | 140.77      | 140.77 | 136.14 | 136.14 | 136.14 | 136.14 | 136.14 | 136.14 | 136.14 | 136.14 |  |
| 6"                                   | 268.54      | 268.54 | 259.71 | 259.71 | 259.71 | 259.71 | 259.71 | 259.71 | 259.71 | 259.71 |  |
| 8"                                   | 404.78      | 404.78 | 391.47 | 391.47 | 391.47 | 391.47 | 391.47 | 391.47 | 391.47 | 391.47 |  |
| 10"                                  | 555.04      | 555.04 | 536.79 | 536.79 | 536.79 | 536.79 | 536.79 | 536.79 | 536.79 | 536.79 |  |
| 12"                                  | 684.83      | 684.83 | 662.31 | 662.31 | 662.31 | 662.31 | 662.31 | 662.31 | 662.31 | 662.31 |  |
| Usage (per 100 gallons)<br>Standard: |             |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |  |
| First 748,000 gallons                | 0.0955      | 0.0955 | 0.0924 | 0.0924 | 0.0924 | 0.0924 | 0.0924 | 0.0924 | 0.0924 | 0.0924 |  |
| Over 748,000 gallons                 | 0.0975      | 0.0975 | 0.0943 | 0.0943 | 0.0943 | 0.0943 | 0.0943 | 0.0943 | 0.0943 | 0.0943 |  |
| Seasonal (b):                        |             |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |  |
| First 748,000 gallons                | 0.1026      | 0.1026 | 0.0992 | 0.0992 | 0.0992 | 0.0992 | 0.0992 | 0.0992 | 0.0992 | 0.0992 |  |
| Over 748,000 gallons                 | 0.1036      | 0.1036 | 0.1002 | 0.1002 | 0.1002 | 0.1002 | 0.1002 | 0.1002 | 0.1002 | 0.1002 |  |

<sup>(</sup>a) Customers that have exchanged Edwards Aquifer water rights to the System.
(b) Prior to 2012, rate was applied to all billings beginning July 1 and ending on or about October 31 of each year. At all other times the Standard rate was utilized. Beginning in 2012 rate is applied to all billings beginning May 1 and ending on or about September 30 of each year. At all other times the Standard rate is utilized.

# San Antonio Water System Schedule 15 - Impact Fees

| Schedule 15 - Impact Fees  |                            |                            |                            |                              | Fiscal                       | Vear                         |                              |                              |  |  |
|--|----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|
|  | 2013                       | 2012                       | 2011                       | 2010                         | 2009                         | 2008                         | 2007                         | 2006                         | 2005   | 2004   |
| Water Flow – All Areas System Development:   | \$1,247.00                 | \$1,247.00                 | \$1,247.00                 | \$1,098.00                   | \$1,098.00                   | \$1,098.00                   | \$1,098.00                   | \$1,098.00                   | \$362.00   | \$362.00   |
| Low Elevation Service Area<br>Middle Elevation Service Area<br>High Elevation Service Area<br>Service Level: | 579.00<br>774.00<br>966.00 | 579.00<br>774.00<br>966.00 | 579.00<br>774.00<br>966.00 | 668.00<br>591.00<br>1,356.00 | 668.00<br>591.00<br>1,356.00 | 668.00<br>591.00<br>1,356.00 | 668.00<br>591.00<br>1,356.00 | 668.00<br>591.00<br>1,356.00 |  |  |
| 2<br>3<br>4<br>5<br>5<br>5A<br>6<br>7<br>8<br>9<br>10<br>11<br>11A<br>11B<br>11E<br>11F<br>12                |                            |                            |                            |                              |                              |                              |                              |                              | 125.00<br>107.00<br>172.00<br>104.00<br>100.00<br>149.00<br>249.00<br>411.00<br>490.00<br>428.00<br>569.00<br>945.00<br>1,094.00<br>1,163.00<br>523.00<br>743.00 | 125.00<br>107.00<br>172.00<br>104.00<br>100.00<br>149.00<br>249.00<br>411.00<br>490.00<br>428.00<br>569.00<br>945.00<br>1,094.00<br>1,163.00<br>523.00<br>743.00 |
|  |                            |                            |                            |                              |                              |                              |                              |                              | 791.00   | 791.00   |
| Wastewater<br>Treatment  |                            |                            |                            |                              |                              |                              |                              |                              |  |  |
| Dos Rios/Leon Creek<br>Service Area  | 552.00                     | 552.00                     | 552.00                     |                              |                              |                              |                              |                              |  |  |
| Medio Creek  | 1,379.00                   | 1,379.00                   | 1,379.00                   |                              |                              |                              |                              |                              |  |  |
| Upper and Lower Service<br>Area  |                            |                            |                            | 453.00                       | 453.00                       | 453.00                       | 453.00                       | 453.00                       |  |  |
| Far West-Medio Service   |                            |                            |                            | 433.00                       | 433.00                       | 433.00                       | 433.00                       | 455.00                       |  |  |
| Areas  |                            |                            |                            | 901.00                       | 901.00                       | 901.00                       | 901.00                       | 901.00                       |  |  |
| Inner Service Area   |                            |                            |                            |                              |                              |                              |                              |                              | 142.00   | 142.00   |
| Outer Service Area<br>Far West – Medio Creek   |                            |                            |                            |                              |                              |                              |                              |                              | 750.00   | 750.00   |
| Service Area   |                            |                            |                            |                              |                              |                              |                              |                              | 1,200.00   | 750.00   |
| Far West - Potranco Creek  |                            |                            |                            |                              |                              |                              |                              |                              | 1 200 00   | <b></b>  |
| Service Area<br>Far West – Lucas Creek &   |                            |                            |                            |                              |                              |                              |                              |                              | 1,200.00   | 750.00   |
| Big Sous Service Area  |                            |                            |                            |                              |                              |                              |                              |                              | 1,200.00   | 750.00   |
| Collection:  |                            |                            |                            |                              |                              |                              |                              |                              | -,   |  |
| Medio Creek  | 582.00                     | 582.00                     | 582.00                     |                              |                              |                              |                              |                              |  |  |
| Upper Medina   | 1,053.00                   | 1,053.00                   | 1,053.00                   |                              |                              |                              |                              |                              |  |  |
| Lower Medina   | 594.00                     | 594.00                     | 594.00                     |                              |                              |                              |                              |                              |  |  |
| Upper Collection Middle Collection   | 1,795.00                   | 1,795.00                   | 1,795.00                   |                              |                              |                              |                              |                              |  |  |
| Lower Collection   | 1,142.00<br>552.00         | 1,142.00<br>552.00         | 1,142.00<br>552.00         |                              |                              |                              |                              |                              |  |  |
| Lower Service Area   | 222.00                     | 222.00                     | 002.00                     | 413.00                       | 413.00                       | 413.00                       | 413.00                       | 413.00                       |  |  |
| Upper Service Area   |                            |                            |                            | 691.00                       | 691.00                       | 691.00                       | 691.00                       | 691.00                       |  |  |
| Far West - Medio Service   |                            |                            |                            | 204.00                       | 204.00                       | 204.00                       | 204.00                       | 204.00                       |  |  |
| Area<br>Far West – Potranco, Big   |                            |                            |                            | 394.00                       | 394.00                       | 394.00                       | 394.00                       | 394.00                       |  |  |
| Sous, & Lucas Service  |                            |                            |                            |                              |                              |                              |                              |                              |  |  |
| Area   |                            |                            |                            | 772.00                       | 772.00                       | 772.00                       | 772.00                       | 772.00                       |  |  |
| Inner Service Area   |                            |                            |                            |                              |                              |                              |                              |                              | 366.00   | 366.00   |
| Outer Service Area<br>Far West – Medio Creek   |                            |                            |                            |                              |                              |                              |                              |                              | 366.00   | 366.00   |
| Service Area   |                            |                            |                            |                              |                              |                              |                              |                              | 538.00   | 366.00   |
| Far West - Potranco Creek  |                            |                            |                            |                              |                              |                              |                              |                              |  |  |
| Service Area   |                            |                            |                            |                              |                              |                              |                              |                              | 409.00   | 366.00   |
| Far West – Lucas Creek &<br>Big Sous Service Area  |                            |                            |                            |                              |                              |                              |                              |                              | 366.00   | 366.00   |
| Life Station:  |                            |                            |                            |                              |                              |                              |                              |                              | 230.00   | 2 30.00  |
| Far West - Potranco Creek  |                            |                            |                            |                              |                              |                              |                              |                              |  |  |
| Service Area   |                            |                            |                            |                              |                              |                              |                              |                              | 363.00   |  |
| Far West – Lucas Creek &<br>Big Sous Service Area  |                            |                            |                            |                              |                              |                              |                              |                              | 363.00   |  |
| 2.5 5545 501 1104  |                            |                            |                            |                              |                              |                              |                              |                              | 232.00   |  |
| Water Supply – All Areas   | 1,297.00                   | 1,297.00                   | 1,297.00                   | 1,242.00                     | 1,242.00                     | 1,242.00                     | 1,242.00                     | 1,242.00                     | 852.00   | 352.00   |
| Water Supply – All Areas   | 1,297.00                   | 1,297.00                   | 1,297.00                   | 1,242.00                     | 1,242.00                     | 1,242.00                     | 1,242.00                     | 1,242.0                      | 00   | 00 852.00  |

Impact fees are assessed per equivalent dwelling unit.

| Meter Size | EQUIVALENT DWELLING UNITS |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |  |  |
|------------|---------------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|--|--|
| 5/8"       | 1                         | 1   | 1   | 1   | 1   | 1   | 1   | 1   | 1   | 1   |  |  |
| 3/4"       | 1.5                       | 1.5 | 1.5 | 1.5 | 1.5 | 1.5 | 1.5 | 1.5 | 1   | 1   |  |  |
| 1"         | 2                         | 2   | 2   | 2   | 2   | 2   | 2   | 2   | 2   | 2   |  |  |
| 1-1/2"     | 5                         | 5   | 5   | 5   | 5   | 5   | 5   | 5   | 5   | 5   |  |  |
| 2"         | 14                        | 14  | 14  | 14  | 14  | 14  | 14  | 14  | 14  | 14  |  |  |
| 3"         | 30                        | 30  | 30  | 30  | 30  | 30  | 30  | 30  | 30  | 30  |  |  |
| 4"         | 50                        | 50  | 50  | 50  | 50  | 50  | 50  | 50  | 50  | 50  |  |  |
| 6"         | 105                       | 105 | 105 | 105 | 105 | 105 | 105 | 105 | 105 | 105 |  |  |
| 8"         | 135                       | 135 | 135 | 135 | 135 | 135 | 135 | 135 | 135 | 135 |  |  |
| 10"        | 190                       | 190 | 190 | 190 | 190 | 190 | 190 | 190 | 190 | 190 |  |  |
| 12"        | 360                       | 360 | 360 | 360 | 360 | 360 | 360 | 360 | 360 | 360 |  |  |

| Customer   | Principal Business  | Usage<br>(million<br>gallons)  | %  | Total<br>Revenue <sup>(a)</sup><br>(in<br>thousands)                              | %  |
|--|---|--|--|---|--|
| Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2013:   |   |  |  |   |  |
| SAN ANTONIO WATER SYSTEM DISTRICT SPECIAL PROJECT <sup>(b)</sup> CITY OF SAN ANTONIO HEB GROCERY SAN ANTONIO HOUSING AUTHORITY NORTHSIDE INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT BEXAR COUNTY CPS ENERGY MAXIM INTEGRATED PRODUCT INC. NORTHEAST INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT SAN ANTONIO INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT SUBSTRICT | Public Water Utility Municipal Entity Grocery Public Housing School System County Government Public Power Utility Electronics School System School System | 1,808<br>510<br>436<br>434<br>281<br>321<br>258<br>246<br>156<br>139 | 3.28<br>0.93<br>0.79<br>0.79<br>0.51<br>0.58<br>0.47<br>0.45<br>0.28<br>0.25 | \$ 5,062<br>2,646<br>1,743<br>1,723<br>1,325<br>1,222<br>937<br>837<br>739<br>727 | 2.12<br>1.11<br>0.73<br>0.72<br>0.55<br>0.51<br>0.39<br>0.35<br>0.31<br>0.30 |
| Balance from Other Customers   |   | 50,519   | 91.67  | 221,840   | 92.90  |
| Total  |   | 55,108   | 100.00   | \$ 238,801  | 100.00   |
| Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2004:   |   |  |  |   |  |
| CITY OF SAN ANTONIO SAN ANTONIO HOUSING AUTHORITY HEB GROCERY NORTHSIDE INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT SAN ANTONIO INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT SONY SEMICONDUCTOR AMERICAN OPPORTUNITY FOR HOUSING PHILIPS SEMICONDUCTORS CITY PUBLIC SERVICE BROOKS AIR FORCE BASE   | Municipal Entity Public Housing Grocery School System School System Electronics Housing Services Electronics Public Power Utility Military Installation   | 887<br>556<br>331<br>224<br>199<br>357<br>242<br>248<br>229<br>173   | 1.80<br>1.13<br>0.67<br>0.45<br>0.40<br>0.72<br>0.49<br>0.50<br>0.46         | \$ 1,369<br>698<br>437<br>360<br>339<br>327<br>321<br>235<br>234<br>228           | 0.97<br>0.49<br>0.31<br>0.25<br>0.24<br>0.23<br>0.17<br>0.17                 |
| Subtotal (10 largest)  |   | 3,446  | 6.98   | 4,548   | 3.22   |
| Balance from Other Customers   |   | 45,921   | 93.02  | 136,841   | 96.78  |
| Total  |   | 49,367   | 100.00   | \$ 141,389  | 100.00   |

<sup>(</sup>a) Includes Conservation, Water Supply, EAA fees and TCEQ Water fees..(b) Refer to Note C to the Financial Statements attached hereto as Appendix B for more information regarding transactions between the DSP and SAWS.

| Customer   | Principal Business  | Usage<br>(million<br>gallons)                                      | <sup>0</sup> / <sub>0</sub>  | Rev | otal<br>venue<br>ousands)  | %  |
|--|---|--|--|-----|--|--|
| Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2013:   |   |  |  |     |  |  |
| HEB GROCERY SAN ANTONIO HOUSING AUTHORITY BEXAR COUNTY L & H PACKING COMPANY MAXIM INTEGRATED PRODUCT, INC. TOYOTA OAK FARMS DAIRY CITY OF SAN ANTONIO NORTHSIDE INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT FRITO LAY, INC.                             | Grocery Public Housing County Government Beef Processor Electronics Automobile Manufacturer Dairy Producer Municipal Entity School System Food Manufacturer | 410<br>459<br>275<br>128<br>230<br>203<br>47<br>174<br>155<br>58   | 0.86<br>0.96<br>0.58<br>0.27<br>0.48<br>0.43<br>0.10<br>0.36<br>0.32         | \$  | 2,026<br>1,414<br>923<br>723<br>713<br>619<br>611<br>569<br>543      | 1.10<br>0.76<br>0.50<br>0.39<br>0.39<br>0.33<br>0.33<br>0.31<br>0.29         |
| Subtotal (10 largest)  | 1 00d Manufacturer  | 2,139  | 4.48   |     | 8,587  | 4.65   |
| Balance from Other Customers   |   | 45,578   | 95.52  |     | 176,273  | 95.35  |
| Total  |   | 47,717   | 100.00   | \$  | 184,860  | 100.00   |
| Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2004:   |   |  |  |     |  |  |
| HEB GROCERY SAN ANTONIO HOUSING AUTHORITY SONY SEMICONDUCTOR PHILIPS SEMICONDUCTORS AMERICAN OPPORTUNITY FOR HOUSING CITY OF SAN ANTONIO BROOKS AIR FORCE BASE BEXAR COUNTY MARRIOTT CORPORATION SAN ANTONIO INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT | Grocery Public Housing Electronics Electronics Housing Services Municipal Entity Military Installation County Government Hotel School System                | 331<br>556<br>357<br>248<br>242<br>887<br>173<br>159<br>140<br>199 | 0.70<br>1.18<br>0.76<br>0.53<br>0.51<br>1.88<br>0.37<br>0.34<br>0.30<br>0.42 | \$  | 1,195<br>786<br>485<br>370<br>322<br>312<br>260<br>214<br>205<br>200 | 1.31<br>0.86<br>0.53<br>0.40<br>0.35<br>0.34<br>0.28<br>0.23<br>0.22<br>0.22 |
| Subtotal (10 largest)  |   | 3,292  | 6.97   |     | 4,349  | 4.76   |
| Balance from Other Customers   |   | 43,929   | 93.03  |     | 87,055   | 95.24  |
| Total  |   | 47,221   | 100.00   | \$  | 91,404   | 100.00   |

<sup>(</sup>a) Excludes Wholesale Wastewater usage and revenues.

| Customer                                   | Principal Business             | Total Revenue (in thousands) | %                    |
|--|--------------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------|
| Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2013:       |                                |                              |                      |
| Ft. Sam Houston                            | Military                       | \$ 1,559                     | 20.52                |
| Leon Valley                                | Municipal Government           | 1,203                        | 15.83                |
| Lackland Air Force Base                    | Military                       | 1,191                        | 15.67                |
| Alamo Heights                              | Municipal Government           | 1,150                        | 15.13                |
| Bexar County WCID #10                      | County Government              | 673                          | 8.86                 |
| Balcones Heights                           | Municipal Government           | 479                          | 6.30                 |
| Kirby                                      | Municipal Government           | 431                          | 5.67                 |
| Olmos Park                                 | Municipal Government           | 395                          | 5.20                 |
| Lackland A.F.B./Annex @ Medina             | Military                       | 212                          | 2.79                 |
| Hollywood Park                             | Municipal Government           | 95                           | 1.25                 |
| Subtotal (10 largest)                      |                                | 7,388                        | 97.22                |
| Balance from Other Customers               |                                | 211                          | 2.78                 |
| Total                                      |                                | \$7,599                      | 100.00               |
| Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2004:       |                                |                              |                      |
| Lackland Air Force Base                    | Military                       | \$ 912                       | 16.02                |
| Leon Valley                                | Municipal Government           | 727                          | 12.77                |
| Alamo Heights                              | Municipal Government           | 667                          | 11.71                |
| Ft. Sam Houston Army Base                  | Military                       | 629                          | 11.04                |
| Terrell Hills                              | Municipal Government           | 458                          | 8.04                 |
| Bexar County Water Control District No. 10 | County Government              | 408                          | 7.16                 |
| Castle Hills                               | Municipal Government           | 398                          | 6.99                 |
| D 1 A' F D                                 |                                |                              | 0.55                 |
| Brooks Air Force Base                      | Military                       | 320                          | 5.62                 |
| Kirby                                      |                                | 320<br>292                   |                      |
|  | Military                       |                              | 5.62                 |
| Kirby                                      | Military  Municipal Government | 292                          | 5.62<br>5.13         |
| Kirby<br>Balcones Heights                  | Military  Municipal Government | 292<br>289                   | 5.62<br>5.13<br>5.08 |

# San Antonio Water System Schedule 19 - Ratios of Total Outstanding Debt by Type (\$ in thousands, except debt per customer)

# **Total Principal Balance Outstanding Debt by Type**

|      |                              | Revenue Bonds                | (a)                               |  | -                    |                                   |            |                                       | Ratio of                          |                          |                              |
|------|------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--|----------------------|-----------------------------------|------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------------|
| Year | Senior<br>Lien<br>Bonds (\$) | Junior<br>Lien<br>Bonds (\$) | Subordinate<br>Lien<br>Bonds (\$) | Commercial<br>Paper<br>Notes (\$) <sup>(a)</sup> | Notes<br>Payable(\$) | Capital<br>Leases<br>Payable (\$) | Total (\$) | Gross<br>Revenues (\$) <sup>(b)</sup> | Total Debt<br>to Gross<br>Revenue | Customers <sup>(c)</sup> | Debt<br>Per<br>Customer (\$) |
| 2013 | \$1,506,725                  | \$734,190                    | \$ -                              | \$ 186,655                                       | \$ -                 | \$ -                              | 2,427,570  | \$ 467,749                            | 5.19                              | 784,209                  | 3,096                        |
| 2012 | 1,605,165                    | 382,645                      | -                                 | 170,745  | -                    | -                                 | 2,158,555  | 444,677                               | 4.85                              | 777,374                  | 2,777                        |
| 2011 | 1,507,950                    | 386,280                      | -                                 | 214,930  | -                    | -                                 | 2,109,160  | 424,049                               | 4.97                              | 765,400                  | 2,756                        |
| 2010 | 1,483,980                    | 361,005                      | -                                 | 244,650  | -                    | -                                 | 2,089,635  | 372,522                               | 5.61                              | 756,642                  | 2,762                        |
| 2009 | 1,395,665                    | 364,035                      | -                                 | 173,650  | -                    | -                                 | 1,933,350  | 369,853                               | 5.23                              | 747,220                  | 2,587                        |
| 2008 | 1,138,430                    | 288,095                      | 1,000                             | 261,115  | 119                  | -                                 | 1,688,759  | 389,003                               | 4.34                              | 738,728                  | 2,286                        |
| 2007 | 1,153,935                    | 244,585                      | 113,990                           | 100,000  | 571                  | -                                 | 1,613,081  | 352,160                               | 4.58                              | 724,130                  | 2,228                        |
| 2006 | 958,255                      | 208,990                      | 116,265                           | 237,360  | 991                  | 36                                | 1,521,897  | 379,372                               | 4.01                              | 704,835                  | 2,159                        |
| 2005 | 1,041,400                    | 214,090                      | 118,435                           | 98,000   | 1,381                | 71                                | 1,473,377  | 337,701                               | 4.36                              | 680,822                  | 2,164                        |
| 2004 | 822,860                      | 219,035                      | 120,515                           | 238,400  | 1,697                | 319                               | 1,402,826  | 268,333                               | 5.23                              | 657,813                  | 2,133                        |

<sup>(</sup>a) Details regarding outstanding revenue bonds and commercial paper notes can be found in the notes to the financial statements. For presentation purposes, capital leases have been treated as debt.

(b) Gross revenues are defined as operating revenues plus nonoperating revenues. 2009 and prior years have been restated to reclass provision for uncollectible accounts from operating expenses to operating revenues.

<sup>(</sup>c) Customer connections represent the combined number of billed accounts for water and wastewater services at fiscal year-end.

San Antonio Water System Schedule 20 - Pledged Revenue Coverage (\$ in thousands)

| Net         |              |              |           |                  |                         |                    | Maximum Annual Debt Service Requirements |          |                 |                           |              |
|-------------|--------------|--------------|-----------|------------------|-------------------------|--------------------|--|----------|-----------------|---------------------------|--------------|
|             | Gross        | Operating    | Available | Revenue          | e Bond Debt Serv        | ice <sup>(a)</sup> | _  | Total    |                 | Senior Lien               |              |
| <u>Year</u> | Revenues (b) | Expenses (c) | Revenue   | <b>Principal</b> | Interest <sup>(d)</sup> | <u>Total</u>       | <b>Coverage</b>                          | Debt (e) | <b>Coverage</b> | <u>Debt<sup>(e)</sup></u> | Coverage (f) |
|             |              |              |           |                  |                         |                    |  |          |                 |                           |              |
| 2013        | \$ 460,776   | \$ 244,348   | 216,428   | \$ 47,315        | \$ 86,058               | 133,373            | 1.62                                     | 152,498  | 1.42            | \$ 117,124                | 1.85         |
| 2012        | 437,253      | 237,576      | 199,677   | 44,780           | 80,320                  | 125,100            | 1.60                                     | 138,420  | 1.44            | 122,816                   | 1.63         |
| 2011        | 417,077      | 209,058      | 208,019   | 39,730           | 79,534                  | 119,264            | 1.74                                     | 132,226  | 1.57            | 112,715                   | 1.85         |
| 2010        | 367,847      | 226,489      | 141,358   | 38,590           | 77,098                  | 115,688            | 1.22                                     | 127,264  | 1.11            | 108,947                   | 1.30         |
| 2009        | 366,753      | 215,812      | 150,941   | 34,900           | 71,824                  | 106,724            | 1.41                                     | 121,367  | 1.24            | 101,917                   | 1.48         |
| 2008        | 384,228      | 205,486      | 178,742   | 27,630           | 67,810                  | 95,440             | 1.87                                     | 98,840   | 1.81            | 86,140                    | 2.08         |
| 2007        | 344,772      | 185,561      | 159,211   | 24,880           | 69,693                  | 94,573             | 1.68                                     | 102,880  | 1.55            | 86,138                    | 1.85         |
| 2006        | 372,193      | 177,265      | 194,928   | 22,415           | 63,432                  | 85,847             | 2.27                                     | 91,175   | 2.14            | 78,373                    | 2.49         |
| 2005        | 331,032      | 171,853      | 159,179   | 16,505           | 55,542                  | 72,047             | 2.21                                     | 94,992   | 1.68            | 78,373                    | 2.03         |
| 2004        | 263,367      | 152,445      | 110,922   | 7,735            | 52,732                  | 60,467             | 1.83                                     | 84,941   | 1.31            | 67,203                    | 1.65         |

<sup>(</sup>a) Represents current year debt service payments. Details regarding outstanding debt can be found in the notes to the financial statements. All bonded debt is secured by revenue and is included in these totals.

<sup>(</sup>b) Gross Revenues are defined as operating revenues plus nonoperating revenues less revenues from the City Public Service contract, interest on Project Funds and federal subsidy on Build America Bonds. 2009 and prior years have been restated to reclass the provision for uncollectible accounts from operating expenses to operating revenues.

<sup>(</sup>c) Operating Expenses reflect operating expenses before depreciation as shown on the Statement of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Equity.

<sup>(</sup>d) Interest reported net of the U.S. federal interest subsidy on the Series 2009B and 2010B Build America Bonds.

<sup>(</sup>e) Debt service requirements consist of principal and interest payments net of the U.S. federal interest subsidy on the Series 2009B and 2010B Build America Bonds.

<sup>(</sup>f) SAWS bond ordinances require the maintenance of a debt coverage ratio of at least 1.25x the maximum annual debt service on outstanding Senior Lien Obligations in order to issue additional bonds.

Schedule 21 - Demographic and Economic Statistics Last Ten Calendar Years

| Year | Population (a) | Median<br>Age <sup>(a)</sup> | Personal<br>Income <sup>(a)</sup> (thousands<br>of dollars) | Per Capital Personal<br>Income <sup>(a)</sup> | School<br>Enrollment <sup>(b)</sup> | Single Family<br>Housing<br>Permits <sup>(c)</sup> | Employment (d) | Unemployment<br>Rate <sup>(d)</sup> |
|------|----------------|------------------------------|---|---|-------------------------------------|--|----------------|-------------------------------------|
| 2013 | 1,383,194      | 33.2                         | \$ 30,752,552   | \$ 22,233                                     | 397,500                             | 8,223  | 898,800        | 5.3%                                |
| 2012 | 1,359,730      | 32.7                         | 29,038,394  | 21,356  | 396.718                             | 8,004  | 892,600        | 5.7%                                |
| 2011 | 1,326,539      | 32.8                         | 28,421,098  | 21,425  | 392,897                             | 7,127  | 869,800        | 6.7%                                |
| 2010 | 1,319,492      | 32.1                         | 28,260,879  | 21,418  | 387,343                             | 6,865  | 852,400        | 7.3%                                |
| 2009 | 1,340,549      | 32.6                         | 28,750,754  | 21,447  | 296,328                             | 5,924  | 841,100        | 6.8%                                |
| 2008 | 1,328,984      | 32.8                         | 27,653,499  | 20,808  | 295,673                             | 10,574   | 855,100        | 5.4%                                |
| 2007 | 1,312,286      | 32.6                         | 26,093,495  | 19,884  | 291,873                             | 13,295   | 851,900        | 4.0%                                |
| 2006 | 1,322,900      | 33.2                         | 26,603,519  | 20,110  | 283,393                             | 19,761   | 825,800        | 3.8%                                |
| 2005 | 1,299,200      | 32.2                         | 25,386,368  | 19,540  | 279,756                             | 22,305   | 799,300        | 4.4%                                |
| 2004 | 1,278,300      | 32.2                         | 24,248,073  | 18,969  | 273,560                             | 17,539   | 766,200        | 5.2%                                |

<sup>(</sup>a) Source: Planning Department, City of San Antonio, Texas

Note: Population and median age information are based on surveys conducted during the last quarter of the calendar year. Personal income information is a total for the year. Employment and unemployment rate information is an adjusted yearly average. School enrollment is based on the census at the start of the school year.

<sup>(</sup>b) Source: Planning Department, City of San Antonio, Texas. 2001-2009 data includes students age 5 and over. Data since 2010 includes students age 3 and over.

<sup>(</sup>c) Source: US Bureau of Census and Real Estate Center at Texas A&M University, San Antonio Metropolitan Statistical Area.

<sup>(</sup>d) Source: Texas Workforce Commission, Labor Market Career Information, LAUS MSA 2000-Present, San Antonio/New Braunfels Metropolitan Statistical Area 2000-present.

|  |           | 2013 |  |           | 2004 |  |
|--|-----------|------|--|-----------|------|--|
| Employer   | Employees | Rank | Percentage<br>of Total City<br>Employment <sup>(1)</sup> | Employees | Rank | Percentage of<br>Total City<br>Employment <sup>(2)</sup> |
| Joint Base San Antonio (JBSA) - Lackland, Fort Sam |           |      |  |           |      |  |
| Houston & Randolph                                 | 92,301    | 1    | 10.58%   |           |      |  |
| H.E.B. Food Stores                                 | 20,000    | 2    | 2.29%  |           |      |  |
| USAA   | 17,000    | 3    | 1.95%  | 13,500    | 1    | 1.82%  |
| Northside Independent School District              | 12,751    | 4    | 1.46%  | 10,323    | 2    | 1.39%  |
| City of San Antonio                                | 11,371    | 5    | 1.30%  | 9,821     | 3    | 1.32%  |
| North East Independent School District             | 10,522    | 6    | 1.21%  |           |      |  |
| Methodist Health Care System                       | 8,000     | 7    | 0.92%  | 7,500     | 5    | 1.01%  |
| San Antonio Independent School District            | 7,374     | 8    | 0.85%  | 8,000     | 4    | 1.08%  |
| Baptist Health Systems                             | 6,216     | 9    | 0.71%  | 4,690     | 7    | 0.63%  |
| University of Texas Health Science                 | 5,500     | 10   | 0.63%  |           |      |  |
| SBC Communications (AT&T)                          |           |      |  | 6,000     | 6    | 0.81%  |
| Six Flags Fiesta Texas                             |           |      |  | 3,000     | 8    | 0.40%  |
| World Savings Bank                                 |           |      |  | 2,650     | 9    | 0.36%  |
| Christus Santa Rosa Health Care                    |           | -    |  | 2,600     | 10   | 0.35%  |
| Total  | 191,035   |      | 21.90%   | 68,084    |      | 9.17%  |

Source: Economic Development Division, City of San Antonio, Texas, Book of Lists 2012, and Department of Defense personnel statistics.

Table provided courtesy of City of San Antonio Finance Department.

<sup>(1)</sup> Percent based on an Employment Estimate of 872,400 of Non-Farm jobs in the San Antonio-New Braunfels Metropolitan Statistical Area as of January 2013. Figure provided by the Texas Workforce Commission.

<sup>(2)</sup> Percent based on an Employment Estimate of 742,000 of Non-Farm jobs in the San Antonio Metropolitan Statistical Area as of January 2004. Figure provided by the Texas Workforce Commission.

# San Antonio Water System Schedule 23 - Number of Employees by Functional Group

|  |       |       |       | F     | iscal Year | r     |       |       |       |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
|  | 2013  | 2012  | 2011  | 2010  | 2009       | 2008  | 2007  | 2006  | 2005  |
| Functional Group                             | '     |       |       |       |            |       |       |       |       |
| President/CEO                                | 14    | 16    | 11    | 12    | 13         | 12    | 10    | 11    | 14    |
| Production & Treatment Operations (c) (d)    | 292   | 363   | 353   | 358   | 368        | 341   | 337   | 337   | 347   |
| Distribution & Collection Operations (a) (c) | 455   | 482   | 416   | 430   | 435        | 403   | 422   | 414   | 419   |
| Operation Services (a) (c) (d)               | 116   | 166   | 189   | 178   | 180        | 177   |       |       |       |
| Sewer System Improvements (d)                | 28    |       |       |       |            |       |       |       |       |
| Administrative Services (a)                  |       |       |       |       |            |       | 117   | 115   | 119   |
| Public Affairs                               | 24    | 32    | 32    | 32    | 32         | 19    | 21    | 19    | 20    |
| Customer Service                             | 229   | 222   | 215   | 206   | 210        | 212   | 208   | 201   | 205   |
| Strategic Resources (a)                      | 202   | 225   | 201   | 189   | 201        | 193   | 116   | 108   | 102   |
| Facilities Engineering & Construction (a)    |       |       |       |       |            |       | 188   | 197   | 199   |
| Water Resources (a) (d)                      | 158   | 62    | 62    | 54    | 63         | 55    |       |       |       |
| Financial Services (b) (c) (d)               | 64    | 52    | 67    | 69    | 58         | 56    | 55    | 54    | 57    |
| Information Services (a)                     | 64    | 57    | 57    | 54    | 58         | 56    |       |       |       |
| Corporate Initiatives (a)                    |       |       |       |       |            |       | 64    | 64    | 61    |
| Human Resources (c)                          | 44    | 27    | 50    | 49    | 48         | 46    | 44    | 28    | 29    |
| Legal (b) (c)                                | 42    | 44    | 16    | 16    | 30         | 25    | 26    | 27    | 29    |
| Total Employees                              | 1,732 | 1,748 | 1,669 | 1,647 | 1,696      | 1,595 | 1,608 | 1,575 | 1,601 |
| Employees Allocated to SAWS DSP (e)          | (207) | (70)  | -     | -     | -          | -     | -     | -     | -     |
| Employees Allocated to SAWS                  | 1,525 | 1,678 | 1,669 | 1,647 | 1,696      | 1,595 | 1,608 | 1,575 | 1,601 |

In January 2012, SAWS assumed operational control of the former Bexar Metropolitan Water District, now operated as the DSP. Throughout 2012, SAWS begin filling open positions with DSP employees. As a result, SAWS vacancy rate has decreased and the number of employees increased from 2011 to 2012. In accordance with a Board approved policy to allocate shared expenses to the DSP, SAWS allocated the equivalent of 70 full-time employees. The employees presented in this table represent SAWS employees before any allocation to DSP. See "THE DISTRICT SPECIAL PROJECT" herein.

<sup>(</sup>a) In 2008, certain functional groups were restructured.

<sup>(</sup>b) In 2010, Contracting Department was moved from Legal to Financial Services.

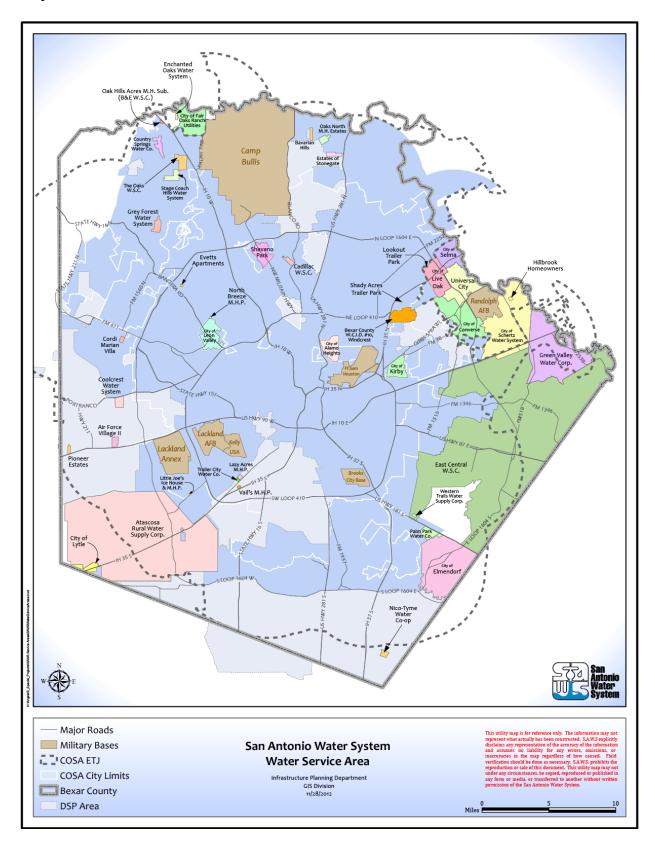
<sup>(</sup>c) In 2012, certain functional groups were restructured.

<sup>(</sup>d) In 2013, certain functional groups were restructured.

<sup>(</sup>e) In January 2012, SAWS assumed operational control of the former Bexar Metropolitan Water District, now operated as the DSP. At the time, the DSP had 249 employees. Throughout 2012 and most of 2013 SAWS filled open positions with DSP employees. In October 2013, all remaining DSP employees were transferred to SAWS. In accordance with Board approved policy to allocate shared expenses to the DSP, joint costs benefiting both SAWS and the DSP are allocated in a rational manner that approximates the benefits received by each system.

San Antonio Water System Schedule 24 – Capital Assets (amounts in thousands)

|                          | Fiscal Year  |              |              |              |              |              |             |              |              |              |
|--------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
|                          | 2013         | 2012         | 2011         | 2010         | 2009         | 2008         | 2007        | 2006         | 2005         | 2004         |
| Water Delivery           | \$ 1,882,369 | \$ 1,806,882 | \$ 1,680,136 | \$ 1,621,171 | \$ 1,548,754 | \$ 1,472,040 | \$1,349,664 | \$ 1,212,843 | \$ 1,077,840 | \$ 1,042,342 |
| Water Supply:            |              |              |              |              |              |              |             |              |              |              |
| Water Resources          | 628,445      | 585,055      | 556,979      | 546,491      | 429,129      | 353,988      | 249,278     | 211,586      | 166,168      | 46,048       |
| Recycle                  | 159,059      | 155,556      | 152,993      | 151,640      | 151,184      | 149,308      | 164,414     | 137,009      | 126,905      | 120,114      |
| Conservation             | 465          | 436          | 444          | 441          | 335          | 221          | 262         | 264          | 262          | 259          |
| Stormwater               | 277          | 211          | 179          | 187          | 183          | 161          | 147         | 147          | 147          | -            |
| Wastewater               | 2,202,056    | 1,968,415    | 1,858,386    | 1,761,832    | 1,704,933    | 1,639,280    | 1,524,730   | 1,409,514    | 1,293,194    | 1,219,086    |
| Chilled Water and Steam  | 56,929       | 53,011       | 52,948       | 52,957       | 52,007       | 50,303       | 50,169      | 50,109       | 47,865       | 47,137       |
| Working Capital          | -            | -            | -            | -            | -            | -            | -           | 3,310        | 3,861        | 3,907        |
| Construction in Progress | 506,829      | 571,547      | 522,438      | 415,810      | 427,971      | 372,607      | 361,192     | 372,598      | 483,201      | 499,585      |
| Total assets before      |              |              |              |              |              |              |             |              |              |              |
| accumulated depreciation | 5,436,429    | 5,141,113    | 4,824,503    | 4,550,529    | 4,314,496    | 4,037,908    | 3,699,856   | 3,397,380    | 3,199,443    | 2,978,478    |
| Accumulated Depreciation | 1,472,429    | 1,369,885    | 1,271,438    | 1,187,662    | 1,140,232    | 1,070,718    | 1,002,264   | 926,251      | 861,163      | 798,457      |
| Net Capital Assets       | \$ 3,964,000 | \$ 3,771,228 | \$ 3,553,065 | \$ 3,362,867 | \$ 3,174,264 | \$ 2,967,190 | \$2,697,592 | \$ 2,471,129 | \$ 2,338,280 | \$ 2,180,021 |



# San Antonio Water System Schedule 25 – Operating and Capital Indicators – Water

| _   | Fiscal Year |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |
|---|-------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
|   | 2013        | 2012    | 2011    | 2010    | 2009    | 2008    | 2007    | 2006    | 2005    | 2004    |
| Rainfall (Inches)                           | 32.27       | 39.40   | 17.58   | 37.39   | 30.69   | 13.76   | 47.25   | 21.34   | 16.45   | 45.34   |
| Customers/Connections (a)                   | 367,408     | 365,099 | 360,281 | 356,546 | 352,059 | 348,834 | 344,168 | 336,434 | 325,944 | 315,000 |
| Water Pumpage (Million Gallons)             |             |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |
| Annual Water Pumped (d)                     | 69,020      | 70,338  | 74,627  | 69,591  | 68,191  | 71,785  | 63,395  | 68,411  | 63,632  | 53,483  |
| ASR Recharge (b) (d)                        | 2,629       | 3,742   | 3,928   | 8,319   | 5,542   | 3,535   | 6,582   | 2,951   | 4,396   | 1,800   |
| ASR Production (b) (d)                      | 4,793       | 1,446   | 4,307   | 550     | 472     | 406     | 141     | 2,080   | 305     | 261     |
| Annual Pumped for Usage (d)                 | 66,391      | 66,596  | 70,699  | 61,272  | 62,649  | 68,250  | 56,813  | 65,460  | 59,236  | 51,683  |
| Average Daily (d)                           | 189.1       | 192.2   | 204.5   | 190.7   | 186.8   | 194.9   | 169.2   | 181.8   | 172.6   | 145.3   |
| Maximum Daily (d)                           | 270.2       | 264.0   | 265.6   | 314.0   | 273.8   | 299.0   | 225.6   | 280.4   | 279.3   | 343.1   |
| Metered Usage (Million Gallons)             | 55,108      | 55,320  | 59,133  | 52,578  | 55,295  | 58,828  | 49,511  | 57,724  | 55,005  | 49,367  |
| Available Water Supply (Million Gallons)    |             |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |
| Permitted Edwards Aquifer rights (e)        | 82,902      | 84,822  | 84,640  | 85,035  | 81,923  | 71,738  | 69,505  | 69,505  | 65,007  | 67,799  |
| Non-Edwards supply (f)                      | 10,818      | 7,431   | 6,098   | 6,132   | 6,256   | 6,256   | 4,171   | 4,171   | 1,140   | 1,140   |
| Stored in ASR (d) (g)                       | 28,764      | 30,827  | 28,531  | 28,910  | 21,141  | 16,071  | 12,942  | 6,501   | 5,630   | 1,539   |
| Total water available for production        | 122,484     | 123,080 | 119,393 | 120,077 | 109,320 | 94,766  | 86,768  | 80,210  | 71,814  | 70,541  |
| Number of Wells in Service                  | 149         | 143     | 139     | 144     | 140     | 136     | 126     | 113     | 102     | 94      |
| Overhead Storage Capacity (Million Gallons) | 91.3        | 81.2    | 81.2    | 73.9    | 66.5    | 65.2    | 64.2    | 69.0    | 60.0    | 64.8    |
| Total Storage Capacity (Million Gallons)    | 197.4       | 183.7   | 184.1   | 180.8   | 166.2   | 165.0   | 164.0   | 166.0   | 142.0   | 161.5   |
| Miles of Water Main Installed               | 80          | 57      | 78      | 106     | 97      | 161     | 167     | 143     | 103     | 90      |
| Miles of Water Main Replaced and Abandoned  | 30          | 22      | 26      | 36      | 33      | 32      | 19      | 22      | 23      | 17      |
| Miles of Water Main in Place                | 5,072       | 5,022   | 4,988   | 4,936   | 4,866   | 4,802   | 4,673   | 4,525   | 4,404   | 4,324   |
| Water Main Breaks (c)                       | 1,863       | 2,128   | 3,397   | 1,475   | 3,212   | 2,594   | 1,392   | 3,073   | 2,577   | 1,305   |
| New Services Installed                      | 5,241       | 7,520   | 4,725   | 4,208   | 3,590   | 7,565   | 17,274  | 13,903  | 12,730  | 10,759  |
| Fire Hydrants Installed (Net of Hydrants    |             |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |
| removed)                                    | 409         | 348     | 451     | 516     | 644     | 951     | 1,040   | 752     | 521     | 574     |
| Fire Hydrants in Place                      | 28,323      | 27,914  | 27,566  | 27,115  | 26,599  | 25,955  | 25,004  | 23,964  | 23,212  | 22,691  |

<sup>(</sup>a) Number of customers at end of fiscal year.

<sup>(</sup>b) SAWS opened its Aquifer Storage & Recovery (ASR) facility in 2004. Prior to this time, all water pumped was pumped for usage.

<sup>(</sup>c) Amount reported is for the calendar year.

<sup>(</sup>d) Amounts have been revised from previously published data.

<sup>(</sup>e) Based on permitted rights authorized by the EAA as of December 31st. Authorized amounts prior to 2004 are not presented as they reflect a high level of variability related to EAA's permitting process. Under current EAA rules, authorized amounts are subject to reductions of 20% to 44% during drought conditions.

<sup>(</sup>f) Includes water from the Trinity Aquifer and Canyon Lake available under water purchase agreements and water from the Carrizo Aquifer based on groundwater rights associated with land owned by SAWS.

<sup>(</sup>g) Represents net amount stored in ASR (Recharge - Net production).

San Antonio Water System Schedule 26 – Monthly Residential Service Charges for Ten Major Texas Cities – Water

| CITY                                  | 2013               | 2012    | 2011    | 2010    | 2009    | 2008    | 2007    | 2006    | 2005    | 2004    |
|---------------------------------------|--------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Arlington                             |                    |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |
| 6000 Gallons                          | \$19.49            | \$19.49 | \$19.49 | \$19.47 | \$18.99 | \$18.91 | \$17.44 | \$16.43 | \$15.76 | \$15.03 |
| 9000 Gallons                          | \$19.49<br>\$25.55 | \$25.55 | \$25.55 | \$25.53 | \$24.84 | \$24.70 | \$22.48 | \$21.11 | \$21.13 | \$20.52 |
| Austin                                | \$23.33            | \$23.33 | \$23.33 | \$23.33 | \$24.04 | \$24.70 | \$22.40 | \$21.11 | \$21.13 | \$20.32 |
| 6000 Gallons                          | \$29.74            | \$26.16 | \$26.16 | \$20.34 | \$19.18 | \$17.93 | \$16.93 | \$16.21 | \$14.88 | \$13.50 |
| 9000 Gallons                          | \$51.74            | \$35.40 | \$35.40 | \$28.68 | \$27.04 | \$25.22 | \$24.22 | \$23.11 | \$21.75 | \$19.80 |
| Corpus Christi <sup>(1)</sup>         | \$31.74            | \$33.40 | \$33.40 | \$20.00 | \$27.04 | \$23.22 | \$24.22 | \$23.11 | \$21.73 | \$19.00 |
| 6000 Gallons                          | \$32.25            | \$30.55 | \$28.97 | \$27.76 | \$25.54 | \$25.34 | \$23.44 | \$22.46 | \$20.67 | \$19.95 |
| 9000 Gallons                          | \$51.79            | \$48.76 | \$45.67 | \$43.30 | \$39.10 | \$38.62 | \$33.98 | \$32.58 | \$30.01 | \$28.98 |
| Dallas                                | \$31.79            | \$40.70 | \$43.07 | \$43.30 | \$39.10 | \$36.02 | \$33.96 | \$32.36 | \$30.01 | \$20.90 |
| 6000 Gallons                          | \$19.39            | \$18.58 | \$17.62 | \$16.72 | \$16.16 | \$15.50 | \$14.68 | \$13.87 | \$12.15 | \$11.60 |
| 9000 Gallons                          | \$30.70            | \$29.23 | \$27.67 | \$26.17 | \$25.16 | \$23.90 | \$22.39 | \$20.80 | \$18.00 | \$17.21 |
| El Paso <sup>(2),(3)</sup>            | \$30.70            | \$29.23 | \$27.07 | \$20.17 | \$23.10 | \$23.90 | \$22.39 | \$20.60 | \$10.00 | \$17.21 |
| 6000 Gallons                          | \$17.84            | \$17.01 | \$16.53 | \$16.53 | \$16.53 | \$16.53 | \$15.27 | \$14.67 | \$14.69 | \$13.90 |
| 9000 Gallons                          | \$24.10            | \$22.99 | \$22.34 | \$22.34 | \$22.34 | \$22.34 | \$20.15 | \$19.35 | \$19.39 | \$16.01 |
| Ft. Worth                             |                    | ,       | ,       | ,       | ,       |         | ,       | ,       | ,       | ,       |
| 6000 Gallons                          | \$23.32            | \$23.32 | \$22.33 | \$22.25 | \$21.75 | \$20.45 | \$19.71 | \$19.71 | \$19.70 | \$18.32 |
| 9000 Gallons                          | \$34.55            | \$34.55 | \$33.08 | \$32.92 | \$32.42 | \$30.52 | \$29.51 | \$29.51 | \$27.69 | \$25.62 |
| Houston                               |                    |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |
| 6000 Gallons                          | \$30.26            | \$27.78 | \$25.51 | \$23.65 | \$21.91 | \$20.85 | \$20.49 | \$19.94 | \$18.60 | \$18.11 |
| 9000 Gallons                          | \$44.27            | \$40.62 | \$37.30 | \$34.60 | \$30.67 | \$29.19 | \$28.71 | \$27.95 | \$26.10 | \$25.19 |
| Lubbock                               |                    |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |
| 6000 Gallons                          | \$45.00            | \$45.00 | \$40.02 | \$40.02 | \$34.02 | \$23.41 | \$20.20 | \$20.99 | \$20.39 | \$19.81 |
| 9000 Gallons                          | \$57.00            | \$57.00 | \$48.03 | \$48.03 | \$43.99 | \$30.67 | \$26.47 | \$26.48 | \$25.73 | \$25.00 |
| Plano                                 |                    |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |
| 6000 Gallons                          | \$23.10            | \$22.55 | \$20.50 | \$20.50 | \$19.35 | \$16.71 | \$16.41 | \$15.29 | \$14.57 | \$13.58 |
| 9000 Gallons                          | \$30.66            | \$29.18 | \$26.53 | \$26.53 | \$25.05 | \$21.63 | \$21.15 | \$19.79 | \$18.86 | \$17.51 |
| San Antonio (Standard) <sup>(2)</sup> |                    |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |
| 6000 Gallons                          | \$21.54            | \$21.67 | \$19.59 | \$19.85 | \$22.11 | \$21.81 | \$21.56 | \$21.64 | \$20.22 | \$17.46 |
| 9000 Gallons                          | \$31.37            | \$31.53 | \$28.44 | \$28.83 | \$30.40 | \$30.03 | \$29.66 | \$29.77 | \$27.82 | \$23.88 |
|                                       |                    |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |

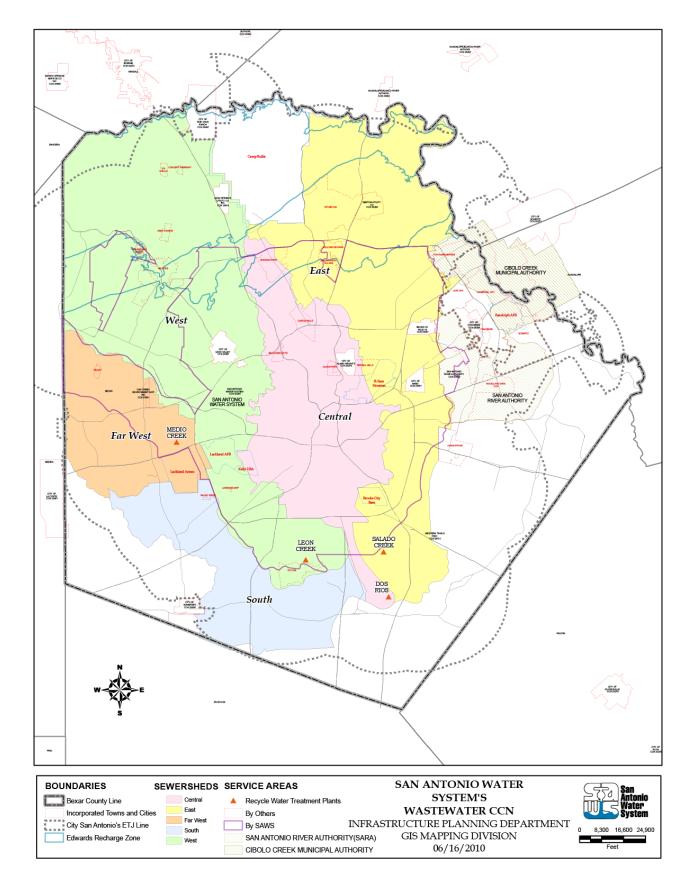
Source: Based on rates posted on each respective city's website.

Note – Most charges are for a 5/8" meter; Arlington and Lubbock charges are for a ¾" meter.

(1) Includes Raw Water Pass Through Charge of \$0.856 per 1,000 gallons.

(2) Assumes Standard rates and includes Water Supply Fee.

<sup>(3)</sup> El Paso charges are based on the nearest lowest hundred cubic feet (CCF) of consumption.



San Antonio Water System Schedule 27 – Operating and Capital Indicators – Wastewater

|   |         |         |         |         | Fiscal Year |         |         |         |         |         |
|---|---------|---------|---------|---------|-------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
|   | 2013    | 2012    | 2011    | 2010    | 2009        | 2008    | 2007    | 2006    | 2005    | 2004    |
| Customers/Connections (a)                     | 416,801 | 412,275 | 405,119 | 400,096 | 395,161     | 389,894 | 379,962 | 368,401 | 354,878 | 342,813 |
| Effluent Volumes For Major Facilities         |         |         |         |         |             |         |         |         |         |         |
| (million gallons per day)                     |         |         |         |         |             |         |         |         |         |         |
| Dos Rios                                      |         |         |         |         |             |         |         |         |         |         |
| Permit Flow                                   | 125.00  | 125.00  | 125.00  | 125.00  | 125.00      | 125.00  | 125.00  | 125.00  | 125.00  | 125.00  |
| Average Annual Flow                           | 78.47   | 79.04   | 74.97   | 86.47   | 74.37       | 76.53   | 93.34   | 64.00   | 59.58   | 61.16   |
| Maximum Monthly Average Flow                  | 86.78   | 87.01   | 76.63   | 103.66  | 89.36       | 81.43   | 131.98  | 74.37   | 73.98   | 78.74   |
| Leon Creek                                    |         |         |         |         |             |         |         |         |         |         |
| Permit Flow                                   | 46.00   | 46.00   | 46.00   | 46.00   | 46.00       | 46.00   | 46.00   | 46.00   | 46.00   | 46.00   |
| Average Annual Flow (two outfalls)            | 37.68   | 38.62   | 35.07   | 38.83   | 34.99       | 34.71   | 40.26   | 32.63   | 34.48   | 35.34   |
| Maximum Monthly Average Flow (two             |         |         |         |         |             |         |         |         |         |         |
| outfalls)                                     | 44.16   | 43.77   | 36.46   | 45.30   | 64.74       | 38.62   | 55.49   | 34.28   | 41.79   | 42.40   |
| Medio Creek                                   |         |         |         |         |             |         |         |         |         |         |
| Permit Flow                                   | 16.00   | 16.00   | 16.00   | 16.00   | 16.00       | 16.00   | 8.50    | 8.50    | 8.50    | 8.50    |
| Average Annual Flow                           | 7.76    | 7.29    | 6.83    | 7.53    | 6.32        | 5.87    | 6.94    | 5.13    | 5.21    | 5.60    |
| Maximum Monthly Average Flow                  | 8.45    | 8.14    | 6.97    | 8.71    | 7.45        | 6.57    | 10.51   | 5.63    | 6.58    | 6.63    |
| Salado (b)                                    |         |         |         |         |             |         |         |         |         |         |
| Permit Flow                                   | n/a     | n/a     | n/a     | n/a     | n/a         | n/a     | n/a     | 46.00   | 46.00   | 46.00   |
| Average Annual Flow                           | n/a     | n/a     | n/a     | n/a     | n/a         | n/a     | n/a     | 11.38   | 33.80   | 35.86   |
| Maximum Monthly Average Flow                  | n/a     | n/a     | n/a     | n/a     | n/a         | n/a     | n/a     | 21.11   | 40.40   | 44.00   |
| Total   |         |         |         |         |             |         |         |         |         |         |
| Permit Flow                                   | 187.00  | 187.00  | 187.00  | 187.00  | 187.00      | 187.00  | 179.50  | 225.50  | 225.50  | 225.50  |
| Average Annual Flow                           | 124.26  | 124.95  | 116.87  | 132.83  | 115.68      | 117.11  | 140.54  | 113.14  | 133.07  | 137.96  |
| Maximum Monthly Average Flow                  | 139.40  | 138.92  | 120.06  | 157.67  | 161.55      | 126.62  | 197.98  | 135.39  | 162.75  | 171.77  |
| Amount Treated Annually (millions of gallons) | 50,076  | 49,055  | 49,918  | 48,152  | 51,987      | 50,347  | 49,217  | 53,270  | 49,287  | 49,592  |
| Amount Treated Peak Day (millions of gallons) | 221     | 199     | 160     | 258     | 194         | 174     | 294     | 169     | 212     | 297     |
| Miles of Sewer Main Installed                 | 38      | 37      | 45      | 33      | 84          | 124     | 138     | 132     | 74      | 76      |
| Miles of Sewer Main In Place (c)              | 5,238   | 5,200   | 5,163   | 5,118   | 5,085       | 5,001   | 4,877   | 4,739   | 4,607   | 4,533   |
| Number of Manholes Installed                  | 901     | 856     | 1,080   | 659     | 1,514       | 2,922   | 2,775   | 2,661   | 1,538   | 1,504   |
| Number of Manholes in Place                   | 99,037  | 98,136  | 97,280  | 96,200  | 95,541      | 94,027  | 91,105  | 88,330  | 85,669  | 84,131  |
| Number of Lift Stations                       | 155     | 159     | 159     | 158     | 164         | 162     | 167     | 164     | 150     | 150     |

<sup>(</sup>a) Number of customers at end of fiscal year.

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San Antonio Water System Schedule 28 – Monthly Residential Service Charges for Ten Major Texas Cities – Wastewater

| CITY           | 2013    | 2012    | 2011    | 2010    | 2009    | 2008    | 2007    | 2006    | 2005    | 2004    |
|----------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Arlington      |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |
| 6000 Gallons   | \$28.03 | \$28.03 | \$27.37 | \$26.89 | \$25.97 | \$25.29 | \$23.10 | \$22.41 | \$19.52 | \$18.88 |
| 9000 Gallons   | \$38.02 | \$38.02 | \$37.03 | \$36.31 | \$35.03 | \$34.05 | \$31.05 | \$30.15 | \$26.78 | \$26.32 |
| Austin         | Ψ30.02  | Ψ30.02  | ψ37.03  | Ψ50.51  | Ψ33.03  | Ψ51.05  | ψ31.03  | ψ30.13  | Ψ20.70  | Ψ20.32  |
| 6000 Gallons   | \$54.40 | \$54.30 | \$50.35 | \$48.77 | \$46.28 | \$44.34 | \$42.18 | \$37.19 | \$31.72 | \$27.62 |
| 9000 Gallons   | \$81.22 | \$81.06 | \$75.49 | \$73.22 | \$69.47 | \$66.66 | \$63.72 | \$56.18 | \$48.79 | \$42.41 |
| Corpus Christi | ,,,,,   | 400.00  | 4,21,2  | 7.2     | 4       | +       | +       | 400100  | 4.000   | + ·=··· |
| 6000 Gallons   | \$46.96 | \$43.21 | \$43.21 | \$40.80 | \$35.95 | \$34.15 | \$28.91 | \$27.35 | \$26.77 | \$25.99 |
| 9000 Gallons   | \$62.71 | \$57.69 | \$57.69 | \$54.47 | \$48.01 | \$45.60 | \$38.61 | \$36.52 | \$35.75 | \$34.70 |
| Dallas         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |
| 6000 Gallons   | \$33.80 | \$33.00 | \$31.70 | \$29.99 | \$29.33 | \$28.63 | \$27.07 | \$25.55 | \$22.19 | \$21.01 |
| 9000 Gallons   | \$48.50 | \$47.40 | \$45.50 | \$43.01 | \$42.11 | \$41.20 | \$38.86 | \$36.71 | \$31.67 | \$30.19 |
| El Paso        | ,       |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |
| 6000 Gallons   | \$16.48 | \$15.68 | \$15.22 | \$15.22 | \$15.22 | \$15.22 | \$14.21 | \$13.65 | \$12.76 | \$11.83 |
| 9000 Gallons   | \$22.01 | \$20.93 | \$20.31 | \$20.31 | \$20.31 | \$20.31 | \$18.97 | \$18.21 | \$16.87 | \$15.66 |
| Ft. Worth      |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |
| 6000 Gallons   | \$27.96 | \$26.84 | \$26.27 | \$26.27 | \$25.67 | \$25.67 | \$24.63 | \$24.63 | \$24.63 | \$22.39 |
| 9000 Gallons   | \$39.39 | \$37.70 | \$36.86 | \$36.86 | \$36.26 | \$36.26 | \$34.70 | \$34.70 | \$34.70 | \$31.33 |
| Houston        |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |
| 6000 Gallons   | \$37.20 | \$34.15 | \$31.38 | \$29.09 | \$24.84 | \$22.67 | \$22.29 | \$21.70 | \$21.22 | \$18.42 |
| 9000 Gallons   | \$59.25 | \$54.40 | \$49.98 | \$46.34 | \$36.69 | \$33.95 | \$33.39 | \$32.50 | \$31.33 | \$27.63 |
| Lubbock        |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |
| 6000 Gallons   | \$27.50 | \$27.50 | \$24.30 | \$24.30 | \$22.10 | \$15.97 | \$14.76 | \$13.96 | \$13.96 | \$12.53 |
| 9000 Gallons   | \$34.50 | \$34.25 | \$30.45 | \$30.45 | \$28.25 | \$21.46 | \$19.83 | \$18.97 | \$18.97 | \$17.03 |
| Plano          |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |
| 6000 Gallons   | \$33.54 | \$33.54 | \$33.54 | \$33.54 | \$33.54 | \$27.95 | \$27.10 | \$25.30 | \$24.11 | \$23.57 |
| 9000 Gallons   | \$46.32 | \$46.32 | \$46.32 | \$46.32 | \$46.32 | \$38.60 | \$37.24 | \$34.96 | \$33.32 | \$32.57 |
| San Antonio    |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |
| 6000 Gallons   | \$25.26 | \$21.70 | \$19.12 | \$19.10 | \$17.02 | \$16.17 | \$16.17 | \$16.17 | \$16.08 | \$14.48 |
| 9000 Gallons   | \$34.40 | \$29.54 | \$26.02 | \$26.00 | \$23.20 | \$22.03 | \$22.03 | \$22.03 | \$21.91 | \$19.73 |

Source: Based on rates posted on each respective city's website.

# MONTHLY WATER, SEWER, AND WATER SUPPLY FEE RATES

In June 2010, the Board and the City Council approved revisions to the System's rate structure. The revised rate structure is designed to encourage water conservation. The revised rate structure reduces rates for lower water use while raising rates for higher water use. The most significant change in the revised rate structure is moving the Water Supply Fee from a flat fee to a tiered fee, in which the rate for the Water Supply Fee would increase as total water usage increases. The revised rate structure went into effect on November 1, 2010.

The System has received rate adjustments each year since 2011. On November 1, 2013, City Council approved a rate adjustment to increase the average residential bill by 5.1% for 2014. After review of the 2015 System budget by the Board, as approved by City Council, the average residential bill will increase by an additional 5.3% in 2015.

# Residential Water Service (Effective for Consumption on or about January 1, 2015)

The Service Availability Charge (minimum bill) for all residential water service **INSIDE THE CITY LIMITS** of San Antonio furnished through meters of the following sizes together with the Monthly Volume Charge measured per 100 gallons for water usage in every instance of service for each month or fraction thereof shall be as follows:

#### MONTHLY SERVICE AVAILABILITY CHARGE

#### MONTHLY VOLUME CHARGE

| Meter Size | Service Availability Charge | Usage Blocks    | Standard*             | Seasonal*          |
|------------|-----------------------------|-----------------|-----------------------|--------------------|
| 5/8"       | \$ 7.57                     | First 5,985     | \$ 0.1006             | \$ 0.1006          |
| 3/4"       | 10.63                       | Next 6,732      | 0.1457                | 0.1584             |
| 1"         | 16.72                       | Next 4,488      | 0.20.53               | 0.2355             |
| 1-1/2"     | 31.94                       | Over 17,205     | 0.35.96               | 0.4880             |
| 2"         | 50.18                       |                 |                       |                    |
| 3"         | 92.80                       | * The Volume    | Charge "Seasonal      | l" Rate Per 100    |
| 4"         | 153.67                      | Gallons shall l | be applied to all bil | lings beginning on |
| 6"         | 305.86                      | or about May    | 1 and ending af       | ter five complete  |
| 8"         | 488.47                      | billing months  | on or about Sept      | ember 30 of each   |
| 10"        | 701.52                      | year. At al     | l other times the     | Volume Charge      |
| 12"        | 1,310.24                    | "Standard" Ra   | te Per 100 Gallons s  | hall be utilized.  |

The Service Availability Charge (minimum bill) for all residential water service **OUTSIDE THE CITY LIMITS** of San Antonio furnished through meters of the following sizes together with the Monthly Volume Charge measured per 100 gallons for water usage in every instance of service for each month or fraction thereof shall be as follows:

# MONTHLY SERVICE AVAILABILITY CHARGE

# MONTHLY VOLUME CHARGE

|            |                             |                 | Rate Per 10         | 00 Gallons           |
|------------|-----------------------------|-----------------|---------------------|----------------------|
| Meter Size | Service Availability Charge | Usage Blocks    | Standard*           | Seasonal*            |
| 5/8"       | \$ 9.86                     | First 5,985     | \$ 0.1310           | \$ 0.1310            |
| 3/4"       | 13.82                       | Next 6,732      | 0.1894              | 0.2060               |
| 1"         | 21.72                       | Next 4,488      | 0.2671              | 0.3062               |
| 1-1/2"     | 41.52                       | Over 17,205     | 0.4675              | 0.63.41              |
| 2"         | 65.26                       |                 |                     |                      |
| 3"         | 120.66                      | * The Volume    | Charge "Seasona     | al" Rate Per 100     |
| 4"         | 199.78                      | Gallons shall b | e applied to all bi | illings beginning on |
| 6"         | 397.62                      | or about May    | 1 and ending a      | after five complete  |
| 8"         | 635.03                      | billing months  | on or about Sep     | otember 30 of each   |
| 10"        | 911.98                      | year. At all    | other times th      | e Volume Charge      |
| 12"        | 1,703.33                    | "Standard" Rate | e Per 100 Gallons   | shall be utilized.   |

# General Water Service (Effective for Consumption on or about January 1, 2015)

The Service Availability Charge (minimum bill) for all general water service **INSIDE THE CITY LIMITS** of San Antonio furnished through meters of the following sizes together with the Monthly Volume Charge measured per 100 gallons for water usage in every instance of service for each month or fraction thereof shall be as follows:

# MONTHLY SERVICE AVAILABILITY CHARGE

#### MONTHLY VOLUME CHARGE

| Meter Size | Service Availability Charge | <u>Usage Blocks, Gallons</u> | Rate Per 100 Gallons       |
|------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------------|
| 5/8"       | \$ 10.53                    | Base*                        | \$0.1218                   |
| 3/4"       | 15.05                       | >100-125% of Base            | 0.1457                     |
| 1"         | 24.08                       | >125-175% of Base            | 0.2042                     |
| 1-1/2"     | 46.65                       | >175% of Base                | 0.2991                     |
| 2"         | 73.74                       |                              |                            |
| 3"         | 136.96                      |                              |                            |
| 4"         | 227.28                      |                              |                            |
| 6"         | 453.06                      | * The Base Use is defined as | 100% of the Annual Average |
| 8"         | 723.99                      | Consumption.                 | _                          |
| 10"        | 1,040.08                    |                              |                            |
| 12"        | 1,943.21                    |                              |                            |
|            |                             |                              |                            |

The Service Availability Charge (minimum bill) for all general water service **OUTSIDE THE CITY LIMITS** of San Antonio furnished through meters of the following sizes together with the Monthly Volume Charge measured per 100 gallons for water usage in every instance of service for each month or fraction thereof shall be as follows:

#### MONTHLY SERVICE AVAILABILITY CHARGE

#### MONTHLY VOLUME CHARGE

| Meter Size | Service Availability Charge | Usage Blocks, Gallons        | Rate Per 100 Gallons       |
|------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------------|
| 5/8"       | \$ 13.69                    | Base*                        | \$0.1584                   |
| 3/4"       | 19.56                       | >100-125% of Base            | 0.1893                     |
| 1"         | 31.29                       | >125-175% of Base            | 0.2654                     |
| 1-1/2"     | 60.65                       | >175% of Base                | 0.3887                     |
| 2"         | 95.87                       |                              |                            |
| 3"         | 178.06                      |                              |                            |
| 4"         | 295.46                      |                              |                            |
| 6"         | 588.98                      | * The Base Use is defined as | 100% of the Annual Average |
| 8"         | 941.20                      | Consumption.                 | _                          |
| 10"        | 1,352.11                    |                              |                            |
| 12"        | 2,526.17                    |                              |                            |

# Wholesale Water Service (Effective for Consumption on or about January 1, 2015)

The Service Availability Charge (minimum bill) for all wholesale water service **INSIDE THE CITY LIMITS** of San Antonio furnished through meters of the following sizes together with the Monthly Volume Charge determined by the customer's base amount with increased unit rates that apply as usage exceeds each customer's base amount.

#### MONTHLY SERVICE AVAILABILITY CHARGE

#### MONTHLY VOLUME CHARGE

| Meter Size <sup>(1)</sup> | Service Availability Charge | Usage Blocks, Gallons | Rate Per 100 Gallons |
|---------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|
| 6"                        | \$305.86                    | Base*                 | \$0.0845             |
| 8"                        | 488.47                      | >100-125% of Base     | 0.1269               |
| 10"                       | 701.52                      | >125-175% of Base     | 0.1833               |
| 12"                       | 1,310.24                    | >175% of Base         | 0.2592               |

<sup>\*</sup> The Base Use is defined as 100% of the Annual Average Consumption.

The Service Availability Charge (minimum bill) for all wholesale water service **OUTSIDE THE CITY LIMITS** of San Antonio furnished through meters of the following sizes together with the Monthly Volume determined by the customer's base amount with increased unit rates that apply as usage exceeds each customer's base amount.

#### MONTHLY SERVICE AVAILABILITY CHARGE

#### MONTHLY VOLUME CHARGE

| Meter Size <sup>(1)</sup> | Service Availability Charge | Usage Blocks, Gallons | Rate Per 100 Gallons |
|---------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|
| 6"                        | \$397.62                    | Base*                 | \$0.1098             |
| 8"                        | 635.03                      | >100-125% of Base     | 0.1650               |
| 10"                       | 911.98                      | >125-175% of Base     | 0.2383               |
| 12"                       | 1,703.33                    | >175% of Base         | 0.3369               |

<sup>\*</sup> The Base Use is defined as 100% of the Annual Average Consumption.

<sup>(1)</sup> Wholesale water service will not be provided through a meter smaller than 6" in order to comply with fire flow requirements and the "Criteria for Water Supply and Distribution in the City of San Antonio and its Extraterritorial Jurisdiction".

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# Irrigation Service Fee (Effective for Consumption on or about January 1, 2015)

The Service Availability Charge (minimum bill) for all irrigation water service **INSIDE THE CITY LIMITS** of San Antonio furnished through meters of the following sizes together with the Monthly Volume Charge measured per 100 gallons for water usage in every instance of service for each month or fraction thereof shall be as follows:

# MONTHLY SERVICE AVAILABILITY CHARGE

# MONTHLY VOLUME CHARGE

|            |                             |                          | Rate Per         | 100 Gallons       |
|------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------|------------------|-------------------|
| Meter Size | Service Availability Charge | Usage Blocks, Gallons    | Standard*        | Seasonal*         |
| 5/8"       | \$ 10.53                    | 0 Gallons                | \$0.0000         | \$0.0000          |
| 3/4"       | 15.05                       | Next 6,732               | 0.1713           | 0.1713            |
| 1"         | 24.08                       | Next 10,473              | 0.2053           | 0.2384            |
| 1-1/2"     | 46.65                       | Over 17,205              | 0.3596           | 0.4936            |
| 2"         | 73.74                       |                          |                  |                   |
| 3"         | 136.96                      | * The Volume Charge "S   | easonal" Rate F  | Per 100 Gallons   |
| 4"         | 227.28                      | shall be applied to all  | billings beginni | ng on or about    |
| 6"         | 453.06                      | May 1 and ending after:  | five complete bi | lling months on   |
| 8"         | 723.99                      | or about September 30 of | of each year. A  | t all other times |
| 10"        | 1,040.08                    | the Volume Charge "St    | andard" Rate P   | er 100 Gallons    |
| 12"        | 1,943.21                    | shall be utilized.       |                  |                   |

The Service Availability Charge (minimum bill) for all irrigation water service **OUTSIDE THE CITY LIMITS** of San Antonio furnished through meters of the following sizes together with the Monthly Volume Charge measured per 100 gallons for water usage in every instance of service for each month or fraction thereof shall be as follows:

# MONTHLY SERVICE AVAILABILITY CHARGE

# MONTHLY VOLUME CHARGE

|            |                             |                         | Kate Per         | 100 Gallons       |
|------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|-------------------|
| Meter Size | Service Availability Charge | Usage Blocks, Gallons   | Standard*        | Seasonal*         |
| 5/8"       | \$ 13.69                    | 0 Gallons               | \$0.0000         | \$0.0000          |
| 3/4"       | 19.56                       | Next 6,732              | 0.2225           | 0.2225            |
| 1"         | 31.29                       | Next 10,473             | 0.2670           | 0.3100            |
| 1-1/2"     | 60.65                       | Over 17,205             | 0.4675           | 0.6416            |
| 2"         | 95.87                       |                         |                  |                   |
| 3"         | 178.06                      | * The Volume Charge "S  | easonal" Rate I  | Per 100 Gallons   |
| 4"         | 295.46                      | shall be applied to all | billings beginni | ng on or about    |
| 6"         | 588.98                      | May 1 and ending after  | five complete bi | lling months on   |
| 8"         | 941.20                      | or about September 30 c | of each year. A  | t all other times |
| 10"        | 1,352.11                    | the Volume Charge "St   | andard" Rate F   | er 100 Gallons    |
| 12"        | 2,526.17                    | shall be utilized.      |                  |                   |
|            |                             |                         |                  |                   |

# Recycled Water Service – Edwards Exchange Customers (Effective for Consumption on or about January 1, 2015)

The Monthly Service Availability Charge (minimum bill) for all recycled water service furnished through meters of the following sizes together with the Monthly Volume Charge measured per 100 gallons for water usage in every instance of service for each month or fraction thereof shall be as follows:

#### MONTHLY SERVICE AVAILABILITY CHARGE

#### MONTHLY VOLUME CHARGE

|            | Net          |                                 | Rate Per 1      | 00 Gallons          |
|------------|--------------|---------------------------------|-----------------|---------------------|
| Meter Size | Meter Charge | Usage Blocks                    | Standard*       | Seasonal*           |
| 5/8"       | \$ 9.51      | Transferred Amount              | \$ 0.0250       | \$ 0.0250           |
| 3/4"       | 12.37        | All in Excess of Transferred    | 0.0938          | 0.0977              |
| 1"         | 16.11        | Amount                          |                 |                     |
| 1-1/2"     | 25.61        |                                 |                 |                     |
| 2"         | 37.45        |                                 |                 |                     |
| 3"         | 99.61        | * The Volume Charge "Season     | al" Rate Per 10 | 00 Gallons shall be |
| 4"         | 148.06       | applied to all billings beginn  | ing on or about | May 1 and ending    |
| 6"         | 282.44       | after five complete billing mo  | onths on or abo | ut September 30 of  |
| 8"         | 425.73       | each year. At all other times t | he Volume Cha   | rge "Standard" Rate |
| 10"        | 583.77       | Per 100 Gallons shall be utiliz | ed.             |                     |
| 12"        | 720.27       |                                 |                 |                     |

# Recycled Water Service – Non-Edwards Exchange Customers (Effective for Consumption on or about January 1, 2015)

The Monthly Service Availability Charge (minimum bill) for all recycled water service furnished through meters of the following sizes together with the Monthly Volume Charge measured per 100 gallons for water usage in every instance of service for each month or fraction thereof shall be as follows:

# MONTHLY SERVICE AVAILABILITY CHARGE

#### MONTHLY VOLUME CHARGE

|            | Net          |                                      | Rate Per 1       | 00 Gallons            |
|------------|--------------|--------------------------------------|------------------|-----------------------|
| Meter Size | Meter Charge | Usage Blocks                         | Standard*        | Seasonal*             |
| 5/8"       | \$ 9.51      | First 748,000                        | \$ 0.1004        | \$ 0.1079             |
| 3/4"       | 12.37        | Over 748,000                         | \$ 0.1026        | \$ 0.1089             |
| 1"         | 16.11        |                                      |                  |                       |
| 1-1/2"     | 25.61        |                                      |                  |                       |
| 2"         | 37.45        |                                      |                  |                       |
| 3"         | 99.61        | * The Volume Charge "S               | Seasonal" Rate F | Per 100 Gallons shall |
| 4"         | 148.06       | be applied to all billings beginning | ng on or about M | ay 1 and ending after |
| 6"         | 282.44       | five complete billing months on      | or about Septem  | ber 30 of each year.  |
| 8"         | 425.73       | At all other times the Volume        | e Charge "Stand  | dard" Rate Per 100    |
| 10"        | 583.77       | Gallons shall be utilized.           | -                |                       |
| 12"        | 720.27       |                                      |                  |                       |

# Water Supply Fee (Effective for Consumption on or about January 1, 2015)

The Water Supply Fee assessed on all potable water service for water usage in every instance of service for each month or fraction thereof shall be as follows:

|             |                              | Fee to be<br>Assessed |
|-------------|------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Rate Class  | <u>Usage Blocks, Gallons</u> | (per 100 gallons)     |
| Residential | First 5,985                  | \$0.1285              |
|             | Next 6,732                   | 0.1858                |
|             | Next 4,488                   | 0.2622                |
|             | Over 17,205                  | 0.4589                |
|             |                              |                       |
| General     | Base*                        | \$0.1976              |
|             | >100-125% of Base            | 0.1976                |
|             | >125-175% of Base            | 0.1976                |
|             | >175% of Base                | 0.1976                |
|             |                              |                       |
| Wholesale   | Base*                        | \$0.1976              |
|             | >100-125% of Base            | 0.1976                |
|             | >125-175% of Base            | 0.1976                |
|             | >175% of Base                | 0.1976                |
|             |                              |                       |
| Irrigation  | 0 Gallons                    | \$0.0000              |
|             | Next 6,732                   | 0.1976                |
|             | Next 10,473                  | 0.2622                |
|             | Over 17,205                  | 0.4976                |

<sup>\*</sup> The Base Use is defined as 100% of the Annual Average Consumption.

# Residential Sewer Service (Effective for Consumption on or about January 1, 2015)

Sewer service charges for all metered residential connections are computed on the basis of average water usage for 90 days during three consecutive billing periods beginning after November 15 and ending on or about March 15 of each year and are billed according to the rate schedules below.

#### INSIDE CITY LIMITS ("ICL")

#### OUTSIDE CITY LIMITS ("OCL")

| Monthly Se     | rvice Ava  | ila | bility Ch | arge (in | cludes |
|----------------|------------|-----|-----------|----------|--------|
| first 1,496    | gallons)   | -   | \$12.69.  | Over     | 1,496  |
| gallons, \$0.3 | 3365 per 1 | 00  | gallons.  |          |        |

Customers who do not have a record of winter water usage or an interim average will be billed an Unaveraged or Unmetered Residential Charge of \$35.35 per month.

# Monthly Service Availability Charge (includes first 1,496 gallons) - \$15.25. Over 1,496

gallons, \$0.4038 per 100 gallons.

Customers who do not have a record of winter water usage or an interim average will be billed an Unaveraged or Unmetered Residential Charge of \$42.43 per month.

# General Class Sewer Service (Effective for Consumption on or about January 1, 2015)

# INSIDE CITY LIMITS ("ICL")

# OUTSIDE CITY LIMITS ("OCL")

Monthly Service Availability Charge (includes first 1,496 gallons) - \$12.69. Over 1,496 gallons, \$0.3365 per 100 gallons.

Monthly Service Availability Charge (includes first 1,496 gallons) - \$15.25. Over 1,496 gallons, \$0.4038 per 100 gallons.

# Wholesale Sewer Service (Effective for Consumption on or about January 1, 2015)

# INSIDE CITY LIMITS ("ICL")

# OUTSIDE CITY LIMITS ("OCL")

Wholesale: \$0.6032 Monthly Volume Charge per 100 gallons of contributed wastewater. (\$2.28 per 100 cubic feet)

Wholesale: \$149.02 Monthly Service Availability Charge plus \$0.3641 Monthly Volume Charge per 100 gallons of contributed wastewater. (\$2.72 per 100 cubic feet)

#### WATER SERVICE INTERCONNECT RATE (EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2006)

On November 17, 2005, the City Council approved the establishment of a Water Service Interconnect Rate. Water purveyors and entities outside the System have and are anticipated to continue to request connections to the System to receive potable water services on a short-term, unscheduled basis. Through these connections, these purveyors then resell the water provided by the System to their customers.

In order to ensure equitable recovery of costs and mitigate usage of these interconnections on more than a short-term basis, a Water Service Interconnect Rate was established. The rate is structured to provide short-term temporary water service while encouraging long-term water service agreements. In addition, the rate ensures that water purveyors utilizing potable water through the interconnection with the System do not profit when reselling this water to their own customers. Water purveyors who connect to the System under the Water Service Interconnect Rate shall pay for all services related to connecting to the infrastructure of the System to include applicable capital and operating costs.

Under the Water Service Interconnect Rate, water purveyors are charged all of the following:

- 1. The highest bill calculated based on metered usage using the System's or the water purveyors current residential rate schedules;
- 2. The System's meter fee for standby service;
- 3. Additional standby charges of 10 times the meter fee for each month of usage, if usage occurs two consecutive months or more than three months during a calendar year; and
- 4. Time and material charges incurred to service the interconnect infrastructure.

# **IMPACT FEES (EFFECTIVE JUNE 9, 2014)**

On June 9, 2014, the City Council approved amendments to the System's Impact Fees Land Use Assumption Plan ("LUAP") and Impact Fees Capital Improvements Plan ("CIP") based on projections for the 10-year period of 2014-2023. Using these amended plans, at the same time the City Council approved amendments to the water supply, water flow, water system development, wastewater collection and wastewater treatment impact fees for all areas served by the System. Chapter 395, as amended, of the Texas Local Government Code ("Chapter 395") requires that the LUAP and CIP must be updated at least every five (5) years. The previous impact fees for water delivery, water supply and wastewater were approved by the City Council in 2011.

Chapter 395 requires that impact fees be calculated for an equivalent dwelling unit ("EDU") based upon a LUAP that projects new demand for a period not to exceed 10 years and CIP costs associated with providing service to that new demand. The amended LUAP for 2014-2023 projects 93,817 new water EDUs and 95,589 new wastewater EDUs. The pro-rata cost of existing and future capital improvements projects to serve the 2014-2023 growth is estimated to be \$731.2 million as set forth in the amended CIP.

Based on the 10-year LUAP and CIP numbers above, the maximum impact fees were calculated for each major category of fees; i.e. water supply, water flow, water system development, wastewater collection and wastewater treatment for each related service area and approved as follows:

# SUMMARY OF MAXIMUM IMPACT FEES (Impact Fees are shown as per EDU)

| Water Supply Impact Fee | \$<br>1,590 |
|-------------------------|-------------|
| Water Delivery          |             |
| Flow                    | \$<br>1,182 |
| System Development      |             |
| High Elevation          | \$<br>619   |
| Middle Elevation        | \$<br>799   |
| Low Elevation           | \$<br>883   |
| Wastewater              |             |
| Treatment               |             |
| Medio Creek             | \$<br>1,429 |
| Dos Rios/Leon Creek     | \$<br>786   |
| Collection              |             |
| Medio Creek             | \$<br>838   |
| Upper Medina            | \$<br>1,565 |
| Lower Medina            | \$<br>475   |
| Upper Collection        | \$<br>2,520 |
| Middle Collection       | \$<br>1,469 |
| Lower Collection        | \$<br>719   |

#### EDWARDS AQUIFER AUTHORITY PERMIT FEE

Ordinance No. 87042 provides for the establishment and assessment of a pass-through charge of the Edwards Aquifer Authority Permit Fee to all System water customers. The purpose of the fee is to recover fees paid to the Edwards Aquifer Authority for permitted water rights. The annual fee takes into account any cumulative deficit or surplus in the recovery, number of Edwards Aquifer Authority water rights and projected water sales (in gallons) for the year.

|       | EAA Fee           |  |
|-------|-------------------|--|
| Year  | (per 100 gallons) |  |
| 2005  | \$0.01549         |  |
| 2006  | 0.01482           |  |
| 2007  | 0.01352           |  |
| 2008  | 0.01769           |  |
| 2009  | 0.01222           |  |
| 2010  | 0.01841           |  |
| 2011  | 0.01407           |  |
| 2012  | 0.01719           |  |
| 2012* | 0.03901           |  |
| 2013  | 0.03425           |  |
| 2014  | 0.03295           |  |
| 2015  | 0.03311           |  |

<sup>\*</sup> Increased April 1, 2012 to include a \$50/acre-foot fee to support funding for the Edwards Aquifer Authority Habitat Conservation Plan Program. (see "THE SAN ANTONIO WATER SYSTEM – Edwards Aquifer Management Plan").

#### TEXAS COMMISSION ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY (TCEQ) FEE

The Texas Commission on Environmental Quality imposes certain fees on the System, which is applied to all residential, commercial, and wholesale accounts as well as each apartment account based on the number of units. The annual fee takes into account any cumulative deficit or surplus in the recovery.

|                            | TCEQ Pass-Through Fee |                           |
|----------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|
| Service Type (Monthly Fee) | Water Connection Fee  | Wastewater Connection Fee |
| 2010                       | \$0.19                | \$0.05                    |
| 2011                       | 0.19                  | 0.05                      |
| 2012                       | 0.17                  | 0.06                      |
| 2013                       | 0.17                  | 0.05                      |
| 2014                       | 0.18                  | 0.06                      |
| 2015                       | 0.18                  | 0.06                      |

#### ENVIRONMENTAL MATTERS

The City and the System are subject to the environmental regulations of the State and the United States in the operation of the System's water, wastewater, stormwater, and chilled water systems. These regulations are subject to change, and the City and the System may be required to expend substantial funds to meet the requirements of such regulatory authorities.

#### SAFE DRINKING WATER ACT

In August 1996, amendments to the Federal Safe Drinking Water Act were signed into law. The Federal Safe Drinking Water Act requires the United States Environmental Protection Agency (the "EPA") to regulate a wide variety of contaminants that may be present in drinking water, including volatile organic chemicals ("VOCs"), other synthetic organic chemicals, inorganic chemicals, microbiological contaminants, and radionuclide contaminants. The list of contaminants to be regulated is so lengthy that the amendments require the EPA to establish a schedule for developing regulations regarding the contaminants. There are several phases in the EPA's regulatory timetables that are to be undertaken over the next few years. The initial impacts of the amendments to the System have not been significant, as the System has been able to materially comply with these regulations that have been promulgated to date. The full impact is difficult to project at this time, and would be dependent upon what maximum contaminant levels may be set for some future parameters and enhanced water treatment rules. Many of these parameters, such as waterborne pathogens, radionuclides and infection by-products contaminants, may require treatment changes that have not as yet been established by the EPA.

The System is in material compliance with several EPA drinking water rules adopted over the past decade including the Disinfectant/Disinfection Byproduct Rule, the Enhanced Surface Water Treatment Rule, the Long Term 2 Enhanced Surface Water Treatment Rule, the Stage 2 Disinfectant and Disinfection Byproduct Rule, and the Unregulated Contaminant Monitoring Rule. No increased capital expenditures have been required or are anticipated to be required. In October 2006, the EPA also finalized its Groundwater Rule, a regulation designed to identify and address systems including ground water supplies that are at a high risk of contamination with fecal coliforms. The EPA's Groundwater Rule may have an impact on the System if it is determined that any individual production well may need additional treatment. Estimated cost for compliance with the Groundwater Rule may be up to \$2.00 per gallon at any well that may be affected.

Continued changes in rules and regulations may continue to cause process modifications, which may increase the cost of the maintenance and operation of the City's drinking water treatment and distribution facilities. These modifications and upgrades may require increased capital expenditures, which may be financed by the issuance of additional revenue bonds.

#### FEDERAL AND STATE REGULATION OF THE WASTEWATER FACILITIES

The Federal Clean Water Act and the Texas Water Code regulate the Wastewater System's operations, including the collection system and the wastewater treatment plants. All discharges of pollutants into the nation's navigable waters must comply with the Clean Water Act. The Clean Water Act allows municipal wastewater treatment plants to discharge treated effluent to the extent allowed in permits issued by the EPA pursuant to the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (the "NPDES") program, a national program established by the Clean Water Act for issuing, revoking, monitoring, and enforcing wastewater discharge permits. The Clean Water Act authorized the EPA to delegate the EPA's NPDES permit responsibility to State or interstate agencies after certain prerequisites have been met by the relevant agencies. The EPA has delegated NPDES permit authority to the TCEQ, which means that the TCEQ is the lead agency for issuing Clean Water Act permits to the System. The System has current TPDES permits for its facilities, issued by the TCEQ, which are also issued under authority granted to the TCEQ by the Texas Water Code. Both EPA and TCEQ have authority to enforce the Texas Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (the "TPDES") permits.

TPDES permits set limits on the type and quantity of wastewater discharge, in accordance with State and Federal laws and regulations. The Clean Water Act requires municipal wastewater treatment plants to meet secondary treatment effluent limitations (as defined in EPA regulations). The Clean Water Act also requires that municipal plants meet any effluent limitations established by State or federal laws or regulations, which are more stringent than secondary treatment.

On June 1, 2010, the EPA published a notice in the Federal Register seeking stakeholder input to help the EPA determine whether to modify the NPDES regulations as they apply to municipal sanitary sewer collection systems and sanitary sewer overflows. Four public listening sessions were conducted in June and July 2010 in which stakeholder and public comment was received by the EPA. The EPA represented that it has not yet determined whether new rules or policies will be proposed. Should the EPA propose new requirements in NPDES permits, SAWS may incur additional costs associated with the operation and maintenance of the sanitary sewer system. On October 27, 2011, the Office of Water and the Office of Enforcement and Compliance Assurance issued a Memorandum on Achieving Water Quality Through Integrated Municipal Stormwater and Wastewater Plans. The memorandum outlines the development of an integrated planning approach framework to help EPA work with local governments towards cost-effective decisions and solutions regarding the implementation of NPDES related obligations. The framework will identify: (1) the essential components of an integrated plan; (2) steps for identifying municipalities that might make the best use of such an approach; and (3) how best to implement the plans with state partners under the Clean Water Act permit and enforcement programs. On June 5, 2012, the EPA issued its Integrated Municipal Stormwater and Wastewater Planning Approach document. This document encourages the EPA Regions to work with the states in their regions to implement integrated planning that will assist municipalities on their critical paths to achieving health and water quality objectives of the Clean Water Act by identifying efficiencies in implementing requirements that arise from distinct wastewater and stormwater programs.

#### STATUS OF DISCHARGE PERMITS FOR CITY'S WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANTS

All of the System's wastewater treatment plants have been issued TPDES discharge permits by the TCEQ. An occasional upset may cause permit violations, but generally all of these plants are in compliance with their respective discharge limitations. The EPA notified the System

during 2007 of concerns regarding reported sewer overflows under the TPDES permits. The EPA's concerns and the System's response are discussed under "THE SAN ANTONIO WATER SYSTEM - Sewer Management Program" herein.

#### POTENTIAL PENALTIES FOR THE CITY'S WASTEWATER SYSTEM'S VIOLATIONS

The failure by the System to achieve compliance with the Clean Water Act could result in either a private plaintiff or the EPA instituting a civil action for injunctive relief and civil penalties of up to \$37,500 per day per violation. In addition, the EPA has the power to issue administrative orders compelling compliance with its regulations and the applicable permits. The EPA can also bring criminal actions for recovery of penalties of up to \$50,000 per day for willful or negligent violations of permit conditions or discharge without a permit. Violations of permits or administrative orders may result in the disqualification of a municipality from eligibility for federal assistance to finance capital improvements pursuant to the Clean Water Act. Even though the System will be operating under TPDES permits, it still may be liable for penalties from the EPA under the Clean Water Act.

Under State law, civil penalties for violation of State wastewater discharge permits or orders of the TCEQ can be a maximum of \$25,000 per day per violation. The Executive Director of the TCEQ also has authority to levy administrative penalties of up to \$25,000 per day effective September 1, 2011 for violations of rules, orders or permits. Orders resulting from a civil action could require the imposition of additional user or service charges or the issuance of additional bonds to finance the improvements required to ameliorate a condition that may have caused the violation of a TCEQ permit.

#### AIR PERMITS

The System has a TCEQ air permit for the Central Heating and Cooling plant, and the System is in material compliance with that permit. The System has terminated the operations at the Central Heating & Cooling plant that required the air permit. On July 7, 2014 the System requested that the TCEQ terminate the air permit. The TCEQ has not yet responded to that request.

#### GROUND-LEVEL OZONE

On March 12, 2008, the EPA revised national ambient air quality standards ("NAAQS") for ground-level ozone (the primary component for smog). This revision was part of a required review process mandated by the Clean Air Act, as amended in 1990. Prior to the revision, an area met the ground-level ozone standards if the three-year average of the annual fourth highest daily maximum eight-hour average at every ozone monitor (the "eight-hour ozone standard") was less than or equal to 0.08 parts per million (ppm). Because ozone is measured out to three decimal places, the standard effectively became 0.084 as a result of rounding. For years 2005 – 2007, during which the old standard applied, the City maintained average ozone readings of 0.082 ppm and therefore, has been compliant with historic EPA ground-level ozone standards. The EPA's March 2008 revision changed the NAAQS such that an area's eight-hour ozone standard must not exceed 0.075 ppm rather than the previous 0.084

The Clean Air Act requires the EPA to designate areas as "attainment" (meeting the standards), "nonattainment" (not meeting the standards), or "unclassifiable" (insufficient data to classify). As a result of the revisions to the NAAQS, states were required to make recommendations to the EPA no later than March 12, 2009 for areas to be classified attainment, nonattainment, or unclassifiable. On March 10, 2009, Texas Governor Rick Perry submitted a list of 27 counties in the State, including Bexar County, that should be designated as nonattainment. The final designations were put on hold while the EPA worked on revising the standard even further downward.

On January 6, 2010, the EPA formally proposed a regulation that would lower the primary NAAQS for ozone to a level within a range of 0.060 ppm and 0.070 ppm. The EPA postponed issuing a final rule revising the ozone NAAQS standards from August 31, 2010 to December 31, 2010. At the end of 2010, the EPA postponed the final rule until July 2011. On September 2, 2011, President Obama requested that the EPA withdraw the draft of the NAAOS revision pending a comprehensive review, and the EPA did withdraw the proposed regulations.

On November 25, 2014 the EPA proposed to update the air quality health standards for ground level ozone. The EPA proposes to revise the ozone standard from 0.075 ppm to a level within a range from 0.065 to 0.070 ppm. The EPA proposes to take public comment on its proposal for 90 days after it is published in the Federal Register and to issue a final rule by October 1, 2015.

If a final rule is published on October 1, 2015, by October 1, 2016 each state must recommend a designation for all areas in that state. The EPA will issue final designations by October 1, 2017. By 2021 states will have to complete development of implementation plans outlining how pollution will be reduced to meet the new standard. Depending upon the severity of an area's ozone violation, states will be required to meet the new health standard between 2020 and 2037.

Designations will be based upon the three year average of reported ozone concentrations for the years 2014, 2015 and 2016. Subject to verification by TCEQ, the San Antonio-New Braunfels Metropolitan Statistical Area reported a 2014 eight hour average ozone concentration of 0.072 ppm. Should similar concentrations be reported for 2015 and 2016, Bexar County would be designated non-attainment under the proposed regulations.

Any State plan formulated to reduce ground-level ozone resulting from rule adoptions similar to EPA's 2010 rule proposal may curtail new industrial, commercial and residential development in San Antonio and adjacent areas (the "San Antonio Area"). Examples of past efforts by the EPA and the TCEQ to provide for annual reductions in ozone concentrations in areas of nonattainment under the former NAAQS include imposition of stringent limitations on emissions of VOCs and nitrogen oxides ("NOx") from existing stationary sources of air emissions, as well as specifying that any new source of significant air emissions, such as a new industrial plant, must provide for a net reduction of air emissions by arranging for other industries to reduce their emissions by 1.3 times the amount of pollutants proposed to be emitted by the new source. Studies have shown that standards significantly more stringent than those currently in place in the San Antonio Area and across the State would be required to meaningfully impact an area's ground-level ozone reading. Due to the magnitude of air emissions reductions required as well as the

limited availability of economically reasonable control options, the development of a successful air quality compliance plan for areas of nonattainment within the State has proven to be extremely challenging and will inevitably impact a wide cross-section of the business and residential community.

Failure by an area to comply with the eight-hour ozone standards by the requisite time could result in the EPA's imposing a moratorium on the awarding of federal highway construction grants and other federal grants for certain public works construction projects, as well as severe emissions offset requirements on new major sources of emissions for which construction has not already commenced. Other constraints on economic growth and development include lawsuits filed under the Clean Air Act by plaintiffs seeking to require emission reduction measures that are even more stringent than those approved by the EPA. From time to time, various plaintiff environmental organizations have filed lawsuits against TCEQ and EPA seeking to compel the early adoption of additional emission reduction measures, many of which could make it more difficult for businesses to construct or expand industrial facilities or which could result in travel restrictions or other limitations on the actions of businesses, governmental entities and private citizens. Any successful court challenge to the currently effective air emissions control plan could result in the imposition of even more stringent air emission controls that could threaten continued growth and development in the San Antonio Area. It remains to be seen exactly what steps will ultimately be required to meet federal air quality standards, how the EPA may respond to developments as they occur, and what impact such steps and any EPA action have upon the economy and the business and residential communities in the San Antonio Area.

#### LITIGATION AND REGULATORY MATTERS

#### CITY OF SAN ANTONIO GENERAL LITIGATION AND CLAIMS

This section describes the litigation involving the City that does not directly involve SAWS or claims payable out of System revenues. Please see "LITIGATION AND REGULATORY MATTERS – San Antonio Water System Litigation and Claims" herein for a description of litigation involving SAWS.

The City is a defendant in various lawsuits and is aware of pending claims arising in the ordinary course of its municipal and enterprise activities, certain of which seek substantial damages. That litigation includes lawsuits claiming damages that allege that the City caused personal injuries and wrongful deaths; class actions and promotional practices; various claims from contractors for additional amounts under construction contracts; and property tax assessments and various other liability claims. The amount of damages in most of the pending lawsuits is capped under the Texas Tort Claims Act. Therefore, as of the City's fiscal year ended September 30, 2013, the amount of \$23,710,571 is included as a component of the reserve for claims liability. The estimated liability, including an estimate of incurred but not reported claims, is recorded in the Insurance Reserve Fund of the City. The status of such litigation ranges from early discovery stage to various levels of appeal of judgments both for and against the City. The City intends to defend vigorously against the lawsuits, including the pursuit of all appeals; however, no prediction can be made, as of the date hereof, with respect to the liability of the City for such claims or the outcome of such lawsuits.

In the opinion of the City Attorney, it is improbable that the lawsuits now outstanding against the City could become final in a timely manner so as to have a material adverse financial impact upon the City.

The City provides the following updated information related to the lawsuits:

Kopplow Development, Inc. v. City of San Antonio. Plaintiff contends that the construction of a regional stormwater detention facility was an inverse condemnation of its property by increasing the flood plain elevation on its property. The City also filed a statutory condemnation to acquire an easement involving Plaintiff's property to construct and maintain part of the facility. This matter was tried in July 2008 with a favorable ruling to Plaintiff; but the City's motion for new trial was granted. After a retrial, the jury awarded approximately \$600,000 to Plaintiff for the inverse condemnation and statutory condemnation. The City and Plaintiff have appealed. The Fourth Court of Appeals issued its opinion affirming the trial court's ruling awarding Plaintiff \$4,600 as compensation for the land taken, but reversed the other portion of the judgment for the remainder of the damages. Plaintiff's motion for rehearing was denied on December 29, 2010. Plaintiff filed its brief on the merits in October 2011 and the City filed its reply in December of 2011. On March 8, 2012, the Texas Supreme Court issued their opinion, reversing the Fourth Court's opinion and remanding the matter back to State district court for further proceedings consistent with their opinion. The City's Motion for Rehearing was denied in June 2013. On February 5, 2014, the Fourth Court of Appeals issued an opinion finding that the trial court erred in excluding evidence of Kopplow's vested rights status and remanded the case to the trial court for a new trial on the issue of damages.

**Barbara Webb, et. al. v. City of San Antonio.** Plaintiffs sued under the Texas Tort Claims Act for injuries sustained in a motor vehicle accident. A San Antonio police officer was en route to an emergency call when a vehicle turned into the street in front of her. The officer swerved to avoid that vehicle and lost control of her car, moving into the oncoming traffic striking Plaintiff's vehicle. Plaintiff seeks damages of \$250,000.

*Valemas v. City of San Antonio (Valemas I).* In 2005, Plaintiff entered into a construction contract with the City for work at the City's Brackenridge Park. Plaintiff alleges that it experienced delays in the work due to actions of the City, resulting in damages to Plaintiff. Plaintiff filed suit alleging breach of contract. The City sought to have some of the claims dismissed for want of jurisdiction which was denied. The City appealed to the Fourth Court of Appeals, which upheld the denial. The City filed a petition for review with the Texas Supreme Court, which was denied. The case has been returned to the trial court, but no trial date has been set. Damages could exceed \$250,000.

Valemas, et. al v. City of San Antonio (Valemas II). Valemas and subcontractor L. Payne performed construction work for the City on W.W. White Road, but there have been issues with subsidence. The City withheld payment of the final invoice and retainage payments, totaling approximately \$400,000. Plaintiffs also allege delay damages. The City accepted the completed project but requires proof of payment to all subcontractors and vendors prior to releasing final payment. The City denies delay damages are owing. This case is not currently set for trial.

Shavonda Bailey, et. al. v. City of San Antonio, et. al. Plaintiffs allege that San Antonio police officers used excessive force when they arrested Pierre Abernathy after a low speed vehicle pursuit. Plaintiffs, the survivors of Mr. Abernathy, allege that he was subjected to excessive force

during the arrest including the uses of tasers. Mr. Abernathy died at the scene after allegedly suffering an episode of "excited delirium". Plaintiffs' sued the City, and seven police officers under 42 U.S.C. §1983 alleging excessive use of force. They seek damages for Mr. Abernathy's pain and suffering as well as damages for his death. Plaintiffs seek damages of at least \$1,000,000.

Anthony Ortega, et. al. v. City of San Antonio, et. al. A San Antonio police officer was involved in a motor vehicle accident while allegedly in pursuit of a stolen vehicle. Plaintiffs' decedent, Laura Zepeda, was killed as a result of the incident. This lawsuit was recently filed and served on the City. This case is not yet set for trial.

Cheryl Clancey v. D&R Towing, et. al. Plaintiff, in a wheelchair, was attempting to cross the street at Presa and Commerce Street when she was struck by a tow truck. Plaintiff sued the towing company and the driver. She also filed suit against the City, alleging that the crosswalk and ramps were not in conformity with State law accessibility requirements. Plaintiff suffered significant physical injuries including amputation of a portion of her left leg. The City filed a Plea to the Jurisdiction and the Court held that the City had governmental immunity and the case was dismissed. The case against the other Defendants is still pending. Plaintiff may file an appeal within 30 days of a final judgment as to the remaining parties. Plaintiff sought damages of \$250,000.

Rogers Shavano Ranch, Ltd., et. al. v. City of San Antonio. Plaintiffs are developers of property known as Rogers Shavano Ranch. They claim this property has been under development since 1993. They claim that the City has violated their vested right to develop this property pursuant to ordinances and regulations existing in 1993. The parties have filed cross motions for summary judgment, which have been continued until further depositions are completed. Plaintiffs have not made a demand for monetary damages except for recovery of attorneys' fees. If successful, Plaintiffs could recoup attorneys' fees in excess of \$250,000. The City filed a Plea to the Jurisdiction, contesting the Court's jurisdiction to assess attorneys' fees in this case. That plea was granted by the Fourth Court of Appeals, but this issue is currently pending review by the Texas Supreme Court, which has requested briefing on the merits.

Northern Hills Management Corp. v. City of San Antonio. Plaintiff purchased property that had been previously used as a golf course, but which was zoned MF-33, multi-family residential. After their purchase of the property, it was rezoned G-AHOD, limiting its use to golf or recreational related purposes. Plaintiff claims the rezoning of the property was an inverse condemnation or taking of the property without compensation. They allege that the loss in property value is approximately \$7.9 million. This case is currently set for trial on March 2, 2015.

Jane Doe v. City of San Antonio, et. al. Plaintiff asserts claims against Defendants for violation of her Fourth Amendment rights of the United States Constitution and for failure to comply with the Civil Rights Act, 42 U.S.C. §1983. Plaintiff alleges that while she was in her automobile in route to a friend's house, a San Antonio police officer, Jack Neal, in uniform, stopped her vehicle and then sexually assaulted her. Plaintiff alleges in her complaint that the Defendant Neal, has been criminally charged with sexual assault, civil rights violations, and official oppression. Plaintiff also seeks damages against the City and Chief McManus for alleged failure to train its officers and for retaining in its employment an individual not suitable to be a police officer. Plaintiff seeks to recover damages against the Defendants in the amount of \$10,000,000.00 for violation of her Fourth Amendment rights and to recover attorney fees and costs of court. This case is set for trial on May 4, 2015.

Jones, Cheryl, et al. v. City of San Antonio et al. On February 28, 2014 Marquise Jones was shot by a San Antonio police officer at Chacho's Restaurant. Plaintiffs' are asserting claims under 42 USC §1983 against the City and Encina for excessive force, racial profiling, and failure to train and under the Texas Survivor Statute and Texas Wrongful Death Statute for assault and battery, intentional infliction of emotional distress, and gross negligence. Plaintiffs seek damages of at least \$5,000,000 for loss of affection, consortium, financial assistance, pain and suffering of decedent prior to death, mental anguish, emotional distress, quality of life, exemplary and punitive damages, attorney fees, and costs of court.

Maspero, Jimmy and Regina Maspero, et al. v City of San Antonio et al. Plaintiffs allege that on September 19, 2012 Plaintiffs' vehicle was involved in a collision with a vehicle being pursued by an San Antonio Police Department patrol car causing the death of two of Plaintiffs' children and severe permanent injuries to the remaining Plaintiffs (two children, two adults). The Plaintiffs have asserted a "state-created danger" theory under 42 USC §1983 alleging a violation of Plaintiff's 14th Amendment substantive due process. Plaintiffs are also asserting State law theories of negligence. Plaintiffs seek to recover damages for mental anguish, physical pain, impairment, medical expenses, and the wrongful death of two of their children. Plaintiffs are seeking monetary damages of at least \$3,000,000.00.

Mathews, Scott v. City of San Antonio et al. Plaintiff, claims that on April 14, 2013 San Antonio police officers were called to his house as a result of a domestic dispute between he and his wife. He alleges that San Antonio police officers repeatedly hit him while he was on the ground in handcuffs, and he alleges that, as a result, he suffered sub-dural hemorrhage, torn bridging vein, partial paralysis, trauma to his back, legs, chest and abdomen, and lacerations to his extremities. Plaintiff filed suit under 42 USC § 1983 for violation of his civil rights and excessive force and also alleges assault and battery pursuant to Texas state law. Plaintiff seeks damages for his medical expenses, disability as well as for pain and suffering, emotional and mental distress, and loss of wage earning capacity. Plaintiffs are seeking damages in an amount of at least \$1,000,000.

Rios, Destiny AnnMarie v. City of San Antonio et al. Plaintiff claims that on July 4, 2012 she was arrested for an outstanding warrant for prostitution. She claims San Antonio police officers violently threw her to the ground and "brutally and savagely beat her while she lay there helplessly in handcuffs". She alleges numerous severe and painful bodily injuries as a result of the alleged excessive use of force, including an alleged miscarriage of her pregnancy. Plaintiff field suit under 42 USC §1983 for excessive force and under Texas law for assault and battery and Intentional Infliction of Emotional Distress. Her alleged damages include physical and emotional personal injury, pain and suffering, and emotional and mental distress associated with the loss of her unborn child. She is seeking at least \$1,000,000.

Tenorio, Roxana, Individually and on behalf of Pedro Tenorio, Deceased v. Benito Garza and City of San Antonio. Plaintiff claims that an San Antonio Police Department high speed pursuit of Defendant Benito Garza was the cause of a vehicle accident on September 21, 2012 in which Pedro Tenorio was killed. The accident occurred in the 9400 block of SW Loop 410. Plaintiff sued Benito Garza and the City of San Antonio under the Texas Tort Claims Act (TTCA) for Negligence. Plaintiff is seeking monetary relief in excess of \$1,000,000.00 for past and

future mental anguish, loss of consortium, loss of inheritance, loss of companionship and pecuniary damages under the Texas Wrongful Death Act and Texas Survival Act.

#### SAWS LITIGATION AND POTENTIAL LITIGATION

SAWS is a defendant in various lawsuits and is aware of pending claims arising in the ordinary course of its municipal and enterprise activities, certain of which seek substantial damages. That litigation includes lawsuits claiming damages that allege that SAWS caused personal injuries; claims from contractors for additional amounts under construction contracts; employment discrimination claims, and various other liability claims. The amount of damages in some of the pending lawsuits is capped under the Texas Tort Claims Act. The status of such litigation ranges from early discovery stage to various levels of appeal of judgments both for and against SAWS. SAWS intends to defend vigorously against the lawsuits; including the pursuit of all appeals; however, no prediction can be made, as of the date hereof, with respect to the liability of SAWS for such claims or the outcome of such lawsuits.

Cause No. SA-11-CA-1007-JRN; Hanford Southport, LLC v. City of San Antonio, Patrick O'Connor, in his Official Capacity and in his Individual Capacity, The San Antonio Water Service, Brice Moczygemba, P.E., Pape Dawson Engineers, Inc. and Pipelayers, Inc.

This suit sought to enjoin SAWS and its contractor from removal of trees and woodlands in connection with SAWS Southwest Bexar Sewer Pipeline Project (f/k/a Medina River Sewer Outfall Project) and asserts claims for damages. The Plaintiff alleges that the permit issued for the sewer line project was issued based on fraudulent representations of SAWS' consultants and employees and that the landowner was denied due process in issuance of the permit to allow the trees to be removed. Plaintiff seeks actual damages of \$3,545,000 for unnecessary destruction of woodlands; punitive damages; and interest, attorney fees and court costs. The case was originally filed in the 150th District Court of Bexar County, Texas but was removed to Federal Court. The originally sought injunction was not granted and the trees have since been cleared. On March 27, 2013, the Court granted the Plaintiff's Amended Motion for Leave to file the Third Amended Original Complaint and signed an Order denying all other pending motions and ordered mediation. The parties could not agree to resolve the dispute in mediation. On February 11, 2014, the Judge granted all of the Defendants' motions for summary judgment and motions to dismiss. On March 4, 2014, the Plaintiff filed a Notice of Appeals to the United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit. The United States Court of Appeals for the 5<sup>th</sup> Circuit affirmed the District Court decision to dismiss the case. On October 30, 2014, the Plaintiff filed a Petition for Writ of Certiorari in the Supreme Court of the United States, which was denied on January 14, 2015.

Cause No. 2012-ED-0013; City of San Antonio, acting by and through the San Antonio Water System vs. Mary Jo Hauser, Trustee for the John James Survey 73 Cemetery Association, In the Probate Court No. 1 of Bexar County, Texas.

This is a condemnation case involving a 1.583 acre permanent easement and .896 of an acre temporary construction easement in connection with the SAWS Regional Carrizo Project: Water Delivery Pipeline. SAWS' appraised value of the property is \$215,000.00. The landowner's assessment of value prior to the hearing was \$5.2 million. The Special Commissioners hearing occurred on June 18, 2012. The landowner proffered an opinion of value of \$21 million. The Special Commissioners rejected the landowner's valuation, and awarded a value of \$225,000. SAWS has deposited the award into the registry of the court. The landowner has objected to the award, so the case will proceed to trial in Probate Court No. 1.

Cause No. 2013-ED-0020, City of San Antonio acting by and through the San Antonio Water System vs. Applewhite 1604 Partners, LP, et. al, in the Probate Court No. 2 of Bexar County, Texas.

This is a condemnation case in connection with SAWS' Water Resources Integration Project Pipeline, an approximately 45-mile pipeline project in western Bexar County. SAWS is seeking to acquire a 13.214 acre permanent water line easement. SAWS' current appraised value of the easement is \$219,700. The landowner has not yet obtained an appraisal. This suit was filed on September 16, 2013. The Special Commissioners hearing occurred on September 16, 2014. The landowner did not contest the hearing and the Special Commissioners awarded the SAWS' appraised value of \$219,700. SAWS has deposited the award into the registry of the court. The landowner has objected to the award, so the case will proceed to trial in Probate Court No. 2.

Cause No. 2014-ED-0011; City of San Antonio, Texas, acting by and through the San Antonio Water System vs. Lin Indrio, et. al.; In the Probate Court No. 1 of Bexar County, Texas.

This is a condemnation case in connection with SAWS' Water Resources Integration Project Pipeline. SAWS is seeking to acquire two permanent water line easements totaling approximately 2.874 acres. SAWS' current appraised value of the easements is \$93,532. The landowners have requested compensation in the amount of \$1,604,000. This suit was filed on August 13, 2014. SAWS will move to have Special Commissioners appointed and a date set for a Special Commissioners hearing.

Cause No. 2014-ED-0015; City of San Antonio, Texas, acting by and through the San Antonio Water System vs. San Antonio Land Fund I, et. al.; In the Probate Court No. 1 of Bexar County, Texas.

This is a condemnation case in connection with SAWS' Water Resources Integration Project Pipeline. SAWS is seeking to acquire two permanent water line easements totaling approximately 5.822 acres. SAWS' current appraised value of the easements is \$881,669. The landowners have not obtained an appraisal or made a compensation demand. This suit was filed on September 11, 2014. SAWS will move to have Special Commissioners appointed and a date set for a Special Commissioners hearing.

Cause No. 2014-ED-0016; City of San Antonio, Texas, acting by and through the San Antonio Water System vs. San Antonio Land Fund I, et. al.; In the Probate Court No. 1 of Bexar County, Texas.

This is a condemnation case in connection with SAWS' Water Resources Integration Project Pipeline. SAWS is seeking to acquire one permanent water line easement of approximately 2.159 acres. SAWS' current appraised value of the easement is \$275,052. The landowners

have not obtained an appraisal or made a counteroffer. This suit was filed on September 11, 2014. SAWS will move to have Special Commissioners appointed and a date set for a Special Commissioners hearing.

Cause No. 13-0966, San Antonio Water System v. Debra Nicholas, in the Supreme Court of Texas, on Petition for Review from the Fourth Court of Appeals at San Antonio, Texas, Cause No. 04-12-00442-CV.

The lawsuit arose after the elimination of Plaintiff's position as an Assistant Vice President (AVP) during a 2009 reorganization of the San Antonio Water System. The suit alleged two causes of action: (1) retaliation, predicated on Plaintiff's claim that she had in 2006 counseled the Vice President for whom she later worked, related to comments from two non-subordinate female employees; and (2) failure to hire Plaintiff for several positions within SAWS following the elimination of her AVP position. Prior to trial, Plaintiff had previously declined to mediate the case when it was filed at EEOC. Following discovery, SAWS filed a motion for summary judgment on all of the allegations, and partial judgment was granted in favor of SAWS regarding two (2) of the failure to hire claims. The case proceeded to trial on February 27, 2012. The testimony concluded on March 7, 2012, and the case was submitted to the jury, which returned a unanimous verdict on March 9, 2012, which found that (1) SAWS had retaliated against Plaintiff, because of her opposition to conduct that may have violated the Texas Labor Code by eliminating her position; and (2) SAWS failed to hire her as manager of external relations. Plaintiff elected to recover under the first jury finding. On May 3, 2012, the trial court entered final judgment for \$1,265,125, consisting of \$958,943 in damages and \$306,182 in attorney's fees, interest and court costs. Motion for New Trial and Motion for Judgment Notwithstanding the Verdict were filed on May 29, 2012, and both motions were overruled. SAWS filed an appeal in the Texas Fourth Court of Appeals on December 10, 2012. Oral argument occurred on May 15, 2013. On July 18, 2013, the Texas Fourth Court of Appeals ordered the parties to mediation, which occurred on September 25, 2013. The parties were unable to resolve the dispute in mediation and the Fourth Court of Appeals issued an opinion on October 23, 2013, affirming the trial court's judgment. On February 7, 2014, SAWS filed a Petition for Review with the Supreme Court of Texas. On November 21, 2014, the Texas Supreme Court granted SAWS' Petition for Review. Oral argument occurred January 13, 2015, and the parties are now awaiting a ruling from the court. Since the date of the final judgment and through December 2014, approximately \$200,000 in attorney's fees and interest have accrued.

League of United Latin American Citizens (LULAC), et al vs Edwards Aquifer Authority (EAA), et al; Civil Action No. 5:12-CV-620 in the United States District Court for the Western District of Texas, San Antonio Division

This case was filed by LULAC in June 2012 alleging that the current method of electing the Board of Directors of the EAA violates the federal Voting Rights Act and the one person/one vote requirement of the United States Constitution. Electoral districts for EAA Directors were established by the Texas Legislature in the EAA's enabling act. A subsequent amendment to the EAA Act authorized the EAA to redistrict and directed that any such redistricting had to comply with the Voting Rights Act, while also providing that the number of electoral districts in any county within the EAA's jurisdiction cannot be increased or decreased. As a result of dramatic population growth in Bexar County since adoption of the EAA Act, EAA directors from Bexar County now each represent an average in excess of 250,000 voters, while EAA directors from other counties represent as few as 11,000 voters. Plaintiffs contend that this disparity has greatly increased dilution of the voting strength of Bexar County voters, and heightened underrepresentation of Bexar County voters and minorities on the EAA Board. Plaintiffs contend that the disparity is expected to grow with the continued growth in Bexar County's population. The great majority of Bexar County residents are SAWS customers. SAWS, and by extension its customers, paid approximately \$24 million in pumping fees to the EAA in 2013. These fees constituted approximately 75% of the EAA's income in 2013. The EAA asserts in its pleadings that it is not subject to federal constitutional rules for equal population of election districts because it is not a governmental entity that exercises levels of control over the lives of ordinary citizens sufficient to trigger the rule. The EAA asserts that it is instead a special purpose district of a type that has been exempted from federal equal population standards by a handful of United States Supreme Court cases, and that its election scheme is rational. SAWS intervened on the side of LULAC in August 2012. The City of San Marcos, New Braunfels Utilities, GBRA, Uvalde County, the City of Uvalde, and Yancey Water Supply Corporation have intervened on the side of the EAA. The Secretary of State of the State of Texas was joined in the case as a defendant by LULAC and SAWS in March 2013, primarily because the EAA disclaimed authority to fix the election district disparities. All parties have designated expert witnesses. On March 31, 2014, the United States District Judge issued an Order granting the Secretary of State's motion to be dismissed from the case and denied the EAA's motion that the case should be dismissed on the basis of limitations. Substantive claims against the EAA are left to be resolved on motions for summary judgment. Oral arguments on the motions were heard on June 2, 2014. The Court has not yet issued a judgment.

Applications of the San Antonio Water System for Permits to Produce and Transport Groundwater from the Carrizo Aquifer in Gonzales County, Texas; Before the Gonzales County Underground Water Conservation District.

For a description of this matter, see "THE SAN ANTONIO WATER SYSTEM - Carrizo Aquifer Projects" herein.

#### TAX MATTERS

### TAX EXEMPTION

The delivery of the Bonds is subject to the opinion of Norton Rose Fulbright US LLP and Escamilla & Poneck, LLP, as Co-Bond Counsel ("Co-Bond Counsel"), to the effect that interest on the Bonds for federal income tax purposes (1) is excludable from the gross income, as defined in section 61 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended to the date hereof (the "Code"), of the owners thereof pursuant to section 103 of the Code and existing regulations, published rulings, and court decisions, and (2) will not be included in computing the alternative minimum taxable income of the owners thereof who are individuals or, except as hereafter described, corporations. The statute, regulations, rulings, and court decisions on which such opinions are based are subject to change. The form of the opinion of Co-Bond Counsel concerning the excludability of interest on the Bonds for federal income tax purposes is attached hereto as APPENDIX E.

Interest on all tax-exempt obligations, including the Bonds, owned by a corporation will be included in such corporation's adjusted current earnings for purposes of calculating the alternative minimum taxable income of such corporation, other than an S corporation, a qualified mutual fund, a real estate investment trust (REIT), a financial asset securitization investment trust (FASIT), or a real estate mortgage investment conduit

(REMIC). A corporation's alternative minimum taxable income is the basis on which the alternative minimum tax imposed by section 55 of the Code will be computed.

In rendering the foregoing opinion, Co-Bond Counsel will rely upon the special report of the Accountants, concerning the sufficiency of funds deposited to effectuate the defeasance of the Refunded Obligations, see "VERIFICATION OF MATHEMATICAL COMPUTATIONS" herein, and certifications of the City made in a certificate of even date with the initial delivery of the Bonds pertaining to the use, expenditure, and investment of the proceeds of the Bonds and will assume continuing compliance with the provisions of the Ordinance by the City subsequent to the issuance of the Bonds. The Ordinance contains covenants by the City with respect to, among other matters, the use of the proceeds of the Bonds and the facilities and equipment financed or refinanced therewith by persons other than state or local governmental units, the manner in which the proceeds of the Bonds are to be invested, if required, the calculation and payment to the United States Treasury of any arbitrage "profits" and the reporting of certain information to the United States Treasury. Failure to comply with any of these covenants may cause interest on the Bonds to be includable in the gross income of the owners thereof from the date of the issuance of the Bonds.

Except as described above Co-Bond Counsel will express no other opinion with respect to any other federal, state or local tax consequences under present law, or proposed legislation, resulting from the receipt or accrual of interest on, or the acquisition or disposition of, the Bonds. Co-Bond Counsel's opinion is not a guarantee of a result, but represents their legal judgment based upon their review of existing statutes, regulations, published rulings and court decisions and the representations and covenants of the City described above. No ruling has been sought from the Internal Revenue Service (the "IRS") with respect to the matters addressed in the opinion of Co-Bond Counsel, and Co-Bond Counsel's opinion is not binding on the IRS. The IRS has an ongoing program of auditing the tax-exempt status of the interest on municipal obligations. If an audit of the Bonds is commenced, under current procedures the IRS is likely to treat the City as the "taxpayer," and the owners of the Bonds would have no right to participate in the audit process. In responding to or defending an audit of the tax-exempt status of the interest on the Bonds, the City may have different or conflicting interests from the owners of the Bonds. Public awareness of any future audit of the Bonds may adversely affect the value and liquidity of the Bonds during the pendency of the audit, regardless of its ultimate outcome.

#### TAX CHANGES

Existing law may change to reduce or eliminate the benefit to bondholders of the exclusion of interest on the Bonds from gross income for federal income tax purposes. Any proposed legislation or administrative action, whether or not taken, could also affect the value and marketability of the Bonds. Prospective purchasers of the Bonds should consult with their own tax advisors with respect to any proposed or future changes in tax law.

#### ANCILLARY TAX CONSEQUENCES

Prospective purchasers of the Bonds should be aware that the ownership of tax-exempt obligations such as the Bonds may result in collateral federal tax consequences to, among others, financial institutions, property and casualty insurance companies, life insurance companies, certain foreign corporations doing business in the United States, S corporations with subchapter C earnings and profits, owners of an interest in a FASIT, individual recipients of Social Security or Railroad Retirement benefits, individuals otherwise qualifying for the earned income tax credit and taxpayers who may be deemed to have incurred or continued indebtedness to purchase or carry, or who have paid or incurred certain expenses allocable to, tax-exempt obligations. Prospective purchasers should consult their own tax advisors as to the applicability of these consequences to their particular circumstances.

# TAX ACCOUNTING TREATMENT OF DISCOUNT BONDS

The initial public offering price to be paid for certain Bonds may be less than the amount payable on such Bonds at maturity (the "Discount Bonds"). An amount equal to the difference between the initial public offering price of a Discount Bond (assuming that a substantial amount of the Discount Bonds of that maturity are sold to the public at such price) and the amount payable at maturity constitutes original issue discount to the initial purchaser of such Discount Bonds. A portion of such original issue discount, allocable to the holding period of a Discount Bond by the initial purchaser, will be treated as interest for federal income tax purposes, excludable from gross income on the same terms and conditions as those for other interest on the Bonds. Such interest is considered to be accrued actuarially in accordance with the constant interest method over the life of a Discount Bond, taking into account the semiannual compounding of accrued interest, at the yield to maturity on such Discount Bond and generally will be allocated to an initial purchaser in a different amount from the amount of the payment denominated as interest actually received by the initial purchaser during his taxable year.

However, such accrued interest may be required to be taken into account in determining the alternative minimum taxable income of a corporation, for purposes of calculating a corporation's alternative minimum tax imposed by section 55 of the Code, and the amount of the branch profits tax applicable to certain foreign corporations doing business in the United States, even though there will not be a corresponding cash payment. In addition, the accrual of such interest may result in certain other collateral federal income tax consequences to, among others, financial institutions, property and casualty insurance companies, life insurance companies, S corporations with subchapter C earnings and profits, owners of an interest in a FASIT, individual recipients of Social Security or Railroad Retirement benefits, individuals otherwise qualifying for the earned income tax credit, and taxpayers who may be deemed to have incurred or continued indebtedness to purchase or carry, or who have paid or incurred certain expenses allocable to, tax-exempt obligations.

In the event of the sale or other taxable disposition of a Discount Bond prior to maturity, the amount realized by such owner in excess of the basis of such Discount Bond in the hands of such owner (adjusted upward by the portion of the original issue discount allocable to the period for which such Discount Bond was held) is includable in gross income.

Owners of Discount Bonds should consult with their own tax advisors with respect to the determination for federal income tax purposes of accrued interest upon disposition of Discount Bonds and with respect to the state and local tax consequences of owning Discount Bonds. It is

possible that, under applicable provisions governing determination of state and local income taxes, accrued interest on the Discount Bonds may be deemed to be received in the year of accrual, even though there will not be a corresponding cash payment.

#### TAX ACCOUNTING TREATMENT OF PREMIUM BONDS

The initial public offering price to be paid for certain Bonds may be greater than the stated redemption price on such Bonds at maturity (the "Premium Bonds"). An amount equal to the difference between the initial public offering price of a Premium Bond (assuming that a substantial amount of the Premium Bonds of that maturity are sold to the public at such price) and its stated redemption price at maturity constitutes premium to the initial purchaser of such Premium Bonds. The basis for federal income tax purposes of a Premium Bond in the hands of such initial purchaser must be reduced each year by the amortizable bond premium, although no federal income tax deduction is allowed as a result of such reduction in basis for amortizable bond premium with respect to the Premium Bonds. Such reduction in basis will increase the amount of any gain (or decrease the amount of any loss) to be recognized for federal income tax purposes upon a sale or other taxable disposition of a Premium Bond. The amount of premium, which is amortizable each year by an initial purchaser, is determined by using such purchaser's yield to maturity.

Purchasers of the Premium Bonds should consult with their own tax advisors with respect to the determination of amortizable bond premium on Premium Bonds for federal income tax purposes and with respect to the state and local tax consequences of owning and disposing of Premium Bonds.

#### RATINGS

The Junior Lien Obligations (including the Bonds) are rated "AA" by Fitch, "Aa2" by Moody's, and "AA" by S&P. The ratings reflect only the respective views of such organizations and the City makes no representation as to the appropriateness of the ratings. There is no assurance that such ratings will continue for any given period of time or that they will not be revised downward or withdrawn entirely by any or all of such rating companies, if in the judgment of any or all companies, circumstances so warrant. Any such downward revision or withdrawal of such ratings, or any of them, may have an adverse effect on the market price of the Bonds. A securities rating is not a recommendation to buy, sell or hold securities and may be subject to revision or withdrawal at any time.

#### CONTINUING DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION

In the Ordinance, the City, acting by and through SAWS (who has accepted such responsibility by resolution of the Board adopted on December 2, 2014), has made the following agreement for the benefit of the holders and beneficial owners of the Bonds. The City is required to observe the agreement for so long as it remains an "obligated person" with respect to the Bonds, within the meaning of the Securities and Exchange Commission's Rule 15c2-12 (the "Rule"). Under the agreement, SAWS, on behalf of the City, will be obligated to provide certain updated financial information and operating data annually, and timely notice of specified events, to the MSRB through its EMMA system where it will be available free of charge to the general public at www.emma.msrb.org.

### ANNUAL REPORTS

SAWS will provide certain updated financial information and operating data to the MSRB. The information to be updated includes all quantitative financial information and operating data with respect to SAWS of the general type included in this Official Statement under the sections DEBT INFORMATION and SAWS STATISTICAL SECTION AND MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION, and in APPENDIX B. SAWS will update and provide this information within six months after the end of each fiscal year ending in and after 2014.

The financial information and operating data to be provided may be set forth in full in one or more documents or may be included by specific reference to any document available to the public through EMMA or filed with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC"), as permitted by the Rule. The updated information will include audited financial statements, if the City commissions an audit and it is completed by the required time. If audited financial statements are not available by the required time, SAWS will provide unaudited financial statements by the required time and audited financial statements when and if such audited financial statements become available. Any such financial statements will be prepared in accordance with the accounting principles described in APPENDIX B or such other accounting principles as SAWS may be required to employ from time to time pursuant to State law or regulation.

SAWS' current fiscal year end is December 31. Accordingly, it must provide updated information by June 30 in each year, unless SAWS changes its fiscal year. If SAWS changes its fiscal year, it will file notice of such change with the MSRB.

#### NOTICE OF CERTAIN EVENTS

SAWS will also provide timely notices of certain events to the MSRB. SAWS will provide notice in a timely manner not in excess of 10 business days after the occurrence of the event of any of the following events with respect to the Bonds: (1) principal and interest payment delinquencies; (2) non-payment related defaults, if material; (3) unscheduled draws on debt service reserves reflecting financial difficulties; (4) unscheduled draws on credit enhancements reflecting financial difficulties; (5) substitution of credit or liquidity providers, or their failure to perform; (6) adverse tax opinions, the issuance by the Internal Revenue Service of proposed or final determinations of taxability, Notices of Proposed Issue (IRS Form 5701-TEB) or other material notices or determinations with respect to the tax status of the Bonds, or other material events affecting the tax status of the Bonds; (7) modifications to rights of holders of the Bonds, if material; (8) Bond calls, if material, and tender offers; (9) defeasances; (10) release, substitution, or sale of property securing repayment of the Bonds, if material; (11) rating changes; (12) bankruptcy, insolvency, receivership or similar event of the City or SAWS; (13) the consummation of a merger, consolidation, or acquisition involving the City or SAWS or the sale of all or substantially all of the assets of the City or SAWS, other than in the ordinary course of business, the entry into a definitive agreement to undertake such an action or the termination of a definitive agreement relating to any such actions, other than pursuant to its terms, if material; and (14) appointment of a successor or additional Paying Agent/Registrar or change in the name of the

Paying Agent/Registrar, if material. As used above in clause (12), the phrase "bankruptcy, insolvency, receivership or similar event" means the appointment of a receiver, fiscal agent or similar officer for the City or SAWS in a proceeding under the U.S. Bankruptcy Code or in any other proceeding under state or federal law in which a court or governmental authority has assumed jurisdiction over substantially all of the assets or business of the City or SAWS, or if such jurisdiction has been assumed by leaving the governing body and officials or officers of the City or SAWS in possession but subject to the supervision and orders of a court or governmental authority, or the entry of an order confirming a plan of reorganization, arrangement or liquidation by a court or governmental authority having supervision or jurisdiction over substantially all of the assets or business of the City or SAWS. Neither the Bonds nor the Ordinance make any provision for liquidity enhancement, debt service reserves as additional security for the Bonds, or credit enhancement. In addition, SAWS will provide timely notice of any failure by SAWS to provide information, data, or financial statements in accordance with its agreement described above under "Annual Reports."

#### AVAILABILITY OF INFORMATION

Effective July 1, 2009 (the "EMMA Effective Date"), the SEC implemented amendments to the Rule which approved the establishment by the MSRB of EMMA, which is now the sole successor to the national municipal securities information repositories with respect to filings made in connection with undertakings made under the Rule after the EMMA Effective Date. Commencing with the EMMA Effective Date, all information and documentation filing required to be made by SAWS in accordance with the City's undertaking made for the Bonds will be made with the MSRB in electronic format in accordance with MSRB guidelines. Access to such filings will be provided, without charge to the general public, by the MSRB.

With respect to debt of the City secured by System revenues issued prior to the EMMA Effective Date, SAWS remains obligated to make annual required filings, as well as notices of material events, under its continuing disclosure obligations relating to those debt obligations (which includes a continuing obligation to make such filings with the Texas state information depository (the "SID")). Prior to the EMMA Effective Date, the Municipal Advisory Council of Texas (the "MAC") had been designated by the State and approved by the SEC staff as a qualified SID. Subsequent to the EMMA Effective Date, the MAC entered into a Subscription Agreement with the MSRB pursuant to which the MSRB makes available to the MAC, in electronic format, all Texas-issuer continuing disclosure documents and related information posted to EMMA's website simultaneously with such posting. Until the City receives notice of a change in this contractual agreement between the MAC and EMMA or of a failure of either party to perform as specified thereunder, the City has determined, in reliance on guidance from the MAC, that making its continuing disclosure filings solely with the MSRB will satisfy its obligations to make filings with the SID pursuant to their continuing disclosure agreements entered into prior to the EMMA Effective Date.

#### LIMITATIONS AND AMENDMENTS

The City, acting by and through SAWS, has agreed to update information and to provide notices of certain events only as described above. The City, acting by and through SAWS, has not agreed to provide other information that may be relevant or material to a complete presentation of SAWS' financial results of operations, condition, or prospects or agreed to update any information that is provided, except as described above. The City and SAWS make no representation or warranty concerning such information or concerning their usefulness to a decision to invest in or sell Bonds at any future date. The City and SAWS disclaim any contractual or tort liability for damages resulting in whole or in part from any breach of their continuing disclosure agreement or from any statement made pursuant to its agreement, although holders of Bonds may seek a writ of mandamus to compel the City and SAWS to comply with their agreements.

The City may amend its continuing disclosure agreement from time to time to adapt to changed circumstances that arise from a change in legal requirements, a change in law, or a change in the identity, nature, status, or type of operations of the City or SAWS, if (i) the agreement, as amended, would have permitted an underwriter to purchase or sell Bonds in the offering described herein in compliance with the Rule, taking into account any amendments or interpretations of the Rule to the date of such amendment, as well as such changed circumstances, and (ii) either (a) the holders of a majority in aggregate principal amount of the outstanding Bonds consent to the amendment or (b) any person unaffiliated with the City or SAWS (such as nationally recognized bond counsel) determines that the amendment will not materially impair the interests of the holders and beneficial owners of the Bonds. The City may also amend or repeal the provisions of this continuing disclosure agreement if the SEC amends or repeals the applicable provisions of the Rule or a court of final jurisdiction enters judgment that such provisions of the Rule are invalid, but only if and to the extent that the provisions of this sentence would not prevent an underwriter from lawfully purchasing or selling Bonds in the primary offering of the Bonds. If the City so amends the agreement, it has agreed that SAWS, on behalf of the City, shall include with the next financial information and operating data provided in accordance with its agreement described above under "Annual Reports" an explanation, in narrative form, of the reasons for the amendment and of the impact of any change in the type of financial information and operating data so provided.

#### COMPLIANCE WITH PRIOR UNDERTAKINGS

During the past five years, SAWS has complied in all material respects with all continuing disclosure agreements made by the City for which SAWS has agreed to comply on the City's behalf, in accordance with the Rule.

#### OTHER INFORMATION

# REGISTRATION AND QUALIFICATION OF BONDS FOR SALE

The sale of the Bonds has not been registered under the federal Securities Act of 1933, as amended, in reliance upon the exemption provided thereunder by Section 3(a)(2); and the Bonds have not been qualified under the Securities Act of Texas in reliance upon various exemptions contained therein; nor have the Bonds been qualified under the securities acts of any other jurisdiction. The City assumes no responsibility for qualification of the Bonds under the securities laws of any jurisdiction in which the Bonds may be sold, assigned, pledged, hypothecated, or otherwise transferred. This disclaimer of responsibility for qualification for sale or other disposition of the Bonds must not be construed as an interpretation of any kind with regard to the availability of any exemption from securities registration provisions.

#### LEGAL INVESTMENTS AND ELIGIBILITY TO SECURE PUBLIC FUNDS IN TEXAS

Section 1201.041 of the Public Security Procedures Act (Chapter 1201, Texas Government Code) provides that the Bonds are negotiable instruments governed by Chapter 8, Texas Business and Commerce Code, and are legal and authorized investments for insurance companies, fiduciaries, and trustees, and for the sinking funds of municipalities or other political subdivisions or public agencies of the State of Texas. With respect to investment in the Bonds by municipalities or other political subdivisions or public agencies of the State of Texas, the Public Funds Investment Act (Chapter 2256, Texas Government Code), requires that the Bonds be assigned a rating of at least "A" or its equivalent as to investment quality by a national rating agency (see "RATINGS" herein). In addition, various provisions of the Texas Finance Code provide that, subject to a prudent investor standard, the Bonds are legal investments for state banks, savings banks, trust companies with at least \$1 million of capital, and savings and loan associations. The Bonds are eligible to secure deposits of any public funds of the State, its agencies, and its political subdivisions, and are legal security for those deposits to the extent of their market value.

The City has made no investigation of other laws, rules, regulations, or investment criteria which might apply to such institutions or entities or which might limit the suitability of the Bonds for any of the foregoing purposes or limit the authority of such institutions or entities to purchase or invest in the Bonds for such purposes. The City has made no review of laws in other states to determine whether the Bonds are legal investments for various institutions in those states.

#### LEGAL MATTERS

The City will furnish the Underwriters with a complete transcript of proceedings incident to the authorization and issuance of the Bonds, including the unqualified approving legal opinion of the Attorney General of the State of Texas to the effect that the Bonds are valid and legally binding special obligations of the City, and based upon examination of such transcript of proceedings, the legal opinion of Co-Bond Counsel to the effect that the Bonds are valid and legally binding special obligations of the City and, subject to the qualifications set forth herein under "TAX MATTERS," the interest on the Bonds is excludable from the gross income of the owners thereof for federal income tax purposes under existing statutes, published rulings, regulations, and court decisions. The customary closing papers, including a certificate to the effect that no litigation of any nature has been filed or is then pending to restrain the issuance and delivery of the Bonds, or which would affect the provision made for their payment or security, or in any manner questioning the validity of the Bonds will also be furnished. In their capacity as Co-Bond Counsel, Norton Rose Fulbright US LLP and Escamilla & Poneck, LLP, San Antonio, Texas, have reviewed the information appearing in this Official Statement under the captions "PLAN OF FINANCING – Refunded Obligations," "THE BONDS" (except for the information under the captions "Outstanding Debt," "Perfection of Security for the Bonds," "Book-Entry-Only System," and "Payment Record" as to which no opinion is expressed), "SECURITY FOR THE BONDS," "TAX MATTERS," "CONTINUING DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION" (except under the caption "Compliance with Prior Undertakings" as to which no opinion is expressed), "OTHER INFORMATION - Registration and Qualification of Bonds for Sale," "OTHER INFORMATION - Legal Investments and Eligibility to Secure Public Funds in Texas," and "OTHER INFORMATION - Legal Matters," (except for the last sentence of the first paragraph of such subsection, as to which no opinion is expressed), "APPENDIX D - SELECTED PROVISIONS OF THE ORDINANCE," and "APPENDIX E - FORM OF CO-BOND COUNSEL'S OPINION" to determine whether such information accurately and fairly describes and summarizes the information, material and documents and legal issues referred to therein and is correct as to matters of law and such firms are of the opinion that the information relating to the Bonds, the Ordinance and the legal issues contained under such captions and subcaptions is an accurate and fair description of the laws and the legal issues addressed therein and, with respect to the Bonds, such information conforms to the Ordinance. Co-Bond Counsel have not, however, independently verified any of the factual information contained in this Official Statement nor has it conducted an investigation of the affairs of the City for the purpose of passing upon the accuracy and completeness of this Official Statement. No person is entitled to rely upon Co-Bond Counsel's limited participation as an assumption of responsibility for, or an expression of opinions of any kind with regard to the accuracy or completeness of any of the information contained herein. Though they represent the Co-Financial Advisors and the Underwriters from time to time in matters unrelated to the issuance of the Bonds, Co-Bond Counsel have been engaged by and only represent the System and the City in connection with the issuance of the Bonds. The legal fees to be paid to Co-Bond Counsel for services rendered in connection with the issuance of the Bonds are contingent on issuance and delivery of the Bonds. The legal opinions of Co-Bond Counsel will accompany the obligations deposited with DTC or will be printed on the definitive obligations in the event of the discontinuance of the Book-Entry-Only System. Certain legal matters will be passed upon for the City by the City Attorney, for the Board by Langley & Banack, Incorporated, San Antonio, Texas, and for the Underwriters by McCall, Parkhurst & Horton L.L.P., San Antonio, Texas, Counsel for the Underwriters (whose legal fees are contingent upon the issuance of the Bonds).

The various legal opinions, to be delivered concurrently with the delivery of the Bonds, express the professional judgment of the attorneys rendering the opinions as to the legal issues explicitly addressed therein. In rendering a legal opinion, the attorney does not become an insurer or guarantor of that expression of professional judgment, of the transaction opined upon, or of the future performance of the parties to the transaction. Nor does the rendering of an opinion guarantee the outcome of any legal dispute that may arise out of the transaction.

### AUTHENTICITY OF FINANCIAL DATA AND OTHER INFORMATION

The financial data and other information contained herein have been obtained from SAWS records, audited financial statements and other sources which are believed to be reliable. There is no guarantee that any of the assumptions or estimates contained herein will be realized. All of the summaries of the statutes, documents and resolutions contained in this Official Statement are made subject to all of the provisions of such statutes, documents and resolutions. These summaries do not purport to be complete statements of such provisions and reference is made to such documents for further information. Reference is made to original documents in all respects.

#### Co-Financial Advisors

Public Financial Management, Inc. and Estrada Hinojosa & Company, Inc. are employed as Co-Financial Advisors to the System in connection with the issuance of the Bonds. The Co-Financial Advisors' fee for services rendered with respect to the sale of the Bonds is contingent upon the issuance and delivery of the Bonds. Public Financial Management and Estrada Hinojosa & Company, Inc., in their capacity as Co-Financial

Advisors, have relied on the opinion of Co-Bond Counsel and have not verified and do not assume any responsibility for the information, covenants and representations contained in any of the legal documents with respect to the federal income tax treatment of the interest on the Bonds, or the possible impact of any present, pending or future actions taken by any legislative or judicial bodies.

The Co-Financial Advisors have provided the following sentence for inclusion in this Official Statement. The Co-Financial Advisors have reviewed the information in this Official Statement in accordance with their responsibilities to the System, and, as applicable, to investors under the federal securities laws as applied to the facts and circumstances of this transaction, but the Co-Financial Advisors do not guarantee the accuracy or completeness of such information.

#### UNDERWRITING

Wells Fargo Bank, National Association, as representative of the Underwriters, has agreed, subject to certain conditions, to purchase the Bonds from the City at the prices indicated on the inside front cover of this Official Statement, less an underwriting discount of \$1,165,243.02, and no accrued interest. The Underwriters will be obligated to purchase all of the Bonds if any Bonds are purchased. The Bonds to be offered to the public may be offered and sold to certain dealers (including the Underwriters and other dealers depositing Bonds into investment trusts) at prices lower than the public offering prices of such Bonds, and such public offering prices may be changed, from time to time, by the Underwriters.

Wells Fargo Securities is the trade name for certain securities-related capital markets and investment banking services of Wells Fargo & Company and its subsidiaries, including Wells Fargo Bank, National Association ("WFBNA"). WFBNA, the senior underwriter of the Bonds, has entered into an agreement (the "Distribution Agreement") with its affiliate, Wells Fargo Advisors, LLC ("WFA"), for the distribution of certain municipal securities offerings, including the Bonds. Pursuant to the Distribution Agreement, WFBNA will share a portion of its underwriting or remarketing agent compensation, as applicable, with respect to the Bonds with WFA. WFBNA also utilizes the distribution capabilities of its affiliates, Wells Fargo Securities, LLC ("WFSLLC") and Wells Fargo Institutional Securities, LLC ("WFIS"), for the distribution of municipal securities offerings, including the Bonds. In connection with utilizing the distribution capabilities of WFSLLC, WFBNA pays a portion of WFSLLC's expenses based on its municipal securities transactions. WFBNA, WFSLLC, WFIS, and WFA are each wholly-owned subsidiaries of Wells Fargo & Company.

The Underwriters and their respective affiliates are full service financial institutions engaged in various activities, which may include securities trading, commercial and investment banking, financial advisory, investment management, principal investment, hedging, financing and brokerage activities. Certain of the Underwriters and their respective affiliates have, from time to time, performed, and may in the future perform, various investment banking services for the City or the System for which they received or will receive customary fees and expenses.

In the ordinary course of their various business activities, the Underwriters and their respective affiliates may make or hold a broad array of investments and actively trade debt and equity securities (or related derivative securities) and financial instruments (which may include bank loans and/or credit default swaps) for their own account and for the accounts of their customers and may at any time hold long and short positions in such securities and instruments. Such investment and securities activities may involve securities and instruments of the City.

#### VERIFICATION OF MATHEMATICAL COMPUTATIONS

The Accountants will deliver to the City, on or before the settlement date of the Bonds, its verification report indicating that it has verified, in accordance with attestation standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants, the mathematical accuracy of (a) the mathematical computations of the adequacy of the cash and the maturing principal of and interest on the Federal Securities, to pay, when due, the maturing principal of, interest on and related call premium requirements, if any, of the Refunded Obligations and (b) the mathematical computations of yield used by Co-Bond Counsel to support its opinion that interest on the Bonds will be excluded from gross income for federal income tax purposes.

The verification performed by the Accountants will be solely based upon data, information and documents provided to the Accountants by the Co-Financial Advisors on behalf of the City. The Accountants have restricted their procedures to recalculating the computations provided by the Co-Financial Advisors on behalf of the City and has not evaluated or examined the assumptions or information used in the computations.

# FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS

The statements contained in this Official Statement, and in any other information provided by the City, that are not purely historical, are forward-looking statements, including statements regarding the City's expectations, hopes, intentions, or strategies regarding the future. Readers should not place undue reliance on forward-looking statements. All forward-looking statements included in this Official Statement are based on information available to the City on the date hereof, and the City assumes no obligation to update any such forward-looking statements. The City's actual results could differ materially from those discussed in such forward-looking statements.

The forward-looking statements, included herein, are necessarily based on various assumptions and estimates and are inherently subject to various risks and uncertainties, including risks and uncertainties relating to the possible invalidity of the underlying assumptions and estimates and possible changes or developments in social, economic, business, industry, market, legal, regulatory circumstances and conditions and actions taken or omitted to be taken by third parties, including customers, suppliers, business partners and competitors, and legislative, judicial, and other governmental authorities and officials. Assumptions related to the foregoing involve judgments with respect to, among other things, future economic, competitive, and market conditions of future business decisions, all of which are difficult or impossible to predict accurately and many of which are beyond the control of the City. Any of such assumptions could be inaccurate and, therefore, there can be no assurance that the forward-looking statements included in this Official Statement will prove to be accurate.

# MISCELLANEOUS

References to web site addresses presented herein are for informational purposes only and may be in the form of a hyperlink solely for the reader's convenience. Unless specified otherwise, such web sites and the information or links contained therein are not incorporated into, and are not part of, this final official statement for purposes of, and as that term is defined in, SEC Rule 15c2-12.

The Ordinance also approved the form and content of this Official Statement and any addenda, supplement or amendment thereto and authorize its further use in the reoffering of the Bonds by the Underwriters. This Official Statement has been approved by the City Council for distribution in accordance with the provisions of the SEC's rule codified at 17 C.F.R. Section 240.15c2-12, as amended.

/s/ Ivy R. Taylor
Mayor
City of San Antonio, Texas

/s/ Leticia M. Vacek
City Clerk
City of San Antonio, Texas



SCHEDULE I SCHEDULE OF REFUNDED OBLIGATIONS

| Series                                   | Maturity Date | Interest Rate (%) | Par Amount (\$)           | Call Date  | Call Price (%) |
|--|---------------|-------------------|---------------------------|------------|----------------|
| City of San Antonio, Texas Water System  |               |                   |                           |            |                |
| Junior Lien Revenue and Refunding Bonds, |               |                   |                           |            |                |
| Series 2004-A                            | 05/15/2015    | 3.450             | 1,600,000                 | 02/27/2015 | 100            |
|  | 05/15/2016    | 3.550             | 1,660,000                 | 02/27/2015 | 100            |
|  | 05/15/2017    | 3.650             | 1,720,000                 | 02/27/2015 | 100            |
|  | 05/15/2018    | 3.750             | 1,785,000                 | 02/27/2015 | 100            |
|  | 05/15/2019    | 3.800             | 1,855,000                 | 02/27/2015 | 100            |
|  | 05/15/2020    | 3.900             | 1,925,000                 | 02/27/2015 | 100            |
|  | 05/15/2021    | 3.950             | 2,000,000                 | 02/27/2015 | 100            |
|  | 05/15/2022    | 4.050             | 2,085,000                 | 02/27/2015 | 100            |
|  | 05/15/2023    | 4.100             | 2,170,000                 | 02/27/2015 | 100            |
|  | 05/15/2024    | 4.200             | 2,035,000                 | 02/27/2015 | 100            |
| City of San Antonio, Texas Water System  |               |                   |                           |            |                |
| Junior Lien Revenue and Refunding Bonds, |               |                   |                           |            |                |
| Series 2004                              | 05/15/2015    | 2.450             | 660,000                   | 02/27/2015 | 100            |
|  | 05/15/2016    | 2.550             | 680,000                   | 02/27/2015 | 100            |
|  | 05/15/2017    | 2.650             | 695,000                   | 02/27/2015 | 100            |
|  | 05/15/2018    | 2.750             | 715,000                   | 02/27/2015 | 100            |
|  | 05/15/2019    | 2.800             | 735,000                   | 02/27/2015 | 100            |
|  | 05/15/2020    | 2.900             | 760,000                   | 02/27/2015 | 100            |
|  | 05/15/2021    | 2.950             | 780,000                   | 02/27/2015 | 100            |
|  | 05/15/2022    | 3.050             | 805,000                   | 02/27/2015 | 100            |
|  | 05/15/2023    | 3.100             | 830,000                   | 02/27/2015 | 100            |
|  | 05/15/2024    | 3.200             | 125,000                   | 02/27/2015 | 100            |
| City of San Antonio, Texas Water System  |               |                   |                           |            |                |
| Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2005     | 05/15/2016    | 5.000             | 515,000                   | 05/15/2015 | 100            |
|  | 05/15/2017    | 5.000             | 660,000                   | 05/15/2015 | 100            |
|  | 05/15/2018    | 5.000             | 755,000                   | 05/15/2015 | 100            |
|  | 05/15/2019    | 5.000             | 1,540,000                 | 05/15/2015 | 100            |
|  | 05/15/2020    | 5.000             | 1,575,000                 | 05/15/2015 | 100            |
|  | 05/15/2021    | 5.000             | 1,655,000                 | 05/15/2015 | 100            |
|  | 05/15/2022    | 5.000             | 1,740,000                 | 05/15/2015 | 100            |
|  | 05/15/2023    | 5.000             | 1,830,000                 | 05/15/2015 | 100            |
|  | 05/15/2024    | 5.000             | 1,925,000                 | 05/15/2015 | 100            |
|  | 05/15/2025    | 5.000             | 2,025,000                 | 05/15/2015 | 100            |
|  | 05/15/2026    | 5.000             | 2,130,000                 | 05/15/2015 | 100            |
|  | 05/15/2035    | 5.000             | 33,265,000 <sup>(1)</sup> | 05/15/2015 | 100            |
|  | 05/15/2036    | 5.000             | 34,970,000 <sup>(1)</sup> | 05/15/2015 | 100            |
|  | 05/15/2037    | 4.750             | 36,715,000                | 05/15/2015 | 100            |
|  | 05/15/2038    | 4.750             | 25,000,000                | 05/15/2015 | 100            |
|  | 05/15/2038    | 5.000             | 13,520,000 <sup>(2)</sup> | 05/15/2015 | 100            |
|  | 05/15/2038    | 5.000             | 40,465,000 <sup>(2)</sup> | 05/15/2015 | 100            |
|  | 05/15/2040    | 5.000             | 42,540,000 <sup>(2)</sup> | 05/15/2015 | 100            |
|  | 03/13/2040    | 3.000             | 42,340,000                | 03/13/2013 | 100            |

Represents a mandatory sinking fund redemption payment for a term bond maturing on May 15, 2036. Represents a mandatory sinking fund redemption payment for a term bond maturing on May 15, 2040.



# APPENDIX A

GENERAL INFORMATION REGARDING THE CITY



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# CITY OF SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS GENERAL DEMOGRAPHIC AND ECONOMIC INFORMATION

This Appendix contains a brief discussion of certain economic and demographic characteristics of the City of San Antonio, Texas (the "City" or "San Antonio") and of the metropolitan area in which the City is located. Although the information in this Appendix has been provided by sources believed to be reliable, no investigation has been made by the City to verify the accuracy or completeness of such information.

# **Population and Location**

The 2010 Decennial Census ("2010 Census"), prepared by the United States Census Bureau ("U.S. Census Bureau"), found a City population of 1,327,407. For the 2010 San Antonio population, it was determined that the U.S. Census Bureau had erroneously assigned 35 census blocks to the City that are actually outside of the City limits. The revised 2010 San Antonio population is 1,326,539.

The City's Information Technology Services Department estimated the City's population to be 1,432,006 in 2015. The U.S. Census Bureau ranks the City as the second largest in the State of Texas (the "State") and the seventh largest in the United States ("U.S.").

The City is the county seat of Bexar County. Bexar County had a population of 1,714,773 according to the 2010 Census. The City's Information Technology Services Department estimated Bexar County's population to be 1,902,590 and the San Antonio-New Braunfels Metropolitan Statistical Area ("MSA") population to be 2,397,009 in 2015. The City is located in south central Texas approximately 80 miles south of the State capital in Austin, 165 miles northwest of the Gulf of Mexico, and approximately 150 miles from the U.S./Mexico border cities of Del Rio, Eagle Pass, and Laredo.

The following table provides the population of the City, Bexar County, and the San Antonio-New Braunfels MSA<sup>1</sup> for the years shown:

|      | C'A C       | D         | San Antonio-     |
|------|-------------|-----------|------------------|
|      | City of     | Bexar     | New Braunfels    |
| Year | San Antonio | County    | MSA <sup>1</sup> |
| 1920 | 161,379     | 202,096   | 255,928          |
| 1930 | 231,542     | 292,533   | 351,048          |
| 1940 | 253,854     | 338,176   | 393,159          |
| 1950 | 408,442     | 500,460   | 556,881          |
| 1960 | 587,718     | 687,151   | 749,279          |
| 1970 | 654,153     | 830,460   | 901,220          |
| 1980 | 785,880     | 988,800   | 1,088,710        |
| 1990 | 935,933     | 1,185,394 | 1,324,749        |
| 2000 | 1,144,646   | 1,392,931 | $1,711,703^{2}$  |
| 2010 | 1,326,539   | 1,714,773 | $2,142,508^{3}$  |

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Data for 1920-1990 has been restated from the redefined eight-county MSA to the original four-county MSA.

Sources: U.S. Census Bureau; Texas Association of Counties – County Information Project; and City of San Antonio, Information Technology Services Department.

As of June 2003, the U.S. Office of Management and Budget redefined the MSA by increasing the number of counties from four to eight: Atascosa, Bandera, Kendall, and Medina Counties were added to its mainstays of Bexar, Comal, Guadalupe, and Wilson Counties. (The 2000 figure reflects the new 2003 redefined eight-county area.) As of December 2009, New Braunfels, Texas qualified as a new principal city of the San Antonio MSA, and the MSA was re-titled San Antonio-New Braunfels MSA.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Provided by the 2010 Decennial Census.

# **Area and Topography**

The area of the City has increased through numerous annexations and now contains approximately 486 square miles. The topography of San Antonio is generally hilly with heavy black to thin limestone soils. There are numerous streams fed with underground spring water. The average elevation is 795.5 feet above mean sea level.

#### **Three-Year Annexation Plan Process**

Through both full and limited purpose annexations, the City has grown from its original size of 36 square miles to its current area, encompassing 486 square miles, and having a tax year 2014 net taxable assessed value of \$79.8 billion.

By City Charter (defined below) and State law, City Council (defined below) has the power to annex territory by passage of an ordinance following an extensive open public process. State law mandates that municipalities planning to annex prepare an Annexation Plan that specifically identifies the areas that may be annexed and that no annexation may occur until the third anniversary of the date such plan was adopted. There are minor exceptions to the State law that allow for exemptions from the formal Three-Year Annexation Plan process, such as for property owner-initiated annexation.

The City Council adopted an updated Annexation Policy in February 2013 and is currently developing the 10-year Annexation Program that is tentatively scheduled to be reviewed in 2015. The 10-year Annexation Program will identify potential areas for future consideration in an Annexation Plan.

#### **Governmental Structure**

The City is a Home Rule Municipality that operates pursuant to the Charter of the City of San Antonio (the "City Charter"), which was adopted on October 2, 1951 and became effective on January 1, 1952, whereby subject only to the limitations imposed by the Texas Constitution, Texas Statutes, and the City Charter, all powers of the City are vested in an 11-member council (the "City Council") which enacts legislation, adopts budgets, and determines policies. The City Charter provides for a Council-Manager form of government with ten council members elected from single-member districts, and the Mayor elected at-large, each serving two-year terms, limited to four full terms of office as required by the City Charter. The office of Mayor is considered a separate office. All members of the City Council stand for election at the same time in odd-numbered years. The City Council appoints a City Manager who administers the government of the City, and serves as the City's chief administrative officer. The City Manager serves at the pleasure of City Council.

# **City Charter**

The City may only hold an election to amend its City Charter every two years. Since its adoption, the City Charter has been amended on eight separate occasions including: November 1974, January 1977, May 1991, May 1997, November 2001, May 2004, November 2008, and May 2012.

On May 12, 2012, a Special Election was held on the question of whether or not the City Charter should be amended to allow filling City Council vacancies by special election rather than appointment, when more than 270 days remain in the unexpired council term, and to allow the City Council to appoint a temporary City Council member until the special election is held. Additionally, it allows City Council to fill vacancies with 270 days or less remaining by majority vote. The measure passed by a majority vote, and the City Charter was amended to reflect the change.

#### **Services**

The full range of services provided to its constituents by the City includes ongoing programs to provide health, welfare, art, cultural, and recreational services; maintenance and construction of streets, highways, drainage, and sanitation systems; public safety through police and fire protection; and urban redevelopment and housing. The City also considers the promotion of convention and tourism and participation in economic development programs high priorities. The funding sources from which these services and capital programs are provided include ad

valorem, sales and use, and hotel occupancy tax receipts, grants, user fees, debt proceeds, tax increment financing, and other sources.

In addition to the above described general government services, the City provides services financed by user fees set at levels adequate to provide coverage for operating expenses and the payment of outstanding debt. These services include airport and solid waste management.

Electric and gas services to the San Antonio area are provided by CPS Energy ("CPS"), an electric and gas utility owned by the City that maintains and operates certain utilities infrastructure. This infrastructure includes a 21-generating unit electric system and the gas system that serves the San Antonio area. CPS' operations and debt service requirements for capital improvements are paid from revenues received from charges to its customers. As specified in the City ordinances authorizing the issuance of its system debt, CPS is obligated to transfer a portion of its revenues to the City. CPS revenue transfers to the City for the City's fiscal year ended September 30, 2013 were \$295,310,385. (See "San Antonio Electric and Gas Systems" herein.)

Water services to most of the City are provided by the San Antonio Water System ("SAWS"), San Antonio's municipally-owned water supply, water delivery, and wastewater treatment utility. SAWS is in its 23<sup>rd</sup> year of operation as a separate, consolidated entity. SAWS' operating and debt service requirements for capital improvements are paid from revenues received from charges to its customers. SAWS is obligated to transfer a portion of its revenues to the City. SAWS revenue transfers to the City for the City's fiscal year ended September 30, 2013 were \$11,989,345. (See "San Antonio Water System" herein.)

#### **Economic Factors**

The City facilitates a favorable business environment that supports economic diversification and growth. San Antonio's economic base is composed of a variety of industries, including convention and tourism, healthcare and bioscience, government employment, automotive manufacturing, information security, financial services, oil and gas, all with growing international trade. Support for these economic activities is demonstrated in the City's commitment to ongoing infrastructure improvements and development, and investment in a growing and dedicated work force. This commitment and San Antonio's continued status as one of the top leisure and convention destinations in the country support a strong and growing economy.

San Antonio's rate of unemployment fares well when compared to the State and nation. The San Antonio-New Braunfels MSA unemployment rate decreased to 4.3% in November 2014, down from 4.5% reported in October 2014. The Texas unadjusted (actual) unemployment rate decreased to 4.6% in November 2014, down from 4.8% reported in October 2014. The nation's unadjusted (actual) unemployment rate remained unchanged at 5.5% in November 2014, as compared to October 2014.

Total nonfarm employment in the San Antonio-New Braunfels MSA for November 2014 was 944,900. Since November 2013, the San Antonio-New Braunfels MSA has added 29,100 jobs for an annual growth rate of 3.2%.

### Healthcare and Bioscience Industry

The healthcare and bioscience industry is the largest industry in the San Antonio economy and has experienced robust growth since the early 1990s. The industry is composed of related industries such as research, pharmaceuticals, and medical device manufacturing contributing approximately the same economic impact as health services. According to the San Antonio's Health Care and Bioscience Industry: 2011 Economic Impact Study commissioned by the Greater San Antonio Chamber of Commerce, the economic impact from this industry sector totaled approximately \$29.2 billion in 2011. The industry provided 156,205 jobs, or more than 18% of the City's total employment. The healthcare and bioscience industry's annual payroll in 2011 approached \$7.5 billion. The 2011 average annual wage of San Antonio workers was \$42,124, compared to \$45,567 for healthcare and bioscience employees. The healthcare and bioscience industry has added 40,240 net new jobs over the past decade, an increase of 41%.

Health Care. According to the 2014 South Texas Medical Center Area Progress Report written by the San Antonio Medical Foundation, the 900-acre South Texas Medical Center (the "Medical Center") has over 100 medically related treatment, education, and research facilities. There are several nursing facilities and more than 20 medical professional office buildings. Other support activities include banks, a post office, a power plant, pharmacies, and housing facilities. Approximately 300 acres are held for future expansion. Over 29,000 Medical Center employees have provided care for over 5.64 million outpatients and over 106,728 inpatients. Physical plant values, not adjusted for inflation, representing the original investments in physical facilities and equipment (less depreciation) represent approximately \$3.352 billion. Capital projects currently in progress as of January 2014 represent \$438 million with an additional \$509 million planned over the next five years for a total of approximately \$947 million.

Central to the Medical Center is the University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio (the "UT Health Science Center"), located on more than 100 acres in the heart of the Medical Center. A total of 4,400 students (including residents and fellows) are enrolled in the UT Health Science Center's five schools – the School of Allied Health Sciences, the Dental School, the Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences, the Medical School, and the School of Nursing. The UT Health Science Center has nearly two million square feet of education, research, treatment and administrative facilities. The UT Health Science Center employs approximately 5,500 persons with a total annual operating budget of approximately \$740 million, supporting six campuses in San Antonio, Laredo, Harlingen, and Edinburg. The UT Health Science Center also oversees the federally funded Regional Academic Health Center in the Rio Grande Valley with facilities in Harlingen, McAllen, Brownsville, and Edinburg.

The UT Health Science Center is one of the country's leading health sciences universities, and ranks in the top 3% of all institutions worldwide receiving federal funding from the National Institute of Health ("NIH"). In FY 2013, UT Health Science Center received a total of \$164.5 million in annual research awards supported by private gifts and \$65.3 million in grant funding from the NIH. The university's schools of medicine, nursing, dentistry, health professions, and graduate biomedical sciences have produced 29,065 graduates since inception.

The UT Health Science Center's newly-opened Medical Arts and Research Center offers state-of-the-art patient care under UT Medicine San Antonio and its Cancer Therapy & Research Center, and is one of only four National Cancer Institute ("NCI") designated Cancer Centers in Texas. In 2015, UT Health Science Center's Dental School, regarded as one of the top in the nation, will open its new 198,000 square foot Center for Oral Health Care & Research.

There are numerous other medical facilities outside the boundaries of the Medical Center, including 25 short-term general hospitals, two children's psychiatric hospitals, and two state hospitals. The U.S. Department of Defense ("DoD") has historically operated two major regional hospitals in San Antonio, Wilford Hall Medical Center ("Wilford Hall"), today known as the Wilford Hall Ambulatory Surgical Center ("WHASC"), and Brooke Army Medical Center ("BAMC"), today known as the San Antonio Military Medical Center ("SAMMC"). As a result of the 2005 Base Realignment and Closure actions ("BRAC 2005"), DoD is investing over \$1.3 billion in two projects, expanding BAMC into one of two national DoD Regional Medical Centers and constructing a new outpatient clinic to replace Wilford Hall. BAMC also participates with UT Health Science Center and University Hospital in operating two Level I trauma centers in the community.

On February 2, 2012, City Council authorized an economic development incentive package for the Metropolitan Methodist Hospital Expansion, including a \$120,000 grant for the creation of 40 jobs located in the City's downtown area. Methodist Healthcare System proposed a \$43.6 million expansion of its intensive care unit located at 1310 McCullough Avenue. The project was to be constructed in two phases and include the following: Phase 1, an investment of \$36.9 million in real and personal property; construction of a 65,000 square foot facility that includes 24 Intensive Care Unit ("ICU") beds and their respective support facilities that would enable the relocation of existing laboratory facilities and allow for the expansion of the endoscopy facilities; the creation of 30 new full-time jobs; and Phase 2, construction of 12 additional ICU beds and their respective support facilities, and the creation of five full-time jobs. Since opening in January 2014, the Methodist Hospital has reported creating 35 jobs and investing \$50 million for the project which added 85,000 square feet of new space to the downtown hospital. That space will house expanded radiology and emergency department services, a new gastrointestinal lab, and a 24-bed intensive care unit. Additional space in the new tower is reserved for future growth needs.

Two major hospital systems are combining efforts to build a freestanding children's hospital in San Antonio. The Tenet Healthcare Corp. ("Tenet") along with Vanguard Health Systems ("Vanguard"), the parent company of Baptist Health System, have combined efforts to develop a new children's hospital in San Antonio. This effort is being led by the UT Health Science Center and Bexar County's University Health System to form a partnership where Vanguard would invest \$350 million to build up to a 250-bed hospital, while Tenet would provide its renowned expertise in pediatric care. Along with Vanguard and Tenet, UT Health Science Center will bring to the partnership a network of pediatric services throughout the region from its faculties from UT Medicine San Antonio who will offer both general and specialty care to children and adolescents. The faculty members from the school will also lead medical students, residents, and fellows in instruction and cutting edge research.

*Biomedical Research and Development.* Research and development are important areas that strengthen San Antonio's position as an innovator in the biomedical field.

The Texas Research Park (the "Park") is a 1,236-acre campus owned and operated by the Texas Research & Technology Foundation ("TRTF"), a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization. TRTF is San Antonio's champion for driving economic development in the biosciences and technology industry. The Park is home to the UT Health Science Center's Research Park Campus, which includes the Institute for Biotechnology, the South Texas Centers for Biology in Medicine, and the Barshop Institute for Longevity and Aging. Several biopharmaceutical and medical device commercial ventures call the Park home, as well. TRTF also develops and funds new innovative technology ventures focused on building San Antonio's emerging technology economy.

The Texas Biomedical Research Institute ("Texas Biomed"), formerly the Southwest Foundation for Biomedical Research, which conducts fundamental and applied research in the medical sciences, is one of the largest independent, non-profit, biomedical research institutions in the U.S. and is internationally renowned. As one of the world's leading independent biomedical research institutions, Texas Biomed is dedicated to advancing the health of San Antonio's global community through innovative biomedical research. Today, Texas Biomed's multidisciplinary team of 72 doctoral-level scientists work on more than 200 major research projects.

Located on a 200-acre campus in the City, Texas Biomed partners with hundreds of researchers and institutions around the world, pursuing advances in the prevention and treatment of heart disease, diabetes, obesity, cancer, osteoporosis, psychiatric disorders, tuberculosis, AIDS, hepatitis, malaria, parasitic infections, and a host of other diseases. Texas Biomed is the site of the Southwest National Primate Research Center and home to the world's largest baboon research colony, including a unique pedigreed baboon colony that is invaluable for genetic studies on complex diseases.

Texas Biomed enjoys a distinguished history in the innovative, humane and appropriate use of nonhuman primates in biomedical research. Texas Biomed also is home to other extraordinary resources that give its scientists and their collaborators an advantage in the search for discoveries to fight disease. With the nation's only privately owned biosafety level 4 laboratory, designed for maximum containment, Texas Biomed investigators can safely study deadly pathogens for which there currently are no treatments or vaccines, including potential bio-terror agents and emerging diseases. Another resource that puts the TRTF on the cutting edge of biomedical research is the AT&T Genomics Computing Center, which houses the world's largest computer cluster for human genetic and genomic research. This high-performance computing facility allows scientists to search for disease-influencing genes at record speed.

The UT Health Science Center has been a major bioscience research engine since its inception, with strong research groups in cancer, cancer prevention, diabetes, drug development, geriatrics, growth factor and molecular genetics, heart disease, stroke prevention, and many other fields. Established by the largest single oncology endowment in the nation's history, \$200 million from the State of Texas tobacco settlement, the Greehey Children's Cancer Research Institute is part of the UT Health Science Center. The UT Health Science Center, along with the Cancer Therapy and Research Center, form the San Antonio Cancer Institute, a NCI-designated Comprehensive Cancer Center.

The University of Texas at San Antonio ("UTSA") houses a number of research institutes. The Neuroscience Research Center, which is funded by \$6.3 million in ongoing grants, is tasked with training students in research skills while they perform basic neuroscience research on subjects such as aging and Alzheimer's disease.

UTSA is also a partner in Morris K. Udall Centers of Excellence for Parkinson's Disease Research, which provides research for the causes and treatments of Parkinson's disease and other neurodegenerative disorders. A joint partnership between UTSA, the UT Health Science Center, and the participation of Texas Biomed and the Southwest National Primate Research Center, has resulted in the formation of the San Antonio Institute of Cellular and Molecular Primatology ("SAICMP"). The focus of the SAICMP is the study of primate stem cells and early embryos to develop nonhuman model systems for studies of primate stem cells and their applications to regenerative medicine, as well as to develop methods of primate transgenesis and to facilitate other investigations of primate embryology and biogenesis. The South Texas Center for Emerging Infectious Diseases ("STCEID") was established to focus State and national attention on UTSA in the fields of molecular microbiology, immunology, medical mycology, virology, microbial genomics, vaccine development, and biodefense. One of the major areas of emphasis at STCEID is on the pathogenic mechanisms of emerging infectious diseases.

A number of highly successful private corporations, such as Mission Pharmacal, DPT Laboratories, Ltd., and Genzyme Oncology, Inc., operate their own research and development groups and act as guideposts for numerous biotech startups, bringing new dollars into the area's economy. A notable example of the results of these firms' research and development is Genzyme Oncology, Inc., which has developed eight of the last 11 cancer drugs approved for general use by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration ("FDA").

As an equity investment, InCube Labs, LLC ("InCube") was the impetus for the City to establish the San Antonio Economic Development Corporation ("SAEDC"). The mission of the SAEDC is to foster the commercialization of intellectual property in San Antonio through direct equity investment in projects. This model represents a new economic development strategy that seeks to realize a direct return on investment back to the City through its economic development efforts. By making equity investments in later stage companies or key entrepreneurs with proven track records, the City seeks to support commercialization of intellectual property in San Antonio, creating more jobs, investment, and entrepreneurs.

On June 17, 2010, InCube Chairman and CEO Mir Imran announced that InCube planned to establish a branch of its operations in San Antonio and launch five life science companies in San Antonio over the next five years. InCube, formerly located in San Jose, California is a life sciences research laboratory focused on developing medical breakthroughs that dramatically improve patient outcomes. The organization is led by Mr. Imran who has founded more than 20 companies and holds more than 200 patents. Mr. Imran has created many innovations that have resulted in new standards of care, including the first FDA-approved Automatic Implantable Cardioverter Defibrillator. Mr. Imran and his partners also manage a venture fund, InCube Ventures, which invests in life science companies and has raised approximately \$30 million from local investors. InCube will create at least 50 jobs within the business incubator with salaries ranging from \$50,000 to over \$200,000. In September 2010, the State awarded \$9.2 million through the Emerging Technology Fund for three existing InCube start-up life science companies to relocate to San Antonio from San Jose, California. By April 27, 2011, InCube had relocated three companies and begun its operations in San Antonio, and on May 2, 2013, InCube announced the formation of two new companies, Theracle and iBridge Medical, fulfilling a requirement to create two new companies in San Antonio prior to July 1, 2013. As of June 30, 2014, InCube has raised \$9,568,779 in non-public funds on its activities in San Antonio toward a requirement to spend \$15 million during the five-year term. InCube is also collaborating with UTSA and UT Health Science Center on research opportunities.

In June 2011, the City approved an economic development grant ("EDG") through the SAEDC to assist in funding the construction of the UT Health Science Center South Texas Research Facility (the "STRF"). This action also authorized the SAEDC to enter into an economic development agreement with UT Health Science Center. The City, through the SAEDC, has committed funding in the amount of \$3.3 million over three years with the potential to receive repayment of the principal amount plus a return on its investment through acquiring a percentage equity interest in UT Health Science Center start-up companies over a ten-year period.

The STRF is a state-of-the-art \$200 million research building. The project is expected to be a significant economic generator for the community, creating over 150 new high-paying research and scientific jobs. The facility will primarily house the Institute of Integration of Medicine and Science, which will be the home for the \$26 million National Institutes of Health Clinical and Translational Science Awards program. The facility will also house other core research programs on cancer, diseases affecting the elderly, disorders such as stroke, diabetes in children and adults, and the engineering of new body tissues to cure diseases in partnership with the military.

The City's \$3.3 million investment in the STRF at UT Health Science Center will greatly enhance the university's research capabilities by increasing opportunities for growing local entrepreneurs and companies, helping attract top tier researchers and scientists, demonstrating an investment in the City's local institutions and talent, and providing opportunities to leverage other research, such as military medicine.

The \$3.3 million investment also provides the City the opportunity to leverage its investment through the SAEDC, which was created by the City as a nonprofit corporation in May 2010. Through the SAEDC, the City can invest in economic development projects and take out an equity position in a project to potentially achieve a return on the public's investment. The UT Health Science Center has agreed to enter into an economic development agreement with the SAEDC and provide the SAEDC, over ten years, a 15% interest in any equity position (e.g., founders shares of stock) taken by the university in start-up companies formed through the discovery of intellectual property owned by the university. The SAEDC could then potentially receive a return on its investment up to a cap of \$4,000,000 (the \$3,300,000 principal amount plus an additional \$700,000 return) during the term of the agreement from the university's distribution to the SAEDC based on its equity interest in start-up companies as those companies are acquired or go public. The SAEDC has an equity interest in two UT Health Science Center startup companies.

Also through the SAEDC, the City invested \$300,000 in assisting Innovative Trauma Care, Inc. ("ITC") to establish its first U.S.-based operations in San Antonio to market, sell, and distribute the ITClamp, and entered into an economic development agreement with ITC on August 30, 2012. The device is a wound clamp designed to control severe bleeding within seconds of application. In exchange for financial assistance, ITC has agreed to provide the City, through its SAEDC, an equity interest in the parent company's stock. ITC will add high-paying jobs in the targeted SA2020 Bioscience and Healthcare industry, and will also bring its life-saving device to the world, from San Antonio. ITC has secured approval and initiated the marketing and selling of the ITClamp in Canada and 16 countries in Europe. Approval to market and sell the ITClamp in the U.S. was received from the FDA in May 2013. Additionally, ITC has achieved its fourth regulatory milestone with an expanded indication for use from the FDA to include the temporary control of severe bleeding of the scalp. ITC has already created eight full-time jobs in San Antonio with plans to add more personnel as sales increase.

Another SAEDC equity investment was approved by City Council on October 21, 2013 for StemBioSys, Inc. ("SBS"). SBS a local bioscience startup company formed in November 2010 by Dr. Xiao-Dong Chen, of the UT Health Science Center, and Dr. Steve Davis, a local dermatologist. SBS has four full-time employees and plans to add at least two more employees in the next 12 months. While at the UT Health Science Center, Dr. Chen discovered a way to isolate and expand adult stem cells for research, diagnostics, and therapeutic treatments. SBS has secured two patents on its stem cell technology platforms, and has three other patents pending. In May 2011, SBS signed an agreement with the UT Health Science Center to license, develop, and commercialize Dr. Chen's technologies in the regenerative medicine market which is expected to grow by 48% over the next six years. City Council authorized the SAEDC to invest these funds in SBS through a loan at a 5% interest rate for five years in exchange for a Convertible Promissory Note (the "Note") for \$200,000. The Note would provide the SAEDC the option to convert the loan into preferred shares of SBS stock during the term or to accept repayment of the loan at the end of the term with interest (\$255,256). For the loan, SBS must agree to retain its business operations in San Antonio for the term of the Note or until such time as the SAEDC may exercise its option to convert the Note into shares of equity. SBS must also retain and create a minimum of six full-time jobs by December 2014 and pay an average annual salary of at least \$50,000.

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*Military Health Care.* San Antonio's military healthcare facilities have positively impacted the City for decades. Many military medical transformations came as a result of the BRAC 2005 legislation.

Historically, BAMC at Joint Base San Antonio-Fort Sam Houston ("JBSA-Fort Sam Houston") was known as a hospital and an Army Unit, but the BAMC name is now specifically the unit that commands Army medical activity in San Antonio. BAMC's medical facilities include SAMMC, Center for the Intrepid, Fort Sam Houston Primary Care Clinic, McWethy Troop Medical Clinic, Taylor Burk Clinic at Camp Bullis, and the Schertz Medical Home. These BAMC facilities have a total workforce of over 7,500 personnel.

The renowned hospital known as BAMC became SAMMC in September 2011 and has expanded to 2.1 million square feet due to BRAC 2005 legislation. SAMMC is the largest inpatient medical facility in the DoD, the only DoD Burn Center, and the only DoD Level 1 Trauma Center in the U.S. SAMMC hosts Centers of Excellence for amputee care, burn care, and breast imaging and contains dedicated inpatient units for bone marrow transplant, maternal-child and neonatal intensive care; as well as pediatric, burn, cardiac and psychiatric care. On any given day at SAMMC, the emergency department averages 174 visits and admits approximately five civilian emergencies, four babies are born and 238 inpatient beds are occupied.

WHASC at Joint Base San Antonio-Lackland ("JBSA-Lackland") is the largest in the DoD with more than 29 sub-specialties and 30 Credited Graduate Medical Education training programs. The facility is manned by more than 2,600 personnel and provides primary and specialty care; outpatient surgery; a sleep center; a contingency aeromedical staging facility; and eye, hearing and diabetes centers of excellence. A new 651,684 square foot Ambulatory Surgical Center is currently under construction at JBSA-Lackland and is scheduled to open in 2015. It is part of the \$390 million recapitalization of the old Wilford Hall Medical Center facility.

The San Antonio Military Health System ("SAMHS") oversees the healthcare delivery of 230,000 DoD beneficiaries in the San Antonio metropolitan region. Healthcare services are provided by the SAMMC and the WHASC. The SAMHS treatment facility manages a total combined budget of over \$839 million and contributes over \$138 million annually in inpatient/outpatient private sector care expenses.

Previously, all U.S. Army combat medic training was conducted at Fort Sam Houston. As a result of BRAC 2005, all DoD military enlisted combat medic training is now accomplished at the new Medical Education and Training Campus at JBSA-Fort Sam Houston.

San Antonio received a new medical research mission due to BRAC 2005. BRAC 2005 transformed the U.S. Army Institute of Surgical Research ("USAISR") into a tri-service Battlefield Health and Trauma ("BHT") Research Institute that has been operating at Fort Sam Houston since August 2010. The BHT is composed of the USAISR, Naval Medical Research Unit San Antonio and the Air Force Dental Evaluation and Consultation Service. This new research facility is adjacent to the SAMMC and was created to remove redundancy and create a synergy in combat casualty care research.

# Finance Industry

The largest private sector employer in the industry is United Services Automobile Association ("USAA"). USAA announced plans last spring to expand and add up to 1,000 jobs. The expansion is due to a more than 20% increase in customer base in the past three years. The company has about 9.4 million customers, comprised of military members, veterans and their families. The company currently employs a total of 16,400 people. While this sector is led by USAA, San Antonio is home to other insurance company headquarters such as Catholic Life and GPM Life, as well as being the home to many regional operations centers for many health care insurers. Insurers with substantial regional operations centers in San Antonio include Allstate Insurance Company ("Allstate"), Nationwide Mutual Insurance Company ("Nationwide"), Caremark, United Health, and PacifiCare.

After considering Little Rock, Tulsa, and Raleigh, Nationwide established a new regional corporate headquarters location in San Antonio in October 2009. Nationwide, headquartered in Columbus, Ohio, is a national insurance provider with over 34,000 employees, and had \$23.9 billion in revenues in 2013. With its announcement to expand in San Antonio, Nationwide committed to retaining 932 current employees and creating an additional 838 new jobs. Phase I of the project involved a consolidation of existing operations into an existing facility, and \$3 million in new personal property improvements. Nationwide has broken ground on Phase II of its investment in San Antonio with an \$89 million corporate campus.

Ex-San Antonio Mayor Julián Castro and Bexar County Judge Nelson Wolff joined Nationwide officials in commemorating the start of construction on the company's new 300,000 square foot sales and service operations center that, once completed, would house 800 new employees, in addition to 1,000 employees that are being consolidated from its four existing locations. Company officials also awarded \$80,000 to local charities in San Antonio at the event. On September 27, 2012, the City and Nationwide officials inaugurated the grand opening of the new 300,000 square foot facility which is located in the master-planned Westover Hills community, near the intersection of Hyatt Resort Drive and State Highway 151 on the City's far west side. As of June 2014, Nationwide reported that it employs 1,330 employees at its Westover Hills location.

On February 9, 2010, Allstate announced its decision to locate a customer operations center, invest \$12 million, and create 600 new full-time jobs in San Antonio. The core function of this operations center will support direct sales calls and selling additional insurance products to existing clients. Allstate is the nation's largest publicly held personal lines insurer. Allstate employs an estimated 70,000 agents and support staff nationwide. In 2013, the company ranked 94<sup>th</sup> on the list of Fortune 500 companies, with annual revenues exceeding \$34 billion. Allstate's main lines of insurance include automobile, property, life, and retirement and investment products. Allstate has two other sales support centers located in Northbrook, Illinois (its headquarters) and Charlotte, North Carolina. As of June 2014, Allstate reported that it employs 452 employees at its San Antonio operations center and eventually expects the center will employ 600 employees, who will sell Allstate products and provide service to the company's customers.

San Antonio is also the home of many banking headquarters and regional operation centers such as Frost Bank, Broadway National Bank, and USAA Federal Savings Bank. Companies with large regional operations centers in San Antonio include Bank of America, Wells Fargo, J.P. Morgan Chase, and Citigroup.

### Hospitality Industry

The City's diversified economy includes a significant sector relating to the hospitality industry. A 2014 Economic Impact Report of San Antonio's Hospitality Industry (representing 2013 data) found that the hospitality industry has an economic impact of more than \$13 billion. The estimated annual payroll for the industry is \$2.49 billion, and the industry employs more than 122,500 people.

In 2014, the City's overall level of hotel occupancy increased by 3.0%; room supply was flat at -0.1%; total room nights sold increased by 2.9%; the average daily room rate increased 3.0%; revenue per available room increased 6.0%; and overall revenue increased 5.9%.

Tourism. The list of attractions in the San Antonio area includes, among many others, the Alamo and other sites of historic significance, the River Walk, and two major theme parks, SeaWorld San Antonio and Six Flags Fiesta Texas. San Antonio attracted 31 million visitors in 2013. Of these, over 15 million were overnight leisure visitors, placing San Antonio as one of the top U.S. destinations in Texas. Recent FY 2014 accomplishments contributing to the City's success included: (1) launched the Unforgettable Campaign to consumers in October 2013 that showcases and celebrates the multitude of attributes that represent the depth and diversity of San Antonio; the campaign uses photography to show multiple San Antonio assets in unexpected ways; the campaign displays many attributes of San Antonio and then encourages deeper exploration with a custom microsite for each ad; (2) reported more than \$31 million in earned Media Value for FY 2014; this is the dollar value of the positive media coverage generated by CVB's communications team; this represents the stories and articles in print (i.e., magazines, newspapers, etc.), TV, radio, and online media; the dollar figure aligns with what the advertising cost of that coverage would have been if the City had purchased the exposure; (3) launched Synchronicities Three City Partnership (Anaheim, California, Baltimore, Maryland, and San Antonio); an unparalleled solution for meeting professionals looking to maximize return on investment; using valuable information from focus groups and surveys, it unites three premier destinations for a seamless year-to-year knowledge transfer and partnership; designed to give professionals consistent service and customized attendee engagement; and (4) achieved 2,000 Certified Ambassadors (doubling prior year); the San Antonio Tourism Ambassadors Program teaches how to turn every visitor encounter into a positive experience; overall, the program benefits the visitor, the industry, and the local economy.

Conventions. San Antonio is also one of the top convention cities in the country. In FY 2014, the San Antonio Convention & Visitors Bureau ("CVB") sales staff booked over 859,000 room nights for current and future years. Significant meetings booked included: PAX South with a total of 31,000 room nights for 2015, 2016, and 2017; American Association of Nurse Practitioners with 19,100 room nights for 2016; Future Business Leaders of America with 26,200 room nights for 2019; and American Water Works Association with 14,300 room nights. The CVB continues to be proactive in attracting convention business through its management practices and marketing efforts.

The following table shows both overall City performance as well as convention activity hosted by the CVB for the calendar years indicated:

|             |             | Revenue per |               |                         |                          | Convention              |
|-------------|-------------|-------------|---------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|
|             |             | Available   |               |                         |                          | Delegate                |
| Calendar    | Hotel       | Room        | Room          | Convention              | Convention               | Expenditures            |
| <u>Year</u> | Occupancy 1 | (RevPAR) 1  | Nights Sold 1 | Attendance <sup>2</sup> | Room Nights <sup>2</sup> | (Millions) <sup>2</sup> |
| 2005        | 68.8        | 63.06       | 7,283,824     | 503,601                 | 699,932                  | 523.3                   |
| 2006        | 69.1        | 69.43       | 7,439,783     | 467,426                 | 736,659                  | 485.8                   |
| 2007        | 66.3        | 69.90       | 7,397,123     | 455,256                 | 647,386                  | 473.1                   |
| 2008        | 64.6        | 70.82       | 7,669,475     | 563,164                 | 691,525                  | 607.5                   |
| 2009        | 57.1        | 55.94       | 7,167,603     | 399,408                 | 660,736                  | 474.5                   |
| 2010        | 59.3        | 57.02       | 7,768,002     | 535,400                 | 736,325                  | 636.1                   |
| 2011        | 61.3        | 58.08       | 8,236,019     | 499,171                 | 637,593                  | 593.0                   |
| 2012        | 63.5        | 60.79       | 8,651,826     | 449,202                 | 635,829                  | 533.7                   |
| 2013        | 63.1        | 63.44       | 8,610,676     | 712,577                 | 734,190                  | 846.6                   |
| 2014        | 64.9        | 67.32       | 8,817,338     | 652,443                 | 725,333                  | 775.1                   |

Data obtained from Smith Travel Research based on hotels in the San Antonio selected zip code reports dated January 2015, January 2014, January 2013, and January 2012, which applies to 2014 data, 2013 data, 2012 data, and 2005-2011 data, respectively.

Source: City of San Antonio, Convention and Visitors Bureau.

#### Military Industry

The growth in new missions and significant construction activities brought about by BRAC 2005, strengthened San Antonio's role as a leading military research, training, and education center. One of the major outcomes of BRAC 2005 was the creation of Joint Base San Antonio ("JBSA") which is the largest joint base in the United States. JBSA consolidates all the base support functions, real property, and land for JBSA-Lackland, JBSA-Randolph, and JBSA-Fort Sam Houston (including Camp Bullis) under the 502<sup>nd</sup> Air Base Wing. The Joint Base includes over 55,000 acres, supports 80,000 personnel, has a plant replacement value of \$32 billion, and an annual budget of \$800 million. Over 132,000 personnel are trained at Joint Base facilities every year.

JBSA, and its more than 200 mission partners, represent a significant component of the City's economy providing an annual economic impact, when combined with other DoD contracts and contractors, military retirees, veterans, and direct and indirect jobs, of over \$27 billion for the City. In addition, the property of the former Brooks Air Force Base ("Brooks AFB"), a fourth major military installation, was transferred from the U.S. Air Force to the City-created Brooks Development Authority ("BDA") in 2002, as part of the Brooks City-Base Project ("Brooks City-Base"). Furthermore, the military is still leasing over 1.7 million square feet of space at Port San Antonio (the "Port"), which is the former Kelly Air Force Base that was closed in 2001.

One of the other significant events brought about by BRAC 2005 is the realignment of medical facilities resulting in a major positive impact on military medicine in San Antonio, with \$3.2 billion in construction and the addition of approximately 12,500 jobs at the JBSA complex.

JBSA-Fort Sam Houston. JBSA-Fort Sam Houston is engaged in military-community partnership initiatives to help reduce infrastructure costs and pursue asset management opportunities using military facilities. In April 2000, the U.S. Army entered into a partnership with the private organization, Fort Sam Houston

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Reflects only those conventions hosted by the CVB.

Redevelopment Partners, Ltd. ("FSHRP"), for the redevelopment of the former Brooke Army Medical Center and two other buildings at Fort Sam Houston. These three buildings, totaling about 500,000 square feet in space and located in a designated historic district, had been vacant for several years and were in a deteriorating condition. On June 21, 2001, FSHRP signed a 50-year lease with the U.S. Army to redevelop and lease these three properties to commercial tenants.

Some of the major mission partner organizations on JBSA-Fort Sam Houston are: U.S. Army North, the Army Installation Management Command, the Army Medical Command, U.S. Army South, the Army Medical Department and School, the Southern Regional Medical Command, Brooke Army Medical Center, the Medical Educational and Training Campus, the Mission and Installation Contracting Command, the Navy Medical Education and Training Command, Three Army Reserve Depots, a Navy/Marine Reserve Operations Center, and a Texas National Guard armory.

The potential economic impact from JBSA-Fort Sam Houston due to the BRAC 2005 expansion, along with major growth from the Army Modular Force and Army Grow the Force programs, is estimated at nearly \$8.3 billion. The economic impact due to the amount of construction on post to accommodate the new mission accounts for approximately 80% of the impact (\$6.7 billion). While the major surge of construction from BRAC 2005 and the other major force programs are complete, the economic impact from JBSA-Fort Sam Houston will increase by nearly \$1.6 billion annually with additional annual sales tax revenue of \$4.9 million. The major personnel moves under BRAC 2005 were completed by September 15, 2011, and this increase in personnel and missions at JBSA-Fort Sam Houston could support the employment of over 15,000 in the community.

Various construction projects continue at JBSA-Fort Sam Houston. The new Walters Street Gate and Entry Control Point and a new Medical Education and Training Campus Headquarters Building have been completed. A new Student Activity Center opened in November 2013 and construction was completed on a new SAMMC Visitor Control Center in January 2014. A new 310-room hotel is under construction, and a new 216-room apartment style dormitory will break ground in 2015. A small addition to the hospital for a hyperbaric chamber and a new fire station for the SAMMC area are also planned for FY 2015 and a new Army-Air Force Exchange Services PX/BX store is planned for FY 2016.

JBSA-Camp Bullis. Armed Forces medics at JBSA-Fort Sam Houston, receive additional field training at JBSA-Camp Bullis, which comprises 28,000 acres. JBSA-Camp Bullis is also used by the 37<sup>th</sup> Training Wing for Security Forces technical and professional development training. Additionally, JBSA-Camp Bullis is home to the USAF Medical Training Readiness Center, which encompasses four medical related courses. It is also home to multiple Army Reserve and Army National Guard units of all types, to include Military Intelligence, Engineer, Medical, Infantry and Special Forces. The 470<sup>th</sup> Military Intelligence Brigade, headquartered at JBSA-Fort Sam Houston, operates the INSCOM Detention Training Facility at JBSA-Camp Bullis, and the Defense Medical Readiness Training Institute operates the Combat Casualty Care Course. JBSA-Camp Bullis also supports regular use by local law enforcement agencies and Federal entities. In 2013, JBSA-Camp Bullis supported the training of approximately 180,000 personnel. Because of its geographical size, numerous units and missions are continually looking at JBSA-Camp Bullis as a viable place to locate and train.

JBSA-Lackland. JBSA-Lackland is home to the 37<sup>th</sup> Training Wing, situated on 9,700 acres, all within the city limits of San Antonio. According to a recent Economic Impact Analysis, over 53,000 military, civilian, student, contractors and military dependents work, receive training, or utilize JBSA-Lackland services. JBSA-Lackland hosts the Air Force's only Basic Military Training ("BMT") function for all enlisted airmen, which is known as the "Gateway to the Air Force". Additionally, JBSA-Lackland hosts many of the technical training courses which the BMT graduates are routed to prior to their first assignment. On an annual basis, JBSA-Lackland is expected to graduate 86,000 trainees per year. The Air Force is in the middle of a \$900 million program to replace the BMT Recruit Housing and Training buildings that have been in continuous operation since construction in the late 1960s. Construction is now complete for two of the Airmen Training Complexes ("ATC") and the first Dining/Classroom Facility ("DCF") that supports the ATCs. Construction is also complete for the Recruit/Family In-processing and Information Center, every new recruit's entry into BMT. Construction is moving ahead on the second two ATCs and the second DCF with estimated completion of these three facilities between August 2014 and March 2015. The beginning of the second half of the Basic Military Training Complex replacement program is planned for FY2016 with the start of the fifth ATC and the third DCF. Each ATC will house up to 1,200 trainees and the DCF includes

dining halls and classroom facilities for two ATCs. The BMT replacement program is estimated to be complete by FY 2021.

Projected growth also includes a 160,000 square foot expansion of the 24<sup>th</sup> Air Force, the Cyber Command, facilities, and a potential increase of 1,500 students at the Defense Language Institute English Learning Center. Permanent beddown of the Transportation Security Agency's Canine Academy is on-going as construction of their headquarters, additional kennels, and training lab facilities began in 2014. Finally, the Defense Health Program is planning the replacement of the Reid Medical Center in FY 2016.

Adjacent and contiguous to JBSA-Lackland is the Port, where the Air Force maintains a significant presence. The Air Force and the Port jointly utilize the Kelly Field runway for military and commercial airfield operations. The Air Force continues to lease over 25 buildings, which consist of 1.75 million square feet of space and over 270 acres. The largest Air Force leaseback is at Building 171, a 460,000 square foot facility previously closed from the 1995 Base Realignment and Closure of Kelly AFB. Approximately 7,000 Air Force and other DoD employees work at this and other facilities on the Port in this post-BRAC 2005 era.

Much of the new BRAC 2005 growth which occurred on the Port property is at Building 171. The Air Force spent \$26.5 million to renovate the building, which houses 11 missions. Seven missions and approximately 800 personnel have relocated to the building from Brooks City-Base. These include the Air Force Civil Engineer Center, four medical missions including Air Force Medical Operations Agency, and other support missions. Building 171 also houses the new "Cyber" 24<sup>th</sup> Air Force consisting of approximately 450 personnel and the Air Force Real Property Agency.

JBSA-Randolph. JBSA-Randolph, which is known as "the Showplace of the Air Force" because of its consistent Spanish Colonial Revival architectural standard retained from when the installation was first constructed in the early 1930s, is on the northeast side of San Antonio and houses the Headquarter Air Education and Training Command and the Air Force Personnel Center. Other major tenant organizations include the Air Force Manpower Agency, the Air Force Recruiting Service, and the Air Force Office of Special Investigations (Region 4). The main operational mission is carried out by the 12<sup>th</sup> Flying Training Wing (the "Wing") which equips and trains aviators and supports worldwide contingency operations. The Wing operates parallel runways on either side of the main installation facilities and conducts 24-hour-a-day flight training operations. In a related aviation mission, JBSA-Randolph, which recently added 85 instructors and staff to its Remotely Piloted Aircraft ("RPA") training unit, will produce RPA pilots to man an Unmanned Aerial Systems ("UAS") force which now encompasses 8.5% of total Air Force pilot manning. The UAS force is projected to grow by approximately 25% between FY 2013 and FY 2017.

The BRAC 2005 growth supported the City's economic development strategy to promote development in targeted areas of the City, to leverage military installation economic assets to create jobs, and to assist the City's military installations in reducing base support operating costs.

San Antonio received funding in FY 2008 for two large projects that serve all of the military branches. On September 11, 2007, the Veterans Administration announced plans to build a new \$67 million Level I Polytrauma Center at the Audie L. Murphy Veterans Administration hospital campus. The expansion began in early 2009 and was completed in September 2011. This hospital is designed to be the most advanced in the world and is capable of providing state-of-the art medical care to veterans with multiple serious injuries. San Antonio is also home to the National Trauma Institute ("NTI"), a collaborative military-civilian trauma institute involving SAMMC, University Hospital, the UT Health Science Center, and the USAISR. The NTI coordinates resources from the institutions to most effectively treat the trauma victims and their families. The NTI received \$3.8 million in grants in FY 2010; however, due to Congress' termination of the federal budget "earmark" methodology, NTI has not received further grants, but is still active in its primary mission.

In 2005, the San Antonio community put in place organizations and mechanisms to assist the community and the military with the BRAC 2005 and other military-related issues. The Military Transformation Task Force ("MTTF") is a City, Bexar County, and Greater San Antonio Chamber of Commerce organization which provides a single integrated voice from the community to the military. The MTTF is formed of several committees each dedicated to working with the community and military on the BRAC 2005 actions and post-BRAC 2005 actions.

In January 2007, the City established the Office of Military Affairs ("OMA") as the single point of contact for the City on military-related issues. The mission of OMA is to work with the military to sustain and enhance mission readiness, develop and institutionalize relations to strengthen a community-military partnership, and to provide an official formalized point of contact for the military on issues of common concern. OMA provides staff support to the MTTF and works closely with each MTTF committee in order to facilitate their work. OMA is also working with the local military bases to address compatible land-use issues around the installations in order to enhance mission readiness. Finally, the City and the military have established the Community-Military Advisory Council. This Community-Military Advisory Council provides a mechanism for local government, business, and military leaders to address issues of common concern.

In 2008, OMA introduced the Growth Management Plan as one of the responses to the growth brought about by the BRAC 2005 actions, and it clearly laid out the partnership between the San Antonio community and the military. One example of the partnership is the City's effort to gather over \$30 million in resources and funding from bond proceeds, City funding, federal earmarks, and grants to provide significant infrastructure improvements around Fort Sam Houston. The premier project is the reconstruction and widening of Walters Street, a primary entrance to Fort Sam Houston. This project was substantially completed in June of 2013. This project is complex, since it is the center segment of a cooperative effort joining the already completed Texas Department of Transportation ("TxDOT") improvements on IH-35 to a new, high security gate entrance that was completed by Fort Sam Houston. An even more unique project is the City's construction of a much improved bridge over Salado Creek on Binz Engleman Road, which was actually built on federal property and was gifted to the military upon completion in June of 2012. Other key projects include intersection improvements on Harry Wurzbach Road between the Fort Sam Houston Gate and Rittiman Road, and the construction of a new bridge on Rittiman Road, west of IH-35. The City also expended significant funding to support development along Walters Street by improving utilities, installing a new water line and improving numerous side streets in that area. These improvements are now complete. The City was also selected by the DoD's Office of Economic Adjustment to receive an award of \$25 million in federal funds to construct new ramp connectors between IH-35 and Loop 410 near SAMMC. This initiative with TxDOT will greatly improve traffic flow and safety for personnel seeking access to the medical facility area.

Currently, DoD is the community's largest employer, supporting the employment of over 189,000 people, with an economic impact of \$27.7 billion annually. JBSA alone directly employs 92,000 and has a total economic impact of \$11.6 billion in payroll, contract expenditures, and value of jobs created. Over 55,000 military retirees reside in San Antonio and receive over \$1.5 billion in annual benefit payments. The BRAC 2005 program in San Antonio concluded in 2011, but the construction momentum continues. Multiple projects are planned through FY 2015. The value of the proposed construction projects during this time period is anticipated to average between \$200 to \$300 million per year.

# Other Major Industries

Aerospace. According to the Economic Impact Study commissioned by the Greater San Antonio Chamber of Commerce in 2010, the aerospace industry's annual economic impact to the City was about \$5.4 billion. This industry provides approximately 13,616 jobs, with employees earning total annual wages of over \$678 million. The aerospace industry continues to expand as the City leverages its key aerospace assets, which include San Antonio International Airport, Stinson Municipal Airport, the Port, JBSA-Randolph, JBSA-Lackland, and training institutions. Many of the major aerospace industry participants such as Boeing, Lockheed Martin, General Electric, Pratt & Whitney, Raytheon, Cessna, San Antonio Aerospace — a division of Singapore Technologies, Southwest Airlines, American Airlines, Delta Air Lines, United Airlines, US Airways, FedEx, UPS, and others, have significant operations in San Antonio. The aerospace industry in San Antonio is diversified with continued growth in air passenger service, air cargo, maintenance, repair, overhaul, and general aviation.

In February 2011, Southwest Airlines ("SWA") finalized its acquisition of AirTran Holdings, Inc. for \$1.4 billion in cash and stock. The acquisition provided SWA with a presence in 37 new cities, including Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International Airport (AirTran's main hub) and two AirTran customer service centers in Orlando, Florida and Atlanta, Georgia. As of March 1, 2012, SWA and AirTran are operating under a single operating certificate. Following this acquisition, SWA began discussions with City staff about its intent to consolidate customer service operations in San Antonio or at one or more of their other customer service centers.

In 1981, SWA opened its customer services and support center in San Antonio. This facility currently accommodates the existing workforce of 478 employees, but could not expand to include the additional 322 employees SWA planned to hire. Therefore, SWA began exploring other sites in San Antonio to accommodate a potential consolidation and growth. Other expansion sites SWA considered included Orlando, Florida, Atlanta, Georgia, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, and Phoenix, Arizona. After consideration, SWA decided that due to changing needs and requirements in the company, and new technology being utilized to meet customer needs, it would only need to hire an additional 227 employees for a total of 705. SWA remains committed to its Customer Support and Service Operations in San Antonio, having signed a long-term lease at its new facility, and plans to maintain its workforce in San Antonio.

In early 2012, Boeing announced that its San Antonio facility would gain 300 to 400 workers and maintenance responsibilities for the nation's executive fleet due to a decision to close a Wichita, Kansas plant. The aircraft maintenance and support work moving to San Antonio will include improvements to the nation's fleet of executive jets, including Air Force One, the Boeing 747s that transport the President of the United States, and the jets that transport the Vice President, Cabinet members, and other government officials.

Applied Research and Development. The Southwest Research Institute ("SwRI") is one of the original and largest independent, nonprofit, applied engineering and physical sciences research and development organizations in the U.S., serving industries and governments around the world in the engineering and physical sciences field. SwRI has contracts with the Federal Aviation Administration (the "FAA"), General Electric, Pratt & Whitney, and other organizations to conduct research on many aspects of aviation, including testing synthetic jet fuel, developing software to assist with jet engine design, and testing turbine safety and materials stability. SwRI occupies 1,200 acres and provides nearly two million square feet of laboratories, test facilities, workshops, and offices for approximately 3,000 scientists, engineers, and support personnel. SwRI's total revenue for FY 2013 was \$592 million, managing more than 80 projects with expenditures of more than \$6.7 million to its internally sponsored research and development program which is designed to encourage new ideas and innovative technologies.

Information Technology. The information technology ("IT") industry plays a major role in San Antonio. The economic impact of IT and cyber business already measures in the billions (\$10 billion in 2010, with conservative estimates of growth to \$15 billion by 2015). The industry itself is both large and diverse, including IT and Internet-related firms that produce and sell IT products. San Antonio is particularly strong in information security. In fact, San Antonio is recognized as a national leader in this vital field, with the U.S. Air Force's Air Intelligence Agency, a large and growing National Security Agency ("NSA") presence, and the Center for Infrastructure Assurance and Security ("CIAS") at UTSA.

San Antonio boasts some of the most sophisticated uses of IT in the world, even though much of that advanced usage remains undisclosed for security reasons, since the community is home to a large concentration of military and intelligence agencies charged with the missions of intelligence, surveillance and reconnaissance, information operations and network defense, attack and exploitation. Prominent activities in cyber warfare, high tech development, acquisition and maintenance are found among the Air Intelligence Agency, Joint Information Operations Warfare Command, NSA/Central Security Service Texas, 67<sup>th</sup> Network Warfare Wing, Air Force Information Operations Center, and Cryptology Systems Group.

The CIAS at UTSA is one of the leading research and education institutions in the area of information security in the country. The CIAS has established partnerships with major influential governmental and non-governmental organizations such as the DoD, Department of Homeland Security, and the United States Secret Service. The CIAS has also been actively involved with sector-based Information Sharing and Analysis Centers' security preparedness exercises for organizations in critical infrastructures.

Chevron U.S.A. Inc. ("Chevron") has selected San Antonio as the site for the construction of a 130,000 square foot data center to consolidate all of its North American data center operations. City Council approved the execution of a tax abatement agreement with Chevron. The data center involves a capital investment of over \$335 million over ten years and will create 17 new jobs that pay approximately \$60,000 annually in the targeted industry of IT. Chevron completed construction of the data center on a 33.82 acre site in Westover Hills (adjacent to the Microsoft Center), located at 5200 Rogers Road commenced operations in September 2014.

CyrusOne is a publicly traded owner, operator, and developer of enterprise-class data center properties. CyrusOne currently owns and operates a 107,000 square foot co-location data center at 9999 Westover Hills Blvd. The company's customers include 15 of the top 100 global companies and five of the top 10 companies, including local companies such as Christus Health, Schlumberger, and Halliburton. City Council approved a six year, 50% tax abatement agreement with CyrusOne on its planned investment of approximately \$120 million in real and personal property improvements, and the creation of 15 new full-time jobs.

Manufacturing Industry. Toyota Motor Corporation ("Toyota"), one of the largest manufacturing employers in San Antonio with an estimated workforce of 2,850, expanded its local production in 2010, adding the production of the Tacoma truck at its manufacturing facility in San Antonio. Toyota shifted its Tacoma manufacturing from Fremont, California to San Antonio, creating an additional 1,000 jobs and investing \$100 million in new personal property, inventory, and supplies. Toyota and its 21 on-site suppliers, located on San Antonio's south side, have created 292 new jobs and retained 6,151 jobs through 2013, bringing the total number of jobs supporting Toyota's production of Tundra and Tacoma vehicles to 6,443, with an annual impact of \$1.7 billion.

NBTY Manufacturing Texas, LLC ("NBTY") is the largest vertically integrated manufacturer of nutritional supplements in the United States. The company manufactures, wholesales, and retails more than 25,000 products including vitamins, minerals, herbs, and sports drinks. The company sells its goods through pharmacies, wholesalers, supermarkets, and health food stores around the world. NBTY is owned by the investment firm, The Carlyle Group, which purchased 100% of the firm's publicly traded shares on October 1, 2010. NBTY was considering an expansion of its vitamin manufacturing operations at 4266 Dividend – the site of the former Judson-Atkinson Candies, Inc., which closed its operations in November 2011. NBTY was also considering other potential sites in Long Island, New York and Hazelton, Pennsylvania. To attract NBTY to San Antonio, the City offered the company a cash grant of \$200.000 over four years and the annual reimbursement of ad valorem taxes paid on new real and personal property improvements over ten years not to exceed \$201,546 for a total cumulative grant of up to \$401,546. Based on the City's offer of incentives, NBTY indicated its intent to expand in San Antonio, create 65 new jobs by January 1, 2016, occupy the former Judson-Atkinson facility, and invest \$6 million in improvements. NBTY also intends to offer employment to former Judson Candy Factory employees by hiring the former plant director to connect with former employees with production experience with the existing manufacturing equipment. As of December 31, 2013, NBTY has created 36 jobs and invested over \$15 million in real and personal property improvements.

Xenex Healthcare Services LLC ("Xenex"), formerly headquartered in Austin, Texas, manufactures a patented mobile disinfection machine to decontaminate patient care environments. Xenex is an early stage company selling its disinfection machines to hospitals around the country. City Council authorized an EDG of \$150,000 from the Economic Development Incentive Fund to Xenex contingent upon Xenex relocating its headquarters and operations from Austin to San Antonio and creating 27 jobs over two years. Xenex relocated the company to San Antonio in 2012. Xenex business operations in San Antonio have expanded as more hospitals and health facilities are investing in the company's disinfecting robot. Since moving to San Antonio in 2012, Xenex has grown from 15 employees to 51 employees.

Support Operations. On November 22, 2010, PETCO Animal Supplies, Inc. ("PETCO") announced it had selected San Antonio over 47 other communities as the site of a new satellite support center, which is being created as an extension of the company's San Diego headquarters and will be called the National Support Center. The National Support Center in San Antonio will house 400 PETCO associates in functions including accounting, human resources, internal audit, loss prevention, risk management, and ethics and compliance. These 400 new jobs will have an annual average wage of approximately \$58,000 with at least 10% of the jobs paying \$80,000 or more. Many of these jobs are corporate-level positions with decision-making authority over major company functions. As of June 2014, PETCO has reported employing 369 people in its facility. PETCO is the second-largest U.S. retailer of specialty pet supplies. PETCO operates more than 1,000 stores in all 50 states and the District of Columbia, making it the only pet store to cover the entire U.S. market.

Glazer's Wholesale Drug Company ("Glazer's"), headquartered in Dallas, is one of the largest beverage distributors in the U.S. The company represents a wide variety of wine, spirits, malt beverage, and non-alcoholic suppliers in 11 states and employs over 6,000 people. Glazer's has operated in San Antonio since 1940 and is

currently located at 3030 Aniol Street, where it employs 125 people. Glazer's has requested an amendment to a Tax Abatement Agreement with the City, dated August 19, 2010, to reflect a new investment of over \$32 million in real and personal property at a new facility purchased by Glazer's, and creation of 100 new jobs and retainment of 350 jobs, for a total of 450 jobs to be located at the new facility. Glazer's has also purchased an additional 9.37 acres of City-owned land adjacent to the previous 35-acre purchase to accommodate the larger facility. City staff has negotiated to sell the additional land for \$399,999 plus a \$75,000 charitable donation by Glazer's to the City for the benefit of targeted area redevelopment, such as the West side, with payments of \$25,000 over each of the three years from 2014 to 2016.

Green Technology. In response to an April 2009 Request for Proposal, CPS negotiated and entered into a 30-year power purchase agreement with TX Solar I, LLC to construct a clean, dependable, and renewable energy solar farm in San Antonio and Bexar County, known as the "Blue Wing Solar Energy Generation Project". TX Solar I, LLC, a wholly owned subsidiary of Duke Energy, is one of the largest electric power companies in the U.S. The project will consist of 214,500 ground-mounted thin film panels manufactured by First Solar with an annual generation of about 14 megawatts ("MW"). This project created approximately 100 green jobs during the construction and operation phases with a capital investment of approximately \$41,590,000 in real and personal property. The site is located southwest of the City near the intersection of IH-37 and U.S. Highway 181. Approximately 80% of the property site lies within Bexar County and approximately 20% is within the City limits.

In June 2010, CPS and UTSA announced a ten-year, \$50 million agreement to position San Antonio as a national leader in green technology research. The agreement will establish the Texas Sustainable Energy Research Institute at UTSA. Dr. Les Shephard, the USAA Robert F. McDermott Distinguished Chair in Engineering at UTSA, will head the institute formerly known as the Institute for Conventional, Alternative and Renewable Energy. This research institute will work with other academic and research entities with robust green programs including the SwRI as well as the Mission Verde Center, a City partnership that includes the Alamo Colleges and the Texas A&M University Texas Engineering Experiment Station. It also has an active military establishment looking to address specific energy needs. CPS will invest \$50 million over ten years in the UTSA Institute beginning in 2011.

The City continues to maximize the municipally-owned CPS utility to develop investment and employment in San Antonio. Through a combination of power purchase agreements and local economic development incentives, the City and CPS are steadily securing jobs, investment, and enhancing university research and development in the area of renewable energy.

As of July 2014, CPS' renewable energy capacity totals 1,162.3 MW in service with another 354.9 MW under contract and in varying levels of project construction. CPS has executed a Master Agreement with OCI Solar Power ("OCI") for 400 MW from seven facilities expected to be built and operational by 2017. Each individual facility compromising OCI's 400 MW will have its own Purchase Power Agreement. OCI's Alamo 1 project facility of 40.7 MW achieved commercial operation in December 2013, St. Hedwig (Alamo 2) for 4.4 MW achieved commercial operation in March 2014. OCI has two facilities in varying levels of development. The Brackettville (Alamo 4) project at 39.6 MW achieved commercial operation in August 2014 and the Walzem (Alamo 3) project at 5.5 MW is scheduled for commercial operation in January 2015. The Nelson Gardens 4.2 MW landfill gas generation project achieved commercial operation in April 2014. CPS has one of the strongest renewable energy programs in Texas, with a renewable capacity under contract totaling 1,517.2 MW.

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On June 20, 2011, CPS and the City announced the expansion of five companies into the area directly related to renewable energy and energy efficiency technologies. These firms were: Consert, GreenStar, ColdCar USA, Summit Power, and SunEdison. Since that time, these companies have begun implementing their

commitments to San Antonio. In early January 2014, CPS allowed its agreement with Summit Power to expire. Recent developments include the following:

- Three separate purchase power contracts have been signed with SunEdison that will bring approximately 30 MW of renewable solar energy to CPS. CPS will provide about 60% of the long-term capital for development of the project by prepaying for a portion of the anticipated electrical output. SunEdison will utilize these funds to reduce the interest cost of the project. These uniquely structured contracts, a first in the solar industry, will ultimately provide CPS ratepayers with more than \$32 million in energy savings over the next 25 years. The two 10 MW solar farm projects on approximately 200 acres at the SAWS Dos Rios Water Recycling Center are operational. The third solar farm achieved commercial operation in August 2012.
- GreenStar, a manufacturer of LED streetlights, has moved into a new manufacturing space in the Alamo Downs area. Currently, the company employs about 42 people in its San Antonio location. At the end of September 2011, the first shipment containing 100 LED lights was delivered to CPS. A total of 25,000 LED streetlights will be installed throughout the City over the next several years.
- Consert relocated its corporate headquarters from North Carolina to San Antonio and has hired 53 employees. Consert has completed close to 17,000 installations of its innovative energy management technology in the San Antonio area.
- ColdCar USA continues to actively seek a manufacturing facility site in San Antonio. In November 2011, ColdCar USA delivered its first all electric refrigeration truck to Ft. Collins, Colorado.
- On January 11, 2012, OCI and Nexolon were selected by CPS to build one of the country's largest solar projects, a 400-megawatt solar power manufacturing plant in San Antonio, resulting in an investment of more than \$100 million. This solar project is the largest in the nation and will catapult Texas into the top five U.S. solar producing states. CPS reached an agreement with OCI to build the 400-megawatt solar energy project, and entered into a 25-year Power Purchase Agreement ("PPA") on July 23, 2012. The PPA with CPS requires OCI to ensure the following: (1) establishment of an "anchor" facility to manufacture solar energy related products and one or more manufacturing facilities for multiple components of the solar energy value chain, such as racking systems; (2) investment of at least \$100 million for the proposed "anchor" facility; and (3) the creation of at least 800 total solar energy related jobs with an annual payroll of \$30 million. One of OCI's partners, Nexolon will initially create 404 solar manufacturing jobs toward meeting the total job requirement and both companies plan to establish their U.S. corporate headquarters in San Antonio, with OCI creating 76 corporate jobs and Nexolon creating 40 corporate jobs.

# Inner City Development

On February 4, 2010, the City Council approved the Inner City Reinvestment/Infill Policy as a strategy to stimulate growth in the inner city. Current market trends support a renewed interest in the heart of San Antonio, as illustrated by studies conducted for San Antonio such as the Downtown Housing Study, the Real Estate Market Value Analysis, and the Housing + Transportation Affordability Index. In particular, the Real Estate Market Value Analysis shows that a substantial portion of San Antonio's core has very high rates of vacant properties, properties that could be put to use to support increasing demand for near-downtown housing, jobs, and services. This policy establishes the Inner City Reinvestment/Infill Policy Target Area as the highest priority for incentives. Specifically, the following actions are endorsed: (1) waiver of certain City fees and SAWS fees within the target area, and (2) provide greater incentives for economic development projects within the target area. The policy is designed to combat sprawl by strengthening San Antonio's vibrant urban core and driving investment into the heart of the City.

Argo Group US, Inc. ("Argo") moved its insurance operations from Menlo, California to San Antonio in 2001 and maintains its U.S. corporate headquarters in San Antonio. In 2007, Argo merged with PXRE Group Ltd., a Bermuda-based property reinsurer, and established its international headquarters in Bermuda. Argo has about 1,300 employees worldwide in eight countries, including 17 offices in 12 states, with annual revenues of approximately \$1.3 billion. Argo was located at 10101 Reunion Place and considering relocation of its San Antonio operations to other sites within San Antonio, as well as to sites in other U.S. cities. In order to retain these goodpaying corporate headquarters jobs in San Antonio, the City offered Argo free parking at the St. Mary's garage for ten years valued at approximately \$2,850,120 for up to 300 parking spaces. In exchange for this financial incentive, Argo located over 200 jobs at the IBC Centre building at 175 E. Houston Street and has agreed to retain these jobs at this location for the ten-year term of the agreement. Argo also agreed to meet the City's minimum wage

requirements and pay an average annual salary of at least \$50,000. These incentives were approved by City Council on September 15, 2011.

HVHC Inc. ("HVHC") established its headquarters in San Antonio in 1988 and currently employs 440 at its headquarters facility downtown with plans to add another 100 jobs over the next two years. HVHC operates the third largest optical retail sector in the U.S. under several brand names, such as Visionworks. The company currently operates over 540 retail stores in 36 states and plans to grow to 1,000 stores in the next five years. City staff met with representatives of the company in December 2010 as part of the community's Business Retention and Expansion program administered through the City's contract with the Economic Development Foundation. During this meeting, City staff learned the company planned to relocate from its current facility at 11103 West Avenue and was considering a consolidation and expansion of its operations at either another site in San Antonio or in other Texas cities, including Dallas and Austin. In order to retain the company's operations and headquarters in San Antonio, the City offered the following financial incentives to HVHC: (1) a cash grant of \$1,050,000 payable over two years at \$3,000 per job created/retained, and (2) approximately \$2,923,200 in parking subsidies in the St. Mary's garage over ten years, to include free parking for up to 350 employees for five years and parking at a 60% discount for up to 350 employees for another five years. In exchange for these financial incentives, HVHC agreed to: (1) retain its operations and corporate headquarters in San Antonio; (2) relocate 265 corporate jobs to the IBC Centre building on Houston Street no later than March 31, 2012, which the company complied with by providing payroll documentation on March 29, 2012; (3) relocate its vision care benefits subsidiary, Davis Vision, from Latham, New York to San Antonio; (4) add 85 new jobs for a total of 350 jobs at the IBC Centre no later than December 31, 2012; (5) meet the City's minimum wage requirements in the Tax Abatement Guidelines; and (6) pay an annual average salary of at least \$50,000. These incentives were approved by City Council on September 1, 2011. As of December 31, 2012, HVHC has complied with all of the outlined requirements and has reported creating a total of 402 jobs.

Additionally, HVHC entered into another agreement with the City, expanding its headquarter operations by agreeing to create an additional 150 jobs for a total of 500 jobs by December 31, 2015 and retaining these jobs downtown for the remainder of the term of the grant through September 11, 2021. In turn, City Council approved an amendment to the current parking grant agreement in the amount of \$360,000 payable over five years at \$72,000 per year. In September 2012, HVHC advised City staff that the company was considering San Antonio and two sites in the Dallas area for the expansion of their manufacturing operations. To secure the manufacturing project for San Antonio, City staff recommended City Council approve a cash grant of up to \$1,140,000 for the manufacturing project. For this grant, HVHC must locate its new manufacturing operations at 655 Richland Hills for a term of at least ten years, create up to 600 jobs, pay the living wage of \$11.08/hour to all employees, designate a minimum of 50 "high wage" jobs paying an annual salary of at least \$43,186 and invest approximately \$25 million in personal property improvements. Both of these incentives were approved by City Council on April 11, 2013.

On June 21, 2012, City Council adopted the Center City Housing Incentive Policy which will provide greater incentives to housing projects within the targeted growth areas identified in the City's Downtown Strategic Framework Plan. The policy encourages historic rehabilitation, adaptive reuse, brownfield redevelopment, and transit oriented development; rewards good urban design; and encourages mixed use and mixed income redevelopment. The policy is an as-of-right housing incentive system which applies to multi-family rental and for sale housing projects within the Inner City Reinvestment Policy Target Area. Eligible projects will receive City fee waivers, SAWS fee waivers, and real property tax reimbursement grants for new residential development and residential conversions in the Center City, in order to normalize land values and provide greater certainty and speed of approvals to developers. Additionally, Inner City Incentive Fund loans and mixed use development forgivable loans will be awarded based on the terms outlined in the policy which will vary based on the geographic location of the housing project with projects located within the Urban Core receiving a higher grant amount per housing unit than projects in other target growth areas. As of January 15, 2015, 22 incentive agreements have been executed under the program which will produce 2,487 new housing units in the Center City.

#### Port San Antonio

The Port is a logistics-based industrial platform on the 1,900-acre site of the former Kelly Air Force Base. It was created by the Texas Legislature in 2001 following the closure of the base and tasked with redeveloping and managing the property to ensure that it continues serving as an economic engine for the region. Though created by the local government, the Port is self-sustaining and operates like a business – receiving its income from the properties it leases and services it provides, and reinvesting profits into further development of the property.

The Port is the region's single largest real estate management and leasing firm, overseeing 12.9 million square feet of facilities and logistics assets that include an industrial airport, Kelly Field, SKF, and a 350-acre railport, East Kelly Railport. The entire site is contained within a foreign-trade zone, FTZ #80-10, and has quick road connections to Interstate Highways 35, 10, and 37.

The Port redevelopment efforts to date have attracted almost 80 customers to its site, including aerospace, logistics and military/governmental organizations. These customers employ more than 14,000 workers and generate over \$4 billion in regional economic activity each year. The Port has received numerous recognitions for its innovative work, including being named Redevelopment Community of the Year in 2010 by the Association of Defense Communities. A regional sustainability leader since 2009, two of the Port's newly developed properties have been LEED-certified by the U.S. Green Building Council.

Fourteen of the Port's customers are aerospace-related firms, including industry leaders Boeing, Lockheed Martin, StandardAero, Chromalloy, Gore Design Completions ("Gore"), and Pratt & Whitney. Of the 14,000 workers at the Port, about 5,000 are employed in the aerospace sector.

The Port reached important milestones in 2011, positioning it and its customers for further growth as an important economic engine for the region.

In the aerospace sector, Boeing's Port facility ushered in a new era of commercial projects in the past year. The company, which has been operating at Kelly Field since 1998 with a focus on maintenance, repair, and overhaul of military aircraft, welcomed its first 787 Dreamliner in the spring of 2011. The airplane is one of four scheduled to undergo change incorporation (electronics and software upgrades) at the Port before final completion and delivery to customers worldwide. In addition, the first of six new 747-8 tankers arrived at Boeing's Port facility in 2011 where they underwent change incorporation through 2013. Based on the success of this project, the Port San Antonio Boeing facility will continue to incorporate commercial maintenance, repair, and overhaul into their operations.

Similarly, Gore, which is North America's largest outfitter of custom interiors for wide body jets and the third largest company of its type in the world, has been steadily growing since its arrival at the Port in 2005. In 2010, Gore added over 100,000 square feet to its hangar and workshop facilities at Kelly Field, giving it the necessary room to deliver luxury interiors for a Boeing 767 and its first Boeing 777 completion to foreign heads of state in 2011. Without breaking momentum, the company took in two new aircraft to keep it busy through 2012 – further cementing its position as a global industry leader.

Elsewhere at the Port, efforts to upgrade a 450,000 square foot office facility known as Building 171 continued in 2011. The facility accommodates 11 Air Force agency headquarters and 3,000 personnel. Since 2009, the Port has managed over \$60 million in upgrades to the property to meet new Anti-Terrorism Force Protection standards that ensure the safety of its occupants and the sensitive work that takes place within. In 2012, the completion of final bays allowed the 24<sup>th</sup> Air Force-Cyber Command to become the final occupant of the building. There, the unit leads operations to defend the Air Force's information systems worldwide against the new frontier in warfare-cyber attacks.

Four properties adjacent to Building 171 are also undergoing upgrades managed by the Port to support Air Force expansion within a single 70-acre containment area. Buildings 178, 179, and 200, measuring a combined 218,000 square feet, provide additional offices and specialized space for important servers and other computer equipment, including those utilized by the 24<sup>th</sup> Air Force-Cyber Command.

In 2010, the Port also completed a \$10 million upgrade to a former World War II era warehouse, which now comprises 85,000 square feet of modern office space. The building allowed ACS, a Xerox Company and Port

customer since 2000, to relocate from a 45,000 square foot space it previously occupied into its new facility as it grew its workforce from 400 to over 800 employees throughout 2010 and 2011. The company provides business support services to private and governmental customers, including serving as the State Disbursement Unit for Texas child support payments.

The Port will reach an important milestone as two road construction phases which began in 2011 are expected to be completed in 2015. The first phase of construction which was completed in 2013 starts on the Port's northwest entrance, where 36<sup>th</sup> Street intersects with Growdon Road, and stretching for almost a mile to the south until it intersects with Billy Mitchell Boulevard. The new 36<sup>th</sup> Street extension creates an enhanced route inside the Port. The first phase of construction, also known as the 36<sup>th</sup> Street Project, is now fully open inside the Port between U.S. Highway 90 and Billy Mitchell Boulevard, and has improved overall access to the Port and opens 150 acres at Kelly Field for the development of new air-served facilities. In late 2014, the City will begin the second phase of construction on work that extends the road from Billy Mitchell Boulevard to General Hudnell Drive, creating additional connections for Port workers and commercial drivers.

The new sites opened by the 36<sup>th</sup> Street extension will enable the construction of new hangars and workshops that can support an additional 8,000 new jobs in that part of the Port alone – further positioning the region as an important and thriving aerospace center. The project is headed by the City's Capital Improvement Management Services Department. Additional project partners include the Metropolitan Planning Organization, CPS, SAWS, and TxDOT.

# Brooks City-Base

Brooks City-Base continues to foster the development of its business and technology center on the south side of San Antonio through its aggressive business attraction and retention efforts. Recognized as one of the most innovative economic development projects in the United States, Brooks City-Base is a 1,200 acre campus with approximately 250 acres available for immediate development. The U.S. Air Force ceased all operations at Brooks City-Base on September 15, 2011.

Since the project's inception, more than 2,400 jobs have been created with an average salary of \$48,000. More than \$300 million in real estate development has occurred on campus, with another \$170 million in projects being planned and constructed at Brooks City-Base through 2016.

Brooks Development Authority ("BDA") encouraged economic growth noting the following projects:

- VMC Consulting expands its center at Brooks City-Base creating 600 additional jobs to support San Antonio client base.
- Brooks City-Base is working to restore Hangar 9 and maintain its historical presence on campus.
- Spine and Pain Center of San Antonio, PLLC signed a ten-year lease agreement with BDA. The center opened its doors with approximately 9,622 rentable square feet.
- The Landings at Brooks City-Base completed the first phase of construction on a 300 unit multi-family apartment complex. The development is owned by the BDA and the NRP Group is the co-developer.
- The City completed construction of its new Fire and Police Emergency Dispatch Center, a state-of-theart communications facility located across from the City's Emergency Operations Center and replaced the 9-1-1 center located at the police headquarters downtown.
- BDA finalized a land sale to Head and Neck, a medical facility, to establish a 20,000 square foot medical office building on the Brooks City-Base Campus.
- On June 27, 2011, the Mission Trail Baptist Hospital, located on 28 acres at Brooks City-Base, opened its doors. This facility consists of three stories, with the capability of adding additional floors and square footage as needed. It currently employs 567 people.
- In June 2014, the University of the Incarnate Word ("UIW") announced plans to build the city's first osteopathic medical school on the campus of Brooks City-Base.
- Phase 1 of the medical school will begin with four buildings in the historic district of Brooks City-Base. The cost of building the school is approximately \$12 million. UIW will lease the buildings

starting August 1, 2014 and will take ownership after 25 years. The school is scheduled to open in 2016.

To continue fostering economic activities on the south side of San Antonio, BDA has leveraged resources in the following ways:

- BDA applied for designation as an EB-5 Regional Center in July 2011, and was granted its first EB-5 Regional Center Designation in October 2012. BCB is developing a master plan development with the goal of promoting and sustaining economic development activities in the area. BCB is seeking to raise EB-5 dollars to fund such projects as luxury lofts and the construction of a full service hotel at the former Air Force barracks. These specific projects amount to a capital investment of approximately \$60 million, and are expected to generate approximately 400 direct and indirect new jobs.
- BDA was awarded \$1.9 million from the State Energy Conservation Office ("SECO") for energy saving upgrades to eight buildings and 163 residential housing units. The SECO loans were obtained by BDA for energy saving upgrades to various residential housing units, new chiller systems for various buildings, replacement of heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems associated with Buildings 160 and 170, and upgrades to Buildings 532, 570, 775, and 150, for installation of rooftop solar panels and the replacement of the HVAC system.

On December 13, 2012, City Council designated Brooks City-Base as a Reinvestment Zone in accordance with State statute for the purpose of the Nexolon project. A Reinvestment Zone designation to the Brooks City-Base site will contribute to the retention and expansion of primary employment and attract major investment in the zone. The City also provided Nexolon a tax abatement and an EDG incentive. In turn, Nexolon has decided to locate its solar panel manufacturing operations and its U.S. corporate headquarters at Brooks City-Base. Nexolon has also agreed to support the creation and sustainment of a renewable energy and advanced manufacturing workforce through a \$500,000 contribution to the Alamo Colleges over five years. These funds will be used by the Alamo Colleges to continue its efforts to develop a customized curriculum and training program to support the development of a renewable energy workforce.

Sources: The Greater San Antonio Chamber of Commerce; San Antonio Medical Foundation; City of San Antonio, Department of International and Economic Development Department; Convention and Visitors Bureau; and the Strategic Alliance for Business and Economic Research Institute.

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**Growth Indices** 

# San Antonio Electric and Gas Customers

| For the Month |                    |               |
|---------------|--------------------|---------------|
| of December   | Electric Customers | Gas Customers |
| 2005          | 638,344            | 310,699       |
| 2006          | 662,029            | 314,409       |
| 2007          | 681,312            | 319,122       |
| 2008          | 693,815            | 320,407       |
| 2009          | 706,235            | 321,984       |
| 2010          | 717,109            | 324,634       |
| 2011          | 728,344            | 328,314       |
| 2012          | 741,566            | 330,945       |
| 2013          | 754,893            | 333,587       |
| 2014          | 770,588            | 336,367       |

Source: CPS.

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### **Construction Activity**

Set forth below is a table showing building permits issued for construction within the City at December 31 for the years indicated:

|          | Residential    |               | Residential    |                        |                    |                 |
|----------|----------------|---------------|----------------|------------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| Calendar | Sin            | Single Family |                | ti-Family <sup>1</sup> | Other <sup>2</sup> |                 |
| Year     | <b>Permits</b> | Valuation     | <u>Permits</u> | Valuation              | <b>Permits</b>     | Valuation       |
| 2005     | 8,207          | \$943,804,795 | 347            | \$5,221,672            | 20,126             | \$1,772,959,286 |
| 2006     | 7,301          | 890,864,655   | 560            | 13,028,440             | 19,447             | 1,985,686,296   |
| 2007     | 4,053          | 617,592,057   | 29             | 4,715,380              | 13,268             | 2,343,382,743   |
| 2008     | 2,588          | 396,825,916   | 13             | 2,033,067              | 9,637              | 2,634,745,310   |
| 2009     | 2,084          | 311,309,870   | 50             | 5,692,447              | 6,933              | 1,684,823,866   |
| 2010     | 1,976          | 307,406,128   | 10             | 1,612,057              | 5,702              | 1,320,800,279   |
| 2011     | 1,663          | 260,602,240   | 2              | 445,000                | 5,128              | 1,723,212,400   |
| 2012     | 2,001          | 330,367,267   | 29             | 4,240,304              | 5,192              | 1,876,833,267   |
| 2013     | 1,905          | 341,140,466   | 16             | 3,036,631              | 3,369              | 1,387,318,007   |
| 2014     | 2,309          | 409,534,507   | 13             | 1,596,105              | 5,457              | 2,936,277,109   |
|          |                |               |                |                        |                    |                 |

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Includes two-family duplex projects.

### Total Municipal Sales Tax Collections - Ten Largest Texas Cities

Set forth below in alphabetical order is total municipal sales tax collections for the calendar years indicated:

|                | <u>2014</u>   | <u>2013</u>   | <u>2012</u>   | <u>2011</u>   | <u>2010</u>   |
|----------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| Amarillo       | \$ 72,301,582 | \$ 70,744,051 | \$ 65,386,227 | N/A           | \$ 56,863,740 |
| Arlington      | 93,694,878    | 94,043,810    | 88,941,229    | \$ 86,127,967 | 83,143,848    |
| Austin         | 182,254,926   | 167,597,270   | 158,855,261   | 144,161,036   | 137,309,212   |
| Corpus Christi | 80,774,939    | 76,088,455    | 72,581,730    | 62,721,436    | N/A           |
| Dallas         | 256,926,027   | 242,456,290   | 232,445,766   | 215,394,908   | 204,732,898   |
| El Paso        | 78,615,134    | 75,831,660    | 74,164,329    | 72,347,296    | 68,348,227    |
| Fort Worth     | 126,263,002   | 118,919,449   | 112,745,847   | 105,424,832   | 100,569,555   |
| Houston        | 646,063,653   | 608,189,684   | 569,942,545   | 507,928,840   | 473,149,941   |
| Plano          | 75,393,702    | 69,804,509    | 68,410,251    | 66,325,563    | 58,888,948    |
| Round Rock     | N/A           | N/A           | N/A           | 63,030,582    | 61,644,122    |
| SAN ANTONIO    | 303,992,585   | 269,947,330   | 244,094,371   | 220,171,017   | 208,322,621   |

Source: State of Texas, Comptroller's Office.

#### **Education**

There are 15 independent school districts within Bexar County with a combined enrollment of 325,196 encompassing 42 high schools, 69 middle/junior high schools, 264 early education/elementary schools, 20 magnet schools, and 40 alternative schools as of October 2013. There are an additional 25 charter school districts with 69 open enrollment charter schools at all grade levels. In addition, Bexar County has 80 accredited private and parochial schools at all education levels. Generally, students attend school in the districts in which they reside. There is currently no busing between school districts in effect. The seven largest accredited and degree-granting universities, which include a school of medicine, a school of nursing, a dental school, a law school, and five public community colleges, had combined enrollments of 116,655 for Fall 2013.

Sources: Texas Education Agency; and Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Includes commercial building permits, commercial additions, improvements, extensions, and certain residential improvements. Source: City of San Antonio, Department of Development Services.

# **Employment Statistics**

The following table shows current nonagricultural employment estimates by industry in the San Antonio-New Braunfels MSA for the period of November 2014, as compared to the prior periods of October 2014 and November 2013, respectively.

# Employment by Industry

| San Antonio-New Braunfels MSA <sup>1</sup> | November 2014  | October 2014   | November 2013  |
|--|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| Mining and Logging                         | 6,500          | 6,600          | 6,000          |
| Construction                               | 46,100         | 45,100         | 41,900         |
| Manufacturing                              | 46,400         | 46,100         | 46,100         |
| Trade, Transportation, and Utilities       | 165,400        | 162,500        | 158,900        |
| Information                                | 21,500         | 21,300         | 20,900         |
| Financial Activities                       | 79,200         | 79,100         | 76,000         |
| Professional and Business Services         | 117,500        | 117,800        | 112,700        |
| Education and Health Services              | 143,900        | 143,000        | 140,200        |
| Leisure and Hospitality                    | 119,200        | 118,700        | 115,400        |
| Other Services                             | 35,100         | 34,900         | 34,300         |
| Government                                 | <u>164,100</u> | <u>162,700</u> | <u>163,400</u> |
| Total Nonfarm                              | 944,900        | 937,800        | 915,800        |

Based on Labor Market Information Department, Texas Workforce Commission (model-based methodology).

The following table shows civilian labor force estimates, the number of persons employed, the number of persons unemployed, and the unemployment rate in the San Antonio-New Braunfels MSA, Texas, and the United States for the period of November 2014, as compared to the prior periods of October 2014 and November 2013, respectively.

### **Unemployment Information** (all estimates in thousands)

| San Antonio-New Braunfels MSA <sup>1</sup> | November 2014 | October 2014 | November 2013 |
|--|---------------|--------------|---------------|
| Civilian Labor Force                       | 1,064.3       | 1,061.9      | 1,050.5       |
| Number of Employed                         | 1,018.7       | 1,014.1      | 992.7         |
| Number of Unemployed                       | 45.6          | 47.8         | 57.8          |
| Unemployment Rate (%)                      | 4.3           | 4.5          | 5.5           |
| Texas (Actual) <sup>1</sup>                | November 2014 | October 2014 | November 2013 |
| Civilian Labor Force                       | 13,069.2      | 13,067.7     | 12,882.2      |
| Number of Employed                         | 12,464.4      | 12,442.3     | 12,130.7      |
| Number of Unemployed                       | 604.8         | 625.4        | 751.5         |
| Unemployment Rate (%)                      | 4.6           | 4.8          | 5.8           |
| United States (Actual) <sup>1</sup>        | November 2014 | October 2014 | November 2013 |
| Civilian Labor Force                       | 156,297.0     | 156,616.0    | 155,046.0     |
| Number of Employed                         | 147,666.0     | 147,936.0    | 144,775.0     |
| Number of Unemployed                       | 8,630.0       | 8,680.0      | 10,271.0      |
| Unemployment Rate (%)                      | 5.5           | 5.5          | 6.6           |

Based on Labor Market Information Department, Texas Workforce Commission (model-based methodology).

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# San Antonio Electric and Gas Systems

### History and Management

The City acquired its electric and gas utilities in 1942 from the American Light and Traction Company, which had been ordered by the federal government to sell properties under provisions of the Holding Company Act of 1935. The bond ordinances establish management requirements and provide that the complete management and control of the City's electric and gas systems (the "EG Systems") is vested in a Board of Trustees consisting of five U.S. citizens permanently residing in Bexar County, Texas (the "CPS Board"). The Mayor of the City is a voting member of the CPS Board, represents the City Council, and is charged with the duty and responsibility of keeping the City Council fully advised and informed at all times of any actions, deliberations, and decisions of the CPS Board and its conduct of the management of the EG Systems.

Vacancies in membership on the CPS Board are filled by majority vote of the remaining members. New CPS Board appointees must be approved by a majority vote of the City Council. A vacancy, in certain cases, may be filled by the City Council.

The CPS Board is vested with all of the powers of the City with respect to the management and operation of the EG Systems and the expenditure and application of the revenues therefrom, including all powers necessary or appropriate for the performance of all covenants, undertakings, and agreements of the City contained in the bond ordinances, except regarding rates, condemnation proceedings, and issuances of bonds, notes, or commercial paper. It is also empowered to appoint and employ all officers and employees and must obtain and keep in force a "blanket" type employees' fidelity and indemnity bond (also known as commercial crime bond) covering losses in the amount of not less than \$100,000.

The management provisions of the bond ordinances also grant the City Council authority to review CPS Board action with respect to policies adopted relating to research, development, and planning.

### Citizens Advisory Committee

In 1997, CPS established a 15-member Citizens Advisory Committee ("CAC") to enhance its relationship with the community and to provide community input directly to the CPS Board and CPS staff. The CAC meets monthly with the primary goal of providing recommendations on utility-related projects and programs to offer a customer perspective on community issues, assist in identifying strengths, and offer suggestions for improvement to the organization. Representing the various sectors of CPS' service area, the CAC encompasses a broad range of customer groups in order to identify their concerns and understand their issues.

City Council members nominate ten of the 15 members, one representing each district. The other five members are at-large candidates interviewed and nominated by the CAC from those submitting applications and resumes. The CPS Board appoints all members to the CAC. Members can serve up to three, two-year terms.

### Service Area

The CPS electric system serves a territory consisting of substantially all of Bexar County and small portions of the adjacent counties of Comal, Guadalupe, Atascosa, Medina, Bandera, Wilson, and Kendall. Certification of this service area was granted by the Public Utility Commission of Texas (the "PUCT"). CPS is currently the exclusive provider of retail electric service within this service area, including the provision of electric service to some U.S. military installations located within the service area that own their own distribution facilities. Until and unless the City Council and the CPS Board exercise the option to opt-in to retail electric competition (called "Texas Electric Choice" by the PUCT), CPS has the sole right to provide retail electric services in its service area.

In addition to the area served at retail rates, CPS currently sells wholesale electricity to the Floresville Electric Light & Power System, the City of Hondo, and the City of Castroville. Long-term supply agreements have been entered into with Central Texas Electric Cooperative, the City of Boerne, the City of Seguin, and the Kerrville Public Utility Board to supply for terms that began in June 2013 and extend through 2021 for Central Texas Electric

Cooperative and through 2023 for the other three entities. In addition, from time to time, CPS provides a variety of supply arrangements on a short term basis for terms ranging from one month up to one year. The requirements under the existing wholesale agreements are firm energy obligations of CPS.

The CPS gas system serves the City and its environs, although there is no certificated CPS gas service area. In Texas, no legislative provision or regulatory procedure exists for certification of natural gas service areas. As a result, CPS competes against other gas supplying entities on the periphery of its service area.

CPS maintains "Franchise Agreements" with 30 incorporated communities in the San Antonio area. These Franchise Agreements permit CPS to operate its facilities in the cities' streets and public ways in exchange for a franchise fee on electric and natural gas revenues earned within the respective municipal boundaries. Effective February 1, 2014, CPS adjusted the franchise fee from 3% to 4.5%. All 30 cities have executed an addendum/ordinance to the existing franchise agreement in order for the percentage to take effect.

### Retail Service Rates

Under the Texas Public Utility Regulatory Act ("PURA"), significant original jurisdiction over the rates, services, and operations of "electric utilities" is vested in the PUCT. In this context, "electric utility" means an electric investor-owned utility ("IOU"). Since the electric deregulation aspects of Senate Bill 7, which were adopted by the Texas Legislature in 2001 ("SB 7") and became effective on January 1, 2002, the PUCT's jurisdiction over IOU companies primarily encompasses only the transmission and distribution functions. PURA generally excludes municipally-owned utilities (referred to individually as a "Municipal Utility" and collectively as the "Municipal Utilities"), such as CPS, from PUCT jurisdiction, although the PUCT has jurisdiction over electric wholesale transmission rates. Under the PURA, a municipal governing body or the body vested with the power to manage and operate a Municipal Utility such as CPS has exclusive jurisdiction to set rates applicable to all services provided by the Municipal Utility with the exception of electric wholesale transmission activities and rates. Unless and until the City Council and CPS Board choose to opt-in to electric retail competition, CPS' retail service electric rates are subject to appellate, but not original, rate regulatory jurisdiction by the PUCT in areas that CPS serves outside the City limits. To date, no such appeal to the PUCT of CPS' retail electric rates has ever been filed. CPS is not subject to the annual PUCT gross receipts fee payable by electric utilities.

The Railroad Commission of Texas ("RRCT") has significant original jurisdiction over the rates, services, and operations of all natural gas utilities in Texas. Municipal Utilities such as CPS are generally excluded from regulation by the RRCT, except in matters related to natural gas safety. CPS retail gas service rates are applicable to rate payers outside the City and are subject to appellate, but not original rate regulatory jurisdiction, by the RRCT in areas that CPS serves outside the City limits. To date, no such appeal to the RRCT of CPS' retail gas rates has ever been filed.

The City is obligated under the bond ordinances, as provided under the rate covenant, to establish and maintain rates, and collect charges which are sufficient to pay all maintenance and operating expenses as well as debt service requirements on all revenue debt of the EG Systems, and to make all other payments prescribed in the bond ordinances.

On November 7, 2013, the City Council approved CPS' request for a 4.25% electric and gas base rate increase which became effective February 1, 2014. CPS announced in late October 2014 that it will not need to request a rate adjustment through fiscal year ending January 31, 2017. Several factors contributed to this decision, including: lower debt costs due to recent refunding of debt; better than expected wholesale sales; a successful voluntary retirement incentive program; strong investment returns on the employee benefit plans, which reduces requirement for company funding; continued successful focus on additional cost control measures; a successful interim Transmission Cost of Service filing; and maintaining very strong cash and liquidity levels. CPS expects to continue to periodically seek electric and gas base rate increases that are intended to maintain debt coverage, debt to equity, and liquidity ratios.

CPS offers a monthly contract for renewable energy service under Rider E15. Effective February 1, 2014, CPS introduced the High Load Factor ("HLF") rate, which is applicable to customers with new added billing demand of 10 MW or greater. A rider to the Super Large Power ("SLP") rate, the Economic Incentive Rider E16, became effective March 10, 2003. Effective February 1, 2014, Rider E16 is now also applicable to the HLF rate. Rider E16 offers discounts off the SLP and HLF demand charge for a period up to four years for new or added load of at least 10 MW. Under certain conditions, the discount may be extended an additional six years.

In May 2009, the City Council passed a mechanism to fund CPS' Save for Tomorrow Energy Plan ("STEP") energy efficiency and conservation program, which will largely be funded through changes in the electric fuel adjustment fee. Each of CPS' retail and wholesale rates contain an electric fuel or gas cost adjustment clause, which provides for current recovery of fuel costs. Fuel cost recovery adjustments are set at the beginning of each CPS billing cycle month.

In June 2012, the City Council passed an ordinance authorizing the creation of Rider E19, an optional service offering of electricity generated by wind-powered turbines, solar-powered systems, or other renewable resources.

### Transmission Access and Rate Regulation

Pursuant to amendments made by the Texas Legislature in 1995 to the PURA ("PURA95"), Municipal Utilities, including CPS, became subject to the regulatory jurisdiction of the PUCT for transmission of wholesale energy. PURA95 requires the PUCT to establish open access transmission on the interconnected Texas grid for all utilities, co-generators, power marketers, independent power producers, and other transmission customers.

In 1999, the Texas Legislature amended the PURA95 to expressly authorize rate authority over Municipal Utilities for wholesale transmission and to require that the postage stamp method be used for wholesale transmission transactions. The PUCT in late 1999 amended its transmission rule to incorporate fully the postage stamp pricing method, which sets the price for transmission at the system average for the Electric Reliability Council of Texas ("ERCOT"). CPS' wholesale open access transmission charges are set out in tariffs filed with the PUCT, and are based on its transmission cost of service approved by the PUCT, representing CPS' input into the calculation of the statewide postage stamp pricing method. The PUCT's rule, consistent with provisions in PURA §35.005(b), also provides that the PUCT may require construction or enlargement of transmission facilities in order to facilitate wholesale transmission service.

Additional Impacts of Senate Bill 7 (Deregulation). SB 7 provides for an independent transmission system operator ("ISO") that is governed by a board comprised of market participants and independent members and is responsible for directing and controlling the operation of the transmission network within ERCOT. The PUCT has designated ERCOT as the ISO for the portion of Texas within the ERCOT area.

The greatest potential impact on CPS' electric system from SB 7 could result from a decision by the City Council and the CPS Board to participate in a fully competitive market, particularly since CPS is among the lowest cost electric energy producers in Texas. On April 26, 2001, the City Council passed a resolution stating that the City did not intend to opt-in to the deregulated electric market beginning January 1, 2002. However, CPS believes that it is taking all steps necessary to prepare for possible competition, should the City Council and the CPS Board make a decision to opt-in, or if future legislation forces Municipal Utilities into retail competition.

### Response to Competition

As of July 2014, CPS' renewable energy capacity totals 1,162.3 MW in service with another 354.9 MW under contract and in varying levels of project construction. CPS has executed a Master Agreement with OCI Solar Power for 400 MW from seven facilities expected to be built and operational by 2017. Each individual facility comprising OCI's 400 MW will have its own Purchase Power Agreement. OCI's Alamo 1 project facility of 40.7 MW achieved commercial operation in December 2013, St. Hedwig (Alamo 2) for 4.4 MW achieved commercial operation in March 2014. OCI has two facilities in varying levels of development. The Brackettville (Alamo 4) project at 39.6 MW achieved commercial operation in August 2014 and the Walzem (Alamo 3) project at 5.5 MW is scheduled for commercial operation in January 2015. The Nelson Gardens 4.2 MW landfill gas generation project

achieved commercial operation in April 2014. CPS has one of the strongest renewable energy programs in Texas, with a renewable capacity under contract totaling 1,517.2 MW.

Strategic Planning Initiatives. CPS has a comprehensive corporate strategic plan that is designed to make CPS more efficient and competitive, while delivering value to its various customer groups and the City.

In 2008, CPS implemented Vision 2020, outlining CPS' long-term view and focusing on four key objectives: increasing its energy efficiency and conservation efforts; expanding renewable-energy resources; providing cost-competitive electricity; and maintaining its strong commitment to the environment. To ensure achievement of the vision, the following key strategic business drivers were established, along with targets for each: customer relationships, employee relationships, external relationships, operational excellence, renewable/carbon constraints/environment, technology and innovation, and financial integrity. CPS periodically updates Vision 2020 to ensure it properly reflects CPS' perspective and direction and continues to work with City and community leaders in the development of sustainability initiatives to improve the overall quality of life in San Antonio.

Debt and Asset Management Program. CPS has developed a debt and asset management program ("Debt Management Program") for the purposes of lowering the debt component of energy costs, maximizing the effective use of cash and cash equivalent assets, and enhancing financial flexibility. An important part of the Debt Management Program is debt restructuring through the prudent employment of variable rate debt. The program also focuses on the use of unencumbered cash and available cash flow, when available, to redeem debt ahead of scheduled maturities as a means of reducing outstanding debt. The Debt Management Program is designed to lower interest costs, fund strategic initiatives and increase net cash flow. CPS has a Debt Management Policy (the "Policy") providing guidelines under which financing and debt transactions are managed. The Policy focuses on financial options intended to lower debt service costs on outstanding debt; facilitate alternative financing methods to capitalize on the present market conditions and optimize capital structure; and maintain favorable financial ratios. The Policy limits CPS' gross variable rate exposure to 25% of total outstanding debt. Variable rate debt as of January 31, 2014, comprised approximately 14.1% of CPS' debt portfolio.

In January 2014, CPS sold its communication towers to Crown Castle in a transaction valued at \$41 million (net cash benefit to CPS). Communication tower management is not in line with CPS' core business and, as a result, CPS determined that this asset was better utilized to pay down existing CPS debt.

### Electric System

Generating Plants. CPS operates 19 non-nuclear electric generating units, four of which are coal-fired and 15 of which are gas-fired. Some of the gas-fired generating units may also burn fuel oil, providing greater fuel flexibility and reliability. CPS also owns a 40% interest in South Texas Project's ("STP") two nuclear generating Units 1 and 2. The nuclear units supplied 32.7% of the FY 2014 electric system's native load.

New Generation/Conservation. One of CPS' strongest aspects of operational and financial effectiveness has been the benefit it has derived from its diverse and low-cost generation portfolio, which is currently comprised of coal, nuclear, and gas; various renewables such as wind, landfill gas, and solar; as well as purchased power. Continued diversification is a primary objective of the CPS management team. Accordingly, this team periodically assesses future generation options that would be viable for future decades. This extensive assessment of various options involves projections of customer growth and demand, technological viability, upfront financial investment requirements, annual asset operation and maintenance costs, environmental impacts, and other factors.

To mitigate the pressure on new generation construction requirements, CPS' management is expanding its efforts towards community-wide energy efficiency and conservation. These mitigation efforts are very important to CPS' strategic energy plans and, specifically, to its new generation needs. CPS is currently implementing energy efficiency and conservation measures designed to save approximately 771 MW of electrical demand by the year 2020. Additionally, CPS' management has explored, and continues to cooperatively develop, opportunities with City Council for potential changes in ordinances, codes and administrative regulations focused on encouraging commercial and residential utility customers, builders, contractors and other market participants to implement energy conservation measures.

CPS annually conducts an assessment of generation resource options to meet its expected future electric requirements. This assessment includes updates to fuel prices, wholesale electric market forecasts, and updates to its electric peak demand forecast, which incorporate the most recent economic, demographic and historical demand data for the CPS service territory. Additionally, this assessment includes updated demand reductions due to the STEP energy efficiency and conservation program.

*STP Participant Ownership.* STP is a two-unit nuclear power plant, with Unit 1 and Unit 2 having a nominal output of approximately 1,330 MW each. Participants in the STP Units 1 and 2 and their shares therein are as follows (MW capacity are approximations):

# Ownership Effective February 2, 2006

| <u>Participants</u>          | Percent (%) | MW    |
|------------------------------|-------------|-------|
| NRG Energy ("NRG")           | 44.0        | 1,170 |
| CPS                          | 40.0        | 1,064 |
| City of Austin-Austin Energy | 16.0        | 426   |
| -                            | 100.0       | 2,660 |

STP is maintained and operated by a non-profit Texas corporation ("STP Nuclear Operating Company" or "STPNOC") financed and controlled by the owners pursuant to an operating agreement among the owners and STPNOC. Currently, a four-member board of directors governs STPNOC, with each owner appointing one member to serve with STPNOC's chief executive officer. All costs and output continue to be shared in proportion to ownership interests.

STP Units 1 and 2 each have a 40-year Nuclear Regulatory Commission ("NRC") license that expires in 2027 and 2028, respectively. In October 2010, STPNOC filed an application with the NRC to extend the operating licenses of STP Units 1 and 2 to 2047 and 2048, respectively. The NRC issued a revision to STPNOC's license renewal application schedule due to a scheduling request from the Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards and due to continued work on one of the open items. This schedule change lists milestones associated with issuance of the Safety Evaluation Report as "to be determined". In a separate action, a June 2012 decision by the United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia vacated the NRC's waste confidence rule update. In response, the NRC issued an order stating that final approval of licenses dependent on the waste confidence rule, such as new reactor licenses and license renewals, would not be granted until the court ruling had been addressed. Subsequently, the NRC directed their staff to develop a new waste confidence rule and Generic Environmental Impact Statement ("GEIS") by September 2014. In January 2014, the NRC revised the review schedule for issuing the GEIS and proposed new final rule to October 3, 2014. The slight delay in schedule was related to time lost during the government shutdown and lapse of appropriations in October 2013. On August 26, 2014 the NRC approved the GEIS and final rule (renamed the "Continued Storage rule"). In a separate order, NRC approved lifting the licensing suspension once the Continued Storage rule becomes effective. The rule became effective on October 20, 2014. On September 29, 2014, interveners filed a petition to suspend the new rule with the Atomic Safety and Licensing Board (the "ASLB") and a proposed contention opposing the NRC's action. In late October 2014, the states of New York, Vermont, and Connecticut filed a timely petition for review of the Continued Storage rule by the U.S. Court of Appeals for the D.C. Circuit. Barring further action by the D.C. Circuit Court of Appeals, CPS expects that STPNOC's license renewal applications will be approved in the later part of 2016. Upon approval of these applications, STP Units 1 and 2 will be licensed for a total of 60 years of operation.

Used Nuclear Fuel Management. Under the Nuclear Waste Policy Act, 42 U.S.C. 10101, et seq. ("NWPA"), the Department of Energy ("DOE") has an obligation to provide for the permanent disposal of high-level radioactive waste, which includes used nuclear fuel at United States commercial nuclear power plants such as STP. To fund that obligation, all owners or operators of commercial nuclear power plants have entered into a standard contract under which the owner(s) pay a fee to DOE of 1.0 mill per kilowatt hour electricity generated and sold from the power plant along with additional assessments. In exchange for collecting this fee and the assessments, the DOE undertook the obligation to develop a high-level waste repository for safe long-term storage of the fuel and, no later than January 31, 1998 to transport and dispose of the used fuel. To date, no high-level waste repository has been licensed to accept used fuel. The National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioner

("NARUC") has challenged further collection of this fee. On November 19, 2013, the U.S. Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia ruled in favor of NARUC and ordered the DOE to submit to Congress a proposal to reduce the fee to zero until certain conditions are met. While the reporting of volumes will continue, effective May 16, 2014, the rate changed to 0.0 mill per kilowatt hour (0/M/kWh), or no fee.

Until DOE is able to fulfill its responsibilities under the NWPA, the NWPA has provisions directing the NRC to create procedures to provide for interim storage of used nuclear fuel at the site of a commercial nuclear reactor. STPNOC has started the process of planning, licensing, and building an on-site independent spent fuel storage installation ("ISFSI", also known as "Dry Cask Storage") with the expectation that the ISFSI will be operational towards the middle of the decade. CPS will be responsible for 40% of the cost of the project and expects to pay these costs using funds currently held in the STP Decommissioning Trust. CPS has received reimbursement for certain initial costs related to the Dry Cask Storage project and expects that certain additional costs related to the Dry Cask Storage project will be reimbursable under a settlement executed with the DOE.

Additional Nuclear Generation Opportunities. In 2006 and 2007, CPS management undertook an examination of its future generation options. The option that was ultimately pursued was participation with NRG and its affiliate Nuclear Innovation North America ("NINA") in the development of two new generating units, STP Units 3 and 4, at the STP. After agreeing in September 2007 to participate in preliminary development of the project, with a possible ownership of up to 50% of the two new units, CPS undertook a lengthy process of cost analysis and project development, which concluded in late 2009 and early 2010 with a dispute and a litigated settlement between CPS, NRG, and NINA. As a result of the settlement, CPS relinquished all but 7.625% interest in the project and its percentage ownership interest in common facilities at STP Units 1 and 2 that would also be used by STP Units 3 and 4 once operational and, in exchange, was shielded from any further costs of development through and up to the time the units were ready for commercial operation. In addition, CPS will also receive two \$40 million installment payments conditioned upon award of a federal loan guarantee award to NRG and the NRG/Toshiba Corporation partnership, NINA. NINA also agreed to make a contribution of \$10 million over a four year period to Residential Energy Assistance Partnership, Inc., a Section 501(c)(3) non-profit corporation that provides emergency bill payment assistance to low income customers. Following that settlement, NINA has pursued development of the project and has sought a federal loan guarantee to finance the project, with support from CPS as required (but without any additional investment in funds by CPS). If STP Units 3 and 4 become operational, CPS anticipates that its 7.625% ownership interest therein will entitle it to annually receive approximately 200 MW of power at which time CPS would also be responsible for its pro rata share of the cost of operating and maintaining these new units.

The March 2011 tsunami in Japan that damaged the Fukushima nuclear plant owned by Tokyo Electric Power Company had an immediate and significant effect on the status of and prospects for future nuclear development in the United States. On April 19, 2011, NRG announced that it planned to write down its entire investment in STP Units 3 and 4 by recording a first-quarter charge of approximately \$481 million associated with the impairment of all of the net assets of NINA. NRG stated the events in Japan had introduced uncertainties that reduced the probability of being able to successfully develop STP Units 3 and 4 in a timely fashion. NRG also announced that it will not invest any additional capital into STP Units 3 and 4 but will continue to own a legal interest. Toshiba America Nuclear Energy ("TANE") will be responsible for funding ongoing costs to continue the licensing process; however, TANE has yet to publicly disclose any specific plans beyond its possible short-term licensing effort. In light of the reduction in scope of STP Units 3 and 4, and uncertainty regarding timelines and long-term milestone commitments, CPS' management continues to evaluate whether it should fully or partially write-down its investment in STP Units 3 and 4. CPS has made an assessment that its investment in STP Units 3 and 4 remains valuable and that the most appropriate treatment would be to continue to report this investment on its balance sheets at full historical cost. However, if it is determined at some point in the future that a write down is appropriate, due to the unusual and infrequent nature of the circumstances that have to be considered, the impact of writing down STP Units 3 and 4 would be treated as an extraordinary item on its Statements of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Fund Net Assets. The write down would be a noncash transaction that would have no impact on CPS' debt service coverage ratio; however, it would change the debt-to-equity ratio. CPS continues to maintain regular communication with all stakeholders, including the rating agencies, regarding ongoing assessment of the viability of STP Units 3 and 4 and the impact to its financial position.

NRC staff issued a letter dated December 13, 2011, stating that NINA's Combined License Application ("COLA") does not meet the requirements of 10 CFR 50.38 (Ineligibility of Certain Applicants). This federal regulation contains restrictions associated with foreign ownership, control and domination ("FOCD"). The letter also stated that NRC staff is suspending its review of the foreign ownership section of the STP Units 3 and 4 COLA until this matter is resolved by NINA. The NRC stated that it would continue the review of the remaining portions of the COLA. The NRC letter referenced a NINA letter dated June 23, 2011, in which NINA submitted to the NRC revised General and Financial Information that included a revised foreign ownership Negation Action Plan. This information was later included as Part 1 of Revision 6 to the STP Units 3 and 4 COLA that NINA submitted to the NRC on August 30, 2011. In the revised Negation Action Plan, Toshiba could acquire up to a 90% ownership interest in NINA, with a corresponding 85% ownership interest in STP Units 3 and 4. On December 31, 2011, in response to the NRC letter dated December 13, 2011, interveners filed a motion for summary disposition of the STP Units 3 and 4 COLA due to the foreign ownership, control, and domination issue. Subsequently, on February 7, 2012, the ASLB denied this motion for summary disposition, noting an evidentiary hearing would be the more appropriate method of analyzing the facts related to this issue. NINA submitted a revision to the STP Units 3 and 4 COLA. Subsequent to the COLA revision, NINA submitted to the NRC a revised Negation Action Plan as well as updated information related to FOCD and financial qualification. On April 29, 2013, as part of the NRC's FOCD review of STP Units 3 and 4, the NRC staff issued a determination that NINA continues to be under foreign ownership, control or domination. NINA's management believes that this initial ruling by the NRC staff was a necessary first step in order to move the process forward to an evidentiary hearing by the NRC ASLB and continues to remain optimistic that an evidentiary hearing will result in a determination that NINA is not under foreign ownership, control or domination. A decision was issued by the ASLB on April 10, 2014 ruling in favor of NINA's position that it is not under foreign ownership, control or domination. In May 2014, the interveners filed an appeal with the NRC Commissioners regarding ASLB's decision on the FOCD issue. On August 27, 2014, the NRC issued an order that extends the time for the Commission to review this matter. This most recent development regarding the FOCD is deemed to have no impact on CPS' assessment of the reported value of its investment in STP Units 3 and 4.

Qualified Scheduling Entity ("QSE"). CPS operates as an ERCOT Level 4 QSE representing all of CPS' assets and load. The communication with ERCOT and the CPS power plants is monitored and dispatched 24 hours per day, 365 days a year. QSE functions include load forecasting, day ahead and real time scheduling of load, generation and bilateral transactions, generator unit commitment and dispatch, communications, invoicing and settlement.

Transmission System. CPS maintains a transmission network for the movement of large amounts of electric power from generating stations to various parts of the service area, to or from neighboring utilities, and for wholesale energy transactions as required. This network is composed of 138 and 345 kilovolt ("kV") lines with autotransformers that provide the necessary flexibility in the movement of bulk power.

Distribution System. The distribution system is currently supplied by 87 substations, which are strategically located on the high voltage 138 kV transmission system. The central business district of the City is served by nine underground networks, each consisting of four primary feeders operated at 13.8 kV, transformers equipped with network protectors, and both a 4-wire 120/208 volt secondary grid system and a 4-wire 277/480 volt secondary spot system. This system is well-designed for both service and reliability. Approximately 7,744 circuit miles (three-phase equivalent) of overhead distribution lines are included in the distribution system. These overhead lines also carry secondary circuits and street lighting circuits. The underground distribution system consists of 430 miles of three-phase equivalent distribution lines, 84 miles of three-phase downtown network distribution lines, and 4,485 miles of single-phase underground residential distribution lines. Many of the residential subdivisions added in recent years are served by underground residential distribution systems.

### Gas System

Transmission System. The gas transmission system consists of a network of approximately 89 miles of steel mains that range in size from 4 to 30 inches. Over 62 miles of the gas transmission system were placed into service since 2000 and over 90% are less than 25 years old. The entire system is coated and cathodically protected to mitigate corrosion. The gas transmission system operates at pressures between 135 pounds per square inch ("psig") and 1,100 psig, and supplies gas to the gas distribution system and CPS Generating Plants. A Supervisory

Control and Data Acquisition ("SCADA") computer system monitors the gas pressure and flow rates at many strategic locations within the transmission. Additionally, most of the critical pressure regulating stations and isolation valves are remotely controlled by SCADA.

Distribution System. The gas distribution system consists of 294 pressure regulating stations and approximately 5,210 miles of mains. The system consists of 2 to 30-inch steel mains and 1-1/4 to 8-inch high-density polyethylene (plastic) mains. The distribution system operates at pressures between 9 psig and 274 psig. All steel mains are coated and cathodically protected to mitigate corrosion. Critical areas of the distribution system are designated critical pressure regulating stations and isolation valves are remotely controlled by SCADA.

### Implementation of New Accounting Policies

For the fiscal year ended January 31, 2013, CPS implemented:

GASB Statement No. 60, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Service Concession Arrangements, establishes guidance for reporting service concession arrangements. CPS does not currently have any arrangements that would fall under the scope of this guidance; therefore, there was no impact to CPS' financial statements from this implementation.

GASB Statement No. 61, *The Financial Reporting Entity: Omnibus, an amendment of GASB Statements No. 14 and No. 34*, modifies certain criteria used to determine whether an entity should be considered a component unit. The modifications did not cause a change in the status of any of CPS' component units.

GASB Statement No. 62, Codification of Accounting and Financial Reporting Guidance Contained in Pre-November 30, 1989 Financial Accounting Standards Board ("FASB") and American Institute of Certified Public Accountants ("AICPA") Pronouncements, incorporates guidance that previously could only be found in certain FASB and AICPA pronouncements issued prior to November 30, 1989. There was no impact to CPS' financial statements as a result of the implementation of this guidance.

GASB Statement No. 63, Financial Reporting of Deferred Outflows of Resources, Deferred Inflows of Resources, and Net Position, establishes guidance for reporting these elements in the statement of financial position and lays out two presentation formats that may be used. It specifies that the statement of net position should report the residual amount as net position rather than net assets. Other than a change in presentation, there was no impact to CPS' financial statements from implementation of this guidance.

For the fiscal year ended January 31, 2014, CPS implemented:

GASB Statement No. 65, *Items Previously Reported as Assets and Liabilities*, establishes accounting and financial reporting standards that reclassify, as deferred outflows of resources or deferred inflows of resources, certain items that were previously reported as assets and liabilities and recognizes, as outflows of resources or inflows of resources, certain items that were previously reported as assets and liabilities. Additionally, this Statement provides reporting guidance related to deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources. Adoption of this Statement resulted in the reclassification of certain items previously reported as assets or liabilities. Additionally, a regulatory asset was established for the debt issuance costs that would otherwise have been expensed upon implementation of GASB Statement No. 65.

GASB Statement No. 66, Technical Corrections – 2012 – an amendment of GASB Statements No. 10 and No. 62, removes from GASB Statement No. 10 certain provisions pertaining to fund-based reporting and modifies specific guidance in GASB Statement No. 62 on accounting for (1) certain types of lease payments, (2) certain elements of purchased loan transactions, and (3) certain fees related to mortgage loans that are sold. There was no impact on CPS' financial statements from implementation of this guidance.

GASB Statement No. 67, Financial Reporting for Pension Plans, amends the requirements of GASB Statements No. 25, Financial Reporting for Defined Benefit Pension Plans and Note Disclosures for Defined Contribution Plans, and GASB Statement No. 50, Pension Disclosures, as they relate to pension plans that are administered through trusts, or equivalent arrangements. This Statement enhances note disclosures and required

supplementary information ("RSI") for both defined-benefit and defined-contribution pension plans. It also requires the presentation of new information about annual money-weighted rates of return in the notes to the financial statements and in ten-year RSI schedules. This Statement is implemented in FY 2014 by the CPS-sponsored pension benefit trust.

GASB Statement No. 70, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Nonexchange Financial Guarantee Transactions, provides accounting and disclosure guidance for transactions in which a government has extended or received a financial guarantee without directly receiving equal-value consideration in exchange. This guidance requires a government that has extended or received a nonexchange financial guarantee to recognize a liability in certain circumstances involving the likelihood or actuality or payments being made on those guarantees. There was no impact from the implementation of this guidance, as CPS is currently neither the grantor nor the beneficiary of any nonexchange financial guarantees.

For the fiscal year ended January 31, 2015, CPS will implement:

GASB Statement No. 68, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions, replaces the requirements of GASB Statement No. 27, Accounting for Pensions by State and Local Governmental Employers, as well as the requirements of GASB Statement No. 50, Pension Disclosures, as they relate to governmental employers that account for pensions that are provided through trusts, or equivalent arrangements. Employers are required to report the difference between the actuarial total pension liability and the pension plan's fiduciary net position as the net pension liability on the statement of net position. Previously, a liability was recognized only to the extent that contributions made to the plan were exceeded by the actuarially calculated contributions. Preliminary analysis performed by CPS and its actuarial consultant indicate that CPS will be required to report a net pension liability that will be significantly higher compared to the net pension obligation currently measured and reported in accordance with GASB Statement No. 27. The adoption of GASB Statement No. 68 is recognized retroactively for all periods reported concurrently with FY 2015. CPS is using regulatory accounting, as permitted under GASB Statement No. 62, to account for the adjustment required to offset the increased pension liability recognized with the implementation of GASB Statement No. 68 pension accounting methods.

GASB Statement No. 69, Government Combinations and Disposals of Government Operations, establishes accounting and financial reporting guidance related to government combinations and disposals of government operations. The term government combinations refer to a variety of transactions and may be mergers, acquisitions, or transfers of operations. This standard sets forth definitions of each of these transaction types and prescribes the specific accounting and reporting treatment to be given for each. The Statement also provides accounting and reporting guidance for disposals of government operations that have been sold or transferred. The requirements of this Statement are applied prospectively, beginning in FY 2015. The effect of this guidance on CPS will be limited to its impact on recognition of potential combination and disposal transactions into which CPS may enter in the future.

GASB Statement No. 71, Pension Transition for Contributions Made Subsequent to the Measurement Date, an amendment of GASB Statement No. 68, was issued to address an issue regarding application of the transition provisions of GASB Statement No. 68. The issue relates to amounts associated with contributions, if any, made by a state or local government employer or nonemployer contributing entity to a defined benefit pension plan after the measurement date of the government's beginning net pension liability. This Statement amends paragraph 137 of GASB Statement No. 68 to require that, at transition, a government recognize a beginning deferred outflow of resources for its pension contributions, if any, made subsequent to the measurement date of the beginning net pension liability. The effect of this guidance on CPS is limited to recognition of a deferred outflow of resources in FY 2015 for contributions made subsequent to the measurement date of the net pension liability.

The Patient Protection and Affordable Healthcare Act ("PPACA") was signed into law on March 23, 2010. Healthcare provisions of the PPACA may result in increased costs to CPS in future years. CPS has analyzed the regulations as they currently exist and has developed a long-term strategy to address potential increases in costs associated with the health plan benefits it provides to its employees. CPS will continue to monitor the PPACA regulations as they evolve, as well as the status of the CPS employee health plans, to ensure compliance with all PPACA regulations while maintaining manageable plan costs for CPS and its employees.

Other than the aforementioned changes, no additional significant accounting principles or reporting changes were implemented in the fiscal years ending January 31, 2013 and January 31, 2014. Other accounting and reporting changes that occurred during the prior reporting year continued into the fiscal year ending January 31, 2014.

#### Recent Financial Transactions

On March 29, 2012, CPS issued \$521.0 million of Taxable New Series 2012 Revenue Bonds to purchase the Rio Nogales natural gas power generation plant.

On June 28, 2012, CPS issued \$655.4 million of Revenue Refunding Bonds, New Series 2012 to refund \$716.3 million of Revenue Bonds, New Series 2005 and 2006A, and Revenue Refunding Bonds, New Series 2005A.

On November 29, 2012, CPS issued \$143.6 million of Variable Rate Junior Lien Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2012A, 2012B, and 2012C to refund \$147.6 million of Junior Lien Revenue Bonds, Series 2004.

On June 7, 2013, CPS cash defeased \$63.5 million of New Series 2003A Bonds.

On July 25, 2013, CPS issued \$375.0 million of Junior Lien Revenue Bonds, Series 2013 to fund the Capital Construction Program.

On July 3, 2014, CPS issued \$200.0 million of Junior Lien Revenue Bonds, Series 2014 to fund capital expenditures to the EG Systems.

On November 5, 2014, CPS issued \$262.5 million of Junior Lien Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2014 to refund \$294.6 million of Revenue Refunding Bonds, New Series 2005.

On December 1, 2014, CPS remarketed for a four year term \$47.14 million of Variable Rate Junior Lien Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2012A, while at the same time defeasing \$1.04 million of the original issued bonds.

On January 7, 2015, CPS issued \$250.0 million of Variable Rate Junior Lien Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2015A and 2015B to refund \$250.0 million of Junior Lien Revenue Bonds, Series 2003.

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# CPS Historical Net Revenues and Coverage

| _  | Fiscal Years Ended January 31, (Dollars in Thousands) |             |             |             | ands)       |
|--|---|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
|  | 2010  | 2011        | 2012        | 2013        | 2014        |
| Gross Revenues 1                                       | \$1,981,103   | \$2,099,240 | \$2,296,138 | \$2,207,863 | \$2,434,969 |
| Maintenance & Operating Expenses                       | 1,205,189   | 1,233,286   | 1,411,334   | 1,375,027   | 1,528,300   |
| Available For Debt Service                             | \$ 775,914  | \$ 865,954  | \$ 884,804  | \$ 832,836  | \$ 906,669  |
| Actual Principal and Interest Requirements:            |   |             |             |             |             |
| Senior Lien Obligations <sup>2, 3</sup>                | \$ 332,540  | \$ 357,054  | \$ 363,339  | \$ 366,474  | \$ 333,089  |
| Junior Lien Obligations <sup>4</sup>                   | \$ 6,987  | \$ 10,774   | \$ 22,372   | \$ 23,256   | \$ 34,284   |
| Actual Coverage-Senior Lien Actual Coverage-Senior and | 2.33x   | 2.43x       | 2.44x       | 2.27x       | 2.72x       |
| Junior Liens   | 2.29x   | 2.35x       | 2.29x       | 2.14x       | 2.47x       |
| Pro Forma MADS Coverage                                |   |             |             |             |             |
| Senior Lien Obligations <sup>5</sup>                   | 2.40x   | 2.68x       | 2.74x       | 2.58x       | 2.81x       |
| Senior and Junior Lien Obligations <sup>6</sup>        | 1.79x   | 2.00x       | 2.04x       | 1.92x       | 2.09x       |

Calculated in accordance with the CPS bond ordinances.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Net of accrued interest where applicable.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Includes a reduction of \$5.0 million, \$14.5 million, \$15.6 million, \$15.6 million, and \$14.4 million for the fiscal years ending 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, and 2014 respectively, related to the direct subsidy for the Build America Bonds. Also, takes into account the effects of Sequestration.

Includes a reduction of \$2.5 million, \$10.5 million, \$10.5 million, and \$9.7 million for the fiscal years ending 2011, 2012, 2013, and 2014, respectively, related to the direct subsidy for the Taxable Junior Lien Series 2010A direct subsidy Build America Bonds and Taxable Junior Lien Series 2010B direct subsidy Build America Bonds. Also, takes into account the effects of Sequestration.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Maximum annual debt service on Senior Lien Obligations. Preliminary, subject to change.

Maximum annual debt service on Senior Lien Obligations and the Junior Lien Obligations; maximum annual debt service on the Junior Lien Obligations that are variable rate obligations calculated at the highest permissible rate during the reporting period.

### **The Airport System**

#### General

The San Antonio International Airport (the "Airport" or "SAT"), located on a 2,600-acre site that is adjacent to Loop 410 freeway and U.S. Highway 281, is eight miles north of the City's downtown business district. The Airport consists of three runways with the main runway measuring 8,502 feet and able to accommodate up to and including Group V passenger aircraft. Its two terminal buildings contain 25 second-level gates. Presently, the following domestic air carriers provide scheduled service to San Antonio: American Airlines, Delta Air Lines, Southwest Airlines, United Airlines, and US Airways, as well as associated affiliates of certain of the aforementioned air carriers. AeroMexico, Southwest, United, Interjet, Volaris, VivaAerobus and associated affiliates, provide passenger service to five Mexico destinations. VivaAerobus, the newest entrant carrier, started four weekly non-stop flights to Monterrey, Mexico in November 2014. New air services coming in March and April 2015 include American to Miami, Florida and Southwest to New Orleans, Louisiana, respectively. In addition to Southwest and United, both American and Delta introduced new non-stop flights to Los Angeles in late 2014 and early 2015, respectively.

The Airport is classified as a medium hub facility by the FAA. A "medium hub facility" is defined as a facility that enplanes between 0.25% and 0.50% of all passengers enplaned on certificated route air carriers in all services in the 50 states, the District of Columbia, and other designated territorial possessions of the United States. According to Airports Council International – North America ("ACI-NA"), an airport industry group, the Airport ranked 43<sup>rd</sup> based on preliminary total U.S. airport's passenger traffic for calendar year 2013. For the calendar year ended December 31, 2013, the Airport enplaned approximately 4.1 million passengers. Airport management has determined that approximately 90% of the Airport's domestic passenger traffic is origination and destination in nature, which is important because it demonstrates strong travel to and from the City independent from any one airline's hubbing strategies. A variety of services is available to the traveling public from approximately 245 commercial businesses, which lease facilities at the Airport and Stinson Municipal Airport ("Stinson" and, together with the Airport, the "Airport System").

The City updated the Master Plan ("Vision 2050") for the Airport, which was approved by City Council on March 31, 2011 and provides direction for the development of the Airport for five, ten, and 20 years into the future. For the five-year plan, the Vision 2050 update recommends modest improvements to complement the Capital Improvement Plan (defined below). Among the recommended improvements to be financed and constructed by the City are renovating and renewing Terminal A, land acquisition, and constructing a taxiway connector, Airport maintenance facility, and an administrative center. Additionally, recommended improvements included in Vision 2050 to be financed and constructed by non-City sources, such as customer facility charges and third party and/or tenant financing, include an expansion of the Airport fuel farm, a consolidated rental car center, and the expansion of tenant ground service equipment maintenance and storage facilities.

Stinson, located on 300 acres approximately 5.2 miles southeast of the City's downtown business district, was established in 1915, and is one of the country's first municipally owned airports. It is the second oldest continuously operating airport in the U.S. and is the FAA's designated general aviation reliever airport to the Airport. The Airport Master Plan for Stinson was updated in May 2013 to establish a long range development strategy or "blueprint" for the sustained, and fiscally responsible, growth of the Airport through 2031. The Airport Master Plan for Stinson seeks to balance airport growth against the need to minimize impacts on the surrounding environment. In doing so, the study focused on optimizing operations at the airport, providing flexible options for growth, while identifying possible areas suitable for new facilities.

The City entered into an Airport Project Participation Agreement with TxDOT for a Federally Assisted Airport Development Grant on April 11, 2013 for engineering/design services for: evaluation of FAA Advisory Circular 1050/5300-13A on Runway 14/32 and Taxiway A; overlay and mark Runway 14-32; overlay Taxiway A, B, and C; replace medium intensity lights on Runway 14/32; upgrade airfield guidance signs on Runway 14/32 and Taxiway A, B, and C. A second agreement with TxDOT was made on April 18, 2013 for engineering/design services to relocate the air traffic control tower.

### Capital Improvement Plan

The proposed six-year (FY 2015 – FY 2020) Capital Improvement Plan (the "CIP") totals approximately \$261 million, which is comprised of certain projects including the design and construction of a consolidated rental car facility, airfield improvements, land acquisition, residential acoustical treatment, road improvements, aircraft apron expansion, and cargo improvements.

# The CIP consists of the following:

#### Terminal Facilities

- Terminal A Renovation and Renewal. This project is to renovate and renew Terminal A through the redevelopment of building infrastructure, interior updates, and wayfinding devices.
- Terminal A Renovations and Refurbishments, Phase II. This project is for design and construction for the expansion of the customs facility in Terminal A which will be constructed in phases along with addressing building infrastructure not captured in the first phase.
- TSA-Advanced Surveillance Program. This project provides greater surveillance of the various Terminal locations to enhance security, aid in the speedy resolution of claims, and assist in the resolution of law enforcement issues.
- Terminal A Security Checkpoint Expansion. This project designs and constructs the expansion of Terminal A Security Checkpoint for additional security lines and provides a connector between Terminals A and B to improve checkpoint congestion.

### Airfield Improvements

- Taxiway G Reconstruction. Phased to minimize construction impacts on airport operations. Package I provides the reconstruction of the southeastern section of Taxiway G, from Runway 4/22 to Taxiway A. Package II provides a reconstruction of Taxiway G at intersections of Taxiway N and L, along with the South Inner Taxilane parallel to Terminal A.
- Perimeter Road Reconstruction. This project provides for the design and phased reconstruction of critical areas of the perimeter road.

### Acoustical Treatment Program

• Acoustical Program. Continuation of the Residential Acoustical Treatment Program.

### Other Projects

- Consolidated Rental Car Facility. This project provides a consolidated rental car facility, which centralizes Airport rental car operators into a single facility.
- Support Service Building. Provides for the construction of an administrative office facility to house the Airport System staff.
- Outside Plant Campus IT Ring. This project will complete the Outside Plant Communication Ring around the campus.
- Other Capital Projects. Miscellaneous projects at the Airport and at Stinson.

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The anticipated sources of funding for the CIP are as follows:

| <b>Funding Sources</b>              | <b>Projected Funding (\$)</b> |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Federal Grants                      |                               |
| Entitlements                        | 6,400,000                     |
| Discretionary                       | 16,623,760                    |
| General Discretionary               |                               |
| Noise Discretionary                 | 6,400,000                     |
| TxDOT Grant                         | 50,000                        |
| Passenger Facility Charges ("PFCs") |                               |
| Pay-As-You-Go                       | 122,500                       |
| PFC-Secured Bonds                   | 1,600,000                     |
| Other Funding                       |                               |
| Airport Funds                       | 71,919,251                    |
| Airport Revenue Bonds               | 6,937,278                     |
| Customer Facility Charge Bonds      | 150,551,805                   |
| Total                               | 260,604,594                   |

The CIP includes capital improvements, which are generally described as follows:

| Improvement                      | Amount (\$) |
|----------------------------------|-------------|
| Airport                          |             |
| Terminal Facilities              | 17,249,134  |
| Airfield Improvements            | 31,278,773  |
| Acoustical Treatment Program     | 8,300,000   |
| Consolidated Rental Car Facility | 150,551,805 |
| Other Projects                   | 48,325,882  |
| Stinson                          | 4,899,000   |
| Total                            | 260,604,594 |

*PFC Projects.* Public agencies wishing to impose PFCs are required to apply to the FAA for such authority and must meet certain requirements specified in the PFC Act and the implementing regulations issued by the FAA.

The FAA issued a "Record of Decision" on August 29, 2001 approving the City's initial PFC application. The City, as the owner and operator of the Airport, received authority to impose a \$3.00 PFC and to collect, in the aggregate, approximately \$102,500,000 in PFC Revenues. On February 15, 2005, the FAA approved an application amendment increasing the PFC funding by a net amount of \$13,893,537. On February 22, 2005, the FAA approved the City's application for an additional \$50,682,244 in PFC collections to be used for 11 new projects. On June 26, 2007, the FAA approved two amendments to approved applications increasing the PFC funding by a net amount of \$121,611,491 for two projects and \$67,621,461 for four projects. Additionally, the FAA approved the increased collection rate from \$3.00 to \$4.50, effective October 1, 2007. In May 2010, the FAA approved amendments to the City's PFC collection authorization to increase the scope of the PFC funding for certain PFC projects and permitted the addition of several elements. The May 28, 2010 FAA approvals increased the PFC funding amount from \$380,958,549 to \$574,569,629.

On October 1, 2007, the City began collecting a \$4.50 PFC (less a \$0.11 air carrier collection charge) per qualifying enplaned passenger. The City has received PFC "impose and use" authority, meaning that it may impose the PFC and use the resultant PFC Revenues for all projects, contemplated to be completed using proceeds of the Parity PFC Bonds. As of December 31, 2014, the City has collected \$169,784,973 in PFC Revenues since authority to impose and collect the PFC was received. The estimated PFC collection expiration date is June 1, 2028.

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To date, the following projects have been approved as "impose and use" projects:

- Replace Remain Overnight Apron
- Implement Terminal Modifications
- Reconstruct Perimeter Road
- Construct New Terminal B
- Acoustical Treatment Program
- Construct Elevated Terminal Roadway
- Upgrade Central Utility Plant
- Construct Apron Terminal Expansion
- Install Utilities Terminal Expansion
- Replace Two Aircraft Rescue and Fire Fighting Vehicles
- Conduct Environmental Impact Statement
- Reconstruct Terminal Area Roadway
- Install Noise Monitoring Equipment
- Install Terminal and Airfield Security Improvements
- Install Airfield Electrical Improvements
- PFC Development and Administration Costs

CFC Projects. On March 8, 2012, the City Council authorized the Airport to impose the collection of a \$4.50 per transaction day Customer Facility Charge ("CFC") for rental car customers to pay for all costs and expenses associated with the planning, financing, and construction and certain other costs for a Consolidated Rental Car Facility (the "ConRAC") to open in three to five years. The CFC is being collected on all car rentals at the Airport as of April 1, 2012. The ConRAC project cost is estimated at \$163 million. CFC will initially be applied on a Pay-As-You-Go basis for interim wayfinding to rental car locations, conceptual design and validation, negotiation of business terms, and design up to the construction of the ConRAC. Bonds supported by the CFC are expected to be issued once the construction bids have been received and will be used to finance the construction and other costs associated with the ConRAC. As of December 31, 2014, the City has received \$24,453,586 in CFC Revenues since authority to impose and collect the CFC was received.

#### Airport Operations

Direct supervision of airport operations is managed by the Department of Aviation (the "Department"). The Department is responsible for: (1) managing, operating, and developing the Airport System and any other airfields that the City may control in the future; (2) negotiating leases, agreements, and contracts; (3) computing and supervising the collection of revenues generated by the Airport System under its management; and (4) coordinating aviation activities under the FAA.

The Department is an enterprise fund of the City. The operations and improvements at the Airport and Stinson are paid for by airport user charges, bond funds, and funds received from the FAA. No general tax fund revenues are used to operate or maintain the Airport System. The City Council appoints a 19-member Airport Advisory Commission. The Commission's primary purpose is to advise the Department regarding policies, including any noise-related issues affecting the Airport System and air transportation initiatives.

Frank R. Miller, Director of Aviation, has overall responsibility for the management, administration and planning of the Airport System. Mr. Miller has an experienced staff to aid him in carrying out the responsibilities of his position. The principal members of the Department's staff include the Director, the Assistant Aviation Director – Operations, the Assistant Aviation Director – Finance and Administration, and the Assistant Aviation Director – Planning and Development, Construction, and Facilities Maintenance.

The Airport System has police and fire departments on premises. The police and fire fighters are assigned to duty at the Airport System from the City's police and fire departments, but their salaries are paid by the Department as an operation and maintenance expense of the Airport System.

The FAA has regulatory authority over navigational aid equipment, air traffic control, and operating standards for the Airport System.

The passage of the Aviation and Transportation Security Act in November of 2001, created the Transportation Security Administration ("TSA"). The Department has worked closely with the TSA to forge a higher level of security for the traveling public. TSA employs about 300 individuals at the Airport System to meet the federal security requirements.

As of October 1, 2014, the Airport System has 458 authorized positions:

| Planning, Development & Maintenance | 159 |
|-------------------------------------|-----|
| Airport Operations                  | 142 |
| Police                              | 58  |
| Fire Rescue                         | 32  |
| Finance & Administration            | 31  |
| Aviation Director                   | 28  |
| Stinson Airport                     | 8   |

#### Comparative Statement of Gross Revenues and Expenses - San Antonio Airport System

The historical financial performance of the Airport System is shown below for the last five fiscal years:

|                         | Fiscal Year Ended September 30 |              |              |                     |              |  |  |  |
|-------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------|--------------|---------------------|--------------|--|--|--|
|                         | 2009                           | 2010         | 2011         | 2012                | 2013         |  |  |  |
| Gross Revenues 1        | \$62,180,333                   | \$64,045,889 | \$83,288,806 | \$90,163,733        | \$89,323,659 |  |  |  |
| Airline Rental Credit   | 4,165,260                      | 4,178,122    | 0            | 0                   | 0            |  |  |  |
| Adjusted Gross Revenues | \$66,345,593                   | \$68,224,011 | \$83,288,806 | \$90,163,733        | \$89,323,659 |  |  |  |
| Expenses                | (39,743,093)                   | (39,873,764) | (44,480,164) | (47,048,746)        | (50,987,401) |  |  |  |
| Net Income              | \$26,602,500                   | \$28,350,247 | \$38,808,642 | <u>\$43,114,987</u> | \$38,336,258 |  |  |  |

As reported in the City's audited financial statements. *Source: City of San Antonio, Department of Finance.* 

#### Total Domestic and International Enplaned Passengers - San Antonio Airport

The total domestic and international enplaned passengers on a calendar year basis, along with year-to-year percentage change are shown below:

| Calendar                                     |  | Increase/   | Percent (%)                                    |
|--|--|---|--|
| <u>Year</u>                                  | <u>Total</u>   | (Decrease)  | <u>Change</u>                                  |
| 2004   | 3,498,972  | 248,231   | 7.64   |
| 2005   | 3,713,792  | 214,820   | 6.14   |
| 2006   | 4,002,903  | 289,111   | 7.78   |
| 2007   | 4,030,571  | 27,668  | 0.69   |
| 2008   | 4,167,440  | 136,869   | 3.40   |
| 2009   | 3,905,439  | (262,001)   | (6.29)   |
| 2010   | 4,022,070  | 116,631   | 2.99   |
| 2011   | 4,071,781  | 49,711  | 1.24   |
| 2012   | 4,103,364  | 31,583  | 0.78   |
| 2013   | 4,119,039  | 15,675  | 0.38   |
| 2007<br>2008<br>2009<br>2010<br>2011<br>2012 | 4,030,571<br>4,167,440<br>3,905,439<br>4,022,070<br>4,071,781<br>4,103,364 | 27,668<br>136,869<br>(262,001)<br>116,631<br>49,711<br>31,583 | 0.69<br>3.40<br>(6.29)<br>2.99<br>1.24<br>0.78 |

Source: City of San Antonio, Department of Aviation.

#### Total Enplaned and Deplaned International Passengers - San Antonio Airport

The total enplaned and deplaned for international passengers on a calendar year basis, along with year-to-year percentage change are shown below:

| Calendar    |              | Increase/  | Percent (%)   |
|-------------|--------------|------------|---------------|
| <u>Year</u> | <u>Total</u> | (Decrease) | <u>Change</u> |
| 2004        | 191,254      | 31,678     | 19.85         |
| 2005        | 185,992      | (5,262)    | (2.75)        |
| 2006        | 199,138      | 13,146     | 7.07          |
| 2007        | 197,585      | (1,553)    | (0.78)        |
| 2008        | 177,219      | (20,366)   | (10.31)       |
| 2009        | 139,286      | (37,933)   | (21.40)       |
| 2010        | 136,970      | (2,316)    | (1.66)        |
| 2011        | 182,031      | 45,061     | 32.90         |
| 2012 1      | 421,718      | 239,687    | 131.67        |
| 2013        | 471,447      | 49,729     | 11.79         |

The increase in total enplaned and deplaned international passengers from 2011 to 2012 is attributable to 3 new airlines operating in 2012. These airlines are AirTran, InterJet, and Viva AeroBus.

\*\*Source: City of San Antonio, Department of Aviation.

#### Air Carrier Landed Weight - San Antonio Airport

The historical aircraft landed weight in 1,000-pound units on a calendar year basis is shown below. Landed weight is utilized in the computation of the Airport's landed fee.

| Calendar    |              | Increase/  | Percent (%)   |
|-------------|--------------|------------|---------------|
| <u>Year</u> | <u>Total</u> | (Decrease) | <u>Change</u> |
| 2004        | 5,416,555    | 25,254     | 0.47          |
| 2005        | 5,650,228    | 233,673    | 4.31          |
| 2006        | 5,946,232    | 296,004    | 5.24          |
| 2007        | 6,098,276    | 152,044    | 2.56          |
| 2008        | 6,209,192    | 110,916    | 1.82          |
| 2009        | 5,487,537    | (721,655)  | (11.62)       |
| 2010        | 5,632,203    | 144,666    | 2.64          |
| 2011        | 5,707,294    | 75,091     | 1.33          |
| 2012        | 5,812,227    | 104,933    | 1.84          |
| 2013        | 5,783,771    | (28,456)   | (0.49)        |
|             |              |            |               |

Source: City of San Antonio, Department of Aviation.

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### APPENDIX B

#### EXCERPTS FROM THE

#### SAN ANTONIO WATER SYSTEM

#### ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT

For the Year Ended December 31, 2013

The information contained in this Appendix consists of excerpts selected by the Co-Financial Advisors from the San Antonio Water System Comprehensive Annual Financial Report for the Year Ended December 31, 2013, and is not intended to be a complete statement of the System's financial condition. Reference is made to the complete Report for further information.





### Independent Auditor's Report

To the Board of Trustees San Antonio Water System San Antonio, Texas

#### Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the business-type activities and the aggregate remaining fund information of the San Antonio Water System ("SAWS"), a component unit of the City of San Antonio, Texas, as of and for the years ended December 31, 2013 and 2012, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise SAWS' 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 audits. We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audits to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from 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 entity'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.

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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 the aggregate remaining fund information of SAWS, as of December 31, 2013 and 2012, and the respective changes in financial position and, where applicable, cash flows thereof for the years then ended, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

#### **Emphasis of Matter**

As discussed in Note M to the financial statements, SAWS restated beginning net position, as required by the implementation of Governmental Accounting Standards Board ("GASB") Statement No. 65, *Items Previously Reported as Assets and Liabilities*. Our opinions are 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 and Post Employment Benefit Plans – Schedules of Funding Progress, 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 GASB, 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 audits 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.

#### Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated March 26, 2014 on our consideration of SAWS' internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on

internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering SAWS' internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

Padgett, Stratemann + Co., L.L.P.

San Antonio Texas March 26, 2014

#### Management's Discussion and Analysis

This Management Discussion and Analysis (MD&A) serves as an introduction to the basic financial statements and provides a narrative overview and analysis of financial activities and performance as detailed in the San Antonio Water System (SAWS) Annual Financial Report for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2013. Please read it in conjunction with SAWS' financial statements including the notes to the financial statements, which follow this section.

#### FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

- SAWS' net position increased by \$90.1 million during 2013.
- Operating revenues increased from \$438.5 million in 2012 to \$462.3 million in 2013 largely as a result of a rate increase that went into effect in March 2013.
- At the end of 2013, SAWS maintained unrestricted cash and investments of \$187.2 million with an additional \$40.6 million cash and investments restricted as a reserve equal to two months of budgeted operation and maintenance expenses.
- Current year total debt coverage ratio was 1.62x for 2013 compared to 1.60x for 2012 and current senior lien debt coverage ratio was 2.15x for 2013 compared to 2.11x for 2012.

#### **OVERVIEW OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

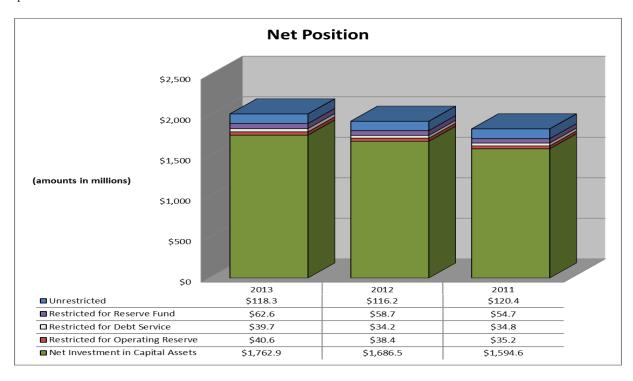
MD&A is intended to serve as an introduction to the basic financial statements, which are comprised of the following components:

- Statements of Net Position present information on all of SAWS' assets, deferred outflow of resources and liabilities as of the end of each calendar year, with the net amount reported as SAWS' net position. Over time, increases or decreases in net position may serve as a useful indicator of whether the financial position of SAWS is improving or deteriorating.
- Statements of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Net Position present information showing how SAWS' net position changed during the years presented on an accrual basis. This statement measures the success of SAWS' activities and can be used to determine whether SAWS has successfully recovered all its costs through its rates and other charges.
- Statements of Cash Flows reflect cash receipts and payments for operating, non-capital financing, capital and related financing, and investing activities for the years presented.
- San Antonio Water System Fiduciary Funds Statements of Net Position present information on SAWS single-employer postretirement benefit plans' assets and liabilities, with the difference between the two reported as net position held in trust for pension and other postemployment benefits.
- San Antonio Water System Fiduciary Funds Statements of Changes in Net Position present information showing how the fiduciary funds' net position changed during the years presented on an accrual basis.
- Notes to financial statements provide additional information that is essential to a full understanding of
  the data provided in the financial statements, such as SAWS' accounting policies, significant account
  balances and activities, material risks, obligations, commitments, contingencies and subsequent
  events, if any.
- Required Supplemental Information Information is presented concerning SAWS' progress in funding its obligations to provide pension and other postemployment benefits to its employees.

FINANCIAL ANALYSIS - FINANCIAL POSITION

| CONDENSED NET POSITI             | ION INFORM   | 2013-              | 2012         | 2012-2011  |        |            |        |
|----------------------------------|--------------|--------------------|--------------|------------|--------|------------|--------|
|                                  | A            | s of December      | : 31,        | Increase   | %      | Increase   | %      |
| (amounts in thousands)           | 2013         | 2013 2012 1 2011 1 |              | (Decrease) | Change | (Decrease) | Change |
| Current assets                   | \$ 388,310   | \$ 379,071         | \$ 371,150   | \$ 9,239   | 2%     | \$ 7,921   | 2%     |
| Capital assets, net              | 3,964,000    | 3,771,228          | 3,553,065    | 192,772    | 5%     | 218,163    | 6%     |
| Other non-current assets         | 377,171      | 210,046            | 221,269      | 167,125    | 80%    | (11,223)   | (5%)   |
| Total Assets                     | 4,729,481    | 4,360,345          | 4,145,484    | 369,136    |        | 214,861    |        |
| Deferred outflows of resources   | 39,315       | 50,307             | 20,874       | (10,992)   | (22%)  | 29,433     | 141%   |
| Total Assets and Deferred        |              |                    |              |            |        |            |        |
| Outflows of Resources            | 4,768,796    | 4,410,652          | 4,166,358    | 358,144    | 8%     | 244,294    | 6%     |
| Current liabilities              | 164,943      | 162,048            | 152,150      | 2,895      | 2%     | 9,898      | 7%     |
| Non-current liabilities          | 2,579,786    | 2,314,626          | 2,174,473    | 265,160    | 11%    | 140,153    | 6%     |
| Total Liabilities                | 2,744,729    | 2,476,674          | 2,326,623    | 268,055    | 11%    | 150,051    | 6%     |
| Net Position:                    |              |                    |              |            |        |            |        |
| Net investment in capital assets | 1,762,856    | 1,686,475          | 1,594,587    | 76,381     | 5%     | 91,888     | 6%     |
| Restricted                       | 142,926      | 131,324            | 124,785      | 11,602     | 9%     | 6,539      | 5%     |
| Unrestricted                     | 118,285      | 116,179            | 120,363      | 2,106      | 2%     | (4,184)    | (3%)   |
| Total Net Position               | \$ 2,024,067 | \$ 1,933,978       | \$ 1,839,735 | \$ 90,089  | 5%     | \$ 94,243  | 5%     |

**Net Position:** Over time, increases or decreases in net position may serve as a useful indicator of whether the financial position of SAWS is improving or deteriorating. SAWS' net position increased \$90.1 million from 2012 to 2013 and increased \$94.2 million from 2011 to 2012. Other considerations, both financial and non-financial, should also be evaluated such as economic conditions, population growth, availability of water supplies and credit ratings. These considerations are addressed in MD&A or other sections of this financial report.



The largest portion of SAWS' net position reflects its net investment in capital assets. SAWS' net investment in capital assets represents the carrying value of capital assets and capital related deferred outflows of resources, less capital related borrowings. Any cash and investment amounts restricted for construction purposes are also reflected in these totals. The primary reasons for an increase in the net investment in capital assets are capital assets acquired with non-debt resources, including assets contributed by developers, and repayments of debt. Depreciation expense serves to decrease the net investment in capital assets. SAWS' net investment in capital assets increased by \$76.4 million between 2012 and 2013 and \$91.9 million from 2011 to 2012.

Funds that have been restricted for a specific purpose by legally enforceable legislation and bond covenants are classified as restricted net position. The components of restricted net position include funds Restricted for Operating Reserve, Restricted for Debt Service and Restricted for Reserve Fund.

As of December 31, 2013, \$40.6 million of cash and investments was classified as Restricted for Operating Reserve. This amount is restricted in accordance with the requirements of City of San Antonio Ordinance 75686 that calls for the establishment and maintenance of an operating reserve equal to two months of the annual maintenance and operations budget. The amount of cash and investments restricted for this purpose will vary from year to year with any changes in the budgeted level of maintenance and operations expense.

In connection with bond covenants, SAWS is required to transfer funds each month into restricted accounts in amounts sufficient to provide for the next annual principal and semi-annual interest payments due on outstanding bonds. The amount restricted for debt service increased \$5.5 million from 2012 to 2013 due to an increase in annual debt service requirements associated with bonds issued during 2013. The amount restricted for debt service decreased by \$.6 million from 2011 to 2012 due primarily to the impact of bonds refunded during 2012.

The requirements of Ordinance 75686 stipulate that SAWS must accumulate and maintain a reserve equal to 100% of the maximum annual debt service requirements for senior lien debt obligations. Additional City ordinances require SAWS to maintain a reserve fund equal to the average annual debt service on all junior lien debt obligations secured by a reserve fund. Not all SAWS junior lien debt obligations require the security of a reserve fund. Increases in the required reserve amount may be deposited into the Reserve Fund over a five year period. Ordinance 75686 allows for SAWS to provide surety policies equal to all or part of the required reserve. Prior to 2008, SAWS acquired surety policies on debt issuances in lieu of depositing cash in its Reserve Fund. Due to downgrades in the credit ratings of certain of these surety policy providers during 2008 and 2009, SAWS has been required to make deposits into its Reserve Fund. Additional deposits to the Reserve Fund were also required as a result of debt issued without surety policies since 2008. SAWS may use bond proceeds to make the required deposits related to new debt issued. SAWS made cash deposits to the Reserve Fund totaling \$3.7 million in both 2012 and 2013. Bond proceeds were also used to deposit an additional \$10.7 million in 2012 and \$5.5 million in 2013. Reserve fund deposits are required to be maintained until a) the revenue bonds mature, b) the surety policy provider's credit ratings improve to the minimum ratings required under SAWS bond ordinance, or c) new surety policies are provided that meet the requirements of the bond ordinance. As of December 31, 2013 additional deposits to the Reserve Fund of \$5.7 million in total will be required over the next two years related to debt currently outstanding. SAWS does not believe that funding these reserve deposits will have a material adverse impact on its operations or financial condition.

The remaining balance of SAWS' net position is unrestricted and may be used for any allowable purpose as outlined in Ordinance 75686. Unrestricted net position increased \$2.1 million from 2012 to 2013, as funds provided by operations exceeded the transfers to the Reserve Fund and capital expenditures paid with renewal and replacement funds. In 2012, transfers to the Reserve Fund and capital expenditures paid with non-debt sources exceeded the amount of funds provided by operations during the year, resulting in a decrease in unrestricted net position of \$4.2 million from 2011.

#### FINANCIAL ANALYSIS - REVENUES, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN NET POSITION

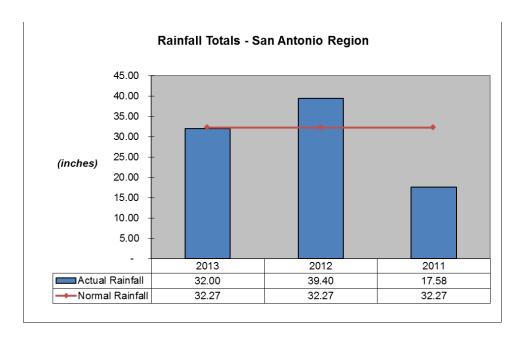
During 2013, SAWS' net position increased by \$90.1 million which consisted of income before capital contributions of \$19.4 million and capital contributions of \$70.7 million. In 2012, SAWS' net position increased by \$94.2 million which consisted of income before capital contributions of \$12.5 million and capital contributions of \$81.8 million.

|                                 |                 |       |            |    |           |    | 2013-    | 2012   |    | 2012-2   |        |
|---------------------------------|-----------------|-------|------------|----|-----------|----|----------|--------|----|----------|--------|
|                                 |                 | As of | December 3 | 1, |           | Ir | ncrease  | %      | It | ncrease  | %      |
| (amounts in thousands)          | 2013            |       | 2012 1     |    | 2011 1    | (D | ecrease) | Change | (D | ecrease) | Change |
| Operating revenues              |                 |       |            |    |           |    |          |        |    |          |        |
| Water delivery system           | \$<br>119,767   | \$    | 121,078    | \$ | 125,188   | \$ | (1,311)  | (1%)   | \$ | (4,110)  | (3%)   |
| Water supply system             | 134,367         |       | 136,704    |    | 130,755   |    | (2,337)  | (2%)   |    | 5,949    | 5%     |
| Wastewater system               | 195,584         |       | 168,368    |    | 150,520   |    | 27,216   | 16%    |    | 17,848   | 12%    |
| Chilled water and steam system  | 12,621          |       | 12,378     |    | 11,631    |    | 243      | 2%     |    | 747      | 6%     |
| Total operating revenues        | 462,339         |       | 438,528    |    | 418,094   |    | 23,811   | 5%     |    | 20,434   | 5%     |
| Non-opertating revenues         | 5,410           |       | 6,149      |    | 5,955     |    | (739)    | (12%)  |    | 194      | 3%     |
| Total Revenues                  | 467,749         |       | 444,677    |    | 424,049   |    | 23,072   | 5%     |    | 20,628   | 5%     |
| Operating expenses              |                 |       |            |    |           |    |          |        |    |          |        |
| Salaries and fringe benefits    | \$<br>125,210   | \$    | 125,295    | \$ | 127,816   | \$ | (85)     | 0%     | \$ | (2,521)  | (2%)   |
| Contractual services            | 107,194         |       | 100,165    |    | 66,900    |    | 7,029    | 7%     |    | 33,265   | 50%    |
| Materials and supplies          | 23,355          |       | 23,966     |    | 24,868    |    | (611)    | (3%)   |    | (902)    | (4%)   |
| Other charges                   | 20,423          |       | 21,790     |    | 21,756    |    | (1,367)  | (6%)   |    | 34       | 0%     |
| Less costs capitalized to       |                 |       |            |    |           |    |          |        |    |          |        |
| construction in progress        | (31,834)        |       | (33,640)   |    | (32,282)  |    | 1,806    | (5%)   |    | (1,358)  | 4%     |
| Depreciation expense            | <br>111,375     |       | 103,034    |    | 98,374    |    | 8,341    | 8%     |    | 4,660    | 5%     |
| Total operating expenses        | 355,723         |       | 340,610    |    | 307,432   |    | 15,113   | 4%     |    | 33,178   | 11%    |
| Non-operating expenses          |                 |       |            |    |           |    |          |        |    |          |        |
| Interest expense                | 75,606          |       | 73,987     |    | 77,022    |    | 1,619    | 2%     |    | (3,035)  | (4%)   |
| Debt issue costs                | 4,112           |       | 3,835      |    | 2,346     |    | 277      | 7%     |    | 1,489    | 63%    |
| Other finance charges           | 2,361           |       | 2,934      |    | 2,881     |    | (573)    | (20%)  |    | 53       | 2%     |
| Gain on sale of capital assets  | (1,075)         |       | (430)      |    | (773)     |    | (645)    | 150%   |    | 343      | (44%)  |
| Payments to City of San Antonio | 11,528          |       | 11,161     |    | 10,926    |    | 367      | 3%     |    | 235      | 2%     |
| Payments to other entities      | <br>130         |       | 122        |    | 124       |    | 8        | 7%     |    | (2)      | (2%)   |
| Total non-operating expenses    | 92,662          |       | 91,609     |    | 92,526    |    | 1,053    | 1%     |    | (917)    | (1%)   |
| Total Expenses                  | <br>448,385     |       | 432,219    |    | 399,958   |    | 16,166   | 4%     |    | 32,261   | 8%     |
| Increase in net position        |                 |       |            |    |           |    |          |        |    |          |        |
| before capital contributions    | 19,364          |       | 12,458     |    | 24,091    |    | 6,906    | 55%    |    | (11,633) | (48%)  |
| Capital Contributions           | <br>70,725      |       | 81,785     |    | 59,480    |    | (11,060) | (14%)  |    | 22,305   | 38%    |
| Change in Net Position          | 90,089          |       | 94,243     |    | 83,571    |    | (4,154)  | (4%)   |    | 10,672   | 13%    |
| Net Position, beginning of year | <br>1,933,978   |       | 1,839,735  |    | 1,756,164 |    | 94,243   | 5%     |    | 83,571   | 5%     |
| Net Position, end of year       | \$<br>2,024,067 | \$    | 1,933,978  | \$ | 1,839,735 | \$ | 90,089   | 5%     | \$ | 94,243   | 5%     |

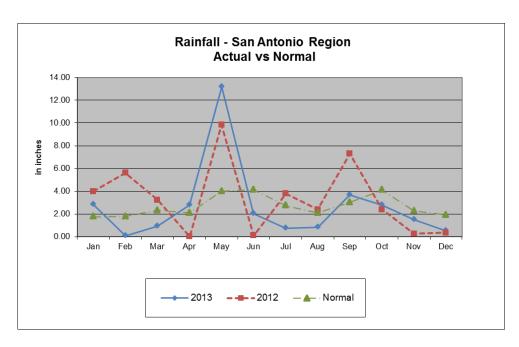
Operating Revenues: SAWS' operating revenues are provided by its four core businesses: Water Delivery, Water Supply, Wastewater, and Chilled Water and Steam. Changes in operating revenues from year to year are largely the result of weather conditions, customer growth and changes in rates for service. SAWS' operating revenues increased from \$438.5 million in 2012 to \$462.3 million in 2013. Due to the impact of restrictions on outdoor water use, metered water usage decreased .4% from 2012 to 2013. The impact of lower usage was more than offset by an average rate increase of 8.4% that went into effect in March 2013 and average customer growth of .9% during the year

Operating revenues increased from \$418.1 million in 2011 to \$438.5 million in 2012. Due to above average rainfall during 2012, metered water usage decreased 6.5% from 2011 to 2012. The impact of lower usage was more than offset by the 7.9% average rate increase that went into effect in January 2012 and average customer growth of 1.5% during the year.

The Water Delivery core business is responsible for the actual distribution of water from its source to the customer's premises. Operating revenues for this business are derived through a combination of a monthly service charge that is dependent upon the size of the customer's water meter and a volume charge that relates to the customer's metered water usage. Water Delivery operating revenues decreased by \$1.3 million or 1.1% to \$119.8 million for 2013. The impact from lower water usage more than offset customer growth. Water Delivery operating revenues for 2012 were \$121.1 million which was \$4.1 million or 3.3% lower than 2011. Decreased water usage was partially offset by customer growth and a 3.4% increase in Water Delivery rates.



Although rainfall during 2013 was close to normal levels, 38% of the total rain for the year fell during one major rain event in May. Rainfall was 33% below normal for the remaining eleven months of the year. Drought conditions for the region worsened during 2013 and restrictions on outdoor water use were in place throughout the year. During 2012, rainfall exceeded normal levels by 22% and was more than double the rainfall during 2011. Most of the rain in 2012 came during the peak usage period (May-September). Rainfall during that period was 47% above normal levels.



The Water Supply core business is responsible for all functions related to the development and provision of additional water resources. In order to support the costs associated with these initiatives, in 2000, SAWS implemented a separate funding mechanism, known as the Water Supply Fee, for water supply development and water quality protection. In addition to the volumetrically based Water Supply Fee, other charges included in Water Supply operating revenues are the following:

- pass-through fee designed to recoup the annual fees paid to the Edwards Aquifer Authority (EAA) for permitted water rights
- meter fees and volumetric charges to customers utilizing recycled water for industrial or irrigation purposes
- allocated portions of water delivery revenues designed to fund residential and commercial conservation programs and debt service associated with water and supply and recycle projects in progress prior to implementation of a separate Water Supply Fee

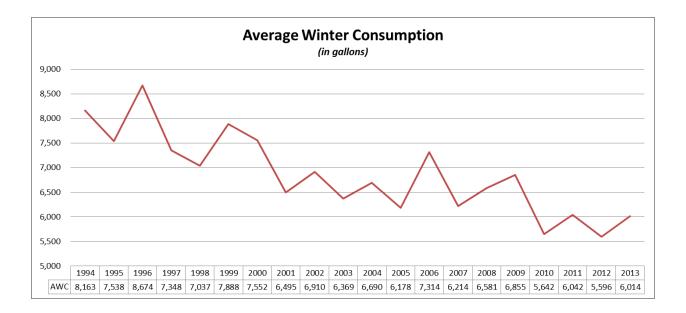
Water Supply operating revenues decreased \$2.3 million or 1.7% from 2012 to \$134.4 million 2013. The impact from the decrease in metered water usage was partially offset by a 2.5% increase in rates and customer growth.

In 2012, Water Supply operating revenues increased \$5.9 million or 4.5% to \$136.7 million. The EAA increased permit fees paid by non-agricultural users by nearly 80% due to the development of a Habitat Conservation Plan designed to protect the region from the threat of environmental lawsuits and federal control of the region's largest water source, the Edwards Aquifer. As a result, SAWS recouped an additional \$11.7 million from its customers between 2011 and 2012 through the pass-through fee. The increase in the pass-through fee, customer growth, and a 3% increase in Water Supply rates more than offset the impact of decreased metered water usage.

The collection and treatment of wastewater is the primary function of the Wastewater core business. Approximately 60% of Wastewater operating revenues are generated by residential customers. The residential portion of Wastewater operating revenue is calculated based upon the average metered water usage of each residential wastewater customer during a three consecutive month billing period from November 15<sup>th</sup>

through March 15th. This average, referred to as the average winter consumption (AWC) goes into effect with the April billing each year and continues for a period of twelve months.

The following chart depicts SAWS AWC since 1994. While periods of extremely dry weather lead to spikes in the AWC, water conservation efforts have resulted in an overall downward trend in the AWC over the past 19 years.

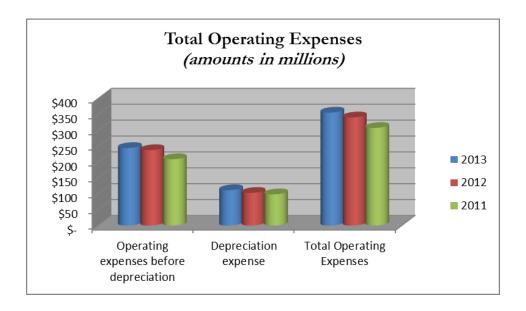


Wastewater operating revenues increased \$27.2 million or 16.2% to \$195.6 million in 2013. The increase in revenues is attributable to a 16.5% increase in rates effect March 1, 2013, a higher AWC and customer growth. The AWC that went into effect in April 2013 was 7.5% higher than the previous AWC due to the limited rainfall during the winter averaging period. In 2012, Wastewater operating revenues were \$168.4 million, an increase of \$17.8 million or 11.9% from 2011. The 13.6% increase in Wastewater rates effective January 1, 2012 and customer growth more than offset the impact of a decrease in the AWC in 2012. Above average rainfall during the winter averaging period resulted in a 7.4% decrease in the AWC that went into effect in April 2012, bringing the 2012 AWC to its lowest level in SAWS history.

The Chilled Water and Steam core business is responsible for providing heating and cooling services to customers, including various downtown hotels, City of San Antonio facilities, the Alamodome, Port Authority of San Antonio tenants and Hemisfair Plaza tenants. Operating revenues for this core business consist of a fixed base load demand charge for each customer and a pass-through charge to recover utility costs. Operating revenues increased \$.2 million in 2013 and \$.7 million in 2012 due primarily to changes in the pass-through charges.

Non-operating revenues: Non-operating revenues, which primarily represent interest income earned on investments and the federal interest subsidy on SAWS Build America Bonds (BABs), decreased \$.7 million due to a decrease in the average yield on investments and a \$.3 million reduction in the BABs subsidy. The average investment balance increased from \$477.7 million in 2012 to \$530.9 million in 2013 while the average yield on SAWS's portfolio decreased from .33% in 2012 to .25% in 2013. Non-operating revenues increased \$.2 million in 2012 due to an increase in the average yield on investments. The average investment balance decreased from \$511.1 million in 2011 to \$477.7 million in 2012 while the average yield on SAWS's portfolio increased from .23% in 2011 to .33% in 2012.

Operating Expenses: Total 2013 operating expenses of 355.7 million increased \$15.1 million or 4.4% from 2012 levels primarily due to an increase in spending related to SAWS' program to reduce sanitary sewer overflows (SSO Program) and an increase in depreciation expense.



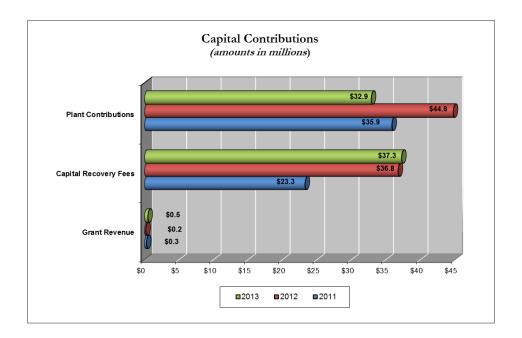
During 2013, SAWS' salary and benefit related costs decreased \$.1 million from the previous year. A decrease in wages and lower employee insurance costs were almost entirely offset by the \$2 million paid under a retirement incentive program that resulted in 94 employees retiring during the last four months of the year. While SAWS will likely replace a number of the retiring employees, SAWS expects the on-going savings associated with these retirements to be approximately \$2.5 million per year.

Contractual services increased \$7 million or 7% in 2013 entirely as a result of an additional \$10.1 million spent on the SSO Program. In 2013, SAWS entered into a consent decree with the Environmental Protection Agency to reduce sanitary sewer overflows over a 10-12 year period. More information about the expected cost to comply with the terms of the consent decree can be found in Note J to the financial statements. The increase in SSO Program spending was partially offset by lower legal expenses and an increase in the rebate received from the Edwards Aquifer Authority. Depreciation expense increased \$8.3 million or 8.1% from 2012 as a result of the \$349 million in capital assets placed into service during 2013.

Total operating expenses were \$340.6 million in 2012, an increase of \$33.2 million from 2011. SAWS' salary and benefit related costs decreased \$2.5 million or 2% over the prior year. This decrease is due in part to a reduction in SAWS medical and retirement benefit costs resulting from steps implemented during 2011 to slow or reduce the historic growth in these benefit costs. Contractual services increased \$33.3 million in 2012 primarily as a result of a recovery of costs during 2011 related to a water supply agreement with LCRA. In November 2011, SAWS settled its lawsuit with LCRA and recorded a \$28.1 million credit to contractual services. Additionally, fees paid to EAA during 2012 for permitted water rights increased \$12.2 million from 2011 while maintenance and production costs were lower due to the temporary improvement in drought conditions during 2012.

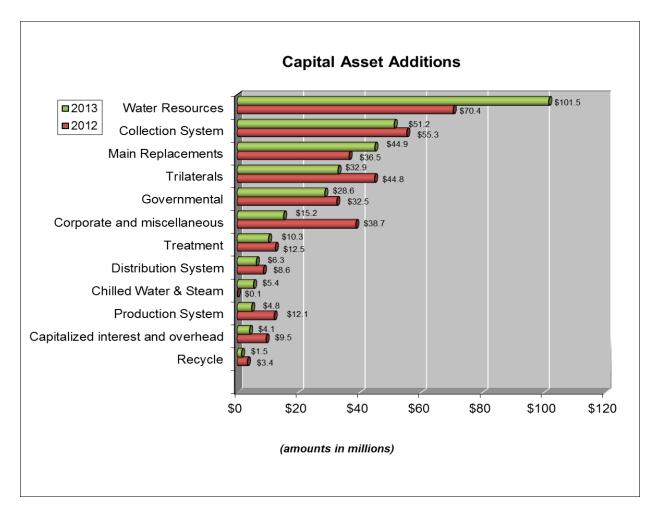
Non-operating Expenses: 2012 non-operating expenses increased \$1.1 million or 1.2% from 2012 primarily due to an increase interest expense. While the average debt outstanding increased 7.5%, the average cost of debt before capitalized interest decreased from 3.82% in 2012 to 3.59% in 2013 as a result of debt savings achieved through the refunding of \$93 million in bonds in 2013 and \$305 million 2012. During 2012, non-operating expenses decreased \$.9 million or 1% from 2011 as the debt savings achieved through the bonds refunded in 2012 and 2011 was partially offset by higher debt issue costs.

Capital Contributions: Capital contributions for 2013 totaled \$70.7 million which represents a decrease of \$11.1 million from 2012. In 2012, capital contributions totaled \$81.8 million, an increase of \$22.3 million from 2011. Development activity slowed slightly in 2013 from 2012 activity levels. While infrastructure donated by developers decreased by 27% in 2013, it was up 25% in 2012. Despite the slowing in development activity, capital recovery fees were slightly higher in 2013. These fees increased 1.4% in 2013. In 2012, capital recovery fees were 58% higher than 2011 as result of an increase in the fees charged to new customers that went into effect in June 2011 as well as the increase in customer growth.



#### CAPITAL ASSET ACTIVITY

During 2013 SAWS' total capital assets (net of accumulated depreciation) grew from \$3.8 billion to \$4 billion, while during 2012, net capital assets increased from \$3.6 billion to \$3.8 billion. Capital asset additions were \$306.7 million in 2013 and \$324.4 million in 2012. The graph below shows the additions for each year by general category.



SAWS is committed under various contracts for completion of construction or acquisition of capital assets totaling \$271 million as of December 31, 2013. For further detail information on capital assets, refer to Note F.

#### LONG-TERM DEBT ACTIVITY

During 2013, SAWS issued a total \$398.7 million in bonds through six transactions. All bonds issued during 2013 were at the junior lien level. The proceeds of the bonds, including premium and discounts, were used to refund \$93.4 million of bonds and \$132.1 million of outstanding commercial paper; pay the cost of issuance; make deposits to the Reserve Fund; and provide \$184 million in funds for capital improvement projects. During the course of the year, SAWS also issued \$151 million in new commercial paper notes to finance capital improvements. SAWS intends to reissue maturing commercial paper and ultimately refund such maturities with proceeds from the issuance of long-term revenue bonds. Consistent with this intent, SAWS classifies outstanding commercial paper notes as long-term debt.

In 2012, SAWS issued a total of \$388.7 million in senior lien bonds and \$51.5 million in junior lien bonds. The proceeds of the bonds, including premium and discounts, were used to refund \$305 million of bonds and \$175 million of outstanding commercial paper; pay the cost of issuance; make deposits to the Reserve Fund; and provide \$18.7 million in funds for capital improvement projects. During the course of the year, SAWS also issued \$133.7 million in new commercial paper notes to finance capital improvements.

In March 2013, Standard & Poor's Rating Service upgraded SAWS' credit ratings to "AA+" from "AA" on its senior lien obligations and to "AA" from "AA-" on its junior lien obligations, with Fitch Ratings and Moody's Investors Services, Inc. reaffirming SAWS' credit ratings. In September 2013, the three rating agencies reaffirmed SAWS' credit rating as indicated below. SAWS' high quality credit ratings are based on its large and diverse service area, sound financial management, long-term planning of water supply and infrastructure needs, and competitive water and sewer rates. SAWS' commercial paper ratings were updated in October 2012 based on new revolving credit agreements with Bank of Tokyo-Mitsubishi UFJ, Ltd., acting through its New York branch, and Wells Fargo Bank, N.A. For additional information on the commercial paper program, refer to Note I.

| BOND AND COMMERCIAL               | PAPER RATIN | GS        |          |          |
|-----------------------------------|-------------|-----------|----------|----------|
|                                   |             |           | Tax-E    | xempt    |
|                                   |             |           | Com      | n ercial |
|                                   | Senior      | Junior    | Paper    |          |
|                                   | Lien Debt   | Lien Debt | Series A | Series B |
| Fitch Ratings                     | AA+         | AA        | F1       | F1+      |
| Moody's Investors Service, Inc.   | Aa1         | Aa2       | P-1      | P-1      |
| Standard & Poor's Ratings Service | AA+         | AA        | A-1+     | A-1+     |

SAWS' bond ordinance requires the maintenance of a debt coverage ratio of at least 1.25x the current annual debt service on outstanding senior lien debt. As of December 31, 2013 and 2012, SAWS was in compliance with the terms and provisions of the ordinances and documents related to its outstanding bonds and commercial paper.

| FINANCIAL RATIOS                                  |       |       |       |
|---|-------|-------|-------|
|   | 2013  | 2012  | 2011  |
| Current Year Debt Coverage‡:                      |       |       |       |
| Senior Lien Debt                                  | 2.15x | 2.11x | 2.28x |
| All Debt  | 1.62x | 1.60x | 1.74x |
| Maximum Annual Debt Coverage‡:                    |       |       |       |
| Senior Lien Debt                                  | 1.85x | 1.63x | 1.85x |
| All Debt  | 1.54x | 1.44x | 1.57x |
| Net Position Ratio                                |       |       |       |
| (net position/total liabilities + net position)   | 42.4% | 43.8% | 44.2% |
| #Debt service is net of federal interest subsidy. |       |       |       |

#### ECONOMIC OUTLOOK FOR THE FUTURE

In November 2013, the San Antonio City Council approved an average rate increase of 5.1% for most services provided by SAWS effective January 1, 2014. This rate adjustment was needed to provide additional funding to address aging infrastructure issues, support continued development of additional water supplies, reduce sanitary sewer overflows and meet other operational requirements. At the same time, the City Council pre-approved a rate increase beginning in January 2015 of an amount not to exceed 5.3% for the average

residential customer. Customer growth has been somewhat steady during the last three years despite a somewhat weak economy and high unemployment levels. During 2013 customer connections grew .9% compared to 1.5% during 2012 and 1.2% during 2011. The San Antonio region is positioned to see continued growth levels during the next few years. While continued customer growth can help offset increasing operating costs, the development of additional water supplies to service the growth in customers as well as the continuing costs to address infrastructure issues will require future rate adjustments.

#### **CONTACTING SAWS' FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT**

This Comprehensive Annual Financial Report is provided to our citizens, customers, investors and creditors as a general overview of SAWS' financial condition and results of operation with a general explanation of the factors affecting the finances of the organization. It is provided to demonstrate SAWS' accountability for the revenues it collects and the expenditures it makes for the services provided. If you have questions about this report or need additional financial information, contact:

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**BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS** 

# San Antonio Water System STATEMENTS OF NET POSITION

(amounts in thousands)

|   | December 31, |           |      |           |  |
|---|--------------|-----------|------|-----------|--|
|   |              | 2013      | 2012 |           |  |
| CURRENT ASSETS  |              |           |      |           |  |
| Unrestricted Current Assets                                       |              |           |      |           |  |
| Cash and cash equivalents   | \$           | 131,763   | \$   | 132,273   |  |
| Investments   |              | 55,454    |      | 51,694    |  |
| Accounts receivable, net of allowances for uncollectible accounts |              | 60,307    |      | 54,985    |  |
| Other current assets  |              | 9,502     |      | 9,271     |  |
| Total unrestricted current assets                                 | '            | 257,026   |      | 248,223   |  |
| Restricted Current Assets:  |              |           |      |           |  |
| Cash and cash equivalents   |              | 1         |      | 16,146    |  |
| Investments   |              | 131,283   |      | 114,702   |  |
| Total restricted current assets                                   |              | 131,284   |      | 130,848   |  |
| Total Current Assets  |              | 388,310   |      | 379,071   |  |
| NONCURRENT ASSETS   |              |           |      |           |  |
| Unrestricted Noncurrent Assets                                    |              |           |      |           |  |
| Accounts receivable, non current                                  |              | 6,189     |      | 6,985     |  |
| Restricted Noncurrent Assets:                                     |              |           |      |           |  |
| Cash and cash equivalents   |              | 138,149   |      | 27,785    |  |
| Investments   |              | 232,833   |      | 175,276   |  |
| Capital Assets:   |              |           |      |           |  |
| Utility plant in service  |              | 4,600,681 |      | 4,261,006 |  |
| Less allowance for depreciation                                   |              | 1,472,429 |      | 1,369,885 |  |
|   |              | 3,128,252 |      | 2,891,121 |  |
| Land, water rights and other intangible assets                    |              | 328,919   |      | 308,560   |  |
| Construction in progress  |              | 506,829   |      | 571,547   |  |
| Total capital assets (net of accumulated depreciation)            |              | 3,964,000 |      | 3,771,228 |  |
| Total Noncurrent Assets   |              | 4,341,171 |      | 3,981,274 |  |
| TOTAL ASSETS  |              | 4,729,481 |      | 4,360,345 |  |
| DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES                                    |              |           |      |           |  |
| Loss on bond refunding  |              | 30,943    |      | 30,561    |  |
| Accumulated decrease in fair value of hedging derivatives         |              | 8,372     |      | 19,746    |  |
|   |              | 39,315    |      | 50,307    |  |
| TOTAL ASSETS AND DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES                   | \$           | 4,768,796 | \$   | 4,410,652 |  |

# San Antonio Water System STATEMENTS OF NET POSITION (continued)

(amounts in thousands)

|   | December 31,    |    |           |  |  |
|---|-----------------|----|-----------|--|--|
|   | 2013            |    | 2012      |  |  |
| LIABILITIES   |                 |    |           |  |  |
| Current Liabilities To Be Paid From Unrestricted Assets |                 |    |           |  |  |
| Accounts payable  | \$<br>34,527    | \$ | 34,884    |  |  |
| Accrued vacation payable                                | 7,412           |    | 5,516     |  |  |
| Accrued payroll and benefits                            | 2,482           |    | 2,158     |  |  |
| Accrued claims payable                                  | 7,310           |    | 9,956     |  |  |
| Sundry payables and accruals                            | <br>1,339       |    | 1,044     |  |  |
| Total unrestricted current liabilities                  | 53,070          |    | 53,558    |  |  |
| Current Liabilities To Be Paid From Restricted Assets   |                 |    |           |  |  |
| Accrued interest payable                                | 13,857          |    | 13,661    |  |  |
| Payables under construction contracts                   | 27,614          |    | 35,279    |  |  |
| Customers' deposits                                     | 9,447           |    | 9,265     |  |  |
| Commercial paper notes                                  | 3,105           |    | 2,970     |  |  |
| Revenue bonds payable within one year                   | <br>57,850      |    | 47,315    |  |  |
| Total restricted current liabilities                    | 111,873         |    | 108,490   |  |  |
| Total Current Liabilities                               | <br>164,943     |    | 162,048   |  |  |
| Noncurrent Liabilities                                  |                 |    |           |  |  |
| Accrued vacation payable                                | 766             |    | 2,562     |  |  |
| Unfunded postemployment benefits                        | 91,094          |    | 82,910    |  |  |
| Derivative instrument                                   | 13,392          |    | 25,149    |  |  |
| Commercial paper notes                                  | 183,550         |    | 167,775   |  |  |
| Revenue bonds payable after one year, net of            |                 |    |           |  |  |
| unamortized premiums and discounts                      | <br>2,290,984   |    | 2,036,230 |  |  |
| Total Noncurrent Liabilities                            | 2,579,786       |    | 2,314,626 |  |  |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES                                       | 2,744,729       |    | 2,476,674 |  |  |
| NET POSITION  |                 |    |           |  |  |
| Net investment in capital assets                        | 1,762,856       |    | 1,686,475 |  |  |
| Restricted for operating reserve                        | 40,656          |    | 38,389    |  |  |
| Restricted for debt service fund                        | 39,710          |    | 34,254    |  |  |
| Restricted for reserve fund                             | 62,560          |    | 58,681    |  |  |
| Unrestricted  | 118,285         |    | 116,179   |  |  |
| TOTAL NET POSITION                                      | \$<br>2,024,067 | \$ | 1,933,978 |  |  |

# San Antonio Water System STATEMENTS OF REVENUES, EXPENSES

# AND CHANGES IN NET POSITION For the Years Ended December 31,

(amounts in thousands)

| OPERATING REVENUES                                     | 2013            | 2012         |
|--|-----------------|--------------|
| Water delivery system                                  | \$<br>119,767   | \$ 121,078   |
| Water supply system                                    | 134,367         | 136,704      |
| Wastewater system                                      | 195,584         | 168,368      |
| Chilled water and steam system                         | 12,621          | 12,378       |
| Total operating revenues                               | <br>462,339     | 438,528      |
| OPERATING EXPENSES                                     |                 |              |
| Salaries and fringe benefits                           | 125,210         | 125,295      |
| Contractual services                                   | 107,194         | 100,165      |
| Material and supplies                                  | 23,355          | 23,966       |
| Other charges  | 20,423          | 21,790       |
| Less costs capitalized to construction in progress     | (31,834)        | (33,640)     |
| Total operating expenses before depreciation           | <br>244,348     | 237,576      |
| Depreciation expense                                   | 111,375         | 103,034      |
| Total operating expenses                               | 355,723         | 340,610      |
| Operating income                                       | 106,616         | 97,918       |
| NONOPERATING REVENUES                                  |                 |              |
| Interest earned and miscellaneous                      | 5,410           | 6,149        |
| NONOPERATING EXPENSES                                  |                 |              |
| Interest expense                                       | 75,606          | 73,987       |
| Debt issue costs                                       | 4,112           | 3,835        |
| Other finance charges                                  | 2,361           | 2,934        |
| Gain on sale of capital assets                         | (1,075)         | (430)        |
| Payments to the City of San Antonio                    | 11,528          | 11,161       |
| Payments to other entities                             | 130             | 122          |
| Total nonoperating expenses                            | 92,662          | 91,609       |
| Increase in net position, before capital contributions | 19,364          | 12,458       |
| Capital contributions                                  | <br>70,725      | 81,785       |
| CHANGE IN NET POSITION                                 | 90,089          | 94,243       |
| NET POSITION, BEGINNING OF YEAR (restated)             | <br>1,933,978   | 1,839,735    |
| NET POSITION, END OF YEAR                              | \$<br>2,024,067 | \$ 1,933,978 |

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# San Antonio Water System STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

### For the years ended December 31,

(amounts in thousands)

|  | 2013       | 2012       |  |
|--|------------|------------|--|
| CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES                       |            |            |  |
| Cash received from customers                               | \$ 456,674 | \$ 426,446 |  |
| Cash paid to vendors for operations                        | (124,569)  | (129,404)  |  |
| Cash paid to employees for services                        | (102,898)  | (102,026)  |  |
| Net cash provided by operating activities                  | 229,207    | 195,016    |  |
| CASH FLOWS FROM NONCAPITAL FINANCING ACTIVITIES            |            |            |  |
| Payments to the City of San Antonio                        | (7,981)    | (7,867)    |  |
| Payments to other entities                                 | (101)      | (120)      |  |
| Net cash used for noncapital financing activities          | (8,082)    | (7,987)    |  |
| CASH FLOWS FROM CAPITAL AND RELATED FINANCING ACTIVITIE    | ES         |            |  |
| Proceeds from sale of capital assets                       | 2,416      | 588        |  |
| Proceeds from developers for plant construction            | 37,289     | 36,761     |  |
| Proceeds from grants                                       | -          | 267        |  |
| Payment to employees for construction of plant             | (18,164)   | (20,409)   |  |
| Payment to vendors for construction of plant               | (13,671)   | (13,232)   |  |
| Payments for acquisition of equipment and furniture        | (12,555)   | (10,766)   |  |
| Payments for acquisition of property and plant             | (239,696)  | (220,433)  |  |
| Proceeds from commercial paper                             | 151,000    | 133,655    |  |
| Payment for retirement of commercial paper                 | (2,970)    | (2,840)    |  |
| Proceeds from revenue bonds                                | 193,983    | 29,574     |  |
| Payment for retirement of revenue bonds                    | (52,160)   | (41,740)   |  |
| Payment of interest on commercial paper                    | (4,494)    | (4,333)    |  |
| Payment of interest on revenue bonds                       | (89,592)   | (84,555)   |  |
| Payment for bond related expenses                          | (4,112)    | (3,851)    |  |
| Payment for bank charges                                   | (2,520)    | (3,105)    |  |
| Net cash used for capital and related financing activities | (55,246)   | (204,419)  |  |
| CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES                       |            |            |  |
| Purchase of investments                                    | (706,356)  | (583,860)  |  |
| Maturity of investments                                    | 628,372    | 596,969    |  |
| Interest income and other                                  | 5,814      | 8,168      |  |
| Net cash provided by (used for) investing activities       | (72,170)   | 21,277     |  |
| NET INCREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS                  | 93,709     | 3,887      |  |
| CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, AT BEGINNING OF YEAR            | 176,204    | 172,317    |  |
| CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, AT END OF YEAR                  | \$ 269,913 | \$ 176,204 |  |

### San Antonio Water System

### STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS (continued)

For the years ended December 31, (amounts in thousands)

|  | 2013     |                    | 2012   |                   |
|--|----------|--------------------|--------|-------------------|
| RECONCILIATION OF CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS PER STATE TO STATEMENT OF NET POSITION   | EMENTS   | S OF CASH F        | LOWS   |                   |
|  |          |                    |        |                   |
| Cash and Cash Equivalents  |          | 101 540            |        | 400.070           |
| Unrestricted   | \$       | 131,763            | \$     | 132,273           |
| Restricted   |          | 4                  |        | 17.146            |
| Current<br>Noncurrent  |          | 1 20 140           |        | 16,146            |
| Noncurrent   | Ф.       | 138,149<br>269,913 | \$     | 27,785<br>176,204 |
|  | Ψ        | 209,913            | Ψ      | 170,204           |
| RECONCILIATION OF OPERATING INCOME TO NET CASH PROVID  | DED BY   | OPERATIN           | G ACTI | VITIES            |
| Operating Income   | \$       | 106,616            | \$     | 97,918            |
| Adjustments to reconcile operating income to net cash  |          |                    |        |                   |
| provided by operating activities:  |          |                    |        |                   |
| Non-cash revenues from City of San Antonio   |          | (3,576)            |        | (3,296)           |
| Provision for uncollectible accounts   |          | 4,646              |        | 3,800             |
| Charge-off of prior year construction expenditures to operating expense  |          | 1,349              |        | 2,211             |
| Depreciation expense   |          | 111,375            |        | 103,034           |
| Change in assets and liabilities:  |          |                    |        |                   |
| Increase in accounts receivable  |          | (9,422)            |        | (11,459)          |
| Increase in other current assets   |          | (551)              |        | (309)             |
| Increase in accounts payable   |          | 12,331             |        | 595               |
| Increase in accrued vacation payable   |          | 100                |        | 583               |
| Increase in accrued payroll and benefits   |          | 324                |        | 602               |
| Decrease in claims payables  |          | (2,646)            |        | (609)             |
| Increase/(Decrease) in sundry payables and accruals  |          | 295                |        | (294)             |
| Increase in unfunded postemployment benefits   |          | 8,184              |        | 1,676             |
| Increase in customers' deposits  |          | 182                |        | 564               |
| Total adjustments  |          | 122,591            |        | 97,098            |
| Net cash provided by operating activities  | \$       | 229,207            | \$     | 195,016           |
| NONCASH CAPITAL AND FINANCING ACTIVITIES   |          |                    |        |                   |
|  | dh.      | 32,891             | \$     | 44,787            |
| Plant contributions received from developers   | Э        |                    |        |                   |
| Plant contributions received from developers  Bond proceeds deposited into an escrow account for purposes of refunding:                | \$       | 32,071             |        | ,                 |
| Plant contributions received from developers  Bond proceeds deposited into an escrow account for purposes of refunding:  Revenue Bonds | \$<br>\$ | 93,440             | \$     | 304,890           |

# San Antonio Water System Fiduciary Funds STATEMENTS OF NET POSITION

(amounts in thousands)

|  | December 31, |         |    |         |
|--|--------------|---------|----|---------|
|  |              | 2013    |    | 2012    |
| ASSETS                                 |              |         |    |         |
| Cash and cash equivalents              | \$           | 269     | \$ | 80      |
| Investments                            |              | 159,511 |    | 122,812 |
| TOTAL ASSETS                           |              | 159,780 |    | 122,892 |
| LIABILITIES                            |              | -       |    | -       |
| NET POSITION HELD IN TRUST FOR PENSION |              |         |    |         |
| AND OTHER POST EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS     | \$           | 159,780 | \$ | 122,892 |

### STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN NET POSITION

# For the years ended December 31, (amounts in thousands)

|                                   | 2013 |         | <br>2012      |  |
|-----------------------------------|------|---------|---------------|--|
| ADDITIONS                         |      |         |               |  |
| Employer contributions            | \$   | 15,289  | \$<br>22,396  |  |
| Investment income                 |      | 26,232  | 12,432        |  |
| Total additions                   |      | 41,521  | 34,828        |  |
| DEDUCTIONS                        |      |         |               |  |
| Pension payments                  |      | 4,574   | 3,921         |  |
| Administrative expenses           |      | 59      | <br>25        |  |
| Total deductions                  |      | 4,633   | 3,946         |  |
| NET INCREASE IN NET POSITION      |      | 36,888  | 30,882        |  |
| NET POSITION AT BEGINNING OF YEAR |      | 122,892 | 92,010        |  |
| NET POSITION AT END OF YEAR       | \$   | 159,780 | \$<br>122,892 |  |

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#### NOTE A - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Reporting Entity: On April 30, 1992, the San Antonio City Council approved Ordinance No. 75686 which effectuated the consolidation of all city owned utilities related to water including the water, wastewater, and water reuse systems as the San Antonio Water System (SAWS). Management and control of SAWS is vested in the SAWS Board of Trustees consisting of the Mayor of San Antonio and six members who are appointed by the San Antonio City Council. The City Council must approve all changes in SAWS rates and any debt issued by SAWS.

SAWS has been defined in City Ordinance No. 75686 as all properties, facilities, and plants currently owned, operated and maintained by the City and/or the Board of Trustees, for the supply, treatment, transmission and distribution of treated potable water, chilled water and steam, for the collection and treatment of wastewater and for water reuse, together with all future extensions, improvements, purchases, repairs, replacements and additions thereto, and any other projects and programs of SAWS.

The City of San Antonio, Texas (the City) currently manages a stormwater system. The City has not incorporated the stormwater system within SAWS; however, SAWS administers certain aspects of the stormwater program on behalf of the City, including billing accounts and certain technical services, for a fee.

The fiduciary financial statements include two fiduciary funds related to SAWS employee benefit plans: the San Antonio Water System Retirement Plan (SAWSRP) and the San Antonio Water System Retiree Health Trust (OPEB Trust). SAWSRP is a single-employer defined benefit pension plan. The plan is governed by the San Antonio Water System which may amend plan provisions, and which is responsible for the management of plan assets. OPEB Trust is a trust established under the provisions of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 Section 115. SAWS will periodically make contributions to OPEB Trust in order to prefund SAWS liabilities associated with post-retirement medical and life insurance benefits provided to SAWS employees and retirees.

SAWS has no component units, however, the operations of SAWS as reported herewith are included as a discretely presented component unit of the City.

Basis of Accounting: The financial statements of SAWS are prepared using the accrual basis of accounting with the economic resources measurement focus as prescribed by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB). SAWS operates as a proprietary fund and applies all applicable GASB pronouncements and presents its financial statements in accordance with the GASB Codification of Governmental Accounting and Financial Reporting Standards. Under this approach, all assets, deferred outflow of resources, liabilities and deferred inflow of resources of SAWS are reported in the statement of net position, revenues are recorded when earned and expenses are recorded at the time liabilities are incurred.

In 2013, SAWS implemented the following new GASB pronouncements:

- GASB Statement No. 65, *Items Previously Reported as Assets and Liabilities*. This Statement amends the financial statement element classification of certain items previously reported as assets and liabilities. The guidance provided by this statement impacts the way SAWS accounts for debt issue costs and reports losses associated with debt refunding. Previously, SAWS capitalized debt issue costs and amortized them over the life of the debt. Debt issue costs are now treated as an expense in the period incurred. Loss on debt refunding is now reported as a deferred outflow of resources instead of a reduction to outstanding debt in the Statement of Net Position. The financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2012 have been restated to reflect these changes. Please see Note M for the impact of the restatement.
- GASB Statement No. 66, Technical Corrections 2012 An Amendment of GASB Statements No. 10 and No. 62. The objective of this Statement is to improve accounting and financial reporting for a governmental financial reporting entity by resolving conflicting guidance that resulted from the issuance of two pronouncements, Statements No. 54, Fund Balance Reporting and Governmental Fund Type Definitions, and No. 62, Codification of Accounting and Financial Reporting Guidance Contained in Pre-November 30, 1989 FASB and AICPA Pronouncements. The guidance provided by this statement had no impact to SAWS.

The fiduciary fund financial statements are prepared using the accrual basis of accounting. Employer contributions to the plan are recognized when due and the employer has made a formal commitment to provide the contributions. Benefit payments and plan expenses are recognized when due and payable in accordance with the terms of the plan.

**Recognition of Revenues:** Revenues are recorded as goods or services are provided. Customers' meters are read and bills are prepared monthly based on billing cycles. SAWS uses historical information to estimate and record earned revenue not yet billed.

Revenue and Expense Classification: Proprietary funds distinguish operating revenues and expenses from non-operating items. Operating revenues and expenses generally result from providing services in connection with a proprietary fund's principal ongoing operations. The principal operating revenues of SAWS are charges to customers for water supply, water delivery, wastewater, and chilled water and steam services. Operating expenses include costs of service, administrative expenses and depreciation on capital assets. All revenues and expenses not meeting this definition are reported as non-operating revenues and expenses.

Annual Budget: Approximately sixty days prior to the beginning of each fiscal year, SAWS presents an annual budget prepared on an accrual basis to serve as a tool in controlling and administering the management and operation of the organization. The annual budget reflects an estimate of gross revenues and disposition of these revenues in accordance with the flow of funds required by Ordinance No. 75686 (See Note B). The annual budget is submitted to City Council for review and consultation.

**Fund Accounting:** Within SAWS' enterprise fund accounts, separate self-balancing sub-funds are maintained to account for resources for various purposes, thereby distinguishing balances restricted by City Ordinance or other enabling legislation from unrestricted resources. Interfund receivable and payable accounts have been eliminated in the financial statements.

Core Businesses: SAWS' operations are segregated into four core businesses as follows:

- Water Delivery the functions of distributing water to the customer
- Water Supply the functions related to the development and provision of additional water resources
- Wastewater the functions of collecting and treating wastewater from the user customer
- Chilled Water and Steam the functions related to providing chilled water and steam to specific customers of SAWS

**Restricted Resources:** It is SAWS' policy to use restricted resources first when an expenditure is made for purposes for which both restricted and unrestricted resources are available.

**Cash Equivalents:** SAWS considers investments with an original maturity of three months or less at the time of purchase and all bank certificates of deposit to be cash equivalents.

Investments: City Ordinance No. 75686, SAWS' Investment Policy, and Texas state law allow SAWS to invest in direct obligations of the United States or its agencies and instrumentalities. Other allowable investments include direct obligations of the State of Texas or its agencies and instrumentalities; secured certificates of deposit issued by depository institutions that have their main office or a branch office in the State of Texas; defined bankers acceptances and commercial paper; collateralized direct repurchase agreements, reverse repurchase agreements; no-load money market mutual funds; investment pools; municipal bonds; and other types of secured or guaranteed investments. These investments are subject to market risk, interest rate risk, and credit risk which may affect the value at which these investments are recorded. Under the provisions of GASB Statement No. 31, money market investments, including US Treasury and agency obligations, with a remaining maturity at time of purchase of one year or less are reported at amortized cost. Investments other than money market investments are reported at fair value which is based on quoted market prices or quotes from bond broker dealers.

Accounts Receivable: Accounts receivable are recorded at the invoiced amounts plus an estimate of unbilled revenue receivable. The allowance for uncollectible accounts is management's best estimate of the amount of probable credit losses based on account delinquencies and historical write-off experience. Account balances are written off against the allowance when it is probable the receivable will not be recovered. SAWS wrote off account balances totaling \$3.5 million in 2013 and \$3.8 million in 2012. A provision to increase the allowance for uncollectible accounts is recorded as an offset to operating revenue. The provision for uncollectible accounts was \$4.6 million in 2013 and \$3.8 million in 2012.

**Inventory:** Inventories are valued at the lower of weighted average cost or market.

**Restricted Noncurrent Assets:** Assets restricted for the acquisition of capital assets or to pay noncurrent liabilities are reported as noncurrent assets in the Statement of Net Position regardless of their relative liquidity.

Capital Assets: Assets in service are capitalized when the unit cost is greater than or equal to \$5,000. Utility plant additions are recorded at cost, which includes materials, labor, overhead, and interest capitalized during construction. Included in capital assets are intangible assets, which consist of purchased water rights and land easements, costs associated with acquiring additional Certificates of Convenience and Necessity (CCN) related to new service areas and development costs for internally generated computer software. Overhead consists of internal costs that are clearly related to the acquisition of capital assets. Assets acquired through capital leases are recorded on the cost basis and included in utility plant in service. Assets acquired through contributions, such as those from developers, are recorded at estimated fair market value at date of donation. Maintenance, repairs, and minor renewals are charged to operating expense; major plant replacements are capitalized. Capital assets are depreciated and property under capital lease is amortized on the straight-line method. This method is applied to all individual assets except distribution mains and intangible assets. Groups of mains are depreciated on the straightline method using rates estimated to fully depreciate the costs of the asset group over their estimated average useful lives. Intangible assets not considered to have indefinite useful lives are amortized over their estimated useful life. Capital assets are tested for impairment when a significant unexpected decline in its service utility occurs. The following table shows an estimated range of useful lives used in providing for depreciation of capital assets:

|  | 25 50     |       |
|--|-----------|-------|
| Structures and improvements              | 25 - 50   | years |
| Pumping and purification equipment       | 10 - 50   | years |
| Distribution and transmission system     | 17.5 - 50 | years |
| Collection system                        | 50        | years |
| Treatment facilities                     | 25        | years |
| Equipment and machinery                  | 5 - 20    | years |
| Furniture and fixtures                   | 3 - 10    | years |
| Computer equipment                       | 5         | years |
| Software                                 | 3 - 10    | years |
| Intangible assets (definite useful life) | 20        | years |

**Capitalized Interest:** Interest expense during the construction period is capitalized as part of the cost of capital assets. SAWS capitalized \$9.3 million of interest in 2013 and \$9.1 million in 2012.

Capital Contributions: Capital Contributions consist of plant contributions from developers, capital recovery fees, and grant proceeds received from governmental agencies for facility expansion. Capital Contributions are recognized in the Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Position, after non-operating revenues (expenses), when eligibility requirements are met.

Capital recovery fees are charged to customers to connect to the water or wastewater system and may be used only for additional infrastructure capacity. In certain instances, infrastructure that facilitates expansion of SAWS' service capacity is contributed by developers. In these instances, SAWS records the donated infrastructure as plant contributions and grants credits to the developer equal to the estimated fair market value of the excess capacity of the infrastructure contributed. These credits may only be used to offset future capital recovery fees owed by the developer. At December 31, 2013, SAWS had granted \$23.1 million in unused capital recovery fee credits to developers. The use of these capital recovery fee credits is conditional based on type of development and in certain instances, time requirements and geographic restrictions.

**Deferred Outflows of Resources:** In addition to assets, the statement of net position includes a separate section for deferred outflows of resources. This separate financial statement element represents a consumption of net position that applies to a future period(s) and therefore, will not be recognized as an outflow of resources (expense) until then.

Loss on refunding results from the difference in the carrying value of refunded debt and its reacquisition price. This amount is deferred and amortized to interest expense over the shorter of the life of the refunded or refunding debt.

SAWS is a party to an interest rate swap agreement which serves to hedge interest rates on a portion of SAWS' variable rate debt. The agreement qualifies as a derivative instrument in accordance with GASB Statements No. 53 and 64. Using the methodology set forth in those GASB Statements, the interest rate swap agreement has been deemed an effective hedge. As a result, hedge accounting is used to account for the changes in the fair value of the swap agreement. Accumulated decrease in the fair value of hedging derivative represents the change in the fair value of the interest rate swap that has not been recognized in the statement of revenues, expenses and changes in net position due to the use of hedge accounting.

Compensated Absences: It is SAWS' policy to accrue employee vacation pay as earned as well as the employer portion of Social Security taxes and required pension contributions related to the accrued vacation pay. Sick leave is not accrued as a terminating employee is not paid for accumulated sick leave.

**Self-Insurance**: SAWS is self-insured for a portion of workers' compensation, employee's health, employer's liability, public officials' liability, property damage, and certain elements of general liability. A liability has been recorded for the estimated amount of eventual loss which will be incurred on claims arising prior to the end of the period including incurred but not reported claims.

**Derivative Instruments**: As noted above, SAWS is a party to an interest rate swap agreement that qualifies as a derivative instrument. Additionally, SAWSRP's investments in separate accounts held at The Principal Financial Group may use derivatives as part of their investment strategy. These accounts are comingled pools, rather than individual securities.

**Estimates:** The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect certain reported amounts and disclosures. Accordingly, actual results could differ from those estimates.

**Reclassifications:** Certain amounts presented in the prior year data have been reclassified in order to be consistent with the current year's presentation.

#### **NOTE B - CITY ORDINANCE NO. 75686**

Funds Flow: City Ordinance No. 75686 (the City Ordinance) requires that SAWS' gross revenues be applied in sequence to: (1) System Fund for payment of current maintenance and operating expenses including a reserve equal to two months of budgeted maintenance and operating expenses for the current fiscal year; (2) Debt Service Fund requirements of Senior Lien Obligations; (3) Reserve Fund requirements of Senior Lien Obligations; (4) Interest and Sinking Fund and Reserve Fund requirements of Junior Lien Obligations; (5) Interest and Sinking Fund and Reserve Fund requirements of Subordinate Lien Obligations; (6) Payment of amounts required on Inferior Lien Obligations, and (7) Transfers to the City's General Fund and to the Renewal and Replacement Fund.

Payments to the City's General Fund: The City Ordinance requires SAWS to make payments to the City each month after making all other payments required by the City Ordinance. The amount of the payment is determined by City Council from time to time and cannot exceed 5%. Currently SAWS pays 2.7% of Gross Revenues to the City. Payments to the City are reported as non-operating expense in the Statement of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Net Position.

**Reuse Contract:** SAWS has a contract with CPS Energy, the city owned electricity and gas utility, for the provision of reuse water. According to the City Ordinance, the revenues derived from the contract have been restricted in use to only reuse activities and are excluded from gross revenue for purposes of calculating any transfers to the City's General Fund.

**Pledged Revenues:** Net Revenues of SAWS have been pledged to the payment and security of its debt obligations. Net Revenues are defined by the City Ordinance as SAWS' Gross Revenues after deducting operating expenses before depreciation. SAWS' Gross Revenues consist of all revenue with respect to the operation and ownership of SAWS with the exception of capital contributions, payments received under the CPS Energy contract, the federal subsidy of interest on Build America Bonds and earnings on funds deposited in the Project Fund and Reserve Fund until the Reserve Fund contains the required reserve amount.

No Free Service: The City Ordinance also provides for no free services except for municipal fire-fighting purposes.

#### NOTE C – SAN ANTONIO WATER SYSTEM DISTRICT SPECIAL PROJECT

In May 2011, the Texas Legislature passed Senate Bill 341 (SB 341) calling for an election by Bexar Metropolitan Water District (BexarMet) ratepayers to vote on the dissolution of BexarMet and consolidation with SAWS. At that time, BexarMet provided water service to approximately 92,000 customers in Bexar County and several surrounding counties. Many of BexarMet's customers were also SAWS wastewater customers. The election was held in November 2011 and the BexarMet ratepayers voted in favor of dissolution. Preclearance of the election results by the United States Department of Justice was received on January 27, 2012.

SAWS, acting by and through the City of San Antonio, has taken action to accommodate the assumption of BexarMet in accordance with the requirements and specifications of SB 341. In October 2011, the City Council adopted Ordinance No. 2011-10-20-0845 (District Special Project Ordinance) creating a "special project", as authorized by SB 341 and pursuant to SAWS senior lien bond ordinances. In accordance with the District Special Project Ordinance, on January 28, 2012 all assets, liabilities, rights, duties and obligations of BexarMet were transferred to an entity known as the San Antonio Water System District Special Project (SAWS DSP). Management and control of SAWS DSP is vested in the SAWS Board of Trustees (Board), however, in accordance with the District Special Project Ordinance, SAWS DSP is not a part of SAWS. Instead, SAWS DSP will be reported as a discrete component unit of the City of San Antonio until full integration with SAWS has been completed. Full integration with SAWS will be considered to have occurred when the rates paid by SAWS DSP customers for water service are the same as those paid by SAWS customers and no SAWS DSP debt remains outstanding. In accordance with the District Special Project Ordinance, SAWS DSP will not materially and adversely interfere with the operation of SAWS but will be fully integrated into SAWS' system by January 2017. If requested, the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) may approve a maximum three year extension of the deadline for full integration.

In order to improve service to SAWS DSP customers and improve the operational efficiency of both the SAWS and SAWS DSP systems, a series of interconnects have been established between the two systems allowing water to flow more freely between the systems and provide redundancy. Due to the extended drought, available SAWS DSP water supplies have been inadequate to meet the demand of the SAWS DSP customers during 2013 and 2012. In order to meet SAWS DSP customer demand, SAWS provided 1.8 billion gallons of water through the interconnects in 2013 and 1.3 billion gallons in 2012.

In August 2012, SAWS purchased the water treatment plant owned by Bexar Metropolitan Water Development Corporation (BMWDC), a component unit of SAWSDSP. The purchase price of \$18.7 million was used to

extinguish BMWDC's outstanding debt after which BMWDC was dissolved. The plant is utilized to treat water permitted to SAWS DSP and SAWS DSP is responsible for all operating and capital replacement costs associated with the plant. SAWS charges fees to SAWS DSP for the use of the treatment plant.

In accordance with the District Special Project Ordinance, the Board may allocate assets and expenses between SAWS and SAWS DSP to ensure that all activities and transactions are properly stated in the books and records of each entity. Joint costs benefiting both SAWS and SAWS DSP systems are allocated in a rational manner that approximates the benefits received by each system. During 2012, SAWS began the process of integrating the operations of the two systems. Throughout 2013, the operation of the two systems was substantially integrated. As a result, the operating expenses allocated to the SAWS DSP in 2013 were significantly higher than the costs allocated in 2012.

The following table summarizes the transactions between SAWS and SAWS DSP.

|                                | Year Ended December 31, |        |      |       |  |  |  |  |
|--------------------------------|-------------------------|--------|------|-------|--|--|--|--|
| (amounts in thousands)         |                         | 2013   | 2012 |       |  |  |  |  |
| Operating Revenue              |                         |        |      |       |  |  |  |  |
| Water sold to SAWS DSP         | \$                      | 5,062  | \$   | 3,588 |  |  |  |  |
| Non-operating Revenue          |                         |        |      |       |  |  |  |  |
| Treatment plant use            | \$                      | 118    | \$   | 80    |  |  |  |  |
| Operating Expenses             |                         |        |      |       |  |  |  |  |
| Expenses allocated to SAWS DSP | \$                      | 20,584 | \$   | 6,339 |  |  |  |  |

#### NOTE D - DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS

#### San Antonio Water System:

Deposits: As of December 31, 2013, SAWS' funds are deposited in demand and savings accounts or certificates of deposit at Frost Bank, SAWS' general depository bank. Additionally, funds have been deposited in certificates of deposit at BBVA-Compass Bank and Bank of America. As required by state law, all SAWS' deposits are fully collateralized and/or are covered by federal depository insurance. At December 31, 2013, the collateral pledged is being held by the Federal Reserve Bank of Boston under SAWS' name so SAWS incurs no custodial credit risk. At December 31, 2013, the bank balance of SAWS' demand and savings accounts was \$39,419,000 and the reported amount was \$37,809,000 which included \$30,000 of cash on hand. At December 31, 2012, the bank balance of SAWS' demand and savings accounts was \$49,620,000 and the reported amount was \$47,273,000 which included \$30,000 of cash on hand. Certificates of deposit totaled \$85,000,000 at December 31, 2013 and \$75,000,000 at December 31, 2012.

Investments: As of December 31, 2013, investments include securities issued by the United States government and its agencies and instrumentalities along with municipal bonds and funds held in escrow. Securities issued by

the U.S. government and its agencies and instrumentalities along with municipal bonds are held in safekeeping by SAWS' depository bank, Frost Bank and registered as securities of SAWS. Funds held in escrow are Money Market Funds managed by Frost Bank, Bank of New York Mellon, U.S. Bank and Wells Fargo Bank and are invested in securities issued by the U.S. government or by U.S. Agencies.

SAWS had the following investments and remaining maturities at December 31, 2013 and 2012:

| December 31, 2013                  |    |              |      |           |        |             |     |                  |    |           |        |         |
|------------------------------------|----|--------------|------|-----------|--------|-------------|-----|------------------|----|-----------|--------|---------|
| (amounts in thousands)             |    |              | Inve | stment Ma | uritie | s (in Days) |     |                  |    |           |        |         |
| Investment Type                    |    | lays or less | 9    | 1 to 180  | 18     | 1 to 365    | Gre | ater Than<br>365 | Fa | nir Value | Amount |         |
| U.S. Treasury Securities           | \$ | 20,022       | \$   | 26,904    | \$     | -           | \$  | -                | \$ | 46,926    | \$     | 46,922  |
| U.S. Agency Discount Notes         |    | 71,295       |      | 51,832    |        | -           |     | -                |    | 123,127   |        | 123,121 |
| U.S. Agency Coupon Notes           |    | 72,845       |      | 97,098    |        | 39,708      |     | 33,546           |    | 243,197   |        | 243,199 |
| Municipal Bonds                    |    | 2,263        |      | -         |        | -           |     | 4,066            |    | 6,329     |        | 6,331   |
| Money Market Funds held in Escrow: |    |              |      |           |        |             |     |                  |    |           |        |         |
| Bank of New York Mellon            |    | 121,324      |      | -         |        | -           |     | -                |    | 121,324   |        | 121,324 |
| Frost Bank                         |    | 12,088       |      | -         |        | -           |     | -                |    | 12,088    |        | 12,088  |
| U.S. Bank                          |    | 2,568        |      | -         |        | -           |     | -                |    | 2,568     |        | 2,568   |
| Wells Fargo Bank                   |    | 11,121       |      | -         |        |             |     |                  |    | 11,121    |        | 11,121  |
|                                    | \$ | 313,526      | \$   | 175,834   | \$     | 39,708      | \$  | 37,612           | \$ | 566,680   | \$     | 566,674 |

| December 31, 2012                  |      |              |           |           |            |             |                      |        |                     |         |    |         |            |  |                    |  |
|------------------------------------|------|--------------|-----------|-----------|------------|-------------|----------------------|--------|---------------------|---------|----|---------|------------|--|--------------------|--|
| (amounts in thousands)             |      |              | Inve      | stment Ma | turitie    | s (in Days) |                      |        |                     |         |    |         |            |  |                    |  |
| Investment Type                    | 90 d | lays or less | 91 to 180 |           | 181 to 365 |             | 91 to 180 181 to 365 |        | Greater Than<br>365 |         |    |         | Fair Value |  | Reported<br>Amount |  |
| U.S. Treasury Securities           | \$   | 9,979        | \$        | 32,400    | \$         | -           | \$                   | -      | \$                  | 42,379  | \$ | 42,368  |            |  |                    |  |
| U.S. Agency Discount Notes         |      | -            |           | 61,062    |            | -           |                      | -      |                     | 61,062  |    | 61,056  |            |  |                    |  |
| U.S. Agency Coupon Notes           |      | 137,981      |           | 33,114    |            | 28,947      |                      | 38,215 |                     | 238,257 |    | 238,249 |            |  |                    |  |
| Money Market Funds held in Escrow: |      |              |           |           |            |             |                      |        |                     |         |    |         |            |  |                    |  |
| Bank of New York Mellon            |      | 10,662       |           | -         |            | -           |                      | -      |                     | 10,662  |    | 10,662  |            |  |                    |  |
| Frost Bank                         |      | 29,583       |           | -         |            | -           |                      | -      |                     | 29,583  |    | 29,583  |            |  |                    |  |
| U.S. Bank                          |      | 2,568        |           | -         |            | -           |                      | -      |                     | 2,568   |    | 2,568   |            |  |                    |  |
| Wells Fargo Bank                   |      | 11,117       |           | -         |            |             |                      |        |                     | 11,117  |    | 11,117  |            |  |                    |  |
|                                    | \$   | 201,890      | \$        | 126,576   | \$         | 28,947      | \$                   | 38,215 | \$                  | 395,628 | \$ | 395,603 |            |  |                    |  |
|                                    |      |              |           |           |            |             |                      |        |                     |         |    |         |            |  |                    |  |

Interest Rate Risk: As a means of limiting its exposure to fair value losses due to rising interest rates, SAWS' investment policy limits its investments maturities to no more than five years. At December 31, 2013 and 2012

SAWS investment maturities as a percent of the portfolio were as follows:

|  | Decem | ıber 31, |
|--|-------|----------|
| Maturities                               | 2013  | 2012     |
| Zero to 90 days                          | 55%   | 51%      |
| 91 to 180 days                           | 31%   | 32%      |
| 181 to 365 days                          | 7%    | 7%       |
| More than one year and less than 5 years | 7%    | 10%      |

**Credit Risk:** In accordance with its investment policies, SAWS manages exposure to credit risk by limiting its investments in long-term obligations of other states and cities to those with a credit rating of "A" or better. Additionally, any short-term investments require a rating of at least "A-1" or "P-1". As of December 31, 2013 and 2012, SAWS held no direct investments with a credit rating below "AA".

|                   | Rating |      | (amount in | thousands) |            |            | Investment Policy |  |  |  |
|-------------------|--------|------|------------|------------|------------|------------|-------------------|--|--|--|
| Credit Rating     | Agency | Carr | ying Value | Mai        | rket Value | Allocation | Limit             |  |  |  |
| December 31, 2013 |        |      |            |            |            |            |                   |  |  |  |
| A-1+/AAA          | S&P    | \$   | 270,222    | \$         | 270,228    | 47.7%      | Max. = 100%       |  |  |  |
| AA+               | S&P    |      | 290,121    |            | 290,123    | 51.2%      | Max. = 100%       |  |  |  |
| AA                | S&P    |      | 6,331      |            | 6,329      | 1.1%       | Max. = 100%       |  |  |  |
| Total Portfolio   |        | \$   | 566,674    | \$         | 566,680    | 100.0%     |                   |  |  |  |
| December 31, 2012 |        |      |            |            |            |            |                   |  |  |  |
| A-1+/AAA          | S&P    | \$   | 114,986    | \$         | 114,992    | 29.1%      | Max. = 100%       |  |  |  |
| AA+               | S&P    |      | 280,617    |            | 280,636    | 70.9%      | Max. = 100%       |  |  |  |
| Total Portfolio   |        | \$   | 395,603    | \$         | 395,628    | 100.0%     |                   |  |  |  |

Concentration of Credit Risk: SAWS' investment policy does not limit the amount it may invest in U.S. Treasury securities, government-guaranteed securities, or government-sponsored entity securities. However, in order to manage its exposure to concentration of credit risk, the investment policy does limit the amount that can be invested in any one government-sponsored issuer to no more than 50% of the total investment portfolio, and no more than 20% of the total investment portfolio on any non-government issuer unless it is fully collateralized.

At December 31, 2013 and 2012, the following investments in any one organization that represent more than five percent of total SAWS investments are:

|  | Decen | iber 31, |
|--|-------|----------|
| _                                      | 2013  | 2012     |
| Federal Home Loan Bank                 | 40%   | 30%      |
| Federal National Mortgage Association  | 7%    | 7%       |
| Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation | 5%    | 16%      |

The following is a reconciliation of deposits and investments disclosed in this note to the amounts presented for cash and investments in the Statements of Net Position for 2013 and 2012:

| (amounts in thousands)                       | Decem         | ber 31 | ,       |
|--|---------------|--------|---------|
|  | <br>2013      |        | 2012    |
| Reported amounts in note for:                |               |        |         |
| Deposits, including certificates of deposit  | \$<br>122,809 | \$     | 122,273 |
| Investments                                  | <br>566,674   |        | 395,603 |
| Total Deposits & Investments                 | \$<br>689,483 | \$     | 517,876 |
| Totals from Statement of Net Position:       |               |        |         |
| Cash and Cash Equivalents:                   |               |        |         |
| Unrestricted                                 | \$<br>131,763 | \$     | 132,273 |
| Restricted - current                         | 1             |        | 16,146  |
| Restricted - noncurrent                      | 138,149       |        | 27,785  |
| Total cash and cash equivalents              | 269,913       |        | 176,204 |
| Investments:                                 |               |        |         |
| Unrestricted                                 | 55,454        |        | 51,694  |
| Restricted - current                         | 131,283       |        | 114,702 |
| Restricted - noncurrent                      | <br>232,833   |        | 175,276 |
| Total investments                            | 419,570       |        | 341,672 |
| Total Cash, Cash Equivalents and Investments | \$<br>689,483 | \$     | 517,876 |

The requirements of City Ordinance 75686 stipulate that SAWS must accumulate and maintain a reserve equal to 100% of the maximum annual debt service requirements for senior lien debt obligations. Additional City ordinances require SAWS to maintain a reserve fund equal to the average annual debt service on all junior lien debt obligations secured by a reserve fund. Not all SAWS junior lien debt obligations require the security of a reserve fund. Increases in the required reserve amount may be deposited into the Reserve Fund over a five year period. Ordinance 75686 allows for SAWS to provide surety policies equal to all or part of the required reserve. Prior to 2008, SAWS acquired surety policies on debt issuances in lieu of depositing cash in its Reserve Fund. Due to downgrades in the credit ratings of certain of these surety policy providers during 2008 and 2009, SAWS has been required to make deposits into its Reserve Fund. Additional deposits to the Reserve Fund were also required as a result of debt issued without surety policies since 2008. SAWS may use bond proceeds to make the required deposits related to new debt issued. Reserve fund deposits are required to be maintained until a) the revenue bonds mature, b) the surety policy provider's credit ratings improve to the minimum ratings required under SAWS bond ordinance, or c) new surety policies are provided that meet the requirements of the bond ordinance. The following table summarizes the Reserve Fund accounts that are included in restricted cash and investments at December 31, 2013 and 2012.

|   | Decem        | ber 31, | ,      |
|---|--------------|---------|--------|
| (amounts in thousands)                  | <br>2013     |         | 2012   |
| Cash & Cash Equivalents                 | \$<br>15     | \$      | 578    |
| Investments:                            |              |         |        |
| Junior Lien Bonds                       | 15,741       |         | 10,132 |
| Senior Lien Bonds                       | <br>74,174   |         | 70,134 |
| Total Investments                       | 89,915       |         | 80,266 |
| Total Cash & Investments - Reserve Fund | \$<br>89,930 | \$      | 80,844 |

#### San Antonio Water System Retirement Plan (SAWSRP):

At December 31, 2013 and 2012 the SAWSRP held no deposits and had the following investments:

| (amounts in thousands)                       | 2013      | 2012      |
|--|-----------|-----------|
| Principal Bond and Mortgage Separate Account | \$ 34,974 | \$ 35,363 |
| Large Cap S&P 500 Index Separate Account     | 105,547   | 74,864    |
|  | \$140,521 | \$110,227 |

It is the policy of the SAWSRP to invest approximately 60% of its assets in equity securities and the remainder in fixed income securities. The SAWSRP investments are not automatically rebalanced, however, contributions to the plan are invested in a manner to adhere to the investment policy. The Principal Bond and Mortgage Separate Account is unrated. Its effective duration was 5.10 years at December 31, 2013 and 5.32 years at December, 31, 2012.

#### San Antonio Water System Retiree Health Trust (OPEB Trust):

In March 2012, SAWS established an OPEB Trust for the exclusive purpose of providing benefits to eligible retirees and their dependents. At December 31, 2013 and 2012 the OPEB Trust held no deposits and had the following investments:

|                            | Decmeber 31, |                    |      |       |  |  |
|----------------------------|--------------|--------------------|------|-------|--|--|
| (amounts in thousands)     | 2            | 2013               | 20   | 012   |  |  |
| Cash and Cash Equivalents: |              |                    |      |       |  |  |
| Money Market Account       | \$           | 269                | \$   | 80    |  |  |
| Investments:               |              |                    |      |       |  |  |
| Stock Mutual Funds         | 1            | 1,988              |      | 8,874 |  |  |
| Bond Mutual Funds          |              | 7,002              |      | 3,711 |  |  |
|                            | \$ 1         | 9,259              | \$ 1 | 2,665 |  |  |
| Bond Mutual Funds          | \$ 1         | 3,711<br>\$ 12,665 |      |       |  |  |

It is the policy of the OPEB Trust to invest 50% - 70% of its assets in equity securities, 25% - 50% in fixed income securities and 0% - 5% in cash. OPEB Trust utilizes an investment manager to make recommendations as to the

appropriate target portfolio weightings among major asset classes. Additionally, the investment manager has full discretionary authority to buy, hold, and sell investments subject to the guidelines as defined in the OPEB Trust's investment policy. Investments in mutual funds traded on national or international exchanges are valued at the last reported sales price. Investments in the trust at December 31, 2012 are unrated. The effective duration of the bond mutual funds was 4.91 years at December 31, 2013 and 6.65 years at December 31, 2012.

NOTE E - ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE

Accounts receivable consisted of the following at December 31, 2013 and 2012:

| (amounts in thousands)                      | <br>2013     | <br>2012     |
|---|--------------|--------------|
| Current:                                    |              |              |
| Receivable from customers                   | \$<br>33,640 | \$<br>29,574 |
| Unbilled revenue                            | 23,664       | 23,202       |
| Receivable from SAWS DSP                    | 4,542        | 3,158        |
| Receivable from other governmental agencies | 1,952        | 1,371        |
| Less: Allowance for doubtfull accounts      | <br>(3,491)  | <br>(2,320)  |
|   | 60,307       | 54,985       |
| Noncurrent:                                 |              |              |
| Receivable from other governmental agencies | <br>6,189    | <br>6,985    |
| Total accounts receivable                   | \$<br>66,496 | \$<br>61,970 |

In connection with a settlement agreement, Lower Colorado River Authority (LCRA) is required to make eight annual payments of \$1.4 million to SAWS beginning November 1, 2012 through November 1, 2019. The discounted value of the payments to be received from LCRA in the future is reported in accounts receivable, of which \$6.2 million and \$7 million was classified as noncurrent at December 31, 2013 and 2012, respectively.

NOTE F – CAPITAL ASSETS

A summary of capital asset activity for the year ended December 31, 2013 is as follows:

| (amounts in thousands)                                | Decen | nber 31, 2012 | Increase | es    | Tra | ansfers   | De | ecreases | Decer | mber 31, 2013 |
|---|-------|---------------|----------|-------|-----|-----------|----|----------|-------|---------------|
| Capital Assets, not being depreciated:                |       |               |          |       |     |           |    |          |       |               |
| Land  | \$    | 94,971        | \$       | -     | \$  | (8,675)   | \$ | 483      | \$    | 85,813        |
| Water rights purchased                                |       | 213,219       |          | -     |     | 29,517    |    | -        |       | 242,736       |
| Other intangible assets                               |       | 370           |          | -     |     | -         |    | -        |       | 370           |
| Construction in progress                              |       | 571,547       | 297      | ,656  |     | (361,025) |    | 1,349    |       | 506,829       |
| Total capital assets, not being depreciated/amortized |       | 880,107       | 297      | ,656  |     | (340,183) |    | 1,832    |       | 835,748       |
| Capital assets, being depreciated                     |       |               |          |       |     |           |    |          |       |               |
| Structures and improvements                           |       | 554,885       |          | 7     |     | 51,660    |    | 213      |       | 606,339       |
| Pumping and purification equipment                    |       | 152,468       |          | 332   |     | 3,452     |    | 170      |       | 156,082       |
| Distribution and transmission system                  |       | 1,766,303     | 2        | ,313  |     | 67,309    |    | 3,259    |       | 1,832,666     |
| Treatment facilties                                   |       | 1,606,951     |          | -     |     | 206,329   |    | 30       |       | 1,813,250     |
| Equipment and machinery                               |       | 134,819       | 3        | ,993  |     | 10,872    |    | 5,574    |       | 144,110       |
| Furniture and fixtures                                |       | 5,100         |          | 8     |     | -         |    | -        |       | 5,108         |
| Computer equipment                                    |       | 14,697        | 1        | ,213  |     | -         |    | 274      |       | 15,636        |
| Software  |       | 24,436        | 1        | ,173  |     | 561       |    | 27       |       | 26,143        |
| Other intangible assets                               |       | 1,347         |          |       |     |           |    |          |       | 1,347         |
| Total capital assets being                            |       |               |          |       |     |           |    |          |       |               |
| depreciated/amortized                                 |       | 4,261,006     | 9        | ,039  |     | 340,183   |    | 9,547    |       | 4,600,681     |
| Less accumulated depreciation                         |       |               |          |       |     |           |    |          |       |               |
| Structures and improvements                           |       | (131,060)     | (13      | ,155) |     | -         |    | (124)    |       | (144,091)     |
| Pumping and purification equipment                    |       | (37,443)      | (3       | ,828) |     | -         |    | (33)     |       | (41,238)      |
| Distribution and transmission system                  |       | (519,657)     | (39      | ,802) |     | -         |    | (3,259)  |       | (556,200)     |
| Treatment facilties                                   |       | (584,256)     | (37      | ,226) |     | -         |    | (22)     |       | (621,460)     |
| Equipment and machinery                               |       | (66,656)      | (12      | ,921) |     | -         |    | (5,095)  |       | (74,482)      |
| Furniture and fixtures                                |       | (4,538)       |          | (188) |     | -         |    | -        |       | (4,726)       |
| Computer equipment                                    |       | (8,732)       | (2       | ,275) |     | -         |    | (271)    |       | (10,736)      |
| Software  |       | (17,375)      | (1       | ,912) |     | -         |    | (27)     |       | (19,260)      |
| Other intangible assets                               |       | (168)         |          | (68)  |     | _         |    |          |       | (236)         |
| Total accumulated depreciation                        |       | (1,369,885)   | (111     | ,375) |     | -         |    | (8,831)  |       | (1,472,429)   |
| Total capital assets, being                           |       |               |          |       |     |           |    |          |       |               |
| depreciated/amortized                                 |       | 2,891,121     | (102     | ,336) |     | 340,183   |    | 716      |       | 3,128,252     |
| Capital assets, net                                   | \$    | 3,771,228     | \$ 195   | .320  | S   | _         | \$ | 2,548    | \$    | 3,964,000     |

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A summary of capital asset activity for the year ended December 31, 2012 is as follows:

| (amounts in thousands)                                | December 31, 2011 Increases Transfers |            | Transfers | Decreases | December 31, 2012 |
|---|---------------------------------------|------------|-----------|-----------|-------------------|
| Capital Assets, not being depreciated:                |                                       |            |           |           |                   |
| Land  | \$ 93,331                             | \$ -       | \$ 1,640  | \$ -      | \$ 94,971         |
| Water rights purchased                                | 205,163                               | -          | 8,056     | -         | 213,219           |
| Other intangible assets                               | 370                                   | -          | -         | -         | 370               |
| Construction in progress                              | 522,438                               | 292,456    | (241,136) | 2,211     | 571,547           |
| Total capital assets, not being depreciated/amortized | 821,302                               | 292,456    | (231,440) | 2,211     | 880,107           |
| Capital assets, being depreciated                     |                                       |            |           |           |                   |
| Structures and improvements                           | 504,963                               | 12,653     | 38,155    | 886       | 554,885           |
| Pumping and purification equipment                    | 146,376                               | 158        | 6,430     | 496       | 152,468           |
| Distribution and transmission system                  | 1,667,250                             | 2,439      | 100,019   | 3,405     | 1,766,303         |
| Treatment facilties                                   | 1,524,826                             | -          | 82,125    | -         | 1,606,951         |
| Equipment and machinery                               | 116,314                               | 13,932     | 4,604     | 31        | 134,819           |
| Furniture and fixtures                                | 5,052                                 | 48         | -         | -         | 5,100             |
| Computer equipment                                    | 13,293                                | 2,085      | 81        | 762       | 14,697            |
| Software  | 23,780                                | 630        | 26        | -         | 24,436            |
| Other intangible assets                               | 1,347                                 | -          | -         | -         | 1,347             |
| Total capital assets being                            |                                       |            |           |           |                   |
| depreciated/amortized                                 | 4,003,201                             | 31,945     | 231,440   | 5,580     | 4,261,006         |
| Less accumulated depreciation                         |                                       |            |           |           |                   |
| Structures and improvements                           | (120,137)                             | (11,420)   | -         | (497)     | (131,060)         |
| Pumping and purification equipment                    | (34,175)                              | (3,718)    | -         | (450)     | (37,443)          |
| Distribution and transmission system                  | (482,560)                             | (39,946)   | -         | (2,849)   | (519,657)         |
| Treatment facilties                                   | (550,058)                             | (34,198)   | -         | -         | (584,256)         |
| Equipment and machinery                               | (56,965)                              | (9,722)    | -         | (31)      | (66,656)          |
| Furniture and fixtures                                | (4,338)                               | (200)      | -         | -         | (4,538)           |
| Computer equipment                                    | (7,192)                               | (2,300)    | -         | (760)     | (8,732)           |
| Software  | (15,912)                              | (1,463)    | -         | -         | (17,375)          |
| Other intangible assets                               | (101)                                 | (67)       | -         | -         | (168)             |
| Total accumulated depreciation                        | (1,271,438)                           | (103,034)  | -         | (4,587)   | (1,369,885)       |
| Total capital assets, being                           |                                       |            |           |           |                   |
| depreciated/amortized                                 | 2,731,763                             | (71,089)   | 231,440   | 993       | 2,891,121         |
| Capital assets, net                                   | \$ 3,553,065                          | \$ 221,367 | \$ -      | \$ 3,204  | \$ 3,771,228      |

Asset Impairment: SAWS periodically reviews its capital assets for possible impairment. As part of SAWS' capital improvement program, SAWS incurs costs to design capital improvement projects. These costs are included in capital assets as Construction in Progress. Periodically the actual construction of these projects may not occur due to changes in plans. Once it has been determined that construction will not proceed, any capitalized costs are charged off to operating expenses. Design and other project costs were charged off totaling \$1.3 million in 2013 and \$2.2 million in 2012.

#### **NOTE G - OTHER LIABILITIES**

**Accrued Vacation Payable:** SAWS records an accrual for vacation payable for all full time employees and pays unused vacation hours available at the end of employment with the final paycheck. Changes in the liability amount for 2013 and 2012 were as follows:

| (amounts in thousands)          |     |           |      |          |    |         |    |          |    |          |
|---------------------------------|-----|-----------|------|----------|----|---------|----|----------|----|----------|
|                                 | Ва  | lance at  |      |          |    |         | Ba | lance at | Es | timated  |
|                                 | Beg | inning of | Curr | ent-Year |    |         | Е  | End of   | Du | e Within |
|                                 |     | Year      | A    | ccruals  | Pa | yments  |    | Year     | Ot | ne Year  |
| Year Ended<br>December 31, 2013 | \$  | 8,078     | \$   | 7,512    | \$ | (7,412) | \$ | 8,178    | \$ | 7,412    |
| Year Ended<br>December 31, 2012 | \$  | 7,495     | \$   | 6,099    | \$ | (5,516) | \$ | 8,078    | \$ | 5,516    |

#### Risk Management:

#### Health Care Benefits:

SAWS provides health care benefits to eligible employees and retirees through a self-insured plan that includes medical, prescription drug and dental benefits. The payment of claims associated with these benefits is handled by third party administrators. Plan participants contribute a portion of the cost of providing these benefits through payroll deductions or monthly premiums, annual deductibles and other co-payments. SAWS was self-insured for the first \$200,000 of medical claims per person during 2013 and 2012.

#### Other Risks:

SAWS is exposed to various risks of financial loss related to torts; theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees; and natural disasters. SAWS is self administered and self-insured for the first \$1,000,000 of each worker's compensation and general liability claim, is fully self-insured for automobile liability and public official's liability claims and retains the first \$250,000 for each pollution remediation, legal liability and commercial property claim. Claims that exceed the self-insured retention limit are covered through SAWS' comprehensive commercial insurance program. For the years ended December 31, 2013 and 2012, there

were no reductions in insurance coverage from the previous year. Settled claims during the last three years have not exceeded the insurance coverage in any year.

The claims liability for health care benefits and other risks, including incurred but not reported claims, is based on the estimated ultimate cost of settling the claims. Changes in the liability amount for the last two fiscal years were as follows:

| (amounts in thousands)          |     |            |     |           |    |          |    |          |    | _        |
|---------------------------------|-----|------------|-----|-----------|----|----------|----|----------|----|----------|
|                                 | Ва  | lance at   |     |           |    |          | Ba | lance at | Es | timated  |
|                                 | Beg | ginning of | Cur | rent-Year |    |          | E  | End of   | Du | e Within |
|                                 |     | Year       | Α   | ccruals   | P  | ayments  |    | Year     | Or | ne Year  |
| Year Ended<br>December 31, 2013 | \$  | 9,956      | \$  | 22,801    | \$ | (25,447) | \$ | 7,310    | \$ | 7,310    |
| Year Ended<br>December 31, 2012 | \$  | 10,565     | \$  | 23,506    | \$ | (24,115) | \$ | 9,956    | \$ | 9,956    |

#### **NOTE H – DERIVATIVE INSTRUMENT**

In 2003, SAWS entered into an interest rate swap agreement in connection with its City of San Antonio, Texas, Water System Subordinate Lien Revenue and Refunding Bonds, Series 2003-A and 2003-B (the "Series 2003 Bonds") issued in a variable interest rate mode. The Series 2003 Bonds were issued to provide funds for SAWS' capital improvements program and to refund certain outstanding commercial paper notes.

Objective of the Interest Rate Swap: The swap was used to hedge interest rates on the Series 2003 Bonds to a synthetic fixed rate that produced a lower interest rate cost than a traditional long term fixed rate bond issued at that time. In August 2008, SAWS used commercial paper notes to redeem \$110,615,000 of the \$111,615,000 outstanding principal of the Series 2003 Bonds due to unfavorable market conditions relating to the ratings downgrade of the 2003 Bond insurer, MBIA Insurance Corporation. In 2009, SAWS redeemed the remaining \$1 million of the Series 2003 Bonds through the issuance of additional commercial paper. The interest rate swap agreement was not terminated upon the redemption of the 2003 Bonds and instead serves as an off-market hedge for that portion of the commercial paper notes outstanding which pertain to the redemption of the 2003 Bonds. SAWS currently intends to maintain a portion of its outstanding commercial paper in amounts matching the notional amounts of the swap. SAWS did not recognize any economic gain or loss as a result of this refunding since the debt service requirements of the commercial paper notes are expected to closely match the debt service requirements of the refunded debt. At December 31, 2013, \$98,000,000 of commercial paper notes are hedged by the interest rate swap agreement.

Terms: The swap agreement contains scheduled reductions to the outstanding notional amounts that are expected to follow the original scheduled reductions of the Series 2003 Bonds. The Series 2003 Bonds were issued on March 27, 2003, with a principal amount of \$122,500,000. The swap agreement matures on May 1, 2033. At the time the swap was entered into, the counterparty was Bear Stearns Financial Products, Inc. ("Bear Stearns FPI"), with the index for the variable rate leg of the SWAP being the Securities Industry and Financial Markets Association ("SIFMA") Municipal Swap Index.

In 2008, JPMorgan Chase & Co. announced its acquisition of The Bear Stearns Companies Inc., the parent of Bear Stearns FPI. JPMorgan Chase guaranteed the trading obligations of Bear Stearns and its subsidiaries. Effective June 16, 2009, the swap agreement was amended between SAWS, JPMorgan Chase & Co, and MBIA to provide for JPMorgan Chase Bank N.A. to become the swap counterparty and allow for the remainder of outstanding Series 2003 Bonds to be redeemed, while maintaining the swap agreement as an obligation to all parties. The amendment provides for the conditional release of MBIA's swap insurance policy upon the occurrence of certain future events.

The combination of commercial paper notes and a floating-to-fixed swap creates a synthetic fixed-rate of 4.18%. The synthetic fixed-rate protects against the potential of rising interest rates.

Fair Value: The swap had a fair value of approximately negative \$13.4 million at December 31, 2013 and negative \$25.1 million at December 31, 2012. This value was calculated using the zero-coupon method. This method calculates the future net settlement payments required by the swap, assuming that the current forward rates implied by the yield curve correctly anticipate future spot interest rates. These net payments are then discounted using the spot rates implied by the current yield curve for hypothetical zero-coupon bonds due on the date of each future net settlement on the swap.

The swap agreement meets the criteria of an effective hedge under GASB Statement 53 and therefore qualifies for hedge accounting treatment. Since the fair value is negative, the fair value is recorded as a non-current liability. Changes in the swap's fair value are recorded as a deferred outflow of resources and included on the Statement of Net Position. At the time the 2003 Bonds were redeemed in 2008, the fair value of the swap was negative \$6.2 million. The deferred outflow at the time of redemption was included in the carrying value of the 2003 Bonds and resulted in a loss on redemption of \$6.2 million. This loss is being amortized over the remaining life of the 2003 Bonds.

Credit Risk: SAWS was not exposed to credit risk on its outstanding swap at December 31, 2012 and 2013 because the swap had a negative fair value. However, should interest rates change and the fair value of the swap become positive, SAWS would be exposed to credit risk in the amount of the swap's fair value. The swap counterparty, JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A. was rated Aa3 by Moody's Investors Services, A+ by Standard and

Poor's, and A+ by Fitch Ratings as of December 31, 2013. The amended swap agreement contains a credit support annex which will become effective upon the release of MBIA from the swap insurance policy. Collateralization would be required by either party should the fair market value of the swap reach applicable thresholds as stated in the amended swap agreement.

Basis Risk: SAWS is exposed to basis risk to the extent that the interest payments on its hedged commercial paper notes do not match the variable-rate payments received on the associated swap. SAWS attempts to mitigate this risk by (a) matching the outstanding hedged commercial paper notes associated with the redemption of the variable-rate debt to the notional amount and amortization schedule of the swap and (b) selecting an index for the variable-rate leg of the swap that is reasonably expected to closely match the interest rate on the hedged commercial paper notes.

**Termination Risk:** SAWS may terminate the Swap at any time for any reason. JPMorgan Chase may terminate the swap if SAWS fails to perform under the terms of the agreement. SAWS' ongoing payment obligations under the swap are insured as provided for in the swap amendment and JPMorgan Chase cannot terminate as long as the insurer does not fail to perform. Also, if at the time of the termination the swap has a negative fair value, SAWS would be liable to the counterparty for a payment equal to the swap's fair value.

**Market-access Risk:** SAWS is subject to market-access risk as \$98,000,000 of variable-rate debt hedged by the swap is outstanding in commercial paper notes with current maturities of approximately 35 days. As previously noted, SAWS intends to reissue the commercial paper notes in amounts matching the notional amounts of the swap.

Swap Payments and Associated Debt: As of December 31, 2013, debt service requirements of the hedged commercial paper notes and net swap payments, assuming current interest rates remain the same, are as detailed below. As rates vary, variable-rate interest payments and net swap payments will vary. Principal payments assume that commercial paper notes will be repaid in accordance with the amortization schedule of the swap.

## Pay-Fixed, Receive-Variable Interest Rate Swap Estimated Debt Service Requirements of Variable-Rate Debt Outstanding and Net Swap Payments

(amounts in thousands)

| Year        | Principal |               | est Paid<br>Debt | <br>rest Rate<br>vap, Net | Total |         |  |  |
|-------------|-----------|---------------|------------------|---------------------------|-------|---------|--|--|
| 2014        | \$        | 3,105         | \$<br>86         | \$<br>3,952               | \$    | 7,143   |  |  |
| 2015        |           | 3,245         | 83               | 3,820                     |       | 7,148   |  |  |
| 2016        |           | 3,395         | 80               | 3,682                     |       | 7,157   |  |  |
| 2017        |           | 3,550         | 77               | 3,538                     |       | 7,165   |  |  |
| 2018        |           | <b>3,71</b> 0 | 74               | 3,388                     |       | 7,172   |  |  |
| 2019 - 2023 |           | 21,250        | 315              | 14,429                    |       | 35,994  |  |  |
| 2024 - 2028 |           | 26,560        | 207              | 9,487                     |       | 36,254  |  |  |
| 2029 - 2033 |           | 33,185        | 72               | 3,312                     |       | 36,569  |  |  |
| Total       | \$        | 98,000        | \$<br>994        | \$<br>45,608              | \$    | 144,602 |  |  |

#### NOTE I - LONG TERM DEBT

#### **REVENUE BONDS**

On May 7, 2013, SAWS issued \$50,000,000 City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Junior Lien Revenue Bonds, Series 2013A through the Texas Water Development Board. The bonds were sold under the Water Infrastructure Fund Loan Program. The proceeds from the sale of the bonds were used to (i) finance portions of the Brackish Groundwater Desalination Project, and (ii) pay the cost of issuance. The bonds are secured together with other currently outstanding Junior Lien Obligations solely by a lien on a pledge of net revenues and are subordinate to outstanding Senior Lien Obligations.

On June 6, 2013, SAWS issued \$82,885,000 City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Junior Lien Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2013B (No Reserve Fund). The proceeds from the sale of the bonds were used to (i) refund the City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Junior Lien Revenue Bonds, Series 2003 and the City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Revenue and Refunding Bonds, Series 2004; (together the "Refunded Bonds") and (ii) pay the cost of issuance. The refunding of the Refunded Bonds reduced total future debt service payments by approximately \$15.7 million and resulted in an economic gain of \$12.4 million. The bonds are secured together with other currently outstanding Junior Lien Obligations solely by a lien on a pledge of net revenues and are subordinate to outstanding Senior Lien Obligations.

On October 31, 2013, SAWS issued \$60,100,000 City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Junior Lien Revenue Bonds, Series 2013D through the Texas Water Development Board. The bonds were sold under the Clean Water

State Revolving Fund Program. The proceeds from the sale of the bonds were used to (i) finance capital improvement projects which qualify under the Texas Water Development Board program, and (ii) pay the cost of issuance. The bonds are secured together with other currently outstanding Junior Lien Obligations solely by a lien on a pledge of net revenues and are subordinate to outstanding Senior Lien Obligations.

On November 6, 2013, SAWS issued \$79,350,000 City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Junior Lien Revenue and Refunding Bonds, Series 2013E (No Reserve Fund). The proceeds from the sale of the bonds were used to (i) refund \$52,120,000 in outstanding commercial paper notes, (ii) finance capital improvement projects, and (iii) pay the cost of issuance. The bonds are secured together with other currently outstanding Junior Lien Obligations solely by a lien on a pledge of net revenues and are subordinate to outstanding Senior Lien Obligations. There was no economic gain or loss on this transaction.

On November 6, 2013, SAWS issued \$100,000,000 City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Variable Rate Junior Lien Revenue and Refunding Bonds, Series 2013F (No Reserve Fund). The proceeds from the sale of the bonds were used to (i) refund \$80,000,000 in outstanding commercial paper notes, (ii) finance capital improvement projects, and (iii) pay the cost of issuance. The bonds are secured together with other currently outstanding Junior Lien Obligations solely by a lien on a pledge of net revenues and are subordinate to outstanding Senior Lien Obligations. There was no economic gain or loss on this transaction.

On December 5, 2013, SAWS issued \$26,370,000 City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Junior Lien Revenue Bonds, Series 2013C through the Texas Water Development Board. The bonds were sold under the Drinking Water State Revolving Fund program. The proceeds from the sale of the bonds were used to (i) finance capital improvement projects which qualify under the Texas Water Development Board Program, and (ii) pay the cost of issuance. The bonds are secured together with other currently outstanding Junior Lien Obligations solely by a lien on a pledge of net revenues and are subordinate to outstanding Senior Lien Obligations.

Senior lien water system revenue bonds, comprised of Series 2004, Series 2005, Series 2007, Series 2009, Series 2009A, Series 2010B, Series 2011, Series 2011A, Series 2012, and Series 2012A, outstanding in the amount of \$1,506,725,000 at December 31, 2013, are collateralized by a senior lien and pledge of the gross revenues of SAWS after deducting and paying the current expenses of operation and maintenance of SAWS and maintaining a two-month operating reserve for such expenses. Interest rates range from 1.933% to 6.220%, exclusive of any federal interest subsidy on the Series 2009B and 2010B Build America Bonds.

The junior lien water system revenue bonds are composed of two categories of debt: fixed-interest-rate debt and variable-interest-rate debt. The junior lien fixed-interest-rate debt is similar to the senior lien bonds, as they have

fixed and set interest rates for the life of the bonds. The junior lien variable rate bonds have variable-interest-rates that are reset periodically. All the junior lien water system revenue bonds are collateralized by a junior lien and pledge of the gross revenues of SAWS after deducting the current expenses of operation and maintenance of SAWS, maintaining a two-month operating reserve for such expenses, and paying debt service on senior lien debt.

The junior lien fixed-interest-rate bonds, comprised of Series 2004, Series 2004-A, Series 2007, Series 2007A, Series 2008, Series 2008A, Series 2009, Series 2009A, Series 2010, Series 2010A, Series 2011, Series 2011A, Series 2012 (No Reserve Fund), Series 2012, Series 2013A, Series 2013B (No Reserve Fund), Series 2013 C, Series 2013D, and Series 2013E (No Reserve Fund), is outstanding in the amount of \$634,190,000 at December 31, 2013. Interest rates range from 0.000% to 5.000%

The junior lien variable-interest-rate bonds, comprised of the Series 2013F (No Reserve Fund) (the "Bonds"), is outstanding in the amount of \$100,000,000. The Bonds are tax-exempt variable-interest-rate notes initially issued in a SIFMA Index Mode, with the interest rate reset weekly, through the initial interest period expiring October 31, 2016, at a spread of 0.68% over the Securities Industry and Financial Markets Association (SIFMA) Swap Index,. The average interest rate at December 31, 2013 was 0.74%. The ending interest rate at December 31, 2013 was 0.74%. Upon conclusion of the initial interest period, October 31, 2016, SAWS is permitted to change the mode for all or any portion of the Bonds to a different mode or to a SIFMA Index Mode of different duration. The Bonds are subject to a mandatory tender without right of retention at the conclusion of the initial interest period. During the initial interest period, the Bonds are not subject to the benefit of a liquidity facility provided by a third party. Accordingly, a failure to remarket the Bonds at the end of the initial interest period will result in the rescission of the notice of mandatory tender with respect to the Bonds and SAWS has no obligation to purchase the Bonds at such time. The occurrence of a failed remarketing will not result in an event of default under the ordinance. Until SAWS redeems or remarkets the Bonds that had a failed remarketing, the Bonds shall bear interest at the stepped rate of 8.0%.

The Federal Tax Reform Act of 1986 requires issuers of tax-exempt debt to make payments to the United States Treasury for investment income received at yields that exceed the issuer's tax exempt borrowing rates. The Treasury requires payment for each issue every five years. The estimated liability is updated annually for all tax-exempt issuances or changes in yields until such time payment of the calculated liability is due. A liability is recorded once payment appears to be probable. As of December 31, 2013, SAWS has no arbitrage rebate liability associated with any outstanding bonds.

The following tables summarize revenue bond transactions for the years ended December 31, 2013 and 2012.

| (amounts in thousands)   |    | Balance     |          | dditions/ | Re | ductions/   |    | Balance      | Due Within |         |
|--------------------------|----|-------------|----------|-----------|----|-------------|----|--------------|------------|---------|
|                          | Ja | ın. 1, 2013 | <u> </u> | Transfers |    | nortization | De | ec. 31, 2013 | 0          | ne Year |
|                          |    |             |          |           |    |             |    |              |            |         |
| Bonds Payable            | \$ | 1,987,810   | \$       | 398,705   | \$ | 145,600     | \$ | 2,240,915    | \$         | 57,850  |
| Less Deferred Amounts:   |    |             |          |           |    |             |    |              |            |         |
| Unamortized premium      |    | 100,322     |          | 23,993    |    | 12,395      |    | 111,920      |            |         |
| Unamortized discount     |    | (4,587)     |          | 385       |    | (201)       |    | (4,001)      |            |         |
| Total deferred amounts   |    | 95,735      |          | 24,378    |    | 12,194      |    | 107,919      |            | -       |
| Total Bonds Payable, Net | \$ | 2,083,545   | \$       | 423,083   | \$ | 157,794     | \$ | 2,348,834    | \$         | 57,850  |
|                          |    |             |          |           |    |             |    |              |            |         |

| (amounts in thousands)   | Balance |             | А        | dditions/ | Re | ductions/   |    | Balance      | Du       | e Within |
|--------------------------|---------|-------------|----------|-----------|----|-------------|----|--------------|----------|----------|
|                          | Ja      | ın. 1, 2012 | <u> </u> | Transfers |    | nortization | De | ec. 31, 2012 | <u>O</u> | ne Year  |
| Bonds Payable            | \$      | 1,894,230   | \$       | 440,210   | \$ | 346,630     | \$ | 1,987,810    | \$       | 47,315   |
| Less Deferred Amounts:   |         |             |          |           |    |             |    |              |          |          |
| Unamortized premium      |         | 37,757      |          | 71,932    |    | 9,367       |    | 100,322      |          |          |
| Unamortized discount     |         | (33,148)    |          | 28,342    |    | (219)       |    | (4,587)      |          |          |
| Total deferred amounts   |         | 4,609       |          | 100,274   |    | 9,148       |    | 95,735       |          | -        |
| Total Bonds Payable, Net | \$      | 1,898,839   | \$       | 540,484   | \$ | 355,778     | \$ | 2,083,545    | \$       | 47,315   |
| Total Bonds Payable, Net | \$      | 1,898,839   | \$       | 540,484   | \$ | 355,778     | \$ | 2,083,545    | \$       | 47,3     |

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The following table shows the annual debt service requirements on SAWS' debt obligations for each of the next five years and then in five year increments after that.

|                         |             | Revenue an                | Service Requirer d Refunding Borats in thousands) |              |                  |           |  |  |  |  |  |
|-------------------------|-------------|---------------------------|---|--------------|------------------|-----------|--|--|--|--|--|
| Year Ended December 31, |             | Fixed Rate Varaiable Rate |   |              |                  |           |  |  |  |  |  |
|                         | Principal   | <u>Interest</u>           | Interest Rate Subsidy‡                            | Net Interest | <u>Principal</u> | Interest* |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2014                    | \$ 57,850   | \$ 92,683                 | \$ 3,853  | \$ 88,830    | \$ -             | \$ 740    |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2015                    | 59,575      | 90,978                    | 3,969   | 87,009       | -                | 740       |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2016                    | 63,915      | 89,176                    | 3,920   | 85,256       | -                | 740       |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2017                    | 68,870      | 86,749                    | 3,863   | 82,886       | -                | 740       |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2018                    | 71,450      | 84,073                    | 3,798   | 80,275       | -                | 740       |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2019 - 2023             | 392,015     | 374,930                   | 17,829  | 357,101      | -                | 3,700     |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2024 - 2028             | 455,615     | 281,844                   | 15,276  | 266,568      | -                | 3,700     |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2029 - 2033             | 341,275     | 191,735                   | 11,928  | 179,807      | 23,190           | 3,386     |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2034 - 2038             | 448,200     | 95,463                    | 4,652   | 90,811       | 37,205           | 2,113     |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2039 - 2043             | 182,150     | 10,642                    | 283   | 10,359       | 39,605           | 691       |  |  |  |  |  |
|                         | \$2,140,915 | \$1,398,272               | \$ 69,371   | \$1,328,901  | \$100,000        | \$ 17,290 |  |  |  |  |  |

‡ Federal interest rate subsidy on Build America Bonds (BAB) is utilized to pay interest on those bonds but is reported as nonoperating revenue. The federal budgeted approved by the U. S. Congress for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2014, reduced the BAB subsidy paid during the fiscal year by 7.2%. The BAB subsidy to be received by SAWS in May 2014 reflects this reduction. BAB subsidy payments in furture periods are reflected at the full amount with no reductions.

\*The variable rate bonds were initially issued in a SIFMA Index Mode with interest rates reset weekly based on the sum of the SIFMA Swap Index and a spread of 0.68%. Interest listed above is based on the interest rate as of December 31 of 0.74%. Actual interest paid will fluctuate based on the SIFMA Swap Index. The interest amount shown above is on an annual basis.

#### **COMMERCIAL PAPER PROGRAM**

SAWS maintains a commercial paper program that is used to provide funds for the interim financing of a portion of its capital improvements. The City Council of the City of San Antonio has authorized the commercial paper program in an amount of \$500 million. Notes payable under the program cannot exceed maturities of 270 days.

The City has covenanted in the Ordinance authorizing the commercial paper program (the "Note Ordinance") the issuance of "City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Commercial Paper Notes, Series A" (the "Series A Notes"), the issuance of "City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Commercial Paper Notes, Series B" (the "Series B Notes"), and the maintenance at all times of credit facilities with banks or other financial institutions which would

provide available borrowing capacity sufficient to pay the principal of the commercial paper program. The credit facility is maintained under the terms of a revolving credit agreement.

The issuance of commercial paper is further supported by the following agreements and related participants:

- Dealer Agreements with Goldman, Sachs & Co., J.P. Morgan Securities Inc., and Ramirez & Co., Inc.
- A Revolving Credit Agreement with Bank of Tokyo-Mitsubishi UFJ, Ltd., acting through its New York branch, supporting the Series A Notes in the amount of \$250,000,000.
- A Revolving Credit Agreement with Wells Fargo Bank, N.A, supporting the Series B Notes in the amount of \$150,000,000.
- Issuing and Paying Agency Agreement with The Bank of New York Mellon Trust Company, N.A.

The borrowings under the commercial paper program are equally and ratably secured by and are payable from (i) the proceeds from the sale of bonds or additional borrowing under the commercial paper program and (ii) borrowing under and pursuant to the revolving credit agreement. The capacity of the combined revolving credit agreements is \$400 million and the agreements expire on October 5, 2015.

Commercial paper notes of \$186,655,000 are outstanding as of December 31, 2013. Of this balance, \$98,000,000 relates to the refunding of the Series 2003 Bonds; \$18,655,000 relates to the redemption of the Bexar Metropolitan Development Corporation Water Facility Contract Revenue Bonds, Series 1998; while the remaining \$70,000,000 in proceeds were used solely for financing of capital improvements. Interest rates on the notes outstanding at December 31, 2013 range from 0.09% to 0.14% and maturities range from 28 to 127 days. The outstanding notes had an average rate of 0.10% and averaged 65 days to maturity.

SAWS intends to reissue maturing commercial paper, in accordance with the terms of the revolving credit agreement, and ultimately refund such maturities with proceeds from the issuance of long-term revenue bonds. Consistent with this intent, and since SAWS has the available \$400 million revolving credit agreement described above, SAWS has classified nearly all outstanding commercial paper notes as long-term debt. In accordance with the amortization schedule of the interest rate swap agreement discussed in Note H, SAWS intends to redeem \$3,105,000 of commercial paper in 2014. Therefore, this portion of the commercial paper is classified as a current liability.

#### **NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

The following table summarizes transactions of the commercial paper program for the years ended December 31, 2013 and 2012.

| (amounts in thousands) | Οι | ıtstanding                            |               |               | Οι | atstanding | P  | ayable |
|------------------------|----|---------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|----|------------|----|--------|
|                        | 1  | Notes at                              |               |               |    | Notes      | V  | Vithin |
|                        | В  | eginning                              | Notes         | Notes         |    | at End     |    | One    |
|                        |    | of Year                               | Issued        | Retired       |    | of Year    |    | Year   |
| Year Ended             |    |                                       | <br>          | <br>          |    |            |    |        |
| December 31, 2013      | \$ | 170,745                               | \$<br>151,000 | \$<br>135,090 | \$ | 186,655    | \$ | 3,105  |
| Year Ended             |    |                                       |               |               |    |            |    |        |
| December 31, 2012      | \$ | 214,930                               | \$<br>133,655 | \$<br>177,840 | \$ | 170,745    | \$ | 2,970  |
|                        |    | · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · | <br>          |               |    |            |    |        |

#### OTHER DEBT MATTERS

**Debt Covenants:** SAWS is required to comply with various provisions included in the ordinances which authorized the bond issuances. SAWS management believes it is in compliance with all significant provisions of the ordinances.

#### NOTE J - CONTINGENCIES AND COMMITMENTS

#### Water Agreements

As of December 31, 2013, SAWS has entered into various water leases to obtain rights to pump water from the Edwards Aquifer. The term of these agreements vary, with some expiring as early as 2014 and others continuing until 2023. Some of the leases include price escalations and the annual cost per acre foot ranges from \$115 to \$140. The future commitments under these leases are as follows:

| (dollars in thousands)             |             |             |             |             |             |              |
|------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|
|                                    | 2014        | 2015        | 2016        | 2017        | 2018        | Thereafter   |
| Edwards Aquifer - lease payments   | \$<br>3,415 | \$<br>3,421 | \$<br>3,299 | \$<br>3,394 | \$<br>3,649 | \$<br>11,036 |
| Edwards Aquifer - acre feet leased | 28,668      | 28,468      | 26,767      | 26,767      | 26,536      | 78,826       |

SAWS also has various commitments relating to the purchase of water supplies under a wholesale water contract with the Guadalupe Blanco River Authority (GBRA) and three other agreements for water supplied from the Trinity Aquifer. All water provided under these contracts is subject to availability.

Under a contract with GBRA, SAWS will receive between 4,000 and 10,000 acre feet of water annually during the years 2014-2037 at projected prices ranging from \$874 to approximately \$1,013 per acre foot. SAWS has an option to extend this contract until 2077 under new payment terms.

Under a contract with the Massah Development Corporation, SAWS has a minimum take or pay commitment to purchase 100 acre-feet per month or 1,200 acre-feet per year of raw water from the Lower Glen Rose/Cow Creek formations of the Trinity Aquifer in northern Bexar County at projected prices ranging from \$615 to \$851 per acre foot. This agreement expires in 2025 and SAWS has an option to extend the contract for 10 years.

Under a contract with Sneckner Partners, Ltd., SAWS has a take or pay commitment to purchase 1,500 acre-feet of water annually from the Trinity Aquifer at a minimum annual cost of \$225 per acre-foot through 2020. SAWS has an option to extend the contract through 2026. As part of this contract, SAWS agreed to make quarterly defined payments for any residential customers that are connected to the system within a defined geographical area that begin taking water service from SAWS. SAWS began making these payments during 2012 as the area has begun to experience some development. While it is impossible to estimate the exact amount of any potential future payments associated with this provision of the agreement, management estimate of this potential contingent liability is less than \$5 million.

In July 2012, SAWS entered into an agreement with Water Exploration Company, Ltd. (WECO) to purchase groundwater produced by WECO from the Trinity Aquifer. In connection with this agreement, two prior water purchase agreements between SAWS DSP and WECO were terminated. The new agreement has a term of 15 years, with two optional 5 year extensions. The purchase obligation was limited to 3,750 acre-feet during the first twelve months of the agreement. Beginning in July 2013, SAWS is obligated to purchase up to 17,000 acre-feet per year in monthly increments not to exceed 1,417 acre-feet if water is available to be produced. SAWS only pays for delivered water meeting all state and federal drinking water standards. Pumping by WECO may not reduce the Trinity Aquifer below 600 feet Mean Sea Level at test wells on the tracts. The price paid for the raw water in 2014 is \$880 per acre-foot. The cost will escalate annually thereafter by the greater of two percent or the percentage increase in the Producer Price Index for Commodities Finished Goods.

A summary of estimated payments under these water purchase commitments is provided in the following table. The summary does not assume the extension of any of these water purchase agreements. As with any estimate, the actual amounts paid could differ materially.

| (dollars in thousands)              |              |              |              |              | ·            |    | ·          |
|-------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|----|------------|
|                                     | <br>2014     | 2015         | 2016         | 2017         | 2018         | ,  | Thereafter |
| Purchased water payments - fixed    | \$<br>4,859  | \$<br>4,958  | \$<br>5,057  | \$<br>5,157  | \$<br>5,258  | \$ | 101,220    |
| Acre feet purchased - fixed         | 6,700        | 6,700        | 6,700        | 6,700        | 6,700        |    | 86,800     |
| Purchased water payments - variable | \$<br>10,034 | \$<br>12,638 | \$<br>12,868 | \$<br>13,101 | \$<br>13,336 | \$ | 171,980    |
| Acre feet purchased - variable      | 12,150       | 15,350       | 15,300       | 15,250       | 15,200       |    | 171,000    |
| •                                   |              |              |              |              |              |    |            |

In July 2010, SAWS was granted a permit by the Gonzales County Underground Water Conservation District (the District) to produce 11,688 acre feet from the Carrizo Aquifer. Although initially contested by third parties, SAWS permit was finalized in May 2012 upon a ruling of the 13th District Court of Appeals. SAWS has entered into 23 separate agreements with land owners to produce up to a maximum of 11,688 acre feet of water from the Carrizo Aquifer. SAWS is obligated to make payments equal to the greater of the applicable water rate for the actual water produced or the minimum water payment due under the agreement. Minimum water payments range from 20% - 30% of the applicable water rate assuming full production of the contracted water rights. The infrastructure needed to produce and transport the water from Gonzales County to San Antonio was completed in late 2013 and SAWS began producing a portion of the available water. Full production is not expected to occur until the second half of 2014 when additional infrastructure to treat the full volume of water is completed. The projected payment to the land owners in 2014 is \$872,000. Once full production is achieved in 2015, the projected payments will increase to \$1,166,000 and escalate annually thereafter based on the average of the increase in the Consumer Price Index and Producers Price Index. These agreements remain in force indefinitely as long as SAWS continues to make payments in accordance with the terms of the agreements.

In 2011, SAWS entered into an agreement with the Schertz Seguin Local Government Corporation (SSLGC) to treat the water produced by SAWS from the Carrizo Aquifer in Gonzales County at its treatment plant in Guadalupe County and transport that water through SSLGC's existing transportation pipeline to a SAWS facility in Schertz, Texas. As part of that agreement, SSLGC agreed to expand its treatment facilities to handle the volume of water supplied by SAWS. SSLGC issued contract revenue bonds in 2012 to finance the expansion. SAWS is unconditionally obligated to begin making monthly payment to SSLGC in December 2014 equal to 1/12<sup>th</sup> the annual debt service payment owed by SSLGC on the contract revenue bonds regardless of the amount of water actually provided by SAWS to SSLGC for treatment and transportation. The payments due under SAWS' unconditional commitment to SSLGC are as follows:

|    |     |    |       | (an | nounts in | thoi | usands) |    |       |    |          |
|----|-----|----|-------|-----|-----------|------|---------|----|-------|----|----------|
| 20 | )14 | ,  | 2015  | 2   | 2016      | 2    | 2017    | 2  | 2018  | Th | ereafter |
| \$ | 71  | \$ | 1.462 | \$  | 1.516     | \$   | 1.524   | \$ | 1.524 | \$ | 33.786   |

#### Other Contingencies and Commitments

SAWS is also committed under various contracts for completion of construction or acquisition of utility plant totaling approximately \$271 million as of December 31, 2013. Funding of this amount will come from excess revenues, contributions from developers, restricted assets and available commercial paper capacity.

In connection with a desalination injection well permit obtained by SAWS from the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ), SAWS has an obligation to plug the injection well once the well is no longer in service. At December 31, 2013, SAWS has recorded a liability of \$221,000 related to this post-closure obligation.

In March 2007, SAWS was orally notified by Region 6 of the United States Environmental Protection Agency (the "EPA") of alleged failures to comply with the Clean Water Act due to the occurrence of sanitary sewer overflows. The EPA subsequently referred the matter to the United States Department of Justice (the "DOJ") for enforcement action. Since 2007, SAWS has engaged in settlement negotiations with the EPA and the DOJ to resolve the allegations. On June 4, 2013, the Board approved a Consent Decree between SAWS and the United States of America and the State of Texas to resolve this enforcement action. SAWS signed the Consent Decree on June 5, 2013 and the Consent Decree was subsequently executed by the United States of America and the State of Texas. On September 13, 2013, after consideration of the comments received, the United States of America filed its Motion for entry of the Consent Decree, requesting the Court to approve the Consent Decree by signing and entering it. The Consent Decree was signed and entered by the Court on October 15, 2013. During the 10 to 12 year term of the Consent Decree, SAWS estimates the cost to perform the operating and maintenance requirements of the Consent Decree will be approximately \$250 million. Additionally, SAWS estimates that capital investments of approximately \$850 million will be required over the Consent Decree term. As with any estimate, the actual amounts incurred could differ materially.

#### NOTE K - PENSION AND RETIREMENT PLANS

SAWS' pension program includes benefits provided by the Texas Municipal Retirement System, the San Antonio Water System Retirement Plan, the San Antonio Water System Deferred Compensation Plan, and Social Security.

#### **Plan Descriptions**

**Texas Municipal Retirement System:** SAWS provides pension benefits for all of its eligible employees through a non-traditional, joint contributory, hybrid defined benefit plan in the state-wide Texas Municipal Retirement System (TMRS), an agent multiple-employer public employee retirement system.

TMRS issues a publicly available comprehensive annual financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information for TMRS; the report also provides detailed explanations of the contributions, benefits and actuarial methods and assumptions used by TMRS. This report may be obtained by writing to TMRS, P.O. Box 149153, Austin, Texas 78714-9153 or by calling 800-924-8677; in addition, the report is available on TMRS' website at <a href="https://www.tmrs.com">www.tmrs.com</a>.

The plan provisions that have been adopted by SAWS are within the options available in the governing state statutes of TMRS. Plan provisions for SAWS for the 2012 and 2013 plan years were as follows:

| Employee deposit rate  | 3.0%                    |
|--|-------------------------|
| Matching ratio (SAWS to employee)                                  | 1 to 1                  |
| Years required for vesting   | 5                       |
| Service retirement eligibility (expressed as age/years of service) | 60/5, any/20            |
| Updated Service Credit   | 100% Repeating          |
| Annuity increase (to retirees)                                     | 70% of CPI<br>Repeating |

San Antonio Water System Retirement Plan: The San Antonio Water System Retirement Plan (SAWSRP) is a single-employer defined benefit pension plan, which serves as a supplement to TMRS and Social Security. SAWS has delegated to Principal Financial Group the authority to manage certain plan assets and administer the payment of benefits. The financial statements for SAWSRP are included in this financial report as a fiduciary fund.

SAWSRP provides supplemental pension benefits for all persons customarily employed at least 20 hours per week and five months per year through this defined benefit pension plan. Employees are eligible to participate in the plan on January 1 of the calendar year following date of hire. A member does not vest in this plan until completion of five years of service.

Covered employees are eligible to retire upon attaining the normal retirement age of 65. An employee may elect early retirement, with reduced benefits, upon attainment of (i) 20 years of vesting service regardless of age or (ii) five years of vesting service and at least age 60. An employee is automatically 100% vested upon attainment of age 65 or upon becoming totally and permanently disabled.

The normal retirement benefit is based upon two factors, average compensation and years of vesting service. Average Compensation is defined as the monthly average of total compensation received for the three consecutive years ending December 31, out of the last ten compensation years prior to normal retirement date which gives the highest average. The normal retirement benefit under SAWSRP is equal to the following:

- 1. 1.20% of the Average Compensation, times years of credited service not in excess of 25 years, plus
- 2. 0.75% of the Average Compensation, times years of credited service in excess of 25 years but not in excess of 35 years, plus
- 3. 0.375% of the Average Compensation, times years of credited service in excess of 35 years.

Upon retirement, an employee must select from one of seven alternative payment plans. Each payment plan provides for monthly payments as long as the retired employee lives. The options available address how plan benefits are to be distributed to the designated beneficiary of the retired employee. The program also provides death and disability benefits.

San Antonio Water System Deferred Compensation Plan: SAWS has a deferred compensation plan for its employees, created in accordance with Internal Revenue Code Section 457. The plan, available to all regular employees, permits them to defer a portion of their salary until future years. The compensation deferred under this plan is not available to employees until termination, retirement, death, or qualifying unforeseeable emergency. Participation in the plan is voluntary, and SAWS does not make any contributions. SAWS has no liability for losses under this plan but does have the usual fiduciary responsibilities of a plan sponsor.

#### Plan Membership

Membership in TMRS and SAWSRP as of their respective actuarial valuation dates is summarized below:

|                              | TN         | IRS        | SAWSRP   |          |  |
|------------------------------|------------|------------|----------|----------|--|
|                              | 12/31/2012 | 12/31/2011 | 1/1/2013 | 1/1/2012 |  |
| Active employees             | 1,660      | 1,616      | 1,658    | 1,617    |  |
| Retirees and beneficiaries   |            |            |          |          |  |
| currently receiving benefits | 911        | 870        | 608      | 561      |  |
| Inactive members             | 377        | 372        | 434      | 414      |  |
| Total                        | 2,948      | 2,858      | 2,700    | 2,592    |  |

#### **Funding Policies**

**TMRS:** Under the state law governing TMRS, SAWS' contribution rate is determined annually by the actuary using the Projected Unit Credit actuarial cost method. This rate consists of the normal cost contribution rate and the prior service cost contribution rate, which is calculated to be a level percentage of payroll from year to year. The normal cost contribution rate finances the portion of an active member's projected benefit allocated annually. The prior service contribution rate amortizes the unfunded actuarial liability over the applicable period for SAWS. Both the normal costs and prior service contribution rates include recognition of the projected impact of annually repeating benefits, such as Updated Service Credits and Annuity Increases.

SAWS contributes to the TMRS Plan at the actuarially determined rate. Both the employees and SAWS make monthly contributions. These rates are provided on an annual basis, following the completion of the actuarial valuation. There is a delay in the valuation and when the rate becomes effective – for example the 2013 contribution rate is based on the December 31, 2011 valuation results. The actuarially determined rate was 4.22%

for 2013 and 4.18% for 2012. Employee contributions to the plan for both 2013 and 2012 were equal to 3% of compensation.

**SAWSRP:** The funding policy provides for actuarially determined periodic contributions so that sufficient assets will be available to pay benefits when due. Contribution requirements are established and may be amended by SAWS. Active members do not make contributions to the plan. Any obligation with respect to SAWSRP shall be paid by SAWS. Investment expenses, including investment manager and custodial services, are funded through investment earnings. Administrative expenses, including actuarial and consultant services, are funded through investment earnings and/or contributions.

#### Annual Pension Cost and Net Pension Obligation

The following table summarizes SAWS' annual pension cost and net pension obligation for the years ended December 31, 2013 and 2012.

## Annual Pension Cost (amounts in thousands)

#### Year Ended December 31, 2013 2012 **TMRS TMRS SAWSRP SAWSRP** Annual required contributions: **SAWS** 3,990 3,641 \$ 11,289 \$ 10,396 2,613 Plan members 2,837 237 Interest on net pension obligation 239 Adjustment to annual required contribution (210)(204)Total annual pension cost 6,856 11,289 6,287 10,396 Contributions made 6,827 11,289 6,254 10,396 29 33 Increase in net pension obligation Net pension obligation beginning of year 3,384 3,417 3,446 \$ Net pension obligation end of year 3,417 \$

The following table provides three year trend information for each of SAWS' defined benefit plans.

#### Three Year Trend Information

|        | Year Ended   |        | al Pension<br>st (APC) | Percentage of APC |       | Pension<br>ligation |
|--------|--------------|--------|------------------------|-------------------|-------|---------------------|
| Plan   | December 31, | (in th | nousands)              | Contributed       | (in t | housands)           |
|        | 2013         | \$     | 6,856                  | 99.6%             | \$    | 3,446               |
| TMRS   | 2012         |        | 6,287                  | 99.5%             |       | 3,417               |
|        | 2011         |        | 7,535                  | 85.8%             |       | 3,384               |
|        | 2013         | \$     | 11,289                 | 100%              | \$    | -                   |
| SAWSRP | 2012         |        | 10,396                 | 100%              |       | -                   |
|        | 2011         |        | 9,171                  | 100%              |       | -                   |

#### **Actuarial Methods and Assumptions**

Actuarial calculations are based on the benefits provided under the terms of the substantive plan in effect at the time of each valuation, and reflect a long-term perspective. Consistent with that perspective, actuarial methods and assumptions used include techniques that are designed to reduce short-term volatility in actuarial accrued liabilities and the actuarial value of assets. The following table summarizes the actuarial methods and assumptions used in the most recent actuarial valuation for each of SAWS' defined benefit plans.

#### **Actuarial Methods and Assumptions**

|                               | TMRS                        | SAWSRP  |
|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|---|
| Actuarial Valuation Date      | 12/31/2012                  | 1/1/2013  |
| Actuarial Cost Method         | Projected Unit Credit       | Entry Age Normal - Frozen<br>Initial Liability          |
| Amortization Method           | Level Percent of<br>Payroll | Level Dollar  |
| Remaining Amortization Period | 30 Years - Closed           | 30 Years - Closed                                       |
| Asset Valuation Method        | 10 year Smoothed<br>Market  | Smoothed Market Value (4 years)                         |
| Actuarial Assumptions:        |                             |   |
| Investment Rate of Return     | 7.0%                        | 7.0%  |
| Inflation Rate                | 3.0%                        | n/a   |
| Cost of Living Adjustments    | 2.1%                        | n/a   |
| Projected Salary Increases    | Varies by age and service   | Table S-5 from the Actuary's Pension Handbook plus 3.4% |

#### **Funded Status and Funding Progress**

The funded status of each of the defined benefit plans as of the most recent actuarial valuation dates is as follows:

|        |                   |                 | Actuarial       |                |        |                |                 |
|--------|-------------------|-----------------|-----------------|----------------|--------|----------------|-----------------|
|        |                   | Actuarial       | Accrued         | Unfunded       |        | Covered        | UAAL as a       |
|        |                   | Value of Assets | Liability (AAL) | AAL (UAAL)     | Funded | Payroll        | Percent of      |
|        | Actuarial         | (in thousands)  | (in thousands)  | (in thousands) | Ratio  | (in thousands) | Covered Payroll |
| Plan   | Valuation Date    | (a)             | (b)             | (b-a)          | (a/b)  | (c)            | ((b-a)/c)       |
| TMRS   | December 31, 2012 | \$ 135,354      | \$ 156,661      | \$ 21,307      | 86%    | \$ 87,098      | 24%             |
| SAWSRP | January 1, 2013   | \$ 107,242      | \$ 160,674      | \$ 53,432      | 67%    | \$ 89,542      | 60%             |

Actuarial valuations of an ongoing plan involve estimates of the value of reported amounts and assumptions about the probability of occurrence of events far into the future. Examples include assumptions about future employment, mortality, and projected salary increases. Amounts determined regarding the funded status of the plan and the annual required contributions of the employer are subject to continual revision as actual results are compared with past expectations and new estimates are made about the future.

The schedule of funding progress, presented as required supplementary information following the notes to the financial statements, presents multiyear trend information about whether the actuarial value of plan assets is increasing or decreasing over time relative to the actuarial accrued liability for benefits.

The financial information for SAWSRP is reported in the fiduciary funds statements. SAWSRP does not issue separately issued financial statements. A summary of the plan's financial statements for the years ended December 31, 2013 and 2012 is presented in the following tables.

#### San Antonio Water System Retirement Plan Net Position

|   | December 31, |         |    |         |  |  |
|---|--------------|---------|----|---------|--|--|
| (amounts in thousands)                          |              | 2013    |    | 2012    |  |  |
| Assets Investments                              | \$           | 140,521 | \$ | 110,227 |  |  |
| Liabilities                                     |              | -       |    | -       |  |  |
| Net position held in trust for pension benefits | \$           | 140,521 | \$ | 110,227 |  |  |

#### San Antonio Water System Retirement Plan Changes in Net Position For the year ended December 31,

| (amounts in thousands)            | 2013 |         | 2012          |
|-----------------------------------|------|---------|---------------|
| Additions                         |      |         |               |
| Employer Contributions            | \$   | 11,289  | \$<br>10,396  |
| Investment Income                 |      | 23,583  | 11,742        |
| Total additions                   |      | 34,872  | 22,138        |
| Deductions                        |      |         |               |
| Pension payments                  |      | 4,574   | 3,921         |
| Administrative Expenses           |      | 4       | -             |
|                                   |      | 4,578   | 3,921         |
| Increase in net position          |      | 30,294  | 18,217        |
| Net position at beginning of year |      | 110,227 | 92,010        |
| Net position at end of year       | \$   | 140,521 | \$<br>110,227 |

#### NOTE L - OTHER POST EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS (OPEB)

#### Plan Description

In addition to providing pension benefits described in Note K, SAWS provides certain health care and life insurance benefits for eligible retirees, their spouses, and their dependents through a single-employer defined benefit plan administered by SAWS. The authority to establish and amend the OPEB provisions is vested in the SAWS Board of Trustees.

By state law, any employee that retires under either the TMRS or SAWS retirement plans is eligible, at the time of retirement, to obtain health insurance benefits similar to those offered to active SAWS employees. Contributions made by retirees for health insurance benefits vary based on retirement date, years of service and the health care options selected. Retirees may also purchase coverage for their spouse at group rates partially subsidized by SAWS. After age 65, healthcare benefits under the plan are supplemental to Medicare benefits.

The following is the participant summary as of January 1, 2013 (the most recent actuarial valuation date):

| Active employees  | 1,680 |
|-------------------|-------|
| Retired employees | 706   |
| Total             | 2,386 |

#### **Funding Policy**

The contribution requirements of plan members and SAWS are established and may be amended by the SAWS Board of Trustees. Prior to 2012, SAWS funded all obligations arising under these plans on a pay-as-you-go basis. In March 2012, SAWS established an OPEB Trust for the exclusive purpose of providing benefits to eligible retirees and their dependents. SAWS intends to make annual contributions to the OPEB Trust in accordance with a plan that results in fully funding the actuarially determined annual required contributions for these benefits over a period of time. In 2011, the SAWS Board of Trustees approved increases in the required contributions by plan members beginning in 2012. These increases will be phased in over eight years. The expected long-term impact of these increases will result in the plan members eventually contributing one-third of the annual premiums for retiree health insurance. A summary of plan contributions for the years ended December 31, 2013 and 2012 is below.

### OPEB Contributions (amounts in thousands)

|                          | Year Ended December 31, |               |    |        |  |
|--------------------------|-------------------------|---------------|----|--------|--|
|                          | 2013                    |               |    | 2012   |  |
| SAWS - OPEB Trust        | \$                      | <b>4,</b> 000 | \$ | 12,000 |  |
| SAWS - pay-as-you go     |                         | 8,465         |    | 6,753  |  |
| Total SAWS ontributions  |                         | 12,465        |    | 18,753 |  |
| Plan members             |                         | 719           |    | 570    |  |
| Total OPEB contributions | \$                      | 13,184        | \$ | 19,323 |  |

#### Annual OPEB Cost and Net OPEB Obligation

SAWS' annual OPEB cost is calculated based on the annual required contribution of the employer (ARC), an amount actuarially determined in accordance with GASB Statement 45. The ARC represents a level of funding that if paid on an ongoing basis, is projected to cover normal cost each year and amortize any unfunded actuarial liabilities over a 30 year open period. The following table shows the components of SAWS' annual OPEB cost, the amount actually contributed to the plan and changes in the net OPEB obligation for the years ended December 31, 2013 and 2012:

|  | Year Ended December 31, |          |    |          |  |  |  |
|--|-------------------------|----------|----|----------|--|--|--|
| (amounts in thousands)                   | 2013                    |          |    | 2012     |  |  |  |
| Annual Required Contribution (ARC)       | \$                      | 21,869   | \$ | 21,619   |  |  |  |
| Interest on net OPEB obligation          |                         | 3,776    |    | 3,698    |  |  |  |
| Adjustment to ARC                        |                         | (5,025)  |    | (4,921)  |  |  |  |
| Annual OPEB costs                        |                         | 20,620   |    | 20,396   |  |  |  |
| Contributions made                       | \$                      | (12,465) | \$ | (18,753) |  |  |  |
| Increase in net OPEB obligation          |                         | 8,155    |    | 1,643    |  |  |  |
| Net OPEB obligation at beginning of year |                         | 79,493   |    | 77,850   |  |  |  |
| Net OPEB obligation at end of year       | \$                      | 87,648   | \$ | 79,493   |  |  |  |
|  |                         |          |    |          |  |  |  |

SAWS' annual OPEB cost and the percentage cost contributed to the plan for the three years ended December 31, 2013, 2012 and 2011 were as follows:

|      |           | Annual OPEB Perce |            | rcentage of | N           | et OPEB |                |
|------|-----------|-------------------|------------|-------------|-------------|---------|----------------|
| Yea  | ır Ended  | Cost (a           | imounts in | An          | nual OPEB   | Obliga  | ation (amounts |
| Dece | ember 31, | thou              | isands)    | Cost        | Contributed | in      | thousands)     |
|      | 2013      | \$                | 20,620     |             | 60.5%       | \$      | 87,648         |
|      | 2012      | \$                | 20,396     |             | 91.9%       | \$      | 79,493         |
|      | 2011      | \$                | 19,701     |             | 34.7%       | \$      | 77,850         |

#### **Funded Status**

The funded status of SAWS' OPEB plan as of the last actuarial valuation performed as of January 1, 2013 is as follows:

|                 | Value of Assets | Liability (AAL) | AAL (UAAL)     | Funded | Payroll        | Percent of      |
|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|----------------|--------|----------------|-----------------|
| Actuarial       | (in thousands)  | (in thousands)  | (in thousands) | Ratio  | (in thousands) | Covered Payroll |
| Valuation Date  | (a)             | (b)             | (b-a)          | (a/b)  | (c)            | ((b-a)/c)       |
|                 |                 |                 |                |        |                |                 |
| January 1, 2013 | \$ 12,665       | \$ 267,567      | \$ 254,902     | 5%     | \$ 89,542      | 285%            |

Actuarial valuations of an ongoing plan involve estimates of the value of reported amounts and assumptions about the probability of occurrence of events far into the future. Examples include assumptions about future employment, mortality, and the healthcare cost trend. Amounts determined regarding the funded status of the plan and the annual required contributions of the employer are subject to continual revision as actual results are compared with past expectations and new estimates are made about the future. In accordance with GASB 45 – Accounting and Financial Reporting by Employers for Postemployment Benefits Other than Pensions, SAWS will obtain new actuarial valuations for its OPEB plan at least biennially.

The schedule of funding progress, presented as required supplementary information following the notes to the financial statements, presents multiyear trend information about whether the actuarial value of plan assets is increasing or decreasing over time relative to the actuarial accrued liability for benefits.

The financial information for the OPEB Trust is reported in the fiduciary funds statements. The OPEB Trust does not issue separately issued financial statements. A summary of the plan's financial statements for the years ended December 31, 2013 and 2012 is presented in the following tables.

#### San Antonio Water System OPEB Trust Net Position

(amounts in thousands)

|   | December 31, |               |      | 1,     |
|---|--------------|---------------|------|--------|
|   |              | 2013          | 2012 |        |
| Assets  |              |               |      |        |
| Cash and cash equivalents                       | \$           | 269           | \$   | 80     |
| Investments                                     |              | 18,990        |      | 12,585 |
| Total Assets                                    |              | 19,259        |      | 12,665 |
| Liabilities                                     |              | -             |      | -      |
| Net position held in trust for pension benefits | \$           | 19,259        | \$   | 12,665 |
| San Antonio Water System OPEB Trust             |              |               |      |        |
| Changes in Net Position                         |              |               |      |        |
| For the year ended December 31,                 |              |               |      |        |
| (amounts in thousands)                          |              |               |      |        |
|   |              | 2013          |      | 2012   |
| Additions                                       |              |               |      |        |
| Employer Contributions                          | \$           | <b>4,</b> 000 | \$   | 12,000 |
| Investment Income                               |              | 2,649         |      | 690    |
| Total additions                                 |              | 6,649         |      | 12,690 |
| Deductions                                      |              |               |      |        |
| Administrative expenses                         |              | 55            |      | 25     |
| Increase in Net Position                        |              | 6,594         |      | 12,665 |
| Net position at beginning of year               |              | 12,665        |      | -      |
| Net position at end of year                     | \$           | 19,259        | \$   | 12,665 |

Actuarial Methods and Assumptions: Projections of benefits for financial reporting purposes are based on the substantive plan (the plan as understood by the employer and the plan members) and include the types of benefits provided at the time of each valuation and the historical pattern of sharing of benefit costs between SAWS and plan members to that point. The actuarial methods and assumptions used include techniques that are designed to reduce the effects of short-term volatility in actuarial accrued liabilities and the actuarial value of assets, consistent with the long-term perspective of the calculations. The following table summarizes the actuarial methods and assumptions used in the most recent actuarial valuation for SAWS' OPEB plan.

#### **Actuarial Methods and Assumptions**

| Actuarial Valuation Date      | January 1, 2013       |
|-------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Actuarial Cost Method         | Projected Unit Credit |
| Amortization Method           | Level Dollar          |
| Remaining Amortization Period | 30 Years - Open       |
| Actuarial Assumptions:        |                       |
| Investment Rate of Return     | 4.75%                 |
| Inflation Rate                | None                  |

Health care cost trend rates are used to anticipate increases in medical benefit costs expected to be experienced by the retiree health plan in each future year. The trend rates used are as follows:

|                | Annual Rate of Increase |          | _              | Annual Rate of | of Increase |
|----------------|-------------------------|----------|----------------|----------------|-------------|
|                |                         | Medicare |                |                | Medicare    |
| Year Beginning | Pre-Medicare            | Eligible | Year Beginning | Pre-Medicare   | Eligible    |
| January 1      | Medical                 | Medical  | January 1      | Medical        | Medical     |
| 2013           | 8.5%                    | 6.9%     | 2021           | 6.5%           | 5.6%        |
| 2014           | 8.3%                    | 6.7%     | 2022           | 6.3%           | 5.4%        |
| 2015           | 8.0%                    | 6.6%     | 2023           | 6.0%           | 5.3%        |
| 2016           | 7.8%                    | 6.4%     | 2024           | 5.8%           | 5.1%        |
| 2017           | 7.5%                    | 6.2%     | 2025           | 5.5%           | 5.0%        |
| 2018           | 7.3%                    | 6.1%     | 2026           | 5.3%           | 4.8%        |
| 2019           | 7.0%                    | 5.9%     | 2027           | 5.0%           | 4.7%        |
| 2020           | 6.8%                    | 5.8%     | 2028           | 4.5%           | 4.5%        |

#### **NOTE M – PRIOR PERIOD RESTATEMENT**

In 2013, SAWS adopted GASB Statement No. 65 (GASB 65), *Items Previously Reported as Assets and Liabilities*. GASB 65 affects the way SAWS accounts for debt issue costs and reports losses associated with debt refunding. Previously, SAWS capitalized debt issue costs and amortized them over the life of the debt. Debt issue costs are now treated as an expense in the period incurred. Loss on debt refunding is now reported as a deferred outflow of resource instead of a reduction to outstanding debt in the Statement of Net Position. GASB 65 requires all periods presented to be restated to conform to the new requirements.

#### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The following table shows the impact of adopting GASB 65 on SAWS net position as of December 31, 2012 and 2011.

| (amounts in thousands)                              | 2012        | 2011        |
|---|-------------|-------------|
| Net Position at December 31, as previously reported | \$1,957,940 | \$1,862,440 |
| Expense unamortized bond issuance costs             | (23,962)    | (22,705)    |
| Net Position at December 31, as restated            | \$1,933,978 | \$1,839,735 |

The following table shows the impact of adopting GASB 65 on various components within the Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Net Position for the year ended December 31, 2012.

| (amounts in thousands)   | Previously Reported Balance at December 31, 2012 |                      | Increase/<br>(Decrease) |                     | Restated Balance at December 31, 2012 |                      |
|--|--|----------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------------|----------------------|
| Statement of Net Position  |  |                      |                         |                     |                                       |                      |
| Noncurrent Assets Unamortized debt issuance costs  | \$   | 17,528               | \$                      | (17,528)            | \$                                    | -                    |
| Deferred Outflow of Resources<br>Loss on bond refunding  |  |                      | \$                      | 30,561              | \$                                    | 30,561               |
| TOTAL ASSETS AND DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES  | \$   | 4,397,619            | \$                      | 13,033              | \$                                    | 4,410,652            |
| Noncurrent Liabilities Revenue bonds payable after one year, net of unamortized premiums and discounts | \$   | 1,999,235            | \$                      | 36,995              | \$                                    | 2,036,230            |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES  | \$   | 2,439,679            | \$                      | 36,995              | \$                                    | 2,476,674            |
| Net Position  Net investment in capital assets  Unrestricted   | \$<br>\$   | 1,692,909<br>133,707 | \$<br>\$                | (6,434)<br>(17,528) | \$<br>\$                              | 1,686,475<br>116,179 |
| TOTAL NET POSITION   | \$   | 1,957,940            | \$                      | (23,962)            | \$                                    | 1,933,978            |
| Statement of Revenues, Expenses and<br>Changes in Net Position   |  |                      |                         |                     |                                       |                      |
| Nonoperating Expenses Interest expense Amortization of debt issuance costs/Debt issue costs            | \$<br>\$   | 74,782<br>1,783      | \$<br>\$                | (795)<br>2,052      | \$<br>\$                              | 73,987<br>3,835      |
| CHANGE IN NET POSITION   | \$   | 95,500               | \$                      | (1,257)             | \$                                    | 94,243               |

#### **NOTE N – SUBSEQUENT EVENTS**

On March 20, 2014, the San Antonio City Council approved two ordinances authorizing SAWS to issue additional bonds. The ordinances authorize SAWS to issue an amount not to exceed \$300,350,000 City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Junior Lien Revenue and Refunding Bonds, Series 2014A (No Reserve Fund), and City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Variable Rate Junior Lien Revenue and Refunding Bonds, Series 2014B (No Reserve Fund). The proceeds of the bonds are to be used to refund outstanding tax-exempt commercial paper; fund capital improvements; advance refund a portion of the City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2005 for debt service savings; and pay the cost of issuance.

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

## San Antonio Water System REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION – (Unaudited) Post Employment Benefit Plans Schedules of Funding Progress

Historical trend information about the plans is presented herewith as required supplementary information. It is intended to help users assess the plans' funding status on an on-going basis, assess progress made in accumulating assets to pay benefits when due, and make comparisons with other utility retirement systems.

| Actuarial              | Val   | Actuarial ue of Assets thousands) | Lial | thousands) | AA | thousands) | Ratio | 1  |        | UAAL as a Percent of Covered Payroll |
|------------------------|-------|-----------------------------------|------|------------|----|------------|-------|----|--------|--------------------------------------|
| Valuation Date         |       | (a)                               |      | (b)        |    | (b-a)      | (a/b) |    | (c)    | ((b-a)/c)                            |
| Texas Municipal Retire | eme   | nt System:                        |      |            |    |            |       |    |        |                                      |
| December 31, 2012      | \$    | 135,354                           | \$   | 156,661    | \$ | 21,307     | 86%   | \$ | 87,098 | 24%                                  |
| December 31, 2011      | \$    | 125,424                           | \$   | 149,640    | \$ | 24,216     | 84%   | \$ | 84,611 | 29%                                  |
| December 31, 2010      | \$    | 116,123                           | \$   | 140,565    | \$ | 24,442     | 83%   | \$ | 83,660 | 29%                                  |
| San Antonio Water Syst | tem   | Retirement 1                      | Plan | :          |    |            |       |    |        |                                      |
| January 1, 2013        | \$    | 107,242                           | \$   | 160,674    | \$ | 53,432     | 67%   | \$ | 89,542 | 60%                                  |
| January 1, 2012        | \$    | 90,496                            | \$   | 144,552    | \$ | 54,056     | 63%   | \$ | 85,394 | 63%                                  |
| January 1, 2011        | \$    | 83,320                            | \$   | 128,700    | \$ | 45,380     | 65%   | \$ | 83,505 | 54%                                  |
| January 1, 2010        | \$    | 77,365                            | \$   | 112,263    | \$ | 34,898     | 69%   | \$ | 82,923 | 42%                                  |
| January 1, 2009        | \$    | 74,611                            | \$   | 99,144     | \$ | 24,533     | 75%   | \$ | 70,252 | 35%                                  |
| January 1, 2008        | \$    | 73,777                            | \$   | 89,919     | \$ | 16,142     | 82%   | \$ | 66,996 | 24%                                  |
| Other Post Employmen   | nt Be | enefit Plan:                      |      |            |    |            |       |    |        |                                      |
| January 1, 2013        | \$    | 12,665                            | \$   | 267,567    | \$ | 254,902    | 5%    | \$ | 89,542 | 285%                                 |
| January 1, 2011        | \$    | -                                 | \$   | 242,388    | \$ | 242,388    | -     | \$ | 83,505 | 290%                                 |
| January 1, 2009        | \$    | -                                 | \$   | 297,259    | \$ | 297,259    | -     | \$ | 75,270 | 395%                                 |
| January 1, 2007        | \$    | -                                 | \$   | 200,083    | \$ | 200,083    | -     | \$ | 69,288 | 289%                                 |

# San Antonio Water System REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION – (Unaudited) Post Employment Benefit Plans Schedules of Funding Progress

| Year Ended December 31,                      | Ro<br>Con | annual<br>equired<br>atribution<br>chousands)            | Percentage<br>Contributed              | Net Pension/OPEB Obligation (in thousands) |  |  |
|--|-----------|--|--|--|--|--|
| San Antonio Wa                               | ter Syst  | em Retiremen   | nt Plan:                               |  |  |  |
| 2013<br>2012<br>2011<br>2010<br>2009<br>2008 | \$        | 11,289<br>10,396<br>9,171<br>7,849<br>6,035<br>4,891     | 100%<br>100%<br>100%<br>100%<br>100%   | \$   | -<br>-<br>-<br>-<br>-                                    |  |
| Other Post Emp                               | loymen    | t Benefit Plan   | :                                      |  |  |  |
| 2013<br>2012<br>2011<br>2010<br>2009<br>2008 | \$        | 21,869<br>21,619<br>20,722<br>25,759<br>25,759<br>17,696 | 57%<br>87%<br>33%<br>24%<br>23%<br>29% | \$   | 87,648<br>79,493<br>77,850<br>64,989<br>46,027<br>26,546 |  |

#### APPENDIX C

SAWS INTERIM FINANCIAL REPORT NOVEMBER 30, 2014



## San Antonio Water System Summary of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Net Position - Unaudited (All amounts in millions)

|  | -  | 12 Month | s Ended | i       |
|--|----|----------|---------|---------|
|  |    | Novem    | ber 30  |         |
|  |    | 2014     |         | 2013    |
| Revenues                                   |    |          |         |         |
| Water Supply                               | \$ | 148.1    | \$      | 138.7   |
| Water Delivery                             |    | 126.2    |         | 121.7   |
| Wastewater                                 |    | 209.5    |         | 193.0   |
| Chilled Water & Steam                      |    | 11.7     |         | 12.6    |
| Total operating revenues                   |    | 495.5    | -       | 466.0   |
| Non-operating revenue                      | // | 5.8      |         | 5.2     |
| Total revenues                             |    | 501.3    |         | 471.2   |
| Expenses                                   |    |          |         |         |
| Operating and maintenance                  |    | 248.2    |         | 241.6   |
| Depreciation expense                       |    | 120.0    |         | 111.6   |
| Interest and debt related                  |    | 85.6     |         | 82.2    |
| Transfer to City of San Antonio            |    | 12.2     |         | 12.1    |
| Other                                      |    | 0.5      |         | (1.3)   |
| Total expenses                             |    | 466.5    |         | 446.2   |
| Income (Loss) before capital contributions |    | 34.8     |         | 25.0    |
| Capital Contributions                      |    | 101.4    |         | 69.9    |
| Change in Net Position                     |    | 136.2    |         | 94.9    |
| Beginning Net Position                     |    | 2,022.6  |         | 1,927.8 |
| Ending Net Position                        | \$ | 2,158.8  | \$      | 2,022.6 |
|  |    |          |         |         |

Note: As of November 30, 2014, SAWS maintains 380 days cash on hand.

#### San Antonio Water System Summary Net Position Information - Unaudited

(All amounts in millions)

|                                  | November 30     |         |    |         |  |  |
|----------------------------------|-----------------|---------|----|---------|--|--|
|                                  | 10              | 2014    |    | 2013    |  |  |
| Assets                           | -               | -       |    |         |  |  |
| Current Assets                   | \$              | 408.8   | \$ | 369.3   |  |  |
| Noncurrent Assets                |                 | 496.7   |    | 377.2   |  |  |
| Capital Assets, Net              |                 | 4,056.9 |    | 3,932.6 |  |  |
| Total Assets                     | \$ <del>)</del> | 4,962.4 |    | 4,679.1 |  |  |
| Deferred Outflows                |                 | 44.1    |    | 41.3    |  |  |
| Liabilities                      |                 |         |    |         |  |  |
| Current Liabilities              |                 | 148.6   |    | 129.3   |  |  |
| Long Term Debt, Net              |                 | 2,699.2 |    | 2,568.4 |  |  |
| Total Liabilities                |                 | 2,847.8 |    | 2,697.7 |  |  |
| Net Position                     |                 |         |    |         |  |  |
| Net Investment in Capital Assets |                 | 1,864.6 |    | 1,763.2 |  |  |
| Restricted                       |                 | 151.2   |    | 137.2   |  |  |
| Unrestricted                     |                 | 143.0   |    | 122.2   |  |  |
| Total Net Position               | \$              | 2,158.8 | \$ | 2,022.6 |  |  |

Note: For the 12 months ended November 30, 2014, SAWS' senior lien debt coverage and total bonded indebtedness coverage was 2.54x and 1.64x, respectively.



## $\frac{\text{APPENDIX D}}{\text{SELECTED PROVISIONS OF THE ORDINANCE}}$



#### SELECTED PROVISIONS OF THE ORDINANCE

The following constitutes a summary of certain selected provisions of the Ordinance. This summary should be qualified by reference to other provisions of the Ordinance referred to elsewhere in this Official Statement, and all references and summaries pertaining to the Ordinance in this Official Statement are, separately and in whole, qualified by reference to the exact terms of the Ordinance, a copy of which may be obtained from the City.

SECTION 9: <u>Definitions</u>. For all purposes of this Ordinance (as defined below), except as otherwise expressly provided or unless the context otherwise requires: (i) the terms defined in this Section have the meanings assigned to them in this Section, and certain terms used in Sections 37 and 52 of this Ordinance have the meanings assigned to them in such Sections, and all such terms include the plural as well as the singular; (ii) all references in this Ordinance to designated "Sections" and other subdivisions are to the designated Sections and other subdivisions of this Ordinance as originally adopted; and (iii) the words "herein", "hereof", and "hereunder" and other words of similar import refer to this Ordinance as a whole and not to any particular Section or other subdivision.

- A. The term *Additional Junior Lien Obligations* shall mean (i) bonds, notes, warrants, certificates of obligation or other obligations hereafter issued by the City payable wholly or in part from and equally and ratably secured, together with the currently outstanding Junior Lien Obligations, by a junior and inferior lien and pledge of the Net Revenues of the System, that is junior and inferior to the lien on and pledge thereof securing the payment of the currently outstanding Senior Lien Obligations and any Additional Senior Lien Obligations hereafter issued by the City, all as further provided in Section 21 of this Ordinance, and (ii) any obligations issued to refund the foregoing that are payable from and secured by a junior lien on and pledge of the Net Revenues of the System as determined by the City Council in accordance with any applicable law.
- B. The term *Additional Senior Lien Obligations* shall mean (i) any bonds, notes, warrants, certificates of obligation, or other evidences of indebtedness which the City reserves the right to issue or enter into, as the case may be, in the future under the terms and conditions provided in Section 21 of this Ordinance and which are equally and ratably secured solely by a prior and first lien on and pledge of the Pledged Revenues of the System and (ii) any obligations hereafter issued to refund any of the foregoing if issued in a manner so as to be payable from and secured by a prior and first lien on and pledge of the Pledged Revenues as determined by the City Council in accordance with applicable law.
- C. The term *Additional Subordinate Lien Obligations* means (i) any bonds, notes, warrants, certificates of obligation, or other Debt hereafter issued by the City that are payable, in whole or in part, from and equally and ratably secured by a lien on and pledge of the Net Revenues, such pledge being subordinate and inferior to the lien on and pledge of the Net Revenues that are or will be pledged to the payment of the currently outstanding Senior Lien Obligations and Junior Lien Obligations and any Additional Senior Lien Obligations or Additional Junior Lien Obligations hereafter issued by the City, but prior and superior to the lien on and pledge of the Net Revenues that are or will be pledged to the payment of any Inferior Lien Obligations hereafter issued by the City, and (ii) obligations hereafter issued to

refund any of the foregoing if issued in a manner that provides that the refunding bonds are payable from and equally and ratably secured, in whole or in part, by a subordinate and inferior lien on and pledge of the Net Revenues as determined by the City Council in accordance with applicable law.

- D. The term *Authorized Officials* shall mean any of the Mayor, the City Clerk, the City Manager, the City's Chief Financial Officer, the President/Chief Executive Officer of the Board and/or the Senior Vice President/Chief Financial Officer of the Board.
- E. The term *Average Annual Debt Service Requirements* shall mean that average amount which, at the time of computation, will be required to pay the Debt Service Requirements on the Bonds when due (either at Stated Maturity or mandatory redemption) and derived by dividing the total of such Debt Service Requirements by the number of Fiscal Years then remaining before Stated Maturity of such Bonds. For purposes of this definition, a fractional period of a Fiscal Year shall be treated as an entire Fiscal Year. Capitalized interest payments provided from bond proceeds shall be excluded in making the aforementioned computation.
- F. The term *Board* shall mean the Board of Trustees of the System created and described in Section 41 of this Ordinance.
- G. The term *Bond Fund* shall mean the special Fund or account created and established by the provisions of Section 13 of this Ordinance.
- H. The term *Bonds* shall mean the \$303,235,000 "CITY OF SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS WATER SYSTEM JUNIOR LIEN REVENUE AND REFUNDING BONDS, SERIES 2015B (NO RESERVE FUND)", dated February 1, 2015, authorized by this Ordinance.
- I. The term *City* shall mean the City of San Antonio, Texas, located in the State of Texas and, where appropriate, the City Council of the City.
- J. The term *Closing Date* shall mean the date of physical delivery of the Initial Bond(s) for the payment in full by the Purchaser.
- K. The term *CPS Contract* shall mean the Wastewater Contract executed on September 15, 1990 between the Alamo Conservation and Reuse District and the City Public Service Board of San Antonio. Pursuant to Ordinance No. 74983 the City Council abolished the Alamo Conservation and Reuse District and assumed all of such entity's assets and obligations by creating the Department of Water Reuse as a new City department and a part of the System pursuant to the provisions of the City's Home Rule Charter.
- L. The term *Credit Agreement* shall mean a loan agreement, revolving credit agreement, agreement establishing a line of credit, letter of credit, reimbursement agreement, insurance contract, commitments to purchase Debt, purchase or sale agreements, interest rate swap agreements, or commitments or other contracts or agreements authorized, recognized, and approved by the City as a Credit Agreement in connection with the authorization, issuance, security, or payment of any Debt.

M. The term *Credit Facility* shall mean (i) a policy of insurance or a surety bond, issued by an issuer of policies of insurance insuring the timely payment of debt service on governmental obligations, provided that a rating agency having an outstanding rating on any Debt would rate such Debt fully insured by a standard policy issued by the insurer in its highest generic rating category for such obligations (provided that, at such time that the Previously Issued Junior Lien Obligations issued prior to January 1, 2010 are no longer Outstanding, the requirement of a credit rating in the highest general category shall no longer be of any effect); or (ii) a letter or line of credit issued by any financial institution, provided that a rating agency having an outstanding rating on any Debt would rate such Debt in one of its two highest generic rating categories for such obligations if the letter or line of credit proposed to be issued by such financial institution secured the timely payment of the entire principal amount of such Debt and the interest thereon.

#### N. The term *Debt* shall mean

- (1) all indebtedness payable from Pledged Revenues and/or Net Revenues incurred or assumed by the City for borrowed money (including indebtedness payable from Pledged Revenues and/or Net Revenues arising under Credit Agreements) and all other financing obligations of the System payable from Pledged Revenues and/or Net Revenues that, in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles, are shown on the liability side of a balance sheet; and
- (2) all other indebtedness payable from Pledged Revenues and/or Net Revenues (other than indebtedness otherwise treated as Debt hereunder) for borrowed money or for the acquisition, construction, or improvement of property or capitalized lease obligations pertaining to the System that is guaranteed, directly or indirectly, in any manner by the City, or that is in effect guaranteed, directly or indirectly, by the City through an agreement, contingent or otherwise, to purchase any such indebtedness or to advance or supply funds for the payment or purchase of any such indebtedness or to purchase property or services primarily for the purpose of enabling the debtor or seller to make payment of such indebtedness, or to assure the owner of the indebtedness against loss, or to supply funds to or in any other manner invest in the debtor (including any agreement to pay for property or services irrespective of whether or not such property is delivered or such services are rendered), or otherwise.

For the purpose of determining *Debt*, there shall be excluded any particular Debt if, upon or prior to the maturity thereof, there shall have been deposited with the proper depository (a) in trust the necessary funds (or investments that will provide sufficient funds, if permitted by the instrument creating such Debt) for the payment, redemption, or satisfaction of such Debt or (b) evidence of such Debt deposited for cancellation; and thereafter it shall not be considered Debt. No item shall be considered Debt unless such item constitutes indebtedness under generally accepted accounting principles applied on a basis consistent with the financial statements of the System in prior Fiscal Years.

O. The term *Debt Service Requirements* shall mean as of any particular date of computation, with respect to any obligations and with respect to any period, the aggregate of the amounts to be paid or set aside by the City as of such date or in such period for the payment of

the principal of, premium, if any, and interest (to the extent not capitalized) on such obligations; assuming, in the case of obligations without a fixed numerical rate, that such obligations bear interest calculated by assuming (i) that the interest rate for every 12-month period on such bonds is equal to the rate of interest reported in the most recently published edition of *The Bond Buyer* (or its successor) at the time of calculation as the "Revenue Bond Index" or, if such Revenue Bond Index is no longer being maintained by *The Bond Buyer* (or its successor) at the time of calculation, such interest rate shall be assumed to be 80% of the rate of interest then being paid on United States Treasury obligations of like maturity and (ii) that the principal of such bonds is amortized such that annual debt service is substantially level over the remaining stated life of such bonds, and further assuming in the case of obligations required to be redeemed or prepaid as to principal prior to Stated Maturity, the principal amounts thereof will be redeemed prior to Stated Maturity in accordance with the mandatory redemption provisions applicable thereto.

- P. The term *Depository* shall mean one or more official depository banks of the Board.
- Q. The term *Designated Financial Officer* shall mean the President/Chief Executive Officer of the Board, the Senior Vice President/Chief Financial Officer of the Board, or such other financial or accounting official of the Board so designated by the City Council.
- R. The term *District Special Project* means the Special Project created by the City pursuant to Ordinance No. 2011-10-20-0845 adopted by the City Council on October 20, 2011 for the purpose of assuming and operating the former Bexar Metropolitan Water District until integrated with the System.
- S. The term *Engineer* shall mean an individual, firm, or corporation engaged in the engineering profession, being a registered professional engineer under the laws of the State of Texas, having specific experience with respect to water, wastewater, reuse water, and/or stormwater drainage systems similar to the System and such individual, firm, or corporation may be employed by, or may be an employee of, the City or the Board.
- T. The term *Fiscal Year* shall mean the twelve month accounting period used by the Board in connection with the operation of the System, currently ending on December 31 of each year, which may be any twelve consecutive month period established by the Board, but in no event may the Fiscal Year be changed more than one time in any three calendar year period.
- U. The term *Government Securities* means direct obligations of, including obligations the principal of and interest on which are unconditionally guaranteed by, the United States of America, which are non-callable prior to their stated maturities and which may be United States Treasury Obligations such as the State and Local Government Series and may be in book-entry form; however, when the Previously Issued Junior Lien Obligations issued on or before June 3, 1999, are no longer Outstanding, the term Government Securities, as used herein, shall mean (i) direct noncallable obligations of the United States, including obligations that are unconditionally guaranteed by, the United States of America; (ii) noncallable obligations of an agency or instrumentality of the United States, including obligations that are unconditionally guaranteed or insured by the agency or instrumentality and that, on the date the governing body

of the issuer adopts or approves the proceedings authorizing the issuance of refunding bonds, are rated as to investment quality by a nationally recognized investment rating firm not less than AAA or its equivalent; (iii) noncallable obligations of a state or an agency or a county, municipality, or other political subdivision of a state that have been refunded and that, on the date the governing body of the issuer adopts or approves the proceedings authorizing the issuance of refunding bonds, are rated as to investment quality by a nationally recognized investment rating firm not less than AAA or its equivalent; or (iv) any additional securities and obligations hereafter authorized by the laws of the State of Texas as eligible for use to accomplish the discharge of obligations such as the Bonds.

- The term *Gross Revenues* for any period means all revenue during such period V. in respect or on account of the operation or ownership of the System, excluding refundable meter deposits, restricted gifts, grants in aid of construction, any amounts payable to the United States as rebate pursuant to the provisions of Section 37, any impact fees charged by the System pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 395, as amended, Local Government Code, payments received pursuant to the CPS Contract together with earnings and interest thereon, and earnings and income derived from the investment or deposit of money in the Construction Fund and, until the Reserve Fund contains the Required Reserve Amount, the Reserve Fund, but including, earnings and income derived from the investment or deposit of money in the Bond Fund, the Reserve Fund after it contains the Required Reserve Amount, and any earnings and income from any special fund or account created and established for the payment or security of the Senior Lien Obligations, the Junior Lien Obligations, the Bonds, the Subordinate Lien Obligations, or Inferior Lien Obligations, unless the ordinance which authorizes the issuance of any such obligations specifically provides that any such earnings and income are to be deposited to another fund or account other than the System Fund.
- W. The term *Holder or Holders* shall mean the registered owner, whose name appears in the Security Register, for any Bond.
- X. The term *Inferior Lien Obligations* means (i) any bonds, notes, warrants, certificates of obligation, or other Debt hereafter issued by the City that are payable from and equally and ratably secured by a lien on and pledge of the Net Revenues that is subordinate and inferior to the pledge thereof securing payment of the currently outstanding Senior Lien Obligations, Junior Lien Obligations, and Subordinate Lien Obligations or any Additional Senior Lien Obligations, Additional Junior Lien Obligations, or Additional Subordinate Lien Obligations hereafter issued by the City, (ii) any obligations that are issued subject to the limitations in Section 1502.052, as amended, Texas Government Code, and (iii) obligations hereafter issued to refund any of the foregoing if issued in a manner that provides that the refunding bonds are payable from and equally and ratably secured, in whole or in part, by an inferior lien on and pledge of the Net Revenues as determined by the City Council in accordance with applicable law.
- Y. The term *Interest Payment Date* shall mean the date semiannual interest is payable on the Bonds, being May 15 and November 15 of each year, commencing May 15, 2015, while any of the Bonds remain Outstanding.

Z. The term *Junior Lien Obligations* shall mean the Previously Issued Junior Lien Obligations, the Junior Lien Obligations-No Reserve Fund, and any Additional Junior Lien Obligations (whether issued as Junior Lien Obligations-No Reserve Fund or Reserve Fund-Secured Junior Lien Obligations) hereafter issued by the City or bonds issued to refund any of the foregoing (as determined within the sole discretion of the City Council in accordance with applicable law) if issued in a manner so as to be payable from and equally and ratably secured by a junior lien on and pledge of the Net Revenues of the System.

#### AA. The term *Junior Lien Obligations–No Reserve Fund* shall mean the

- (1) "City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Junior Lien Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2012 (No Reserve Fund)" dated April 1, 2012, in the original principal amount of \$31,890,000;
- (2) "City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Junior Lien Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2013B (No Reserve Fund)", dated May 1, 2013, in the original principal amount of \$82,855,000;
- (3) "City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Junior Lien Revenue and Refunding Bonds, Series 2013E (No Reserve Fund)" dated October 1, 2013, in the original principal amount of \$79,350,000;
- (4) "City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Variable Rate Junior Lien Revenue and Refunding Bonds, Series 2013F (No Reserve Fund)" dated October 1, 2013, in the original principal amount of \$100,000,000;
- (5) "City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Junior Lien Revenue and Refunding Bonds, Series 2014A (No Reserve Fund)" dated April 1, 2014, in the original principal amount of \$103,930,000;
- (6) "City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Junior Lien Revenue and Refunding Bonds, Series 2014B (No Reserve Fund)" dated April 1, 2014, in the original principal amount of \$100,000,000;

#### (7) Upon issuance, the Bonds; and

any Additional Junior Lien Obligations hereafter issued that are not additionally secured by a lien on and pledge of the Reserve Fund.

BB. The term *Maintenance and Operating Expenses* shall mean all current expenses of operating and maintaining the System not paid from the proceeds of any Debt, *including* (1) the cost of all salaries, labor, materials, repairs, and extensions necessary to render efficient service, *but only if*, in the case of repairs and extensions, that are, in the judgment of the Board (reasonably and fairly exercised), necessary to maintain operation of the System and render adequate service to the City and the inhabitants thereof and other customers of the System, or are necessary to meet some physical accident or condition which would otherwise impair the payment of Debt, (2) payments to pension, retirement, health, hospitalization, and other employee benefit funds for employees of the Board engaged in the operation or maintenance of

the System, (3) payments under contracts for the purchase of water supply, treatment of sewage, or other materials, goods, or services for the System to the extent authorized by law and the provisions of such contract, (4) payments to auditors, attorneys, and other consultants incurred in complying with the obligations of the City or the Board hereunder, (5) the payments made on or in respect of obtaining and maintaining any Credit Facility, and (6) any legal liability of the City or the Board arising out of the operation, maintenance, or condition of the System, *but excluding* any allowance for depreciation, property retirement, depletion, obsolescence, and other items not requiring an outlay of cash and any interest on the Bonds or any Debt.

- CC. The term *Net Revenues* shall mean Gross Revenues of the System, with respect to any period, after deducting the System's Maintenance and Operating Expenses during such period.
- DD. The term *Ordinance* shall mean this ordinance adopted by the City Council on December 11, 2014.
- EE. The term *Outstanding*, when used in this Ordinance with respect to Bonds shall mean as of the date of determination, all Bonds issued and delivered under this Ordinance, except:
  - (1) those Bonds canceled by the Paying Agent/Registrar or delivered to the Paying Agent/Registrar for cancellation;
  - (2) those Bonds for which payment has been duly provided by the City in accordance with the provisions of Section 39 of this Ordinance by the irrevocable deposit with the Paying Agent/Registrar, or an authorized escrow agent, of money or Government Obligations, or both, in the amount necessary to fully pay the principal of, premium, if any, and interest thereon to maturity or redemption, as the case may be, provided that, if such Bonds are to be redeemed, notice of redemption thereof shall have been duly given pursuant to this Ordinance or irrevocably provided to be given to the satisfaction of the Paying Agent/Registrar, or waived; and
  - (3) those Bonds that have been mutilated, destroyed, lost, or stolen and for which replacement Bonds have been registered and delivered as provided in Section 32 of this Ordinance.
- FF. The term *Pledged Revenues* means (1) the Net Revenues, plus (2) any additional revenues, income, receipts, or other resources, including, without limitation, any grants, donations, or income received or to be received from the United States Government, or any other public or private source, whether pursuant to an agreement or otherwise, which hereafter are pledged by the City to the payment of the Senior Lien Obligations, and excluding those revenues excluded from Gross Revenues.
- GG. The term *Previously Issued Junior Lien Obligations* shall mean (i) the outstanding and unpaid obligations of the City that are payable solely from and equally and ratably secured by a junior and inferior lien on and pledge of the Pledged Revenues of the System, identified as follows:

- (1) "City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Junior Lien Revenue and Refunding Bonds, Series 2007", dated December 15, 2006 (the *Series 2007 Bonds*), in the original principal amount of \$8,070,000;
- (2) "City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Junior Lien Revenue and Refunding Bonds, Series 2007A", dated December 15, 2006(the *Series 2007A Bonds*), in the original principal amount of \$35,375,000;
- (3) "City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Junior Lien Revenue and Refunding Bonds, Series 2008", dated May 15, 2008, in the original principal amount of \$30,000,000;
- (4) "City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Junior Lien Revenue Bonds, Series 2008A", dated May 15, 2008, in the original principal amount of \$23,260,000;
- (5) "City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Junior Lien Revenue Bonds, Series 2009", dated November 1, 2009, in the original principal amount of \$54,300,000;
- (6) "City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Junior Lien Revenue and Refunding Bonds, Series 2009A", dated November 1, 2009, in the original principal amount of \$35,000,000;
- (7) "City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Junior Lien Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2010", dated February 1, 2010, in the original principal amount of \$59,145,000;
- (8) "City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Junior Lien Revenue and Refunding Bonds, Series 2010A", dated December 1, 2010 (the *Series 2010 Refunding Bonds*), in the original principal amount of \$17,930,000;
- (9) "City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Junior Lien Revenue Bonds, Series 2011", dated May 15, 2011, in the original principal amount of \$24,550,000;
- (10) "City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Junior Lien Revenue and Refunding Bonds, Series 2011A", dated May 15, 2011, in the original principal amount of \$18,095,000;
- (11) "City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Junior Lien Revenue Bonds, Series 2012", dated August 1, 2012, in the original principal amount of \$19,630,000;
- (12) "City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Junior Lien Revenue Bonds, Series 2013A", dated April 1, 2013, in the original principal amount of \$50,000,000;
- (13) "City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Junior Lien Revenue Bonds, Series 2013D", dated October 1, 2013 in the original principal amount of \$60,100,000;
- (14) "City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Junior Lien Revenue Bonds, Series 2013C", dated November 1, 2013 in the original principal amount of \$26,370,000;

- (15) "City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Junior Lien Revenue Bonds, Series 2014C", dated May 15, 2014 in the original principal amount of \$38,260,000;
- (16) "City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Junior Lien Revenue Bonds, Series 2014D", dated May 15, 2014 in the original principal amount of \$22,400,000;
  - (17) Upon issuance, the Series 2015A Bonds;
- and (ii) obligations hereafter issued to refund any of the foregoing if issued in a manner so as to be payable from and equally and ratably secured by a junior and inferior lien on and pledge of the Net Revenues of the System as determined by the City Council in accordance with any applicable law.
- HH. The term *Prudent Utility Practice* shall mean any of the practices, methods, and acts, in the exercise of reasonable judgment, in the light of the facts, including but not limited to the practices, methods, and acts engaged in or previously approved by a significant portion of the public utility industry, known at the time the decision was made, that would have been expected to accomplish the desired result at the lowest reasonable cost consistent with reliability, safety, and expedition. It is recognized that Prudent Utility Practice is not intended to be limited to the optimum practice, method, or act to the exclusion of all others, but rather is a spectrum of possible practices, methods, or acts which could have been expected to accomplish the desired result at the lowest reasonable cost consistent with reliability, safety, and expedition. In the case of any facility included in the System which is operated in common with one or more other entities, the term *Prudent Utility Practice*, as applied to such facility, shall have the meaning set forth in the agreement governing the operation of such facility.
- II. The term *Purchaser* shall mean the initial purchaser or purchasers of the Bonds named in Section 33 of this Ordinance.
- JJ. The term *Rating Agency* shall mean any nationally recognized securities rating agency which has assigned a rating to the Senior Lien Obligations.
- KK. The term *Required Reserve Amount* shall mean the amount required to be deposited and maintained in the Reserve Fund under the respective City ordinances authorizing the issuance of each series of Reserve Fund–Secured Junior Lien Obligations.
- LL. The term *Required Reserve Fund Deposits* shall mean the monthly deposits, if any, required to be deposited and maintained in the Reserve Fund under the respective City ordinances authorizing the issuance of each series of Reserve Fund–Secured Junior Lien Obligations.
- MM. The term *Reserve Fund-Secured Junior Lien Obligations* shall mean the Previously Issued Junior Lien Obligations and any Additional Junior Lien Obligations hereafter issued that are secured by a parity lien on and pledge of the Reserve Fund and specifically excluding the Junior Lien Obligations—No Reserve Fund.
- NN. The term *Reserve Fund* shall mean the special fund of the City known as the "City of San Antonio, Waterworks and Sewer System Junior Lien Bond Reserve Fund"

established and maintained pursuant to the terms and provisions of the respective City ordinances authorizing the issuance of each series of Reserve Fund-Secured Junior Lien Obligations.

- OO. The term *Senior Lien Obligations* shall mean (i) the outstanding and unpaid obligations of the City that are payable solely from and equally and ratably secured by a prior and first lien on and pledge of the Pledged Revenues of the System, identified as follows:
  - (1) "City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2005", dated November 15, 2005 in the original principal amount of \$298,220,000;
  - (2) "City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2007", dated January 15, 2007 in the original principal amount of \$311,160,000;
  - (3) "City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Revenue and Refunding Bonds, Series 2009", dated January 15, 2009 in the original principal amount of \$163,755,000;
  - (4) "City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Revenue Bonds, Series 2009A", dated November 1, 2009 in the original principal amount of \$12,250,000;
  - (5) "City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Revenue Bonds, Taxable Series 2009B (Direct Subsidy–Build America Bonds)", dated November 1, 2009 in the original principal amount of \$102,750,000;
  - (6) "City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Revenue Bonds, Taxable Series 2010B (Direct Subsidy–Build America Bonds)", dated November 15, 2010 in the original principal amount of \$110,000,000;
  - (7) "City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Revenue and Refunding Bonds, Series 2011", dated March 15, 2011 in the original principal amount of \$46,555,000;
  - (8) "City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2011A", dated August 15, 2011 in the original principal amount of \$165,090,000;
  - (11) "City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2012", dated February 1, 2012 in the original principal amount of \$225,255,000; and
  - (12) "City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2012A", dated September 1, 2012 in the original principal amount of \$163,435,000;

and (ii) obligations hereafter issued to refund any of the foregoing if issued in a manner so as to be payable from and equally and ratably secured by a first lien on and pledge of the Pledged

Revenues of the System as determined by the City Council in accordance with any applicable law.

- PP. The term *Series 1992 Bonds* shall mean the "City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 1992" originally issued in the aggregate principal amount of \$635,925,000 pursuant to Ordinance No. 75686 that are no longer outstanding.
- QQ. The term *Series 2015A Bonds* shall mean the "City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Junior Lien Revenue Bonds, Series 2015A, dated November 15, 2014, in the original principal amount of \$75,920,000, authorized pursuant to a City ordinance adopted by the City Council on December 11, 2014, issued as Additional Junior Lien Obligations and sold to the Texas Water Development Board pursuant to its Drinking Water State Revolving Fund Program for the purpose of financing system improvements and paying the costs of their issuance.
- RR. The term *Special Project* shall mean, to the extent permitted by law, any water, sewer, wastewater reuse, or municipal drainage system property, improvement, or facility declared by the City, upon the recommendation of the Board, not to be part of the System, for which the costs of acquisition, construction, and installation are paid from proceeds of a financing transaction other than the issuance of bonds payable from ad valorem taxes, Pledged Revenues, or Net Revenues and for which all maintenance and operation expenses are payable from sources other than ad valorem taxes, Pledged Revenues, or Net Revenues, but only to the extent that and for so long as all or any part of the revenues or proceeds of which are or will be pledged to secure the payment or repayment of such costs of acquisition, construction, and installation under such financing transaction and which includes the District Special Project.
- SS. The term *Stated Maturity* shall mean the annual principal payments of the Bonds payable on May 15 of each year, as set forth in Section 2 of this Ordinance.
- TT. The term *Subordinate Lien Obligations* shall mean (i) the currently outstanding and unpaid obligations of the City that are payable wholly or in part from a lien on and pledge of the Net Revenues that is subordinate and inferior to the pledge thereof securing payment of the currently outstanding Senior Lien Obligations and the Junior Lien Obligations or any Additional Senior Lien Obligations or Additional Junior Lien Obligations, all as further provided in Section 21 of the Ordinance, identified as follows:
  - (1) "City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Commercial Paper Notes, Series A" and "City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Commercial Paper Notes, Series B", authorized in the aggregate principal amount of \$500,000,000, and including the currently outstanding Commercial Paper Notes and Loan Notes (each as defined in the ordinance authorizing the issuance of such series of Commercial Paper Notes);
- and (ii) obligations hereafter issued to refund any of the foregoing if issued in a manner that provides that the refunding bonds are payable from and equally and ratably secured, in whole or in part, by an inferior lien on and pledge of the Net Revenues as determined by the City Council in accordance with applicable law.
- UU. The term *System* shall mean all properties, facilities, and plants currently owned, operated, and maintained by the City and/or the Board for the supply, treatment, and

transmission and distribution of treated potable water, chilled water, and steam, for the collection and treatment of wastewater, and for water reuse, together with all future extensions, improvements, purchases, repairs, replacements and additions thereto, whether situated within or without the limits of the City, all water (in any form) owned by the City, and any other projects and programs of the Board; provided, however, that the City expressly retains the right to incorporate (1) a stormwater system as provided by the provisions of Section 402.041 through 402.054, as amended, Local Government Code, or other similar law, and (2) any other related system as provided by the laws of the State of Texas as a part of the System. The System shall not include any Special Project or any water or water-related properties and facilities owned by the City as part of its electric and gas systems.

SECTION 11: <u>Rates and Charges</u>. For the benefit of the Holders of the Bonds and in addition to all provisions and covenants in the laws of the State of Texas and in this Ordinance, the City hereby expressly stipulates and agrees, while any of the currently outstanding Junior Lien Obligations are Outstanding, to establish and maintain rates and charges for facilities and services afforded by the System that are reasonably expected, on the basis of available information and experience and with due allowance for contingencies, to produce Gross Revenues in each Fiscal Year sufficient:

- A. To pay all Maintenance and Operating Expenses, or any expenses required by statute to be a first claim on and charge against the Gross Revenues of the System;
- B. To produce Pledged Revenues, together with any other lawfully available funds, sufficient to satisfy the rate covenant contained in the ordinances authorizing the issuance of the currently outstanding Senior Lien Obligations and to pay the principal of and interest on the currently outstanding Senior Lien Obligations and any Additional Senior Lien Obligations hereafter issued by the City and the amounts required to be deposited in any reserve or contingency fund or account created for the payment and security of the currently outstanding Senior Lien Obligations and any Additional Senior Lien Obligations hereafter issued by the City, and any other obligations or evidences of indebtedness issued or incurred that are payable from and secured solely by a prior and first lien on an pledge of the Net Revenues of the System;
- C. To produce Net Revenues, together with any other lawfully available funds, to pay the principal of and interest on the currently outstanding Junior Lien Obligations as the same become due and payable and to deposit the amounts required to be deposited in any special fund or account created and established for the payment and security of the Additional Junior Lien Obligations hereafter issued by the City, and any other obligations or evidences of indebtedness issued or incurred that are payable from and secured solely by a junior lien on and pledge of the Net Revenues of the System;
- D. To produce Net Revenues, together with any other lawfully available funds, to pay the principal of and interest on the currently outstanding Subordinate Lien Obligations and any Additional Subordinate Lien Obligations hereafter issued by the City as the same become due and payable and to deposit the amounts required to be deposited in any special fund or account created and established for the payment and security of the currently outstanding Subordinate Lien Obligations and any Additional Subordinate Lien Obligations, and any other

obligations or evidences of indebtedness issued or incurred that are payable from and secured, in whole or in part, by a subordinate lien on and pledge of the Net Revenues of the System;

- E. To produce Net Revenues, together with any other lawfully available funds, to pay the principal of and interest on any Inferior Lien Obligations hereafter issued by the City as the same become due and payable and to deposit the amounts required to be deposited in any special fund or account created and established for the payment and security of any Inferior Lien Obligations hereafter issued by the City, and any other obligations or evidences of indebtedness issued or incurred that are payable from and secured by a lien on and pledge of the Net Revenues of the System in accordance with applicable law;
- F. To produce Net Revenues, together with any other lawfully available funds, to fund the transfers as permitted by the provisions of Section 15 of this Ordinance; and
- G. To pay, together with any other lawfully available funds, any other legally incurred Debt payable from the Net Revenues of the System and/or secured by a lien on the System.

SECTION 12: <u>System Fund</u>. The City hereby covenants, agrees, and reaffirms that the Gross Revenues of the System shall be deposited, as collected and received, into a separate Fund or account (previously created, established, and to be maintained with the Depository) known as the "City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Revenue Fund" (the *System Fund*) and that the Gross Revenues of the System shall be kept separate and apart from all other funds of the City. All Gross Revenues deposited into the System Fund shall be pledged and appropriated to the extent required for the following uses and in the order of priority shown:

- FIRST: to the payment of all necessary and reasonable Maintenance and Operating Expenses as defined herein or required by statute, including, but not limited to, Chapter 1502, as amended, Texas Government Code (formerly Texas Revised Civil Statutes Annotated Article 1113, as amended), to be a first charge on and claim against the Gross Revenues, including a two-month reserve amount based upon the budgeted amount of Maintenance and Operating Expenses for the current Fiscal Year, which amount shall be retained in the System Fund.
- SECOND: to the payment of the amounts required to be deposited into the special funds and accounts created and established for the payment, security and benefit of the currently outstanding Senior Lien Obligations and any Additional Senior Lien Obligations hereafter issued by the City.
- THIRD: to the payment of the amounts required to be deposited into the special funds and accounts created and established for the payment, security and benefit of the currently outstanding Junior Lien Obligations, and any Additional Junior Lien Obligations hereafter issued by the City.
- FOURTH: to the payment of the amounts that must be deposited in any special funds and accounts created and established for the payment, security and benefit

of the currently outstanding Subordinate Lien Obligations and any Additional Subordinate Lien Obligations hereafter issued by the City.

- FIFTH: to the payment of the amounts that must be deposited in any special funds and accounts created and established for the payment, security, and benefit of any Inferior Lien Obligations hereafter issued by the City.
- SIXTH: to the payment of the amounts to be transferred to the City's General Fund as provided in Section 15 hereof and into the Renewal and Replacement Fund created and established by Section 16 hereof.

Any Net Revenues remaining in the System Fund after satisfying the foregoing payments, or making adequate and sufficient provision for the payment thereof, may be appropriated and used for any other City purpose now or hereafter permitted by law and the ordinances authorizing the issuance of the currently outstanding Senior Lien Obligations.

SECTION 13: Bond Fund; Excess Bond Proceeds. For purposes of providing funds to pay the principal of and interest on the currently outstanding Junior Lien Obligations as the same become due and payable, the City agrees to maintain, at the Depository, a separate and special Fund or account to be created and known as the "City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Junior Lien Revenue and Refunding Bonds, Series 2015B Interest and Sinking Fund" (the Bond Fund). The City covenants that there shall be deposited by the Designated Financial Officer into the Bond Fund prior to each principal and Interest Payment Date from the available Net Revenues an amount equal to one hundred percent (100%) of the amount required to fully pay the interest on and the principal of the currently outstanding Junior Lien Obligations then falling due and payable, such deposits to pay maturing principal and accrued interest on the currently outstanding Junior Lien Obligations to be made in substantially equal monthly installments on or before the tenth day of each month, beginning on or before the tenth day of the month next following the delivery of the Bonds to the Purchaser. If the Net Revenues in any month are insufficient to make the required payments into the Bond Fund, then the amount of any deficiency in such payment shall be added to the amount otherwise required to be paid into the Bond Fund in the next month.

The required monthly deposits to the Bond Fund for the payment of principal of and interest on the currently outstanding Junior Lien Obligations shall continue to be made as hereinabove provided until such time as (i) the total amount on deposit in the Bond Fund and Reserve Fund is equal to the amount required to fully pay and discharge all outstanding Junior Lien Obligations (principal and interest) or, (ii) the Junior Lien Obligations are no longer Outstanding.

Accrued interest, if any, received from the Purchaser shall be taken into consideration and reduce the amount of the monthly deposits hereinabove required to be deposited into the Bond Fund from the Net Revenues of the System. Additionally, any proceeds of the Bonds, and investment income thereon, not expended for authorized purposes shall be deposited into the Bond Fund and shall be taken into consideration and reduce the amount of monthly deposits required to be deposited into the Bond Fund from the Net Revenues of the System.

SECTION 14: Reserve Fund. For the benefit of the Reserve Fund-Secured Junior Lien Obligations and not the Junior Lien Obligations—No Reserve Fund (which includes the Bonds), the City has heretofore established and now maintains the Reserve Fund. The Reserve Fund is maintained pursuant to the provisions of the respective City ordinances authorizing the issuance of the Reserve Fund-Secured Junior Lien Obligations. Though the Reserve Fund does not secure the Bonds or the other Junior Lien Obligations—No Reserve Fund, the City hereby acknowledges and affirms its rights duties, and obligations with respect to the Reserve Fund included in the respective City ordinances authorizing the issuance of the Reserve Fund-Secured Junior Lien Obligations.

The City hereby acknowledges, reserves and confirms its right to issue Additional Junior Lien Obligations as Junior Lien Obligations-No Reserve Fund, being obligations not benefited by the additional pledge of the Reserve Fund, provided that such Additional Junior Lien Obligations issued as Junior Lien Obligations-No Reserve Fund are not sold to the Texas Water Development Board. In such instance, those Additional Junior Lien Obligations issued as Junior Lien Obligations–No Reserve Fund shall be (i) designated as such by including the parenthetical "(No Reserve Fund)" to the style of the subject obligations in all related transaction documentation (including, but not limited to, the City ordinance authorizing the issuance of such Additional Junior Lien Obligations and the Form of Bond therefor) to clearly distinguish such Additional Junior Lien Obligations from those Junior Lien Obligations that are Reserve Fund-Secured Junior Lien Obligations and (ii) excluded from all calculations identified in and requirements of this Section and other applicable sections of any ordinance authorizing the issuance of Additional Junior Lien Obligations concerning amounts at any time required to be deposited to and held in the Reserve Fund. Any disclosure or similar document used to market and sell Additional Junior Lien Obligations issued as Junior Lien Obligations-No Reserve Fund shall clearly indicate that the holders of such Additional Junior Lien Obligations shall have no right to or claim on the funds at any time held in the Reserve Fund.

#### SECTION 15: Payments to City General Fund.

- A. The Designated Financial Officer of the Board shall transfer no later than the last business day of each month, an amount of money calculated, subject to the second paragraph of Section 16, not to exceed 5% (or such lesser amount as may be determined from time to time by the City Council) of the Gross Revenues (after making each of the payments required by the provisions of subparagraphs First through Fifth of Section 12 hereof) for the preceding month to be utilized by the City in the manner permitted by the provisions of Chapter 1502, as amended, Texas Government Code (formerly Texas Revised Civil Statutes Annotated Article 1113a, as amended). The amount so transferred shall be net of all amounts owed by the City to the Board for the utility services described in Section 25E hereof; provided, however, that the Board shall provide the City with a sufficiently detailed statement of charges for such utility services to permit the City to allocate the charges for such utility services to the appropriate office, division, or department of the City.
- B. To the extent that the available Net Revenues in any month are insufficient for the Board to make all or part of the transfer required by the preceding paragraph, the Board shall make up such shortfall (i) in the next month in which available Net Revenues exceed the amounts required to make the transfer to the City pursuant to the preceding paragraph and the

pari passu payment to the Renewal and Replacement Fund under Section 16 or (ii) to the extent such shortfall has not been made up by the last month of the Fiscal Year, solely from any surplus funds deposited into the Renewal and Replacement Fund for such Fiscal Year. The Board's obligation to make up any shortfall in a Fiscal Year shall not carry over to a subsequent Fiscal Year.

SECTION 16: Renewal and Replacement Fund. There has previously been created and established and there shall be maintained on the books of the Board, and accounted for separate and apart from all other funds of the City and the Board, a separate fund to be entitled the "City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Renewal and Replacement Fund" (the Renewal and Replacement Fund). The Renewal and Replacement Fund shall be used for the purpose of (1) paying the costs of improvements, enlargements, extensions, additions, replacements, or other capital expenditures related to the System, or (2) paying the costs of unexpected or extraordinary repairs or replacements of the System for which System funds are not available, or (3) paying unexpected or extraordinary expenses of operation and maintenance of the System for which System funds are not otherwise available, or (4) depositing any funds received by the City pursuant to the CPS Contract, and such funds, including any interest or income thereon, shall be maintained in a separate, segregated account of the Renewal and Replacement Fund and shall only be used to pay Maintenance and Operating Expenses of the water reuse facilities of the System or the debt service requirements on any obligations incurred as permitted by the CPS Contract and in no event shall any such amount, including interest and income thereon, be transferred to the general fund of the City except as permitted by the CPS Contract, or (5) paying bonds or other obligations of the System for which other System revenues are not available, or (6) in the last month of any Fiscal Year to make up any shortfall as required by Section 15B, or (7) for any other lawful purpose in support of the System. The Renewal and Replacement Fund shall be maintained at the Depository.

Deposits to the Renewal and Replacement Fund shall be *pari passu* with the gross amount payable to the City pursuant to Section 15 (prior to the deduction of any charges for utility services provided pursuant to Section 25E) until the full amount payable to the City under such Section has been paid. That is, such deposits to the Renewal and Replacement Fund shall be made equally and ratably, without preference, and on a dollar-for-dollar basis with the gross amount payable to the City pursuant to Section 15, prior to the deduction of any charges for services, until the full amount to be paid to the City in a Fiscal Year under Section 15 has been transferred to the City's General Fund. Thereafter, all surplus Net Revenues shall be deposited to the Renewal and Replacement Fund.

#### SECTION 17: <u>Deficiencies - Excess Net Revenues</u>.

A. If on any occasion there shall not be sufficient Net Revenues of the System (after making all payments pertaining to the currently outstanding Senior Lien Obligations or any Additional Senior Lien Obligations hereafter issued by the City) to make the required deposits into the Bond Fund and the Reserve Fund, then such deficiency shall be cured as soon as possible from the next available unallocated Net Revenues of the System, or from any other sources available for such purpose, and such payments shall be in addition to the amounts required to be paid into these Funds or accounts during such month or months.

- B. Subject to making the required deposits to the Bond Fund and the Reserve Fund when and as required by this Ordinance, or any ordinance authorizing the issuance of any Additional Junior Lien Obligations (as applicable), or the payments required by the provisions of the ordinances authorizing the issuance of the currently outstanding Subordinate Lien Obligations and any Additional Subordinate Lien Obligations hereafter issued by the City and any Inferior Lien Obligations hereafter issued by the City, the excess Net Revenues of the System may be used by the City for any lawful purpose in accordance with the provisions of the ordinances authorizing the issuance of the currently outstanding Senior Lien Obligations.
- SECTION 18: Payment of Bonds. While any of the Bonds are outstanding, any Designated Financial Officer or Authorized Official shall cause to be transferred to the Paying Agent/Registrar therefor, from funds on deposit in the Bond Fund, and, if necessary, in the Reserve Fund, amounts sufficient to fully pay and discharge promptly each installment of interest on and principal of the Bonds as such installment accrues or matures; such transfer of funds must be made in such manner as will cause immediately available funds to be deposited with the Paying Agent/Registrar for the Bonds at the close of the business day next preceding the date a debt service payment is due on the Bonds.
- SECTION 21: <u>Issuance of Additional Senior Lien Obligations</u>, <u>Additional Junior Lien Obligations</u>, <u>Additional Subordinate Lien Obligations</u>, and <u>Inferior Lien Obligations</u>. The City hereby expressly reserves the right to hereafter issue bonds, notes, warrants, certificates of obligation, or similar obligations, payable, wholly or in part, as appropriate, from and secured by a pledge of and lien on the Net Revenues of the System with the following priorities, without limitation as to principal amount, but subject to any terms, conditions, or restrictions applicable thereto under existing ordinances, laws, or otherwise:
- A. Additional Senior Lien Obligations payable from and equally and ratably secured by a first and prior lien on and pledge of the Pledged Revenues of the System upon satisfying each of the conditions precedent contained in the ordinances authorizing the issuance of the currently outstanding Senior Lien Obligations;
- B. Additional Junior Lien Obligations (except for Additional Junior Lien Obligations that are insured by a municipal bond insurance policy, which need not satisfy the provisions of paragraph B(2) or B(3) hereof), payable from and equally and ratably secured by a junior and inferior lien on and pledge of the Net Revenues of the System, upon satisfying each of the following conditions precedent:
  - (1) the Chief Financial Officer of the City (or other official of the City having primary responsibility for the fiscal affairs of the City) shall have executed a certificate stating that (i) except for a refunding to cure a default, or the deposit of a portion of the proceeds of any Additional Junior Lien Obligations to satisfy the City's obligations under this Ordinance, the City is not then in default as to any covenant, obligation, or agreement contained in any ordinance or other proceedings relating to any obligations of the City payable from and secured by a lien on and pledge of the Net Revenues of the System and (ii) all payments into all special funds or accounts created and established for the payment and security of all outstanding obligations payable from and secured by a lien on and pledge of the Net Revenues of the System have been duly made and that the amounts

on deposit in such special funds or accounts are the amounts then required to be deposited therein;

- with respect to Additional Junior Lien Obligations sold to the Texas Water Development Board (the TWDB) that are not insured by a municipal bond insurance policy, the City has secured from a Certified Public Accountant a certificate or opinion to the effect that, according to the books and records of the City, the Net Revenues of the System, for the preceding Fiscal Year or for any 12 consecutive months out of the 18 months immediately preceding the month the ordinance authorizing the Additional Junior Lien Obligations is adopted, are at least equal to one and one-fourth (1-1/4) times the average annual requirement for the payment of principal of and interest on all outstanding Junior Lien Obligations after giving effect to the Additional Junior Lien Obligations then proposed. In making a determination of the Net Revenues, the Accountant may take into consideration a change in the rates and charges for services and facilities afforded by the System that became effective at least sixty (60) days prior to the last day of the period for which Net Revenues are to be determined and, for purposes of satisfying the above Net Revenues test, make a pro forma determination of the Net Revenues for the period of time covered by his certification or opinion based on such change in rates and charges being in effect for the entire period covered by the Accountant's certificate or opinion;
- with respect to Additional Junior Lien Obligations sold to any other entity other than the TWDB and that are not insured by a municipal bond insurance policy, the City has secured from a Certified Public Accountant a certificate or opinion to the effect that, according to the books and records of the City, the Net Revenues of the System, for the preceding Fiscal Year or for any 12 consecutive months out of the 18 months immediately preceding the month the ordinance authorizing the Additional Junior Lien Obligations is adopted, are at least equal to the average annual requirement for the payment of principal of and interest on all outstanding Junior Lien Obligations after giving effect to the Additional Junior Lien Obligations then proposed. In making a determination of the Net Revenues, the Accountant may take into consideration a change in the rates and charges for services and facilities afforded by the System that became effective at least sixty (60) days prior to the last day of the period for which Net Revenues are to be determined and, for purposes of satisfying the above Net Revenues test, make a pro forma determination of the Net Revenues for the period of time covered by his certification or opinion based on such change in rates and charges being in effect for the entire period covered by the Accountant's certificate or opinion;
- (4) the ordinance authorizing the issuance of the Additional Junior Lien Obligations provides for deposits to be made to the Bond Fund in amounts sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on such Additional Junior Lien Obligations as the same mature; and
- (5) the ordinance authorizing the issuance of the Additional Junior Lien Obligations that are Reserved Fund–Secured Junior Lien Obligations provides that the amount to be accumulated and maintained in the Reserve Fund shall be in an amount equal to not less than the Average Annual Debt Service Requirements for the payment of the Junior Lien Obligations then outstanding, inclusive of the changes in the amount

resulting from the issuance of the proposed Additional Junior Lien Obligations that are Reserved Fund–Secured Junior Lien Obligations, and provides that any additional amount to be maintained in the Reserve Fund shall be accumulated within sixty (60) months from the date the Additional Junior Lien Obligations that are Reserved Fund–Secured Junior Lien Obligations are delivered; provided, however, that no such requirement as it relates to additional amounts to be deposited to the Reserve Fund shall be applicable to, or serve as a condition to the issuance of, Additional Junior Lien Obligations that are or will be Junior Lien Obligations—No Reserve Fund.

- C. Additional Subordinate Lien Obligations secured by a subordinate and inferior lien on and pledge of the Net Revenues upon satisfying each of the conditions precedent contained in the ordinances authorizing the issuance of the currently outstanding Senior Lien Obligations, outstanding Subordinate Lien Obligations, or this Ordinance, as appropriate.
- D. Inferior Lien Obligations secured by a lien on and pledge of the Net Revenues of the System upon satisfying each of the conditions precedent contained in the ordinances authorizing the issuance of the currently outstanding Senior Lien Obligations or this Ordinance.

SECTION 22: <u>Issuance of Special Project Obligations</u>. Nothing in this Ordinance shall be construed to deny the City the right and it shall retain the right to issue Special Project obligations, provided, however, the City will not issue Special Project obligations unless the City concludes, upon recommendation of the Board, that (i) the plan for developing the Special Project is consistent with sound planning, (ii) the Special Project would not materially and adversely interfere with the operation of the System, (iii) the Special Project can be economically and efficiently operated and maintained, and (iv) the Special Project can be economically and efficiently utilized by the Board to meet water, wastewater, water reuse, or stormwater drainage requirements and the cost of such will be reasonable.

SECTION 23: Maintenance of System - Insurance. The City covenants and agrees that while the Junior Lien Obligations remain outstanding the Board will maintain and operate the System in accordance with Prudent Utility Practice and will maintain casualty and other insurance on the properties of the System and its operations of a kind and in such amounts customarily carried by municipal corporations in the State of Texas engaged in a similar type of business (which may include an adequate program of self-insurance); and that it will faithfully and punctually perform all duties with reference to the System required by the laws of the State of Texas. All money received from losses under such insurance policies, other than public liability policies, shall be retained for the benefit of the Holders of the Bonds until and unless the proceeds are paid out in making good the loss or damage in respect of which such proceeds are received, either by replacing the property destroyed or repairing the property damaged, and adequate provision for making good such loss or damage must be made within ninety (90) days after the date of loss. The payment of premiums for all insurance policies required under the provisions hereof and the costs associated with the maintenance of any self-insurance program shall be considered Maintenance and Operating Expenses. Nothing in this Ordinance shall be construed as requiring the City or the Board to expend any funds which are derived from sources other than the operation of the System, but nothing herein shall be construed as preventing the City or the Board from doing so.

SECTION 24: Records and Accounts - Annual Audit. The City covenants, agrees, and affirms its covenants that so long as any of the Bonds remain outstanding, it will keep and maintain separate and complete records and accounts pertaining to the operations of the System in which complete and correct entries shall be made of all transactions relating thereto, as provided by Chapter 1502, as amended, Texas Government Code, or other applicable law. The Holders of the Bonds or any duly authorized agent or agents of such Holders shall have the right to inspect the System and all properties comprising the same. The City further agrees that following (and in no event later than 120 days after) the close of each Fiscal Year, it will cause an audit of such books and accounts to be made by an independent firm of Certified Public Accountants. Expenses incurred in making the annual audit of the operations of the System are to be regarded as Maintenance and Operating Expenses.

#### SECTION 25: Special Covenants. The City hereby further covenants that:

- A. It has the lawful power to pledge the Net Revenues supporting the Bonds and has lawfully exercised this power under the laws of the State of Texas, including the power existing under Chapters 1207, 1371, and 1502, as amended, Texas Government Code, and the City's Home Rule Charter;
- B. The Bonds shall be equally and ratably secured by a junior lien on and pledge of the Net Revenues of the System in a manner that one Bond shall have no preference over any other Bond;
- C. Other than for the payment of the currently outstanding Senior Lien Obligations, Junior Lien Obligations, and the Subordinate Lien Obligations, the Net Revenues of the System have not in any manner been pledged to the payment of any debt or obligation of the City or of the System;
- D. As long as any Bonds, or any interest thereon, remain Outstanding, the City will not sell, lease, or encumber the System or any substantial part thereof (except as provided in Section 21 of this Ordinance) provided that this covenant shall not be construed to prohibit the sale of such machinery, or other properties or equipment which has become obsolete or otherwise unsuited to the efficient operation of the System;
- E. No free service (except water provided to the City for municipal fire-fighting purposes and certain stormwater utility service) of the System shall be allowed, and, should the City or any of its agencies or instrumentalities make use of the services and facilities of the System, payment of the reasonable value thereof shall be made, if necessary, by the City pursuant to Section 15; and
- F. To the extent that it legally may, the City further covenants and agrees that, so long as any of the Bonds, or any interest thereon, are Outstanding, no franchise shall be granted for the installation or operation of any competing utility systems other than those owned by the City, and the operation of any such systems by anyone other than the City is hereby prohibited.
- SECTION 26: <u>Limited Obligations of the City</u>. The Bonds are limited, special obligations of the City payable from and equally and ratably secured solely by a junior lien on and pledge of the Net Revenues of the System, and the Holders thereof shall never have the right

to demand payment of the principal or interest on the Bonds from any funds raised or to be raised through taxation by the City.

SECTION 27: <u>Security of Funds</u>. All money on deposit in the Funds or accounts for which this Ordinance makes provision (except any portion thereof as may be at any time properly invested as provided herein) shall be secured in the manner and to the fullest extent required by the laws of Texas for the security of public funds, and money on deposit in such Funds or accounts shall be used only for the purposes permitted by this Ordinance.

SECTION 28: Remedies in Event of Default. In addition to all the rights and remedies provided by the laws of the State of Texas, the City covenants and agrees particularly that in the event the City (a) defaults in the payments to be made to the Bond Fund or Reserve Fund, or (b) defaults in the observance or performance of any other of the covenants, conditions, or obligations set forth in this Ordinance, the Holders of any of the Bonds shall be entitled to seek a writ of mandamus issued by a court of proper jurisdiction compelling and requiring the governing body of the City and other officers of the City to observe and perform any covenant, condition, or obligation prescribed in this Ordinance.

SECTION 40: Ordinance a Contract; Amendments - Outstanding Bonds. The City acknowledges that the covenants and obligations of the City herein contained are a material inducement to the purchase of the Bonds. This Ordinance shall constitute a contract with the Holders from time to time, binding on the City and its successors and assigns, and it shall not be amended or repealed by the City so long as any Bond remains Outstanding except as permitted in this Section. The City may, without the consent of or notice to any Holders, from time to time and at any time, amend this Ordinance in any manner not detrimental to the interests of the Holders, including the curing of any ambiguity, inconsistency, or formal defect or omission herein. In addition, the City may, with the written consent of Holders holding a majority in aggregate principal amount of the Bonds then Outstanding affected thereby, amend, add to, or rescind any of the provisions of this Ordinance; provided that, without the consent of all Holders of Outstanding Bonds, no such amendment, addition, or rescission shall (1) extend the time or times of payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds, reduce the principal amount thereof or the rate of interest thereon, or in any other way modify the terms of payment of the principal of or interest on the Bonds, (2) give any preference to any Bond over any other Bond, or (3) reduce the aggregate principal amount of Bonds required for consent to any such amendment, addition, or rescission.

#### SECTION 41: Management of System.

A. Pursuant to the authority contained in Chapter 1502, as amended, Texas Government Code (formerly Texas Revised Civil Statutes Annotated Article 1115b, as amended), except as otherwise specifically provided in this Ordinance, the complete management and control of the System during such time as any Debt is outstanding shall be vested in a seven-member board of trustees to be known as the "San Antonio Water System Board of Trustees". Such board is referred to in this Ordinance as the "Board." The Mayor of the City from time to time shall ex-officio be one of the members of the Board, and the other current members of the Board as of the date of passage of this Ordinance are Heriberto "Berto" Guerra and Pat Merritt, each currently serving a term ending May 31, 2018; Louis E. Rowe,

Ernesto Arrellano, Jr., and W. Reed Williams, each serving terms ending May 31, 2017; and Patricia Jasso serving a term ending May 31, 2016. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Members of the Board may be increased to a number greater than seven (7), to include the Mayor of the City as an ex-officio member, as otherwise appointed by the City.

- B. Members of the Board must be citizens of the United States and must either reside inside the corporate limits of the City or inside the area served by the System. No person who is related within the second degree of consanguinity or affinity (or as further restricted by the City's Home Rule Charter) to any Member of the Board or any member of the City Council shall be eligible for appointment as a Member of the Board. The term of office of each Member of the Board shall be four (4) years. All terms shall commence on a June 1 and shall terminate on May 31 four years later; provided, however, in the event a replacement for a Member has not been named by the City Council prior to the expiration of such Member's term, such Member shall serve until such Member's successor shall be appointed, and such successor's term shall terminate on May 31st of the year in which such term normally would have terminated if the City Council had appointed such successor prior to the termination of such Member's term. No person who has served as a Member of the Board for a total of two (2) terms shall be eligible for appointment as a Member of the Board. Any Member who is appointed to the Board to serve out an unexpired portion of another Member's term shall not be considered to have served a term unless the unexpired portion of the term so served is two (2) years or more.
- C. Removal of residence from the area served by the System by any Member of the Board shall cause such person to vacate office as a Member of the Board, and any Member of the Board (other than the Mayor of the City) who shall be continuously absent from all meetings of the Board for a period of four (4) consecutive months shall, unless such person has requested and been granted leave of absence by the unanimous vote of the remaining Members of the Board, be considered to have vacated such person's office as a Member of the Board.
- D. All vacancies in membership on the Board, whether occasioned by failure or refusal of any person to accept appointment or by resignation, failure to continue to qualify to serve, expiration of term of office, or otherwise, shall be filled by majority vote of all members of the City Council then holding office. Any Member of the Board other than the Mayor of the City may, by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of all members of the City Council then holding office, be removed from office, with or without cause. For purposes of this Section 41, the term *members* of the City Council then holding office shall be the number of persons authorized from time to time by the City's Home Rule Charter to be members of the City Council, whether or not all such positions are filled at any particular time.
- E. Except as otherwise specifically provided in this Ordinance, the Board shall have absolute and complete authority and power to control, manage, and operate the System and shall control the expenditure and application of the Gross Revenues of the System pursuant to this Ordinance. In connection with the control, management, and operation of the System and the expenditure and application of the Gross Revenues therefrom, the Board shall be vested with all of the powers of the City with respect thereto, including all powers necessary or appropriate for the performance of all the covenants, undertakings, and agreements of the City contained in this Ordinance, and, with the exception of fixing rates and charges for service rendered by the System, shall have full power and authority to make rules and regulations governing the

furnishing of services of the System to customers and for the payment of the same, and for the discontinuance of such services upon failure of customers to pay therefor and, to the extent authorized by law and by this Ordinance, shall have authority to make extensions, improvements, and additions to the System and to acquire by purchase or otherwise properties of every kind in connection therewith. The operational policies of the Board shall parallel those of the City Council insofar as practicable.

- F. The Board shall determine the rates, fees, and charges for services rendered and to be rendered by the System, with due consideration being accorded to the terms, covenants, and conditions contained in this Ordinance and the ordinances authorizing the issuance of any Additional Senior Lien Obligations. In the event any such determination reflects a necessity for the adjustment either by an increase or a reduction of such rates, fees, and charges, then the Board shall submit to the City Council a full report of the basis upon which such proposed adjustment is predicated, accompanied by a formal request from the Board for approval and adoption of the rates, fees, and charges recommended by the Board. If the City Council approves the adjustment thus recommended by the Board, it shall pass an appropriate ordinance placing such adjusted rates, fees, and charges in effect; provided, however, that the rates, fees, and charges for services rendered by the System shall never be reduced in such amounts as will impair the performance of any of the covenants contained in this Ordinance or in any ordinance authorizing the issuance of any Additional Senior Lien Obligations.
- G. The Mayor, with the concurrence of the City Council, annually shall appoint one of the other Members of the Board as the Chairman of the Board. The Board annually shall elect one of its Members as Vice-Chairman of the Board and shall appoint a Secretary and an Assistant Secretary, either or both of whom may, but need not be, a Member or Members of the Board. If a Member of the Board is not appointed as Secretary or Assistant Secretary, then an employee or employees of the Board may be so appointed. The Board may adopt rules for the orderly conduct of its meetings. The Board shall manage and conduct the affairs of the System in a manner consistent with practices ordinarily employed by the boards of directors of private utility corporations operating properties of a similar nature and with the same degree of prudence. The Board shall have at least one meeting monthly. All meetings of the Board shall be open to the public in accordance with the requirements of Chapter 551, as amended, Texas Government Code. The Board is authorized to adopt rules of procedure and standards of conduct for persons attending and participating in its meetings and any public hearings conducted by or on behalf of the Board.
- H. The Board shall appoint and employ all officers, employees, and professional consultants which it may deem desirable, including, without limitation, a chief executive officer of the System, attorneys, auditors, engineers, architects, and other advisers; provided, however, that the City Attorney shall be the chief legal adviser of the Board. The selection of additional attorneys shall be made in consultation with the City Attorney, but the decision of the Board shall be final. The Board may delegate administrative duties and authority to its employees and consultants. No officer or employee of the Board may be employed who shall be related within the second degree of consanguinity or affinity (or as further restricted by the City's Home Rule Charter) to any Member of the Board or any member of the City Council.

- I. The Board shall obtain and keep continually in force an employees' fidelity and indemnity bond ("blanket" form), or its equivalent, written by a solvent and recognized insurer and covering losses to the amount of not less than One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000.00).
- J. The Board shall make such provision for an employee retirement plan or pensions for employees of the Board as it may in its discretion determine. The Board may continue in existence the retirement plans in effect on the date of adoption of the ordinance authorizing the issuance of the Series 1992 Bonds for the Waterworks System, the Wastewater Department of the City, and the Water Reuse Department of the City and may change the same from time to time as it may determine. The title to and ownership of funds set aside in accordance with an employee retirement plan shall be held in trust for the benefit of the members of such pension plan.
- K. The Members of the Board, other than the Mayor of the City shall each receive annual compensation in the amount of \$2,500.00 or such additional amount as may be determined from time to time by the City Council. The Members of the Board shall be entitled to payment by the Board of their reasonable and necessary expenses for the discharge of their duties.
- L. The Members of the Board shall not be personally liable, either individually or collectively, for any act or omission in the performance of their duties as Members of the Board not willfully fraudulent or in bad faith. The Board may authorize the use of Board funds to provide defense for its Members or its employees for civil actions brought against them for any such acts and may hold such Members and employees harmless from any damages awarded against them in any civil action.
- M. The City Manager, or the City Manager's designee, shall be authorized to attend meetings of the Board, and the Board shall provide the City Manager with notice of such meetings in the same manner that such notice is given by the Board to its Members.
- N. The Board when expending funds for improvements and materials and supplies shall be governed by the then current provisions of applicable City policy and the laws of the State of Texas relating to notices to bidders, advertisement thereof, requirements as to the taking of sealed bids based upon specifications for such improvements or purchase, the furnishing of surety bonds by contractors, and the manner of letting contracts.
- O. The City Council reserves the right to require the Board, at the System's expense and payable from the Renewal and Replacement Fund, to conform its installations in the streets, alleys, and public ways of the City to any changes created by City construction projects; provided, however, such City-ordered relocation of System facilities at the System's expense shall be limited, in any Fiscal Year, to an amount not to exceed 5% of the Board's annual budget for Maintenance and Operating Expenses in such Fiscal Year. Relocation costs exceeding such 5% limitation shall be funded through direct payment of such excess costs by the City, through payment to the Board of such excess cost by the City, or through the issuance of Debt.

- P. No Member of the Board, or any officer, agent, or employee of the Board shall have a financial interest, direct or indirect, in any contract with the Board or shall be financially interested, directly or indirectly, in the sale to the Board of any land, materials, supplies, or services except on behalf of the Board as an officer or employee or as permitted by the provisions of Chapter 171, as amended, Local Government Code, or any other similar general Texas law in effect from time to time, or the City's Home Rule Charter, whichever is most restrictive.
- Q. The Board shall prepare an annual budget to serve as a tool in controlling and administering the management and operation of the System. The annual budget shall reflect an estimate of Gross Revenues and an estimate of the disposition of these revenues in accordance with the flow of funds requirements of this Ordinance. The annual budget shall be presented and approved by the Board at least sixty (60) days prior to the beginning of the Board's Fiscal Year. Immediately following approval of the annual budget by the Board, it shall be submitted to the City Council for review and consultation. The Board may subsequently modify its approved budget by giving notice thereof to the City.
- R. The Board shall prepare and administer, and may amend from time to time, a master plan for the System (the *Master Plan*), addressing the water resource and capital improvement projects required to accommodate the projected growth and development of the service area of the System. The Master Plan (and any amendment thereof) shall be approved by the Board and submitted for consideration and approval by the City Council in accordance with applicable provisions of the City's Home Rule Charter then in effect.
- S. The Board shall provide the City Council with a complete briefing on any matter of litigation which is being contemplated involving the Board as a plaintiff against the City or any of its agencies, and City Council approval shall be obtained by the Board prior to the formal initiation of any such matter of litigation. Unless the City Attorney recommends City Council approval with respect to a particular matter of litigation proposed to be initiated by the Board, all other matters of litigation initiated by the Board may be approved by the Board without approval of the City Council.
- T. The Board shall establish an appeals process for disciplinary actions involving its employees. An appeals committee composed of at least three (3) persons who are neither employees nor Members of the Board shall be appointed by the Board, and such committee shall operate under rules established by the Board from time to time. Such committee shall make recommendations to the Chief Executive Officer of the System, with the final determination concerning disposition of a disciplinary action being made by the Chief Executive Officer of the System. The Board shall further establish Equal Employment Opportunity and Affirmative Action programs in compliance with applicable federal and State of Texas guidelines. All personnel policies established by the Board shall parallel those of the City in effect from time to time insofar as practicable.
- U. During each Fiscal Year, the Board shall prepare and formally present to the City Council a minimum of two (2) reports regarding the status of water resource planning and development, other water related issues being undertaken or contemplated by the Board, and other matters previously requested by the City Council.

V. The City Council reserves the right, by ordinance, to abolish the Board and thereafter transfer control, maintenance, and operation of the System to a department of the City in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the State of Texas and the City's Home Rule Charter. The City Council may so abolish the Board at any regular or special meeting of the City Council upon the affirmative vote of 3/4 of the members of the City Council then holding office. Such vote must be preceded by at least two (2) public hearings conducted by the City Council at least 30 days apart. Notice of such public hearings and the subject matter to be discussed shall be published at least one (1) time prior to each such hearing in a newspaper of general circulation within the City at least 15 days prior to the hearing. Such hearings may be conducted at a regular or special meeting of the City Council or in some other location designated by the City Council, and the calling of such hearings and the authorization of the publication of such notices may be by majority vote of all members of the City Council then holding office at any regular or special meeting of the City Council. The ordinance abolishing the Board shall name the effective date of the abolition of the Board and the transfer of maintenance, control, and operation of the System to the City. By the same procedure, the City Council may subsequently reconstitute the Board and thereafter transfer control, maintenance, and operation of the System to such Board as otherwise set forth in this Ordinance.

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### $\frac{\text{APPENDIX E}}{\text{FORM OF CO-BOND COUNSEL'S OPINION}}$



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**FINAL** 

IN REGARD to the authorization and issuance of the "City of San Antonio, Texas Water System Junior Lien Revenue and Refunding Bonds, Series 2015B (No Reserve Fund)" (the *Bonds*), dated February 1, 2015 in the aggregate principal amount of \$303,235,000, we have reviewed the legality and validity of the issuance thereof by the City of San Antonio, Texas (the *City*). The Bonds are issuable in fully registered form only, in denominations of \$5,000 or any integral multiple thereof, and have Stated Maturities of May 15 in each of the years 2015 through 2037, May 15, 2039, May 15, 2040, and May 15, 2045, unless optionally or mandatorily redeemed prior to Stated Maturity in accordance with the terms stated on the face of the Bonds. Interest on the Bonds accrues from the dates, at the rates, in the manner, and is payable on the dates, all as provided in the ordinance (the *Ordinance*) authorizing the issuance of the Bonds. Capitalized terms used herein without definition shall have the meaning ascribed thereto in the Ordinance.

WE HAVE SERVED AS BOND COUNSEL for the City solely to pass upon the legality and validity of the issuance of the Bonds under the laws of the State of Texas, the defeasance and discharge of the City's obligations being refunded by certain proceeds of the Bonds, and with respect to the exclusion of the interest on the Bonds from the gross income of the owners thereof for federal income tax purposes and for no other purpose. We have not been requested to investigate or verify, and have not independently investigated or verified, any records, data, or other material relating to the financial condition or capabilities of the City or the City's utility system and have not assumed any responsibility with respect to the financial condition or capabilities of the City or the disclosure thereof in connection with the sale of the Bonds. We express no opinion and make no comment with respect to the sufficiency of the security for or the marketability of the Bonds. Our role in connection with the City's Official Statement prepared for use in connection with the sale of the Bonds has been limited as described therein.

WE HAVE EXAMINED the applicable and pertinent laws of the State of Texas and the United States of America. In rendering the opinions herein we rely upon (1) original or certified copies of the proceedings of the City Council of the City in connection with the issuance of the Bonds, including the Ordinance, the Paying Agent/Registrar Agreement between the City and U.S. Bank National Association, Dallas, Texas, and the Escrow and Trust Agreement (the Escrow Agreement) between the City and U.S. Bank National Association, Dallas, Texas, as escrow agent (the Escrow Agent), and the special report (the Report) of Grant Thornton, LLP, Minneapolis, Minnesota (the Verification Agent), of the sufficiency of cash and investments deposited with the Escrow Agent; and a resolution adopted by the Board of Trustees (the Board) of the San Antonio Water System (SAWS); (2) customary certifications and opinions of officials of the City and SAWS; (3) certificates executed by officers of the City and SAWS relating to the expected use and investment of proceeds of the Bonds and certain other funds of the City and SAWS, and to certain other facts within the knowledge and control of the City and SAWS; and (4) such other documentation, including an examination of the Bond executed and delivered initially by the City, and such matters of law as we deem relevant to the matters discussed below. In such examination, we have assumed the authenticity of all documents submitted to us as originals, the conformity to original copies of all documents submitted to us as certified copies, and the accuracy of the statements and information contained in such

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certificates. We express no opinion concerning any effect on the following opinions which may result from changes in law effected after the date hereof.

BASED ON OUR EXAMINATION, IT IS OUR OPINION that the Escrow Agreement has been duly authorized, executed, and delivered by the City and, assuming due authorization, execution, and delivery thereof by the Escrow Agent, is a valid and binding obligation, enforceable in accordance with its terms (except to the extent that the enforceability thereof may be affected by bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, moratorium, or other similar laws affecting creditors' rights or the exercise of judicial discretion in accordance with general principles of equity), and that the outstanding obligations refunded and to be discharged, paid, and retired with certain proceeds of the Bonds are regarded as being outstanding for purposes of the ordinances authorizing their respective issuance only for the purpose of receiving payment from the funds held in trust with the Escrow Agent, pursuant to the Escrow Agreement and in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 1207, as amended, Texas Government Code. In rendering this opinion, we have relied upon the Report of the Verification Agent as to the sufficiency of cash and investments deposited with the Escrow Agent pursuant to the Escrow Agreement for the purposes of paying the outstanding obligations refunded and to be retired with the proceeds of the Bonds and the interest thereon.

BASED ON OUR EXAMINATION, IT IS FURTHER OUR OPINION that the Bonds have been duly authorized and issued in conformity with the laws of the State of Texas now in force and that the Bonds are valid and legally binding special obligations of the City enforceable in accordance with the terms and conditions described therein, except to the extent that the enforceability thereof may be affected by bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, moratorium, or other similar laws affecting creditors' rights or the exercise of judicial discretion in accordance with general principles of equity. The Bonds are payable from and equally and ratably secured, together with the currently outstanding Junior Lien Obligations, solely by a lien on and pledge of the Net Revenues, derived from the operation of the System that is junior and inferior to the lien thereon and pledge thereof securing the payment of the currently outstanding Senior Lien Obligations and any Additional Senior Lien Obligations hereafter issued by the City, but prior and superior to the lien thereon and pledge thereof securing the payment of the currently outstanding Subordinate Lien Obligations and any Additional Subordinate Lien Obligations or Inferior Lien Obligations hereafter issued by the City. The Bonds are issued as Junior Lien Obligations-No Reserve Fund and, as such, are not additionally secured by a lien on and pledge of the Reserve Fund. In the Ordinance, the City retains the right to issue Additional Senior Lien Obligations, Additional Junior Lien Obligations, Additional Subordinate Lien Obligations, and Inferior Lien Obligations, without limitation as to principal amount but subject to any terms, conditions, or restrictions as may be applicable thereto under law or otherwise. The Bonds do not constitute a legal or equitable pledge, charge, lien, or encumbrance upon any property of the City or SAWS, except with respect to the Net Revenues. The holders of the Bonds shall never have the right to demand payment of the Bonds out of any funds raised or to be raised by taxation.

IT IS FURTHER OUR OPINION THAT, assuming continuing compliance after the date hereof by the City and the Board with the provisions of the Ordinance and in reliance upon the Report of the Verification Agent as to the sufficiency of cash and investments deposited with the

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Escrow Agent pursuant to the Escrow Agreement and upon the representations and certifications of the City and SAWS made in a certificate of even date herewith pertaining to the use, expenditure, and investment of the proceeds of the Bonds, under existing statutes, regulations, published rulings, and court decisions (1) interest on the Bonds will be excludable from the gross income, as defined in section 61 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended to the date hereof (the *Code*), of the owners thereof for federal income tax purposes, pursuant to section 103 of the Code and (2) interest on the Bonds will not be included in computing the alternative minimum taxable income of the owners thereof who are individuals or, except as hereinafter described, corporations.

WE CALL YOUR ATTENTION TO THE FACT THAT, with respect to our opinion in clause (2) above, interest on all tax-exempt obligations, such as the Bonds, owned by a corporation will be included in such corporation's adjusted current earnings for purposes of calculating the alternative minimum taxable income of such corporation, other than an S corporation, a mutual fund, a financial asset securitization investment trust, a real estate mortgage investment conduit, or a real estate investment trust. A corporation's alternative minimum taxable income is the basis on which the alternative minimum tax imposed by section 55 of the Code will be computed.

WE EXPRESS NO OTHER OPINION with respect to any other federal, state, or local tax consequences under present law or any proposed legislation resulting from the receipt or accrual of interest on, or the acquisition or disposition of, the Bonds. Ownership of tax exempt obligations such as the Bonds may result in collateral federal tax consequences to, among others, financial institutions, life insurance companies, property and casualty insurance companies, certain foreign corporations doing business in the United States, S corporations with subchapter C earnings and profits, owners of an interest in a financial asset securitization investment trust, individual recipients of Social Security or Railroad Retirement Benefits, individuals otherwise qualifying for the earned income credit, and taxpayers who may be deemed to have incurred or continued indebtedness to purchase or carry, or who have paid or incurred certain expenses allocable to, tax–exempt obligations.

OUR OPINIONS ARE BASED on existing law, which is subject to change. Such opinions are further based on our knowledge of facts as of the date hereof. We assume no duty to update or supplement our opinions to reflect any facts or circumstances that may thereafter come to our attention or to reflect any changes in any law that may thereafter occur or become effective. Moreover, our opinions are not a guarantee of result and are not binding on the Internal Revenue Service; rather, such opinions represent our legal judgment based upon our review of existing law that we deem relevant to such opinions and in reliance upon the representations and covenants referenced above.

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