

2015

BERGEN COUNTY UTILITIES AUTHORITY

# Authority Budget

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Division of Local Government Services

**2015 AUTHORITY BUDGET**

**Certification Section**

2015

**BERGEN COUNTY UTILITIES AUTHORITY  
AUTHORITY BUDGET**

**FISCAL YEAR: FROM JANUARY 1, 2015 TO DECEMBER 31, 2015**

***For Division Use Only***

**CERTIFICATION OF APPROVED BUDGET**

*It is hereby certified that the approved Budget made a part hereof complies with the requirements of law and the rules and regulations of the Local Finance Board, and approval is given pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:5A-11.*

*State of New Jersey  
Department of Community Affairs  
Director of the Division of Local Government Services*

By: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**CERTIFICATION OF ADOPTED BUDGET**

*It is hereby certified that the adopted Budget made a part hereof has been compared with the approved Budget previously certified by the Division, and any amendments made thereto. This adopted Budget is certified with respect to such amendments and comparisons only.*

*State of New Jersey  
Department of Community Affairs  
Director of the Division of Local Government Services*

By: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**2015 PREPARER'S CERTIFICATION**

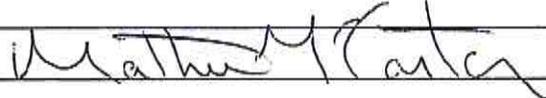
**BERGEN COUNTY UTILITIES AUTHORITY**

**AUTHORITY BUDGET**

**FISCAL YEAR:** FROM: January 1, 2015 TO: December 31, 2015

It is hereby certified that the Authority Budget, including both the Annual Budget and the Capital Budget/Program annexed hereto, represents the members of the governing body's resolve with respect to statute in that: all estimates of revenue are reasonable, accurate and correctly stated; all items of appropriation are properly set forth; and in itemization, form and content, the budget will permit the exercise of the comptroller function within the Authority.

It is further certified that all proposed budgeted amounts and totals are correct. Also, I hereby provide reasonable assurance that all assertions contained herein are accurate and all required schedules are completed and attached.

Preparer's Signature:			
Name:	Mathew McCarter		
Title:	Acting Treasurer		
Address:	Foot of Mehrhof Road Little Ferry, NJ 07643		
Phone Number:	201-807-5819	Fax Number:	201-641-7915
E-mail address	mmccarter@bcua.org		

**2015 APPROVAL CERTIFICATION**

**BERGEN COUNTY UTILITIES AUTHORITY**

**AUTHORITY BUDGET**

**FISCAL YEAR: FROM: January 1, 2015 TO: December 31, 2015**

It is hereby certified that the Authority Budget, including all schedules appended hereto, are a true copy of the Annual Budget and Capital Budget/Program approved by resolution by the governing body of the Bergen County Utilities Authority, at an open public meeting held pursuant to N.J.A.C. 5:31-2.3, on the 23rd day of October, 2014.

It is further certified that the recorded vote appearing in the resolution represents not less than a majority of the full membership of the governing body thereof.

Secretary's Signature:			
Name:	Richard D. Wierer		
Title:	Acting Authority Secretary		
Address:	Foot of Mehrhof Road Little Ferry, NJ 07643		
Phone Number:	201-807-5818	Fax Number:	201-641-7915
E-mail address	rwierer@bcua.org		

# INTERNET WEBSITE CERTIFICATION

Authority's Web Address:	www.bcuu.org
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All authorities shall maintain either an Internet website or a webpage on the municipality's or county's Internet website. The purpose of the website or webpage shall be to provide increased public access to the authority's operations and activities. N.J.S.A. 40A:5A-17.1 requires the following items to be included on the Authority's website at a minimum for public disclosure. Check the boxes below to certify the Authority's compliance with N.J.S.A. 40A:5A-17.1.

- A description of the Authority's mission and responsibilities
- Commencing with 2013, the budgets for the current fiscal year and immediately preceding two prior years
- The most recent Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (Unaudited) or similar financial information
- Commencing with 2012, the annual audits of the most recent fiscal year and immediately two prior years
- The Authority's rules, regulations and official policy statements deemed relevant by the governing body of the authority to the interests of the residents within the authority's service area or jurisdiction
- Notice posted pursuant to the "Open Public Meetings Act" for each meeting of the Authority, setting forth the time, date, location and agenda of each meeting
- Beginning January 1, 2013, the approved minutes of each meeting of the Authority including all resolutions of the board and their committees; for at least three consecutive fiscal years
- The name, mailing address, electronic mail address and phone number of every person who exercises day-to-day supervision or management over some or all of the operations of the Authority
- A list of attorneys, advisors, consultants and any other person, firm, business, partnership, corporation or other organization which received any remuneration of \$17,500 or more during the preceding fiscal year for any service whatsoever rendered to the Authority.

It is hereby certified by the below authorized representative of the Authority that the Authority's website or webpage as identified above complies with the minimum statutory requirements of N.J.S.A. 40A:5A-17.1 as listed above. A check in each of the above boxes signifies compliance.

Name of Officer Certifying compliance  
Title of Officer Certifying compliance

Richard Wierer  
Deputy Executive Director

Signature



# 2015 AUTHORITY BUDGET RESOLUTION

## BERGEN COUNTY UTILITIES AUTHORITY

### WATER POLLUTION CONTROL

**FISCAL YEAR: FROM: January 1, 2015 TO: December 31, 2015**

WHEREAS, the Annual Budget and Capital Budget for the Bergen County Utilities Authority for the fiscal year beginning, January 1, 2015 and ending, December 31, 2015 has been presented before the governing body of the Bergen County Utilities Authority at its open public meeting of October 23, 2014; and

WHEREAS, the Annual Budget as introduced reflects Total Revenues of \$72,928,028, Total Appropriations, including any Accumulated Deficit if any, of \$72,928,028 and Total Unrestricted Net Position utilized of \$-0-; and

WHEREAS, the Capital Budget as introduced reflects Total Capital Appropriations of \$10,600,000 and Total Unrestricted Net Position planned to be utilized as funding thereof, of \$-0-; and

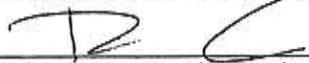
WHEREAS, the schedule of rates, fees and other charges in effect will produce sufficient revenues, together with all other anticipated revenues to satisfy all obligations to the holders of bonds of the Authority, to meet operating expenses, capital outlays, debt service requirements, and to provide for such reserves, all as may be required by law, regulation or terms of contracts and agreements; and

WHEREAS, the Capital Budget/Program, pursuant to N.J.A.C. 5:31-2, does not confer any authorization to raise or expend funds; rather it is a document to be used as part of the said Authority's planning and management objectives. Specific authorization to expend funds for the purposes described in this section of the budget, must be granted elsewhere; by bond resolution, by a project financing agreement, by resolution appropriating funds from the Renewal and Replacement Reserve or other means provided by law.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the governing body of the Bergen County Utilities Authority, at an open public meeting held on October 23, 2014 that the Annual Budget, including all related schedules, and the Capital Budget/Program of the Bergen County Utilities Authority for the fiscal year beginning, January 1, 2015 and ending, December 31, 2015 is hereby approved; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the anticipated revenues as reflected in the Annual Budget are of sufficient amount to meet all proposed expenditures/expenses and all covenants, terms and provisions as stipulated in the said Authority's outstanding debt obligations, capital lease arrangements, service contracts, and other pledged agreements; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the governing body of the Bergen County Utilities Authority will consider the Annual Budget and Capital Budget/Program for adoption on December 18, 2014.

  
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 (Acting Secretary's Signature)

October 23, 2014  
 (Date)

Governing Body Member:	Recorded Vote			
	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
Andrew "Chuck" Vaccaro, Chairman	X			
Ronald Phillips, Vice Chairman	X			
Catherine T. Bentz, Commissioner	X			
James L. Cassella, Commissioner				X
Louis J. DeLisio, Commissioner	X			
Paul A. Juliano, Commissioner	X			
David J. Lorenzo, Commissioner				X
Richard D. Schooler, Commissioner	X			
George P. Zilocchi, Commissioner				X

# 2015 AUTHORITY BUDGET RESOLUTION

## BERGEN COUNTY UTILITIES AUTHORITY

### SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT

**FISCAL YEAR: FROM: January 1, 2015 TO: December 31, 2015**

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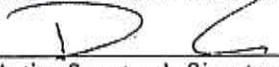
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David J. Lorenzo, Commissioner				X
Richard D. Schooler, Commissioner	X			
George P. Zilocchi, Commissioner				X

**2015 ADOPTION CERTIFICATION**

**BERGEN COUNTY UTILITIES AUTHORITY**

**AUTHORITY BUDGET**

**FISCAL YEAR: FROM: January 1, 2015 TO: December 31, 2015**

It is hereby certified that the Authority Budget and Capital Budget/Program annexed hereto is a true copy of the Budget adopted by the governing body of the Bergen County Utilities Authority, pursuant to N.J.A.C. 5:31-2.3, on the 18th day of, December, 2014.

Officer's Signature:			
Name:	Richard D. Wierer		
Title:	Acting Authority Secretary		
Address:	Foot of Mehrhof Road Little Ferry, NJ 07643		
Phone Number:	201-807-5818	Fax Number:	201-641-7915
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**2015 ADOPTED BUDGET RESOLUTION**  
**BERGEN COUNTY UTILITIES AUTHORITY**  
**WATER POLLUTION CONTROL**

**FISCAL YEAR: FROM: January 1, 2015 TO: December 31, 2015**

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**BERGEN COUNTY UTILITIES AUTHORITY**  
**SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT**

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**2015 AUTHORITY BUDGET**  
**Narrative and Information Section**

# 2015 AUTHORITY BUDGET MESSAGE & ANALYSIS

## BERGEN COUNTY UTILITIES AUTHORITY

### AUTHORITY BUDGET

FISCAL YEAR: FROM: January 1, 2015 TO: December 31, 2015

*Answer all questions below. Attach additional pages and schedules as needed.*

1. Complete a brief statement on the 2015 proposed Annual Budget and make comparison to the 2014 adopted budget for each operation. Explain any variances over +/-10% for each line item by operation. Explanations of variances should include a description of the reason for the increase/decrease in the budgeted line item, not just an indication of the amount and percent of the change. Attach any supporting documentation that will help to explain the reason for the increase/decrease in the budgeted line item. For example, if anticipated service charges have increased 15% due to an increase in rates, provide a copy of the resolution authorizing the rate increase.
2. Complete a brief statement on the impact the proposed Annual Budget will have on Anticipated Revenues, especially service charges and on the general purpose/component unit financial statements. Explain significant increases or decreases, if any. An increase or decrease is considered significant if it is over +/-10% from the current year adopted budget.
3. Describe the state of the local/regional economy and how it may impact the proposed Annual Budget, including the planned Capital Budget/Program.
4. Describe the reasons for utilizing Unrestricted Net Position in the proposed Annual Budget, i.e. rate stabilization, debt service reduction, to balance the budget, etc. If the Authority's budget anticipates a use of Unrestricted Net Position, this question must be answered.
5. Identify any sources of funds transferred to the County/Municipality as a budget subsidy or a shared service and explain the reason for the transfer (i.e.: to balance the County/Municipality budget, etc.).
6. The proposed budget must not reflect an anticipated deficit from 2015 operations. If there exists an accumulated deficit from prior years' budgets (and funding is included in the proposed budget as a result of a prior deficit) explain the funding plan to eliminate said deficit (N.J.S.A. 40A:5A-12). If the Authority has a net deficit reported in its most recent audit, it must provide a deficit reduction plan in response to this question.
7. Attach a schedule of the Authority's existing rate structure (connection fees, parking fees, service charges, etc.) and a schedule of the proposed rate structure for the upcoming fiscal year. Explain any proposed changes in the rate structure and attach the resolution approving the change in the rate structure, if applicable.
8. Attach a copy of the Authority's most recent Annual Operating Data submission to the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board's Electronic Municipal Marketplace Access (EMMA) under the Authority's Continuing Disclosure Agreements for any debt issuances outstanding. Examples of Annual Operating Data may include sewer and water billings; parking rents and collections; number of customers; number of available parking spaces; etc. See Local Finance Notice 2014-9 for more information.

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1. (a) The proposed 2015 budget for Water Pollution Control increased approximately \$2,175,000 or 3.07% when compared to the 2014 adopted budget. The proposed 2015 budget for Solid Waste Management decreased approximately \$172,000 or 2.12% when compared to the 2014 adopted budget.  
  
(b) 2015 Cost of Providing Services Other Expenses – Professional Fees increased \$276,000 (or 12%) based on projected increases in engineering costs in 2015.  
  
(c) 2015 Cost of Providing Services Other Expenses – Facilities Cost increased \$549,000 (or 13%) based on projected increases in electricity costs in 2015.  
  
(d) 2015 Cost of Providing Services Other Expenses – Contract Maintenance increased \$100,000 (or 50%) based on anticipated increases for additional maintenance services in 2015.  
  
(e) 2015 Cost of Providing Services Other Expenses – Replacement Parts increased \$315,000 (or 16%) largely due to increased costs for parts associated with cogeneration plant maintenance.  
  
(f) 2015 Cost of Providing Services Other Expenses – Trustee Fees increased \$28,000 (or 11%) to appropriate funds for trustee fees associated with new bond issues.  
  
(g) 2015 Non-Operating Appropriations – Other Reserves increased \$200,000 (or 200%) due to increased costs included in the budget for capital outlay.
2. (a) Service charges for Water Pollution Control will be increased by approximately \$1,715,000 or 2.56% when compared to the 2014 adopted budget. Service charges for Solid Waste Management will be decreased by approximately \$117,000 or 2.0% when compared to the 2014 adopted budget.  
  
(b) 2015 Connection Fees increased \$200,000 (or 29%) and were projected based on actual revenues for the year 2014 and historical trending information.  
  
(c) 2015 Other Operating Revenues – Sale of Treated Effluent increased \$400,000 (or 67%) based on projected actual revenues for the year 2014.  
  
(d) 2015 Other Operating Revenues – Miscellaneous Income decreased \$145,000 (or 39%) based on projected actual revenues for the year 2014.
3. There will be minimal impact on the local economy as a result of the proposed 2015 budget.
4. Unrestricted Net Position of \$1,368,230 was utilized in the 2015 budget for Solid Waste Management.
5. There are no funds included in the 2015 budget for this purpose.
6. The proposed budget does not reflect an anticipated deficit from 2015 operations.

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7. The Authority's annual water pollution control service charges are calculated in accordance with a formula contained in the Authority's Rules and Regulations. The Authority's existing rates are \$1,093.28 per 1,000,000 gallons of metered flow, \$336.61 per 1,000 pounds of BOD and \$287.57 per 1,000 pounds of TSS. There will be no change in the formula for 2015 rates which will be based on the 2015 budgeted service charges and 2014 actual usage.

The Authority's existing 2014 connection fee rate per equivalent dwelling unit is \$1,785. This rate is updated annually in accordance with state statutes.

The Authority's existing rate for solid waste disposal services is \$64.85 per ton plus an administrative fee of \$0.50 per ton. There is no anticipated change in the rate for 2015.

8. See Appendix A attached hereto.

## AUTHORITY CONTACT INFORMATION 2015

Please complete the following information regarding this Authority. All information requested below must be completed.

<b>Name of Authority:</b>	Bergen County Utilities Authority		
<b>Address:</b>	Foot of Mehrhof Road		
<b>City, State, Zip:</b>	Little Ferry	NJ	07643
<b>Phone: (ext.)</b>	201-641-2552	<b>Fax:</b>	201-641-6407

<b>Preparer's Name:</b>	Mathew McCarter		
<b>Preparer's Address:</b>	Foot of Mehrhof Road		
<b>City, State, Zip:</b>	Little Ferry	NJ	07643
<b>Phone: (ext.)</b>	201-807-5819	<b>Fax:</b>	201-641-7915
<b>E-mail:</b>	mmccarter@bcua.org		

<b>Executive Director:</b>	Robert E. Laux		
<b>Phone: (ext.)</b>	201-807-5802	<b>Fax:</b>	201-641-5356
<b>E-mail:</b>	rlaux@bcua.org		

<b>Acting Treasurer:</b>	Mathew McCarter		
<b>Phone: (ext.)</b>	201-807-5819	<b>Fax:</b>	201-641-7915
<b>E-mail:</b>	mmccarter@bcua.org		

<b>Name of Auditor:</b>	Gary Vinci, CPA, RMA		
<b>Name of Firm:</b>	Lerch, Vinci & Higgins, LLP		
<b>Address:</b>	17-17 Route 208		
<b>City, State, Zip:</b>	Fair Lawn	NJ	07410
<b>Phone: (ext.)</b>	201-791-7100	<b>Fax:</b>	201-791-3035
<b>E-mail:</b>	gvinci@lvhcpa.com		

# AUTHORITY INFORMATIONAL QUESTIONNAIRE

## BERGEN COUNTY UTILITIES AUTHORITY

FISCAL YEAR: FROM: January 1, 2015 TO: December 31, 2015

Answer all questions below completely and attach additional information as required.

- 1) Provide the number of individuals employed in calendar year 2013 as reported on the Authority's Form W-3, Transmittal of Wage and Tax Statements: 183
- 2) Provide the amount of total salaries and wages for calendar year 2013 as reported on the Authority's Form W-3, Transmittal of Wage and Tax Statements: \$14,555,003
- 3) Provide the number of regular voting members of the governing body: 9
- 4) Provide the number of alternate voting members of the governing body: 0
- 5) Did any person listed on Page N-4 have a family or business relationship with any other person listed on Page N-4 during the current fiscal year? NO *If "yes," attach a description of the relationship including the names of the individuals involved and their positions at the Authority.*
- 6) Did all individuals that were required to file a Financial Disclosure Statement for the current fiscal year because of their relationship with the Authority file the form as required? YES *If "no," provide a list of those individuals who failed to file a Financial Disclosure Statement and an explanation as to the reason for their failure to file.*
- 7) Does the Authority have any amounts receivable from current or former commissioners, officers, key employees or highest compensated employees? NO *If "yes," attach a list of those individuals, their position, the amount receivable, and a description of the amount due to the Authority.*
- 8) Was the Authority a party to a business transaction with one of the following parties:
  - a. A current or former commissioner, officer, key employee, or highest compensated employee? NO
  - b. A family member of a current or former commissioner, officer, key employee, or highest compensated employee? NO
  - c. An entity of which a current or former commissioner, officer, key employee, or highest compensated employee (or family member thereof) was an officer or direct or indirect owner? NO*If the answer to any of the above is "yes," attach a description of the transaction including the name of the commissioner, officer, key employee, or highest compensated employee (or family member thereof) of the Authority; the name of the entity and relationship to the individual or family member; the amount paid; and whether the transaction was subject to a competitive bid process.*
- 9) Did the Authority during the most recent fiscal year pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract? A personal benefit contract is generally any life insurance, annuity, or endowment contract that benefits, directly or indirectly, the transferor, a member of the transferor's family, or any other person designated by the transferor. NO *If "yes," attach a description of the arrangement, the premiums paid, and indicate the beneficiary of the contract.*
- 10) Explain the Authority's process for determining compensation for all persons listed on Page N-4. Include whether the Authority's process includes any of the following: 1) review and approval by the commissioners or a committee thereof; 2) study or survey of compensation data for comparable positions in similarly sized entities; 3) annual or periodic performance evaluation; 4) independent compensation consultant; and/or 5) written employment contract. *Attach narrative.* – SEE N-3 ATTACHMENT
- 11) Did the Authority pay for meals or catering during the current fiscal year? YES *If "yes," attach a detailed list of all meals and/or catering invoices for the current fiscal year and provide an explanation for each expenditure listed.* SEE N-3 ATTACHMENT
- 12) Did the Authority pay for travel expenses for any employee or individual listed on Page N-4? YES *If "yes," attach a detailed list of all travel expenses for the current fiscal year and provide an explanation for each expenditure listed.* SEE N-3 ATTACHMENT

# AUTHORITY INFORMATIONAL QUESTIONNAIRE (CONTINUED)

## BERGEN COUNTY UTILITIES AUTHORITY

FISCAL YEAR: FROM: January 1, 2015 TO: December 31, 2015

- 13) Did the Authority provide any of the following to or for a person listed on Page N-4 or any other employee of the Authority:
- a. First class or charter travel NO
  - b. Travel for companions NO
  - c. Tax indemnification and gross-up payments NO
  - d. Discretionary spending account NO
  - e. Housing allowance or residence for personal use NO
  - f. Payments for business use of personal residence NO
  - g. Vehicle/auto allowance or vehicle for personal use NO
  - h. Health or social club dues or initiation fees NO
  - i. Personal services (i.e.: maid, chauffeur, chef) NO
- If the answer to any of the above is "yes," attach a description of the transaction including the name and position of the individual and the amount expended.*
- 14) Did the Authority follow a written policy regarding payment or reimbursement for expenses incurred by employees and/or commissioners during the course of Authority business and does that policy require substantiation of expenses through receipts or invoices prior to reimbursement? YES *If "no," attach an explanation of the Authority's process for reimbursing employees and commissioners for expenses.*
- 15) Did the Authority make any payments to current or former commissioners or employees for severance or termination? NO. *If "yes," attach explanation including amount paid.*
- 16) Did the Authority make any payments to current or former commissioners or employees that were contingent upon the performance of the Authority or that were considered discretionary bonuses? NO *If "yes," attach explanation including amount paid.*
- 17) Did the Authority comply with its Continuing Disclosure Agreements for all debt issuances outstanding by submitting its audited annual financial statements, annual operating data, and notice of material events to the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board's Electronic Municipal Marketplace Access (EMMA) as required? - YES *If "no," attach a description of the Authority's plan to ensure compliance with its Continuing Disclosure Agreements in the future.*
- 18) Did the Authority receive any notices from the Department of Environmental Protection or any other entity regarding maintenance or repairs required to the Authority's systems to bring them into compliance with current regulations and standards that it has not yet taken action to remediate? NO *If "yes," attach explanation as to why the Authority has not yet undertaken the required maintenance or repairs and describe the Authority's plan to address the conditions identified.*
- 19) Did the Authority receive any notices of fines or assessments from the Department of Environmental Protection or any other entity due to noncompliance with current regulations (i.e.: sewer overflow, etc.)? NO *If "yes," attach a description of the event or condition that resulted in the fine or assessment and indicate the amount of the fine or assessment.*

### N-3 Attachments

10) Explain the Authority's process for determining compensation for all persons listed on Page N-4. Include whether the Authority's process includes any of the following: 1) review and approval by the commissioners or a committee thereof; 2) study or survey of compensation data for comparable positions in similarly sized entities; 3) annual or periodic performance evaluation; 4) independent compensation consultant; and/or 5) written employment contract. Attach narrative.

The BCUA's process for determining compensation for the persons listed on Page N-4 that receive compensation is dependent on the listed individual's position. No commissioners receive compensation. The compensation for the Executive Director, Deputy Executive Director, Chief Engineer/Director of Water Pollution Control and the Personnel Director are set by written employment contracts. The compensation for the Acting Treasurer is set by review and approval by a committee of the Board of Commissioners. The compensation for the top five highly compensated employees, exclusive of the Personnel Director, is set by a collective bargaining agreement.

N-3 Attachments (Continued)

11) Meals and Catering Expenses

Vendor Paid	Date Paid	Employee Appreciation Events	Commissioners Meetings	Local Recipients Grants Presentation	Solid Waste Public Education Meetings	Local Municipalities Presentation	Total
BCC EVENTS	1/9/2014				\$ 224.00		\$ 224.00
BARROLOMIO CATERERS	1/30/2014		\$ 302.48				\$ 302.48
BAGEL STORE	2/20/2014				\$ 888.25		\$ 888.25
BAGEL STORE	3/13/2014				\$ 748.00		\$ 748.00
BARROLOMIO CATERERS	3/27/2014		\$ 324.66				\$ 324.66
BARROLOMIO CATERERS	4/3/2014		\$ 324.02				\$ 324.02
BARROLOMIO CATERERS	5/8/2014		\$ 327.44				\$ 327.44
BAGEL STORE	5/8/2014				\$ 335.48		\$ 335.48
BAGEL STORE	5/22/2014					\$ 379.17	\$ 379.17
BARROLOMIO CATERERS	5/29/2014		\$ 319.19				\$ 319.19
BARROLOMIO CATERERS	7/17/2014		\$ 329.17				\$ 329.17
BARROLOMIO CATERERS	8/7/2014		\$ 338.11				\$ 338.11
CONTENT PARTY RENTALS	9/11/2014	\$ 535.30					\$ 535.30
SAM'S CLUB	9/18/2014	\$ 218.50					\$ 218.50
BARROLOMIO CATERERS	9/24/2014	\$ 1,800.00					\$ 1,800.00
DINO'S DOGS	9/30/2014	\$ 950.00					\$ 950.00
GOURMENT CATERING	9/30/2014			\$ 902.43			\$ 902.43
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$ 3,503.80</b>	<b>\$ 2,265.07</b>	<b>\$ 902.43</b>	<b>\$ 2,195.73</b>	<b>\$ 379.17</b>	<b>\$ 9,246.20</b>

N-3 Attachments (Continued)

12) Travel Expenses

	Transportation	Hotel	Parking	Meals	Totals
<b>COMMISSIONERS:</b>					
<u>BENTZ</u>					
Water Environment Federation Annual Technical Exhibition & Conference	\$ 326	\$ 900			\$ 1,226
Water Environment Association Conference	\$ 301	\$ 126	\$ 19	\$ 264	\$ 710
<u>PHILLIPS</u>					
CH&P Cogeneration System Conference	\$ 181		\$ 17		\$ 198
Water Environment Association Conference	\$ 205		\$ 19	\$ 132	\$ 356
Water Environment Federation Annual Technical Exhibition & Conference	\$ 940				\$ 940
<u>VACCARO</u>					
CH&P Cogeneration System Conference	\$ 157		\$ 17		\$ 174
Water Environment Association Conference	\$ 157		\$ 19	\$ 264	\$ 440
Water Environment Federation Annual Technical Exhibition & Conference		\$ 369			\$ 369
<b>OFFICERS:</b>					
<u>LAUX, ROBERT</u>					
NJ State League of Municipalities 2013 Convention		\$ 113	\$ 10	\$ 49	\$ 172
<b>KEY EMPLOYEE</b>					
<u>ANDERSEN, ERIC</u>					
CH&P Cogeneration System Conference	\$ 181		\$ 20	\$ 290	\$ 491
Water Environment Association Conference		\$ 710	\$ 5	\$ 97	\$ 812
Water Environment Federation Annual Technical Exhibition & Conference	\$ 480				\$ 480
Water Environment Federation Annual Technical Exhibition & Conference	\$ 158	\$ 369	\$ 56		\$ 583
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>\$ 3,086</b>	<b>\$ 2,587</b>	<b>\$ 182</b>	<b>\$ 1,096</b>	<b>\$ 6,951</b>

**AUTHORITY SCHEDULE OF COMMISSIONERS, OFFICERS, KEY EMPLOYEES,  
HIGHEST COMPENSATED EMPLOYEES AND INDEPENDENT CONTRACTORS**

**BERGEN COUNTY UTILITIES AUTHORITY**

**FISCAL YEAR: FROM: January 1, 2015 TO: December 31, 2015**

*Complete the attached table for all persons required to be listed per #1-4 below.*

- 1) List all of the Authority's current commissioners and officers and amount of compensation from the Authority and any other public entities as defined below. Enter zero if no compensation was paid.
- 2) List all of the Authority's key employees and highest compensated employees other than a commissioner or officer as defined below and amount of compensation from the Authority and any other public entities.
- 3) List all of the Authority's former officers, key employees and highest compensated employees who received more than \$100,000 in reportable compensation from the Authority and any other public entities during the most recent fiscal year completed.
- 4) List all of the Authority's former commissioners who received more than \$10,000 in reportable compensation from the Authority and any other public entities during the most recent fiscal year completed.

**Commissioner:** A member of the governing body of the authority with voting rights. Include alternates for purposes of this schedule.

**Officer:** A person elected or appointed to manage the authority's daily operations at any time during the year, such as the chairperson, vice-chairperson, secretary, or treasurer. For the purposes of this schedule, treat the authority's top management official and top financial official as officers. A member of the governing body may be both a commissioner and an officer for the purposes of this schedule.

**Key employee:** An employee or independent contractor of the authority (other than a commissioner or officer) who meets both of the following criteria:

- a) The individual received reportable compensation from the authority and all related entities in excess of \$150,000 for the most recent fiscal year completed; and
- b) The individual has responsibilities or influence over the authority as a whole or has power to control or determine 10% or more of the authority's capital expenditures or operating budget.

**Highest compensated employee:** One of the five highest compensated employees or independent contractors of the authority other than current commissioners, officers, or key employees whose aggregate reportable compensation from the authority and related entities is greater than \$100,000 for the most recent fiscal year completed.

**Compensation:** All forms of cash and non-cash payments or benefits provided in exchange for services, including salaries and wages, bonuses, severance payments, deferred payments, retirement benefits, fringe benefits, and other financial arrangements or transactions such as personal vehicles, meals, housing, personal and family education benefits, below-market loans, payment of personal or family travel, entertainment, and personal use of the Authority's property. Compensation includes payments and other benefits provided to both employees and independent contractors in exchange for services.

**Reportable compensation:** The aggregate compensation that is reported (or is required to be reported) on Form W-2, box 1 or 5, whichever amount is greater, and/or Form 1099-MISC, box 7, for the most recent calendar year ended 60 days before the start of the proposed budget year. For example, for fiscal years ending December 31, 2015, the calendar year 2013 W-2 and 1099 should be used (60 days prior to start of budget year is November 1, 2014, with 2013 being the most recent calendar year ended), and for fiscal years ending June 30, 2016, the calendar year 2014 W-2 and 1099 should be used (60 days prior to start of budget year is May 1, 2015, with 2014 being the most recent calendar year ended).

**Other Public Entity:** Any municipality, county, local authority, fire district, or other government unit, regardless of whether it is related in any way to the Authority either by function or by physical location.

Authority Schedule of Commissioners, Officers, Key Employees, Highest Compensated Employees and Independent Contractors (Continued)

For the Period January 1, 2015 to December 31, 2015  
 Bergen County Parkers Authority

Name	Title	Average Hours per Week Dedicated to Position	Positions Held at Other Public Entities Listed in Column D in Column D		Names of Other Public Entities where individual is an Employee or Member of the Governing Body	Estimated amount of other compensation from the Authority (health benefits, pension, etc.)	Total Compensation from Authority	Reimbursable Compensation from Authority (Net of 1929)	Other Public Entities	Average Hours per Week Dedicated to Other Public Entities in Column D	Reportable Compensation from Other Public Entities (Net of 1929)	Estimated amount of other compensation from Other Public Entities (health benefits, pension, etc.)	Total Compensation All Public Entities
			Commissioner	Key Employee									
1. Andrew "Chuck" Vaccaro	Chairman	3	X						0	90,000	12,000	102,000	
2. Ronald Phillip	Vice Chairman	3	X						0	90,000	12,000	102,000	
3. Catherine T. Berni	Commissioner	3	X						15	7,000	-	7,000	
4. James L. Cassella	Commissioner	3	X						40	7,000	-	7,000	
5. Louis J. DeStefano	Commissioner	3	X						2	304,000	50,000	354,000	
6. Paul Marino	Commissioner	3	X						40-50	316,722	44,412	361,134	
7. Daniel J. Dorezo	Commissioner	3	X						40	311,000	20,000	331,000	
8. Richard G. Schuch	Commissioner	3	X						0	-	-	-	
9. George F. DiStefo	Commissioner	3	X						Retired	-	98,183	98,183	
10. Robert J. Burt, Esq.	Executive Director	40	X			159,482			0	-	-	159,482	
11. Robert J. Burt, Esq.	Deputy Executive Director	40	X			153,106			0	-	-	153,106	
12. William McLaughlin	Finance Officer / Treasurer	40	X			128,710			1 per week	-	-	128,710	
13. William McLaughlin	Acting Treasurer	40	X			108,332			0	-	-	108,332	
14. Eric Anderson	Chief Engineer / Director HPC	40	X			156,567			2 per week	3,600	-	160,167	
15. Ronald Curcio	Supervisor Sewer Plant Operator	40	X	X		137,180			0	-	-	137,180	
16. Michael Cammett	Supervisor Sewer Plant Operator	40	X	X		135,806			0	-	-	135,806	
17. Thomas Lopez	Supervisor Sewer Plant Operator	40	X	X		133,826			0	-	-	133,826	
18. Stephen Bascopy	Supervisor Sewer Plant Operator	40	X	X		133,379			0	-	-	133,379	
19. James Salvo	Supervisor Sewer Plant Operator	40	X	X		133,272			0	-	-	133,272	
<b>Total:</b>						<b>\$ 3,383,134</b>	<b>\$ -</b>	<b>\$ -</b>	<b>\$ 581,322</b>	<b>\$ 234,656</b>	<b>\$ 2,547,151</b>		

Note: The total number of employees/independent contractors who received more than \$100,000 in total reportable compensation for the most recent fiscal year completed: 46

# Schedule of Health Benefits - Detailed Cost Analysis

Bergen County Utilities Authority  
 For the Period January 1, 2015 to December 31, 2015

	# of Covered Members		Annual Cost Estimate per Employee		Total Cost Estimate		# of Covered Members		Annual Cost per Employee		% Increase (Decrease)	
	Proposed Budget	Medical & Rx	Budget	Proposed	Budget	Proposed	Current Year	Medical & Rx	Current Year	Current Year	Year Cost	(Decrease)
<b>Active Employees - Health Benefits - Annual Cost</b>												
Single Coverage	34		\$ 15,610	\$ 530,735	34	\$ 14,191	\$ 482,484	\$ 48,250	10.0%			
Parent & Child	11		22,581	248,387	11	20,528	225,807	22,580	10.0%			
Employee & Spouse (or Partner)	38		35,594	1,352,555	38	32,358	1,229,595	122,960	10.0%			
Family	82		43,321	3,552,358	82	39,383	3,229,419	322,939	10.0%			
Employee Cost Sharing Contribution (enter as negative - )				(248,120)			(243,255)	(4,865)	2.0%			
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>165</b>		<b>5,435,915</b>		<b>165</b>	<b>4,924,051</b>	<b>511,864</b>		<b>10.4%</b>			
<b>Commissioners - Health Benefits - Annual Cost</b>												
Single Coverage	0		-	-	0	-	-	-	#DIV/0!			
Parent & Child	0		-	-	0	-	-	-	#DIV/0!			
Employee & Spouse (or Partner)	0		-	-	0	-	-	-	#DIV/0!			
Family	0		-	-	0	-	-	-	#DIV/0!			
Employee Cost Sharing Contribution (enter as negative - )				-			-	-	#DIV/0!			
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>0</b>		<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>#DIV/0!</b>			
<b>Retirees - Health Benefits - Annual Cost</b>												
Single Coverage	51		11,726	598,022	51	10,660	543,658	54,364	10.0%			
Parent & Child	3		16,447	49,341	3	14,952	44,855	4,486	10.0%			
Employee & Spouse (or Partner)	46		25,677	1,181,153	46	23,343	1,073,778	107,375	10.0%			
Family	12		33,225	398,706	12	30,205	362,460	36,246	10.0%			
Employee Cost Sharing Contribution (enter as negative - )				-			-	-	#DIV/0!			
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>112</b>		<b>2,227,222</b>		<b>112</b>	<b>2,024,751</b>	<b>202,470</b>		<b>10.0%</b>			
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>277</b>		<b>\$ 7,663,137</b>		<b>277</b>	<b>\$ 6,948,802</b>	<b>\$ 714,335</b>		<b>10.3%</b>			

Is medical coverage provided by the SHBP (Yes or No)?  
 Is prescription drug coverage provided by the SHBP (Yes or No)?

No  
 No



**Schedule of Accumulated Liability for Compensated Absences (Detail)**

Bergen County Utilities Authority  
For the Period January 1, 2015 to December 31, 2015

Complete the below table for the Authority's accrued liability for compensated absences.

Individuals Eligible for Benefit	Gross Days of Accumulated Compensated Absences at beginning of Current Year	Dollar Value of Accrued Compensated Absence Liability	Legal Basis for Benefit (check applicable items)		
			Approved Labor Agreement	Resolution	Individual Employment Agreement
WATER POLLUTION CONTROL					
ABBATE, DOMENICK	50.00	\$ 15,850.39	x		
ABRAHAMSEN, ERIC	78.31	34,241.24	x		
ABRAHAMSEN, TYLER S	5.88	623.34	x		
ANDERSEN, ERIC	68.63	39,714.85		x	
ANDRETTA, RICHARD	214.75	94,666.76	x		
ARENA, FRANK	31.69	10,492.31	x		
ASHLEY, LAURA ANN	1.06	187.03	x		
AURIEMMA, STEPHEN ANTHONY	176.06	54,254.08	x		
BABBINI, ROBERT JAMES	4.16	1,049.11	x		
BANEK JR, EDWARD A	50.09	15,880.11	x		
BEEH, JAMES	35.38	13,767.11	x		
BELINSKY, DANIEL BERNARD	22.72	6,720.71	x		
BERGIN, CORINNE	4.53	1,407.57	x		
BERTONE, KEVIN	154.00	48,441.64	x		
BETHON, RUSSELL W	16.34	5,181.10	x		
BIALEK, BRANDON THOMAS	0.06	14.34	x		
BIRKNER, JOHN	112.00	41,506.24	x		
BLANCO, PHILIP E	29.06	8,126.80	x		
BLUNDO, JEROME J	20.50	3,269.63	x		
BOLLHARDT, DENNIS	131.09	57,300.51	x		
BONGARD, LAWRENCE	13.45	4,889.95	x		
BONINO, ROBERT	180.78	67,341.24	x		
BOWERS JR, GILBERT A	109.00	46,940.22	x		
BOYADIJIAN, JOSEPH K	27.68	8,597.60	x		
BRADLEY JR, PAUL P	54.94	17,074.97	x		
BREEN, ALFRED	104.44	45,218.85	x		
BREONTE, CARMIN VINCENT	19.66	5,149.49	x		
BREWER, JOHN T.	35.63	13,996.33	x		
BRIGLEY, KEVIN J	30.16	11,847.78	x		
BRILLO, DAVID	69.72	23,549.85	x		
BUTTACAVOLE, DEBORAH	26.66	7,784.51	x		
CALABRESE JR, WILLIAM	76.09	23,670.15	x		
CALLAHAN, MICHAEL	44.75	14,818.13	x		
CAMMETT, MICHAEL R	135.50	59,069.92	x		
CARFI, GIUSEPPE	118.06	51,456.64	x		
CAVALLO, LOUISE	67.78	20,671.73	x		
CESTARO, RONALD	160.78	70,418.98	x		
CHAIKET, THOM	43.69	18,830.65	x		
CHASE, STEVEN A	63.88	20,644.09	x		
CHOINSKI, STEPHEN	83.84	31,200.52	x		
CIMMINO, JULIUS J.	20.75	6,172.26	x		
CIRKINYAN, GARABET V.	4.00	637.98	x		
CLAUBERG, CHRISTOPHER	98.56	30,340.08	x		
COLON, MICHEAL A	5.50	1,109.79	x		
CORCORAN, SCOTT F	2.00	212.20	x		
D'ARMINIO, ANGELO ANTHONY	3.50	724.31	x		
D'ARMINIO, LOUIS V	28.00	9,481.47		x	
DAVILA, LUIS A.	93.03	27,354.79	x		
DELIA, LOUIS	47.53	17,081.72	x		
DELVECCHIO, EDWARD	9.38	3,104.36	x		
DEMPSEY, ROBERT	76.84	29,056.86	x		
DENTZAU, ERIK ERNEST	8.03	1,790.68	x		
DEVINCENZO, COSMO C.	27.72	11,637.30	x		
DEVRIES, PETER	132.09	41,548.21	x		
DILUCA, BRUCE	117.00	50,941.81	x		
DINICE, JOHN	131.38	57,245.29	x		
DOBROWSKI, STANLEY	116.78	51,629.33	x		
DOBROWSKI, JAMES J.	17.97	7,059.56	x		
DUBNICK, JOSHUA	147.72	54,892.80	x		
DUFFY, MARCIA	135.80	41,521.56	x		
DUFFY, STEPHEN	99.59	33,952.41	x		
DUNAY, SEAN W	58.56	17,489.95	x		
DUNNE, KRISTOFFER	50.28	15,939.54	x		
ECKERT, JOSEPH PAUL	9.31	2,595.25	x		
EGOROW, PETER	215.06	67,409.60	x		

**Schedule of Accumulated Liability for Compensated Absences (Detail)**

Bergen County Utilities Authority  
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Individuals Eligible for Benefit	Gross Days of Accumulated Compensated Absences at beginning of Current Year	Dollar Value of Accrued Compensated Absence Liability	Legal Basis for Benefit (check applicable items)		
			Approved Labor Agreement	Resolution	Individual Employment Agreement
FALAHEE, MICHAEL A	22.50	3,588.62	x		
FARRIOR, WALTER	44.25	14,652.56	x		
FIERRO, GABRIEL J	6.50	1,036.71	x		
FILARDO, JAMES	12.56	4,159.42	x		
FTZPATRICK, ROBERT	25.00	8,984.47	x		
FREDA, JAMES	41.94	13,753.19	x		
FUSCO, BRIAN J	36.09	5,756.75	x		
GALLAGHER, KARI	36.63	12,127.69	x		
GARAFANO, GARY	150.31	55,881.25	x		
GRINER, WILLIAM A	80.38	25,038.86	x		
GRYCZKO, JAMES	25.91	10,178.04	x		
GUADAGNO, ANTHONY M	33.63	5,918.98	x		
HAMILTON, GEORGE C	59.53	17,296.65	x		
HARRIS JR, DONALD ROOSEVELT	87.59	29,704.31	x		
HARRISON, JOSEPH	70.06	23,199.90	x		
HASAN, RIAZUL	175.69	77,225.35	x		
HERITY, WILLIAM	50.00	14,119.37	x		
HERRMANN, JOHN J	74.88	24,973.12	x		
HUDSPETH, DAVID	94.63	41,766.78	x		
IBRAHIM, MOHAMAD F	0.38	100.02	x		
KHAN, STEVE P	9.00	954.90	x		
KNIGHT, SCOTT MARK	62.78	27,896.29	x		
KRONE, ALBERT M	108.02	32,508.08	x		
LABAN, SUSANNE	112.25	48,843.80	x		
LAGROTTERIA, CHARLES	114.84	31,957.82	x		
LAUX, ROBERT E	2.81	1,800.61			x
LENNOX, JOHN D	64.89	17,710.36	x		
LOCASCIO, MICHAEL	132.00	48,510.88	x		
LOGAN, THOMAS	141.38	65,628.34			x
LUNA, JOSEPH	53.50	16,969.30	x		
LYZELL, VINCENT	64.56	28,446.61	x		
MAGNOTTA, DAVID	54.19	19,473.84	x		
MALONE, LAURENCE FINTAN	17.00	3,900.20	x		
MANDERANO, KEVIN	44.09	16,417.60	x		
MARTINS, NELSON	57.56	19,060.76	x		
MCCARTER, MATHEW D	2.16	1,042.69		x	
MCCARTHY, JAMES	201.19	68,523.90	x		
MCCLURE, DOUGLAS	72.69	24,373.79	x		
MCDONALD, TIMOTHY	65.41	19,371.87	x		
MCKEON, SEAN P	47.34	15,008.34	x		
MELILLO, JAMES	13.30	4,092.89	x		
MERENDA, MICHAEL	136.56	46,361.23	x		
MERTURI, FILIP	5.78	922.08	x		
MEYERS, FRED JOHN	7.25	2,378.85	x		
MICHALSKI, PAULA	61.59	18,963.20	x		
MITCHELL, JOHN GERALD	13.34	3,116.53	x		
MONFORTE, EUGENE	75.18	24,342.02	x		
MURPHY, BRIAN H	8.00	2,081.35	x		
MURRAY, MICHAEL THOMAS	23.16	6,453.28	x		
NASTA, VITO	184.63	81,195.93	x		
NEBBIA, HAROLD F	9.34	2,492.11	x		
NESE JR, PETER A	31.50	14,594.76	x		
NOWOSIELECKI, WALLACE P	144.27	69,800.91		x	
OBLENIS, RONALD	83.06	22,690.25	x		
OLECHOWSKI, JOSEPH	64.81	20,546.07	x		
ORTIZ, JESSICA	3.25	580.49		x	
OURY, DENNIS	49.04	16,121.66	x		
PALAZZI, ROBERT ARMAND	28.25	11,974.68	x		
PATEL, GEETA	41.26	12,816.40	x		
PAUL JR, WALTER E	125.31	62,895.75		x	
PETERSON, CRAIG	64.21	22,859.61	x		
PLUCHINO, DAVID	101.06	37,511.04	x		
PYNN, STEVEN W.	49.81	14,482.54	x		
RAEFSKI, THOMAS	57.50	20,471.15	x		
RASCZYK, STEPHEN	45.91	19,833.71	x		
RATKOWSKI, MICHAEL P.	45.59	16,232.30	x		

**Schedule of Accumulated Liability for Compensated Absences (Detail)**

Bergen County Utilities Authority  
For the Period January 1, 2015 to December 31, 2015

Complete the below table for the Authority's accrued liability for compensated absences.

Individuals Eligible for Benefit	Gross Days of Accumulated Compensated Absences at beginning of Current Year	Dollar Value of Accrued Compensated Absence Liability	Legal Basis for Benefit (check applicable items)		
			Approved Labor Agreement	Resolution	Individual Employment Agreement
RAWDON, JAMES P.	0.19	53.21	x		
RIOS, ANGEL L	10.22	2,847.81	x		
ROJAS, SYLVIA REYES	54.22	16,842.23	x		
ROSARIO, JEFFREY	15.00	3,026.69	x		
ROSSILLO, JOHN	2.47	658.45	x		
RUSSO, DOMINICK	53.17	19,108.62	x		
SARTOR, VANNNI	12.03	5,452.13	x		
SAVINO, ANTHONY B	4.38	464.19	x		
SHIRINIAN, HAIG	51.34	14,498.83	x		
SMITH, ASHLEY	12.50	1,993.68	x		
SORIANO, DOMINICK	212.81	79,139.19	x		
SOTO, NINA	12.06	3,588.09	x		
SPOELSTRA, ROGER WAYNE	61.47	18,276.89	x		
STUART, JOHN	42.41	14,042.04	x		
STUIISO, RICHARD	60.53	18,005.54	x		
STURZIONE, ALFRED J	58.97	16,321.25	x		
SWITAY, EDWARD	91.63	44,050.01		x	
TEDESCO JR, LOUIS A	84.34	27,663.07	x		
TUFARO, JAMES	40.84	18,923.95	x		
VALENTINO, DIANE L	103.47	45,890.45	x		
VERNIERI, ANTHONY	48.44	15,884.83	x		
WEBER, ROBERT	16.26	5,384.61	x		
WIERER, RICHARD	125.62	72,062.23			x
WILLIAMS, LAWRENCE SCOTT	10.19	3,229.52	x		
WILLIAMS, MICHAEL	123.33	51,731.26	x		
WOLFSOHN, LUCILLE	39.84	12,143.52	x		
YAGER, MARK C	87.99	26,927.85	x		
ZAGAJEWSKI, JOHN	27.00	11,944.76	x		
<b>SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT</b>					
BAROCH, RICHARD	23.63	8,433.35	x		
BONANNO-LYNCH, ANGELA L	4.19	1,494.81	x		
ROSS, DENISE	4.88	893.41	x		
RUSSO, LORI	12.31	4,393.82	x		
VANGIERI, MARK	96.93	42,617.20	x		
<b>Total liability for accumulated compensated absences at beginning of current year</b>		<b>\$ 3,658,455.79</b>			



**2015 AUTHORITY BUDGET**

**Financial Schedules Section**

# 2015 Budget Summary

Bergen County Utilities Authority

For the Period January 1, 2015 to December 31, 2015

	Proposed Budget					Total All Operations	Current Year Adopted Budget Operations	\$ Increase (Decrease) Proposed vs. Current Year	% Increase (Decrease) Proposed vs. Current Year	
	Water Pollution Control	Solid Waste Management	Operation #3	Operation #4	Operation #5					Operation #6
	All Operations	All Operations	All Operations	All Operations	All Operations					All Operations
<b>REVENUES</b>										
Total Operating Revenues	\$ 72,648,028	\$ 5,835,292	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 78,483,320	\$ 76,429,113	\$ 2,054,207	2.7%	
Total Non-Operating Revenues	280,000	725,450	-	-	-	1,005,450	1,043,450	(38,000)	-3.6%	
Total Anticipated Revenues	72,928,028	6,560,742	-	-	-	79,488,770	77,472,563	2,016,207	2.6%	
<b>APPROPRIATIONS</b>										
Total Administration	6,411,692	198,301	-	-	-	6,609,993	6,554,775	55,218	0.8%	
Total Cost of Providing Services	43,165,399	7,730,671	-	-	-	50,896,070	49,138,188	1,757,882	3.6%	
Total Principal Payments on Debt Service in Lieu of Depreciation	15,947,475	-	-	-	-	15,947,475	15,238,497	708,978	4.7%	
Total Operating Appropriations	65,524,566	7,928,972	-	-	-	73,453,538	70,931,460	2,522,078	3.6%	
Total Interest Payments on Debt	7,103,462	-	-	-	-	7,103,462	7,821,854	(718,392)	-9.2%	
Total Other Non-Operating Appropriations	300,000	-	-	-	-	300,000	100,000	200,000	200.0%	
Total Non-Operating Appropriations	7,403,462	-	-	-	-	7,403,462	7,921,854	(518,392)	-6.5%	
Accumulated Deficit	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	#DIV/0!	
Total Appropriations and Accumulated Deficit	72,928,028	7,928,972	-	-	-	80,857,000	78,853,314	2,003,686	2.5%	
Less: Total Unrestricted Net Position Utilized	-	1,368,230	-	-	-	1,368,230	1,380,751	(12,521)	-0.9%	
Net Total Appropriations	72,928,028	6,560,742	-	-	-	79,488,770	77,472,563	2,016,207	2.6%	
<b>ANTICIPATED SURPLUS (DEFICIT)</b>	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	#DIV/0!	

## 2015 Revenue Schedule

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	Proposed Budget						Total All Operations	Current Year Adapted Budget	\$ Increase (Decrease) Proposed vs. Current Year	% Increase (Decrease) Proposed vs. Current Year
	Water Pollution Control	Solid Waste Management	Operation #3	Operation #4	Operation #5	Operation #6		Total All Operations	All Operations	All Operations
								Total All Operations	All Operations	All Operations
<b>OPERATING REVENUES</b>										
<i>Service Charges</i>										
Residential						\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	#DIV/0!	
Business/Commercial	2,731,161					2,731,161	2,663,092	68,069	2.6%	
Industrial	2,528,489					2,528,489	2,465,472	63,017	2.6%	
Intergovernmental	63,543,378					63,543,378	61,959,049	1,584,329	2.6%	
Other		5,763,692				5,763,692	5,881,500	(117,808)	-2.0%	
<b>Total Service Charges</b>	<b>68,803,028</b>	<b>5,763,692</b>				<b>74,566,720</b>	<b>72,969,113</b>	<b>1,597,607</b>	<b>2.2%</b>	
<i>Connection Fees</i>										
Residential	130,000					130,000	100,000	30,000	30.0%	
Business/Commercial	710,000					710,000	550,000	160,000	29.1%	
Industrial						-	-	-	#DIV/0!	
Intergovernmental	55,000					55,000	45,000	10,000	22.2%	
Other						-	-	-	#DIV/0!	
<b>Total Connection Fees</b>	<b>895,000</b>					<b>895,000</b>	<b>695,000</b>	<b>200,000</b>	<b>28.8%</b>	
<i>Parking Fees</i>										
Meters						-	-	-	#DIV/0!	
Permits						-	-	-	#DIV/0!	
Fines/Penalties						-	-	-	#DIV/0!	
Other						-	-	-	#DIV/0!	
<b>Total Parking Fees</b>						<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>#DIV/0!</b>	
<i>Other Operating Revenues (List)</i>										
Other Revenues (See Sheet F-2a)	2,950,000	71,600				3,021,600	2,765,000	256,600	9.3%	
						-	-	-	#DIV/0!	
						-	-	-	#DIV/0!	
						-	-	-	#DIV/0!	
<b>Total Other Revenue</b>	<b>2,950,000</b>	<b>71,600</b>				<b>3,021,600</b>	<b>2,765,000</b>	<b>256,600</b>	<b>9.3%</b>	
<b>Total Operating Revenues</b>	<b>72,648,028</b>	<b>5,835,292</b>				<b>78,483,320</b>	<b>76,429,113</b>	<b>2,054,207</b>	<b>2.7%</b>	
<b>NON-OPERATING REVENUES</b>										
<i>Grants &amp; Entitlements (List)</i>										
Grant #1						-	-	-	#DIV/0!	
Grant #2						-	-	-	#DIV/0!	
Grant #3						-	-	-	#DIV/0!	
Grant #4						-	-	-	#DIV/0!	
<b>Total Grants &amp; Entitlements</b>						<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>#DIV/0!</b>	
<i>Local Subsidies &amp; Donations (List)</i>										
Local Subsidy #1						-	-	-	#DIV/0!	
Local Subsidy #2						-	-	-	#DIV/0!	
Local Subsidy #3						-	-	-	#DIV/0!	
Local Subsidy #4						-	-	-	#DIV/0!	
<b>Total Local Subsidies &amp; Donations</b>						<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>#DIV/0!</b>	
<i>Interest on Investments &amp; Deposits</i>										
Investments	280,000	15,000				295,000	310,000	(15,000)	-4.8%	
Security Deposits						-	-	-	#DIV/0!	
Penalties						-	-	-	#DIV/0!	
Other Investments						-	-	-	#DIV/0!	
<b>Total Interest</b>	<b>280,000</b>	<b>15,000</b>				<b>295,000</b>	<b>310,000</b>	<b>(15,000)</b>	<b>-4.8%</b>	
<i>Other Non-Operating Revenues (List)</i>										
Recycling Grants		710,450				710,450	733,450	(23,000)	-3.1%	
						-	-	-	#DIV/0!	
						-	-	-	#DIV/0!	
						-	-	-	#DIV/0!	
<b>Other Non-Operating Revenues</b>		<b>710,450</b>				<b>710,450</b>	<b>733,450</b>	<b>(23,000)</b>	<b>-3.1%</b>	
<b>Total Non-Operating Revenues</b>	<b>280,000</b>	<b>725,450</b>				<b>1,005,450</b>	<b>1,043,450</b>	<b>(38,000)</b>	<b>-3.6%</b>	
<b>TOTAL ANTICIPATED REVENUES</b>	<b>\$ 72,928,028</b>	<b>\$ 6,560,742</b>	<b>\$ -</b>	<b>\$ -</b>	<b>\$ -</b>	<b>\$ 79,488,770</b>	<b>\$ 77,472,563</b>	<b>\$ 2,016,207</b>	<b>2.6%</b>	

## 2015 Revenue Schedule - Other Revenues

Bergen County Utilities Authority  
 For the Period January 1, 2015 to December 31, 2015

	<i>Proposed Budget</i>						<i>Current Year Adopted Budget</i>	<i>\$ Increase (Decrease) Proposed vs. Current Year</i>	<i>% Increase (Decrease) Proposed vs. Current Year</i>	
	Water Pollution Control	Solid Waste Management	Operation #3	Operation #4	Operation #5	Operation #6	Total All Operations	Total All Operations	All Operations	All Operations
<b>OPERATING REVENUES</b>										
<i>Other Revenues</i>										
IPP Permits	285,000						285,000	\$ -	0.0%	
Sale of Treated Effluent	1,000,000						600,000	400,000	66.7%	
Edgewater Debt Service Contribution	1,465,000						1,465,000	-	0.0%	
Administrative Fees		46,600					45,000	1,600	3.6%	
Miscellaneous Income	200,000	25,000					370,000	(145,000)	-39.2%	
<b>Total Other Revenue</b>	<b>2,950,000</b>	<b>71,600</b>	-	-	-	-	<b>3,021,600</b>	<b>2,765,000</b>	<b>256,600</b>	<b>9.3%</b>

## 2014 Revenue Schedule

Bergen County Utilities Authority  
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	<i>Current Year Adopted Budget</i>						Total All Operations
	Water Pollution Control	Solid Waste Management	Operation #3	Operation #4	Operation #5	Operation #6	
<b>OPERATING REVENUES</b>							
<i>Service Charges</i>							
Residential							\$ -
Business/Commercial	2,663,092						2,663,092
Industrial	2,465,472						2,465,472
Intergovernmental	61,959,049						61,959,049
Other		5,881,500					5,881,500
<b>Total Service Charges</b>	<b>67,087,613</b>	<b>5,881,500</b>	-	-	-	-	<b>72,969,113</b>
<i>Connection Fees</i>							
Residential	100,000						100,000
Business/Commercial	550,000						550,000
Industrial							-
Intergovernmental	45,000						45,000
Other							-
<b>Total Connection Fees</b>	<b>695,000</b>	-	-	-	-	-	<b>695,000</b>
<i>Parking Fees</i>							
Meters							-
Permits							-
Fines/Penalties							-
Other							-
<b>Total Parking Fees</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Other Operating Revenues (List)</i>							
Other Revenues (See Sheet F-3a)	2,690,000	75,000	-	-	-	-	2,765,000
							-
							-
<b>Total Other Revenue</b>	<b>2,690,000</b>	<b>75,000</b>	-	-	-	-	<b>2,765,000</b>
<b>Total Operating Revenues</b>	<b>70,472,613</b>	<b>5,956,500</b>	-	-	-	-	<b>76,429,113</b>
<b>NON-OPERATING REVENUES</b>							
<i>Grants &amp; Entitlements (List)</i>							
Grant #1							-
Grant #2							-
Grant #3							-
Grant #4							-
<b>Total Grants &amp; Entitlements</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Local Subsidies &amp; Donations (List)</i>							
Local Subsidy #1							-
Local Subsidy #2							-
Local Subsidy #3							-
Local Subsidy #4							-
<b>Total Local Subsidies &amp; Donations</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Interest on Investments &amp; Deposits</i>							
Investments	280,000	30,000					310,000
Security Deposits							-
Penalties							-
Other Investments							-
<b>Total Interest</b>	<b>280,000</b>	<b>30,000</b>	-	-	-	-	<b>310,000</b>
<i>Other Non-Operating Revenues (List)</i>							
Recycling Grants		733,450					733,450
							-
							-
<b>Other Non-Operating Revenues</b>	-	<b>733,450</b>	-	-	-	-	<b>733,450</b>
<b>Total Non-Operating Revenues</b>	<b>280,000</b>	<b>763,450</b>	-	-	-	-	<b>1,043,450</b>
<b>TOTAL ANTICIPATED REVENUES</b>	<b>\$ 70,752,613</b>	<b>\$ 6,719,950</b>	<b>\$ -</b>	<b>\$ -</b>	<b>\$ -</b>	<b>\$ -</b>	<b>\$ 77,472,563</b>

## 2014 Revenue Schedule - Other Revenues

Bergen County Utilities Authority  
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OPERATING REVENUES <i>Other Revenues</i>	<i>Current Year Adopted Budget</i>						Total All Operations
	Water Pollution Control	Solid Waste Management	Operation #3	Operation #4	Operation #5	Operation #6	
	IPP Permits	285,000					
Sale of Treated Effluent	600,000						600,000
Edgewater Debt Service Contribution	1,465,000						1,465,000
Administrative Fees		45,000					45,000
Miscellaneous Income	340,000	30,000					370,000
Total Other Revenue	2,690,000	75,000	-	-	-	-	2,765,000

## 2015 Appropriations Schedule

### Bergen County Utilities Authority

For the Period January 1, 2015 to December 31, 2015

	Proposed Budget						Current Year Adopted Budget	\$ Increase (Decrease) Proposed vs. Current Year	% Increase (Decrease) Proposed vs. Current Year	
	Water Pollution Control	Solid Waste Management	Operation #3	Operation #4	Operation #5	Operation #6	Total All Operations	Total All Operations	All Operations	
							Total All Operations	All Operations	All Operations	
<b>OPERATING APPROPRIATIONS</b>										
<i>Administration - Personnel</i>										
Salary & Wages	\$ 2,686,206	\$ 83,080					\$ 2,769,286	\$ 2,771,838	\$ (2,552)	-0.1%
Fringe Benefits	2,333,633	72,174					2,405,807	2,339,237	66,570	2.8%
<b>Total Administration - Personnel</b>	<b>5,019,839</b>	<b>155,254</b>					<b>5,175,093</b>	<b>5,111,075</b>	<b>64,018</b>	<b>1.3%</b>
<i>Administration - Other (List)</i>										
Director's Office	24,250	750					25,000	25,000	-	0.0%
Administrative	832,260	25,740					858,000	833,000	25,000	3.0%
Information Technology	523,703	16,197					539,900	573,700	(33,800)	-5.9%
Finance Office	11,640	360					12,000	12,000	-	0.0%
Miscellaneous Administration*										#DIV/0!
<b>Total Administration - Other</b>	<b>1,391,853</b>	<b>43,047</b>					<b>1,434,900</b>	<b>1,443,700</b>	<b>(8,800)</b>	<b>-0.6%</b>
<b>Total Administration</b>	<b>6,411,692</b>	<b>198,301</b>					<b>6,609,993</b>	<b>6,554,775</b>	<b>55,218</b>	<b>0.8%</b>
<i>Cost of Providing Services - Personnel</i>										
Salary & Wages	12,833,294	552,328					13,385,622	13,374,631	10,991	0.1%
Fringe Benefits	9,463,105	504,701					9,967,806	9,735,442	232,364	2.4%
<b>Total COPS - Personnel</b>	<b>22,296,399</b>	<b>1,057,029</b>					<b>23,353,428</b>	<b>23,110,073</b>	<b>243,355</b>	<b>1.1%</b>
<i>Cost of Providing Services - Other (List)</i>										
Other COPS Expense (See Sheet F-4a)	20,869,000	6,673,642					27,542,642	26,028,115	1,514,527	5.8%
										#DIV/0!
										#DIV/0!
										#DIV/0!
										#DIV/0!
Miscellaneous COPS*										#DIV/0!
<b>Total COPS - Other</b>	<b>20,869,000</b>	<b>6,673,642</b>					<b>27,542,642</b>	<b>26,028,115</b>	<b>1,514,527</b>	<b>5.8%</b>
<b>Total Cost of Providing Services</b>	<b>43,165,399</b>	<b>7,730,671</b>					<b>50,896,070</b>	<b>49,138,188</b>	<b>1,757,882</b>	<b>3.6%</b>
<i>Total Principal Payments on Debt Service in Lieu of Depreciation</i>										
	15,947,475						15,947,475	15,238,497	708,978	4.7%
<b>Total Operating Appropriations</b>	<b>65,524,566</b>	<b>7,928,972</b>					<b>73,453,538</b>	<b>70,931,460</b>	<b>2,522,078</b>	<b>3.6%</b>
<b>NON-OPERATING APPROPRIATIONS</b>										
Total Interest Payments on Debt	7,103,462						7,103,462	7,821,854	(718,392)	-9.2%
Operations & Maintenance Reserve										#DIV/0!
Renewal & Replacement Reserve										#DIV/0!
Municipality/County Appropriation										#DIV/0!
Other Reserves	300,000						300,000	100,000	200,000	200.0%
<b>Total Non-Operating Appropriations</b>	<b>7,403,462</b>						<b>7,403,462</b>	<b>7,921,854</b>	<b>(518,392)</b>	<b>-6.5%</b>
<b>TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS</b>	<b>72,928,028</b>	<b>7,928,972</b>					<b>80,857,000</b>	<b>78,853,314</b>	<b>2,003,686</b>	<b>2.5%</b>
<b>ACCUMULATED DEFICIT</b>										
<b>TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS &amp; ACCUMULATED DEFICIT</b>	<b>72,928,028</b>	<b>7,928,972</b>					<b>80,857,000</b>	<b>78,853,314</b>	<b>2,003,686</b>	<b>2.5%</b>
<b>UNRESTRICTED NET POSITION UTILIZED</b>										
Municipality/County Appropriation										#DIV/0!
Other		1,368,230					1,368,230	1,380,751	(12,521)	-0.9%
<b>Total Unrestricted Net Position Utilized</b>		<b>1,368,230</b>					<b>1,368,230</b>	<b>1,380,751</b>	<b>(12,521)</b>	<b>-0.9%</b>
<b>TOTAL NET APPROPRIATIONS</b>	<b>\$ 72,928,028</b>	<b>\$ 6,560,742</b>	<b>\$ -</b>	<b>\$ -</b>	<b>\$ -</b>	<b>\$ -</b>	<b>\$ 79,488,770</b>	<b>\$ 77,472,563</b>	<b>\$ 2,016,207</b>	<b>2.6%</b>

\* Miscellaneous line items may not exceed 5% of total operating appropriations shown below. If amount in miscellaneous is greater than the amount shown below, then the line item must be itemized above.

5% of Total Operating Appropriations \$ 3,276,228.30 \$ 396,448.60 \$ - \$ - \$ - \$ - \$ 3,672,676.90

**2015 Appropriations Schedule - Other COPS Expense**

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	<i>Proposed Budget</i>						<i>Current Year</i>	<i>\$ Increase</i>	<i>% Increase</i>
	Water Pollution Control	Solid Waste Management	Operation				<i>Adopted Budget</i>	<i>(Decrease)</i>	<i>(Decrease)</i>
			Operation #3	#4	#5	#6	Total All Operations	<i>Proposed vs. Current Year</i>	<i>Proposed vs. Current Year</i>
<b>OPERATING APPROPRIATIONS</b>									
<i>Other COPS Expense</i>									
Professional Fees	2,395,000	89,500				2,484,500	\$ 2,208,500	\$ 276,000	12.5%
Collection	770,000					770,000	775,000	(5,000)	-0.6%
Compliance	250,000					250,000	270,000	(20,000)	-7.4%
Facilities Cost	4,627,000					4,627,000	4,078,000	549,000	13.5%
Direct Processing	1,695,000					1,695,000	1,617,000	78,000	4.8%
Waste Disposal	6,402,000					6,402,000	6,152,000	250,000	4.1%
Contract Maintenance	300,000					300,000	200,000	100,000	50.0%
Replacement Parts	2,330,000					2,330,000	2,015,000	315,000	15.6%
Supplies	780,000					780,000	757,000	23,000	3.0%
Safety Programs	180,000					180,000	180,000	-	0.0%
Insurance	860,000	95,000				955,000	908,652	46,348	5.1%
Cooperative Marketing		5,763,692				5,763,692	5,881,500	(117,808)	-2.0%
Recycling Grants		710,450				710,450	733,450	(23,000)	-3.1%
Recycling Supplies		15,000				15,000	-	15,000	#DIV/0!
Trustee Fees	280,000					280,000	252,013	27,987	11.1%
<b>Total Other COPS Expense</b>	<b>20,869,000</b>	<b>6,673,642</b>	-	-	-	<b>27,542,642</b>	<b>26,028,115</b>	<b>1,514,527</b>	<b>5.8%</b>

## 2014 Appropriations Schedule

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	<i>Current Year Adopted Budget</i>						Total All Operations
	Water Pollution Control	Solid Waste Management	Operation #3	Operation #4	Operation #5	Operation #6	
<b>OPERATING APPROPRIATIONS</b>							
<i>Administration - Personnel</i>							
Salary & Wages	\$ 2,688,683	\$ 83,155					\$ 2,771,838
Fringe Benefits	2,269,059	70,178					2,339,237
Total Administration - Personnel	<u>4,957,742</u>	<u>153,333</u>	-	-	-	-	<u>5,111,075</u>
<i>Administration - Other (List)</i>							
Director's Office	24,250	750					25,000
Administrative	808,010	24,990					833,000
Information Technology	556,489	17,211					573,700
Finance Office	11,640	360					12,000
Miscellaneous Administration*							-
Total Administration - Other	<u>1,400,389</u>	<u>43,311</u>	-	-	-	-	<u>1,443,700</u>
Total Administration	<u>6,358,131</u>	<u>196,644</u>	-	-	-	-	<u>6,554,775</u>
<i>Cost of Providing Services - Personnel</i>							
Salary & Wages	12,842,460	532,171					13,374,631
Fringe Benefits	9,241,357	494,085					9,735,442
Total COPS - Personnel	<u>22,083,817</u>	<u>1,026,256</u>	-	-	-	-	<u>23,110,073</u>
<i>Cost of Providing Services - Other (List)</i>							
Other COPS Expense (See Sheet F-5a)	19,150,314	6,877,801					26,028,115
							-
							-
							-
Miscellaneous COPS*							-
Total COPS - Other	<u>19,150,314</u>	<u>6,877,801</u>	-	-	-	-	<u>26,028,115</u>
Total Cost of Providing Services	<u>41,234,131</u>	<u>7,904,057</u>	-	-	-	-	<u>49,138,188</u>
Total Principal Payments on Debt Service in Lieu of Depreciation	15,238,497	-	-	-	-	-	15,238,497
Total Operating Appropriations	<u>62,830,759</u>	<u>8,100,701</u>	-	-	-	-	<u>70,931,460</u>
<b>NON-OPERATING APPROPRIATIONS</b>							
Total Interest Payments on Debt	7,821,854	-	-	-	-	-	7,821,854
Operations & Maintenance Reserve							-
Renewal & Replacement Reserve							-
Municipality/County Appropriation							-
Other Reserves	100,000						100,000
Total Non-Operating Appropriations	<u>7,921,854</u>	-	-	-	-	-	<u>7,921,854</u>
<b>TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS</b>	<u>70,752,613</u>	<u>8,100,701</u>	-	-	-	-	<u>78,853,314</u>
<b>ACCUMULATED DEFICIT</b>							
<b>TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS &amp; ACCUMULATED DEFICIT</b>	<u>70,752,613</u>	<u>8,100,701</u>	-	-	-	-	<u>78,853,314</u>
<b>UNRESTRICTED NET POSITION UTILIZED</b>							
Municipality/County Appropriation	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other		1,380,751					1,380,751
Total Unrestricted Net Position Utilized	-	<u>1,380,751</u>	-	-	-	-	<u>1,380,751</u>
<b>TOTAL NET APPROPRIATIONS</b>	<u>\$ 70,752,613</u>	<u>\$ 6,719,950</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 77,472,563</u>

\* Miscellaneous line items may not exceed 5% of total operating appropriations shown below. If amount in miscellaneous is greater than the amount shown below, then the line item must be itemized above.

5% of Total Operating Appropriations    \$ 3,141,537.95    \$ 405,035.05    \$ -    \$ -    \$ -    \$ -    #####

## 2014 Appropriations Schedule - Other COPS Expense

Bergen County Utilities Authority  
 For the Period January 1, 2015 to December 31, 2015

	<i>Current Year Adopted Budget</i>						Total All Operations
	Water Pollution Control	Solid Waste Management	Operation #3	Operation #4	Operation #5	Operation #6	
<b>OPERATING APPROPRIATIONS</b>							
<i>Other COPS Expense</i>							
Engineering	2,038,000	170,500					2,208,500
Collection	775,000						775,000
Compliance	270,000						270,000
Facilities Cost	4,078,000						4,078,000
Direct Processing	1,617,000						1,617,000
Waste Disposal	6,152,000						6,152,000
Contract Maintenance	200,000						200,000
Replacement Parts	2,015,000						2,015,000
Supplies	757,000						757,000
Safety Programs	180,000						180,000
Insurance	816,301	92,351					908,652
Cooperative Marketing		5,881,500					5,881,500
Recycling Grants		733,450					733,450
Trustee Fees	252,013						252,013
<b>Total Other COPS Expense</b>	<b>19,150,314</b>	<b>6,877,801</b>	-	-	-	-	<b>25,776,102</b>

# 5 Year Debt Service Schedule - Principal

Bergen County Utilities Authority

*Fiscal Year Beginning in*

	Current Year (2014)	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	Thereafter	Total Principal Outstanding
<i>Water Pollution Control</i>									
Bonds (See Sheet F-6a)	\$ 8,585,000	\$ 8,925,000	\$ 9,345,000	\$ 9,865,000	\$ 10,365,000	\$ 10,855,000	\$ 11,295,000	\$ 69,335,000	\$ 129,985,000
Intergovernmental Loans (See Sheet F-6a)	6,653,497	7,022,475	7,020,490	7,080,607	7,165,949	7,234,296	7,328,288	45,708,074	88,560,179
<b>Total Principal</b>	<b>15,238,497</b>	<b>15,947,475</b>	<b>16,365,490</b>	<b>16,945,607</b>	<b>17,530,949</b>	<b>18,089,296</b>	<b>18,623,288</b>	<b>115,043,074</b>	<b>218,545,179</b>
<i>Solid Waste Management</i>									
Debt Issuance #1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Debt Issuance #2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Debt Issuance #3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Debt Issuance #4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total Principal</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Operation #3</i>									
Debt Issuance #1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Debt Issuance #2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Debt Issuance #3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Debt Issuance #4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total Principal</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Operation #4</i>									
Debt Issuance #1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Debt Issuance #2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Debt Issuance #3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Debt Issuance #4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total Principal</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Operation #5</i>									
Debt Issuance #1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Debt Issuance #2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Debt Issuance #3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Debt Issuance #4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total Principal</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Operation #6</i>									
Debt Issuance #1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Debt Issuance #2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Debt Issuance #3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Debt Issuance #4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total Principal</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>TOTAL PRINCIPAL ALL OPERATIONS</b>	<b>\$ 15,238,497</b>	<b>\$ 15,947,475</b>	<b>\$ 16,365,490</b>	<b>\$ 16,945,607</b>	<b>\$ 17,530,949</b>	<b>\$ 18,089,296</b>	<b>\$ 18,623,288</b>	<b>\$ 115,043,074</b>	<b>\$ 218,545,179</b>

Indicate the Authority's most recent bond rating and the year of the rating by ratings service.

<b>Moody's</b>	<b>Fitch</b>	<b>Standard &amp; Poors</b>
Aa3	Not Applicable	AA-
2014	Never	2014

## 5 Year Debt Service Schedule - Principal (Detail)

### Bergen County Utilities Authority

*Fiscal Year Beginning in*

	Current Year (2014)	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	Thereafter	Total Principal Outstanding
<i>Fiscal Year Beginning in</i>									
Water Pollution Control									
Authority Bonds									
2004 Series A	\$ 540,000								\$ -
2004 Series B	230,000								-
2006 Series A	420,000	440,000	455,000	475,000	495,000	515,000	535,000	21,125,000	24,040,000
2007 Series A				7,505,000	7,500,000	7,800,000	8,115,000	8,440,000	31,855,000
2007 Series B	4,640,000	5,090,000	5,390,000	5,505,000	5,695,000	5,850,000	6,000,000	6,150,000	17,985,000
2007 Series C	775,000	810,000	855,000	895,000	940,000	1,000,000	1,040,000	8,685,000	14,225,000
2008 Series	375,000	390,000	410,000	425,000	840,000	920,000	955,000	24,450,000	28,390,000
2011 Series	1,605,000	1,670,000	1,695,000					5,950,000	3,365,000
2014 Series								5,950,000	5,950,000
2014 Refunding		525,000	540,000	565,000	590,000	620,000	650,000	685,000	4,175,000
Total Principal - Bonds	8,585,000	8,925,000	9,345,000	9,865,000	10,365,000	10,855,000	11,295,000	69,335,000	129,985,000
Authority / Intergovernmental Loans									
2005 NJEIT	\$ 821,657	\$ 756,104	\$ 752,918	\$ 760,371	\$ 768,235	\$ 773,968	\$ 778,861	\$ 1,676,690	\$ 6,267,147
2006 NJEIT	4,244,341	4,293,425	4,276,000	4,306,550	4,344,077	4,392,440	4,437,006	26,380,205	52,429,503
2007 NJEIT	84,142	82,839	81,027	79,216	77,404	75,593	88,201	613,679	1,097,959
2008 NJEIT	1,324,200	1,340,950	1,356,388	1,370,513	1,397,076	1,408,138	1,430,063	8,858,348	17,161,476
2010A NJEIT	119,636	124,636	124,636	129,636	134,636	134,636	139,636	1,386,729	2,174,545
2012 NJEIT	59,521	59,521	59,521	59,521	64,521	64,521	64,521	697,423	1,069,549
2015 NJEIT - Proposed	365,000	365,000	370,000	375,000	380,000	385,000	390,000	6,095,000	8,360,000
Total Principal - Loans	6,653,497	7,022,475	7,020,490	7,080,607	7,165,949	7,234,296	7,328,288	45,708,074	88,560,179
Total Principal	15,238,497	15,947,475	16,365,490	16,945,607	17,530,949	18,089,296	18,623,288	115,043,074	218,545,179

Increased by:

- 2014 Budgeted Principal Payments
- 2004 Series A and B Amounts Refunded in 2014
- 2008 NJEIT Defeasance in 2014

Decreased by:

- 2014 Series Bond Principal
- 2015 NJEIT - Proposed Bond Principal
- Future Principal Due as of 12/31/2013 (1)

(1) - Agrees to December 31, 2013 Report of Audit.

# 5 Year Debt Service Schedule - Interest

## Bergen County Utilities Authority

Fiscal Year Beginning in

	Current Year (2014)	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	Thereafter	Total Interest Payments Outstanding
<i>Water Pollution Control</i>									
Bonds (See Sheet F-7a)	\$ 6,539,148	\$ 5,959,346	\$ 5,546,207	\$ 5,107,338	\$ 4,624,600	\$ 4,147,162	\$ 3,690,617	\$ 21,651,734	\$ 50,727,004
Intergovernmental Loans (See Sheet F-7a)	1,282,706	1,144,116	1,061,617	999,921	925,404	847,490	766,696	3,100,493	8,845,737
Debt Issuance #3									-
Debt Issuance #4									-
<b>Total Interest Payments</b>	<b>7,821,854</b>	<b>7,103,462</b>	<b>6,607,824</b>	<b>6,107,259</b>	<b>5,550,004</b>	<b>4,994,652</b>	<b>4,457,313</b>	<b>24,752,227</b>	<b>59,572,741</b>
<i>Solid Waste Management</i>									
Debt Issuance #1									-
Debt Issuance #2									-
Debt Issuance #3									-
Debt Issuance #4									-
<b>Total Interest Payments</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Operation #3</b>									
Debt Issuance #1									-
Debt Issuance #2									-
Debt Issuance #3									-
Debt Issuance #4									-
<b>Total Interest Payments</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Operation #4</b>									
Debt Issuance #1									-
Debt Issuance #2									-
Debt Issuance #3									-
Debt Issuance #4									-
<b>Total Interest Payments</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Operation #5</b>									
Debt Issuance #1									-
Debt Issuance #2									-
Debt Issuance #3									-
Debt Issuance #4									-
<b>Total Interest Payments</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Operation #6</b>									
Debt Issuance #1									-
Debt Issuance #2									-
Debt Issuance #3									-
Debt Issuance #4									-
<b>Total Interest Payments</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>TOTAL INTEREST ALL OPERATIONS</b>	<b>\$ 7,821,854</b>	<b>\$ 7,103,462</b>	<b>\$ 6,607,824</b>	<b>\$ 6,107,259</b>	<b>\$ 5,550,004</b>	<b>\$ 4,994,652</b>	<b>\$ 4,457,313</b>	<b>\$ 24,752,227</b>	<b>\$ 59,572,741</b>

## 5 Year Debt Service Schedule - Interest (Detail)

Bergen County Utilities Authority

	Fiscal Year Beginning in						Thereafter	Total Interest Payments Outstanding
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020		
<b>Water Pollution Control Authority Bonds</b>							\$	
2004 Series A	205,639							-
2004 Series B	13,225							-
2006 Series A	1,192,898	1,158,058	1,139,289	1,119,339	1,098,301	1,076,156	7,119,500	13,886,741
2007 Series A	1,314,200	1,314,200	1,314,200	1,314,200	974,200	662,200	337,600	7,230,800
2007 Series B	1,131,250	899,250	375,250					1,919,250
2007 Series C	688,161	651,662	611,161	568,411	476,661	426,661	1,568,616	4,826,833
2008 Series	1,311,025	1,298,836	1,281,288	1,262,838	1,202,750	1,161,350	11,372,518	18,822,230
2011 Series	182,750	67,800						202,400
2013 Proposed	500,000							-
2014 Series	297,500	297,500	297,500	297,500	297,500	297,500	1,219,250	3,004,250
2014 Refunding	187,200	171,450	149,850	127,250	97,750	66,750	34,250	834,500
<b>Total Interest - Bonds</b>	<b>6,539,148</b>	<b>5,546,207</b>	<b>5,107,338</b>	<b>4,624,600</b>	<b>4,147,162</b>	<b>3,690,617</b>	<b>21,651,734</b>	<b>50,727,004</b>
<b>Authority Intergovernmental Loans</b>								
2005 NJEIT	134,125	72,917	62,843	56,903	50,705	44,262	115,639	470,590
2006 NJEIT	754,606	544,243	511,775	468,948	424,482	378,181	1,193,741	4,118,614
2007 NJEIT	15,408	13,688	12,688	10,688	9,888	9,888	36,113	109,441
2008 NJEIT	316,625	265,125	234,875	218,625	201,375	182,475	640,375	1,993,225
2010A NJEIT	49,626	47,126	44,375	38,625	35,375	32,775	156,950	396,851
2012 NJEIT	12,316	12,016	11,615	10,615	9,865	9,115	47,675	112,016
2015 NJEIT - Proposed	1,282,706	1,144,116	999,921	925,404	847,490	766,696	3,100,493	8,845,737
<b>Total Interest - Loans</b>	<b>7,821,854</b>	<b>6,607,824</b>	<b>6,107,259</b>	<b>5,550,004</b>	<b>4,994,652</b>	<b>4,457,313</b>	<b>24,752,227</b>	<b>59,572,741</b>

Increased by:

2014 Budgeted Interest Payments	7,821,854
2004 Series A and B Amounts Refunded in 2014	743,030
2005 NJEIT Unamortized Gain on Refunding	335,554
2006 NJEIT Unamortized Gain on Refunding	779,772
2008 NJEIT Defeasance Subsequent to 12/31/2013	516,000

Decreased by:

2013 Proposed Bonds Not Issued	(500,000)
2014 Series Bond Interest	(3,838,750)
2015 NJEIT - Proposed Bond Interest	(1,645,000)

Future Interest Due as of 12/31/2013 (1)

\$ 63,785,201

(1) - Agrees to December 31, 2013 Report of Audit.

# 2015 Net Position Reconciliation

Bergen County Utilities Authority

For the Period January 1, 2015 to December 31, 2015

## Proposed Budget

	Water Pollution Control	Solid Waste Management	Operation #3	Operation #4	Operation #5	Operation #6	Total All Operations
<b>TOTAL NET POSITION BEGINNING OF CURRENT YEAR (1)</b>	\$ 57,538,358	\$ 5,888,186					\$ 63,426,544
Less: Invested in Capital Assets, Net of Related Debt (1)	35,055,095						35,055,095
Less: Restricted for Debt Service Reserve (1)	2,997,431						2,997,431
Less: Other Restricted Net Position (1)	19,485,832	3,900,817					23,386,649
<b>Total Unrestricted Net Position (1)</b>	-	1,987,369					1,987,369
Less: Designated for Non-Operating Improvements & Repairs							-
Less: Designated for Rate Stabilization							-
Less: Other Designated by Resolution							-
Plus: Accrued Unfunded Pension Liability (1)							-
Plus: Accrued Unfunded Other Post-Employment Benefit Liability (1)	11,350,000	340,000					11,690,000
Plus: Estimated Income (Loss) on Current Year Operations (2)	(227,000)	(950,000)					(1,177,000)
Plus: Other Adjustments (attach schedule)	(8,434,112)	-					(8,434,112)
<b>UNRESTRICTED NET POSITION AVAILABLE FOR USE IN PROPOSED BUDGET</b>	2,688,888	1,377,369					4,066,257
Unrestricted Net Position Utilized to Balance Proposed Budget	-	1,368,230					1,368,230
Unrestricted Net Position Utilized in Proposed Capital Budget	-	-					-
Appropriation to Municipality/County (3)	-	-					-
<b>Total Unrestricted Net Position Utilized in Proposed Budget</b>	-	1,368,230					1,368,230
<b>PROJECTED UNRESTRICTED UNDESIGNATED NET POSITION AT END OF YEAR</b>	\$ 2,688,888	\$ 9,139	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 2,698,027

(1) Total of all operations for this line item must agree to audited financial statements.

(2) Include budgeted and unbudgeted use of unrestricted net position in the current year's operations.

(3) Amount may not exceed 5% of total operating appropriations. See calculation below.

Maximum Allowable Appropriation to Municipality/County \$ 3,276,228 \$ 396,449 \$ - \$ - \$ - \$ - \$ 3,672,677  
 (4) If Authority is projecting a deficit for any operation at the end of the budget period, the Authority must attach a statement explaining its plan to reduce the deficit, including the timeline for elimination of the deficit, if not already detailed in the budget narrative section.

## 2015 Net Position Reconciliation - Other Adjustments

Bergen County Utilities Authority  
 For the Period January 1, 2015 to December 31, 2015

	<i>Proposed Budget</i>						Total All Operations
	Water Pollution Control	Solid Waste Management	Operation #3	Operation #4	Operation #5	Operation #6	
<b>Other Adjustments</b>							\$ -
Operating Reserve - 12/31/2013 (per 2013 Audit)	3,461,361						3,461,361
Estimated Operating Reserve - 12/31/2014	(4,136,572)						(4,136,572)
Estimated Inventory - 12/31/2014	(3,155,901)						(3,155,901)
Estimated Change in Restricted for Renewal & Replacement Reserves	(4,000,000)						(4,000,000)
Estimated Change in Restricted for Net Investment in Capital Assets	(603,000)						(603,000)
	\$ (8,434,112)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ (8,434,112)

2015

BERGEN COUNTY UTILITIES AUTHORITY

AUTHORITY  
CAPITAL  
BUDGET/  
PROGRAM

# 2015 CERTIFICATION OF AUTHORITY CAPITAL BUDGET/PROGRAM

## BERGEN COUNTY UTILITIES AUTHORITY

FISCAL YEAR: FROM: January 1, 2015 TO: December 31, 2015

It is hereby certified that the Authority Capital Budget/Program annexed hereto is a true copy of the Capital Budget/Program approved, pursuant to N.J.A.C. 5:31-2.2, along with the Annual Budget, by the governing body of the Bergen County Utilities Authority, on the 23rd day of October, 2014.

OR

It is hereby certified that the governing body of the \_\_\_\_\_ Authority have elected NOT to adopt a Capital Budget /Program for the aforesaid fiscal year, pursuant to N.J.A.C. 5:31-2.2 for the following reason(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Secretary's Signature:			
Name:	Richard D. Wierer		
Title:	Acting Authority Secretary		
Address:	Foot of Mehrhof Road Little Ferry, NJ 07643		
Phone Number:	201-807-5818	Fax Number:	201-641-7915
E-mail address	<a href="mailto:rwierer@bcua.org">rwierer@bcua.org</a>		

# 2015 CAPITAL BUDGET/PROGRAM MESSAGE

## Bergen County Utilities Authority

FISCAL YEAR: FROM: January 1, 2015 TO: December 31, 2015

1. Has each municipality or county affected by the actions of the authority participated in the development of the capital plan and reviewed or approved the plans or projects included within the Capital Budget/Program?

Yes

2. Has each capital project/project financing been developed from a specific capital improvement plan or report; does it include full lifecycle costs; and is it consistent with appropriate elements of Master Plans or other plans in the jurisdiction(s) served by the authority?

Yes

3. Has a long-term (10-20 years) infrastructure needs assessment or other capital plan with a horizon beyond six years been prepared?

No, a short term plan for the next five years has been developed.

4. Describe the projected impact of the proposed capital projects, including impact on the schedule of rates, fees, and service charges and the impact on current and future year's schedules.

The proposed 2015 budget includes approximately \$23,051,000 for debt service related to capital projects, an increase of approximately \$234,000 from 2014 actual project related debt service. No increase in service charges is required to fund capital projects.

5. Please indicate which capital projects/project financings are being undertaken in the Metropolitan or Suburban Planning Areas as defined in the State Development and Redevelopment Plan.

Not applicable

6. Please indicate which capital projects/project financings are being undertaken within the boundary of a State Planning Commission-designated Center and/or Endorsed Plan and if the project was included in the Plan Implementation Agenda for that Center/Endorsed Plan.

Not applicable

*Add additional sheets if necessary.*

## 2015 Proposed Capital Budget

### Bergen County Utilities Authority

For the Period January 1, 2015 to December 31, 2015

	Estimated Total Cost	Funding Sources			
		Unrestricted Net Position Utilized	Renewal & Replacement Reserve	Debt Authorization	Capital Grants Other Sources
<i>Water Pollution Control</i>					
See Attached Schedule	\$ 10,600,000	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 10,600,000	\$ -
Project B Description	-				
Project C Description	-				
Project D Description	-				
Total	10,600,000	-	-	10,600,000	-
<i>Solid Waste Management</i>					
Project A Description	-				
Project B Description	-				
Project C Description	-				
Project D Description	-				
Total	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Operation #3</i>					
Project A Description	-				
Project B Description	-				
Project C Description	-				
Project D Description	-				
Total	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Operation #4</i>					
Project A Description	-				
Project B Description	-				
Project C Description	-				
Project D Description	-				
Total	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Operation #5</i>					
Project A Description	-				
Project B Description	-				
Project C Description	-				
Project D Description	-				
Total	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Operation #6</i>					
Project A Description	-				
Project B Description	-				
Project C Description	-				
Project D Description	-				
Total	-	-	-	-	-
<b>TOTAL PROPOSED CAPITAL BUDGET</b>	<b>\$ 10,600,000</b>	<b>\$ -</b>	<b>\$ -</b>	<b>\$ 10,600,000</b>	<b>\$ -</b>

Enter brief description of up to four projects for each operation above. For operations with more than four budgeted projects, please attach additional schedules. Input total amount of all projects for the operation on single line and enter "See Attached Schedule" instead of project description.

## 2015 Proposed Capital Budget - Detail

Bergen County Utilities Authority  
For the Period January 1, 2015 to December 31, 2015

	Estimated Total Cost	<i>Funding Sources</i>				
		Unrestricted Net Position Utilized	Renewal & Replacement Reserve	Debt Authorization	Capital Grants	Other Sources
<i>Water Pollution Control</i>						
Hackensack River Anti-degradation Sampling and Modeling Program	\$ 800,000			\$ 800,000		
Little Ferry/Edgewater WPCF Wastewater Management Plan	500,000			500,000		
Equipment Replacement at Little Ferry WPCF	500,000			500,000		
I&I Reduction/SSO Elimination	1,000,000			1,000,000		
Anaerobic Sludge Digester Improvements	-					
Expansion of CHP Cogeneration System and Heat Exchangers Upgrade	4,600,000			4,600,000		
Edgewater Pump Station and Force Main	2,000,000			2,000,000		
Phase III Buried Infrastructure Assessment and Rehab Plan	1,200,000			1,200,000		
<b>Total</b>	<b>10,600,000</b>	-	-	<b>10,600,000</b>	-	-

## 5 Year Capital Improvement Plan

Bergen County Utilities Authority  
For the Period January 1, 2015 to December 31, 2015

*Fiscal Year Beginning in*

	Estimated Total Cost	Current Year Proposed Budget	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
<i>Water Pollution Control</i>							
See Attached Schedule	\$ 80,350,000	\$ 10,600,000	\$ 11,400,000	\$ 14,650,000	\$ 22,350,000	\$ 17,350,000	\$ 4,000,000
Project B Description	-	-					
Project C Description	-	-					
Project D Description	-	-					
Total	<u>80,350,000</u>	<u>10,600,000</u>	<u>11,400,000</u>	<u>14,650,000</u>	<u>22,350,000</u>	<u>17,350,000</u>	<u>4,000,000</u>
<i>Solid Waste Management</i>							
Project A Description	-	-					
Project B Description	-	-					
Project C Description	-	-					
Project D Description	-	-					
Total	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
<i>Operation #3</i>							
Project A Description	-	-					
Project B Description	-	-					
Project C Description	-	-					
Project D Description	-	-					
Total	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
<i>Operation #4</i>							
Project A Description	-	-					
Project B Description	-	-					
Project C Description	-	-					
Project D Description	-	-					
Total	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
<i>Operation #5</i>							
Project A Description	-	-					
Project B Description	-	-					
Project C Description	-	-					
Project D Description	-	-					
Total	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
<i>Operation #6</i>							
Project A Description	-	-					
Project B Description	-	-					
Project C Description	-	-					
Project D Description	-	-					
Total	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<u>\$ 80,350,000</u>	<u>\$ 10,600,000</u>	<u>\$ 11,400,000</u>	<u>\$ 14,650,000</u>	<u>\$ 22,350,000</u>	<u>\$ 17,350,000</u>	<u>\$ 4,000,000</u>

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## 5 Year Capital Improvement Plan - Detail

Bergen County Utilities Authority  
For the Period January 1, 2015 to December 31, 2015

*Fiscal Year Beginning in*

	Estimated Total Cost	Current Year					
		Proposed Budget	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
<i>Water Pollution Control</i>							
Hackensack River Anti-degradation Sampling and Modeling Program	\$ 1,000,000	\$ 800,000	\$ 200,000				
Little Ferry/Edgewater WPCF Wastewater Management Plan	1,000,000	500,000	500,000				
Equipment Replacement at Little Ferry WPCF	2,000,000	500,000	500,000	250,000	250,000	250,000	250,000
I&I Reduction/SSO Elimination	31,200,000	1,000,000	1,000,000	7,000,000	11,100,000	11,100,000	
Anaerobic Sludge Digester Improvements	13,750,000	-			4,000,000	6,000,000	3,750,000
Expansion of CHP Cogeneration System and Heat Exchangers Upgrade	4,600,000	4,600,000					
Edgewater Pump Station and Force Main	24,000,000	2,000,000	8,000,000	7,000,000	7,000,000		
Phase III Buried Infrastructure Assessment and Rehab Plan	2,800,000	1,200,000	1,200,000	400,000			
<b>Total</b>	<b>80,350,000</b>	<b>10,600,000</b>	<b>11,400,000</b>	<b>14,650,000</b>	<b>22,350,000</b>	<b>17,350,000</b>	<b>4,000,000</b>

## 5 Year Capital Improvement Plan Funding Sources

### Bergen County Utilities Authority

For the Period January 1, 2015 to December 31, 2015

	Estimated Total Cost	<i>Funding Sources</i>			
		Unrestricted Net Position Utilized	Renewal & Replacement Reserve	Debt Authorization	Capital Grants Other Sources
<i>Water Pollution Control</i>					
See Attached Schedule	\$ 80,350,000	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 80,350,000	\$ -
Project B Description	-				
Project C Description	-				
Project D Description	-				
Total	80,350,000	-	-	80,350,000	-
<i>Solid Waste Management</i>					
Project A Description	-				
Project B Description	-				
Project C Description	-				
Project D Description	-				
Total	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Operation #3</i>					
Project A Description	-				
Project B Description	-				
Project C Description	-				
Project D Description	-				
Total	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Operation #4</i>					
Project A Description	-				
Project B Description	-				
Project C Description	-				
Project D Description	-				
Total	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Operation #5</i>					
Project A Description	-				
Project B Description	-				
Project C Description	-				
Project D Description	-				
Total	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Operation #6</i>					
Project A Description	-				
Project B Description	-				
Project C Description	-				
Project D Description	-				
Total	-	-	-	-	-
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 80,350,000</b>	<b>\$ -</b>	<b>\$ -</b>	<b>\$ 80,350,000</b>	<b>\$ -</b>
Total 5 Year Plan per CB-4	\$ 80,350,000				
Balance check		- If amount is other than zero, verify that projects listed above match projects listed on CB-4.			

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## 5 Year Capital Improvement Plan Funding Sources - Detail

Bergen County Utilities Authority  
For the Period January 1, 2015 to December 31, 2015

	Estimated Total Cost	<i>Funding Sources</i>			
		Unrestricted Net Position Utilized	Renewal & Replacement Reserve	Debt Authorization	Capital Grants Other Sources
<i>Water Pollution Control</i>					
Hackensack River Anti-degradation Sampling and Modeling Program	\$ 1,000,000			\$ 1,000,000	
Little Ferry/Edgewater WPCF Wastewater Management Plan	1,000,000			1,000,000	
Equipment Replacement at Little Ferry WPCF	1,750,000			1,750,000	
I&I Reduction/SSO Elimination	31,200,000			31,200,000	
Anaerobic Sludge Digester Improvements	14,000,000			14,000,000	
Expansion of CHP Cogeneration System and Heat Exchangers Upgrade	4,600,000			4,600,000	
Edgewater Pump Station and Force Main	24,000,000			24,000,000	
Phase III Buried Infrastructure Assessment and Rehab Plan	2,800,000			2,800,000	
<b>Total</b>	<b>80,350,000</b>	-	-	<b>80,350,000</b>	-

**APPENDIX A**

2013  
THE BERGEN COUNTY UTILITIES AUTHORITY

**General**

The Authority is the successor agency to The Bergen County Sewer Authority. By resolution of the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Bergen adopted March 1, 1978, The Bergen County Sewer Authority was reorganized as a county utilities authority pursuant to and in accordance with the Act as a public body corporate and politic under the name of the "The Bergen County Utilities Authority".

The powers of the Authority are vested in the Members thereof in office from time to time. A majority of the entire authorized membership of the Authority shall constitute a quorum at any meeting thereof. Action may be taken and motions and resolutions adopted by the Authority at any duly authorized meeting of the Members thereof by a vote of a majority of the Members present.

The Authority is comprised of nine (9) sitting Members, known as Commissioners.

The sewerage service district of the Authority (the "District") currently comprises the forty-seven (47) municipalities identified under the heading "Participants" in the subsection entitled "Annual Charges 2009-2013 - Participants and Customers" in the section below entitled "The Water Pollution Control System". The remaining twenty-three (23) municipalities in Bergen County are either sewered by other utility or sewerage authorities or are unsewered.

On April 21, 1995, P.L. 1995, c.913 (N.J.S.A. 40:14B-14(b-d) *et seq.*) became effective. This law permits, in a county operating under the county executive form of government, the county executive to veto any action taken by a county utilities authority or any member thereof at a meeting, by returning to the authority and to the board of freeholders the copy of the minutes which the county executive receives from the authority with a veto of the action and a written explanation of the reasons for the veto. The board of freeholders may override the veto by a majority vote of its full membership within ten (10) days of the board's receipt of the veto. Pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40:14B-14(c), "[n]o resolution or other action of the authority providing for the issuance or refunding of bonds or other financial obligations shall be adopted or otherwise made effective by the authority without the prior approval in writing of the county executive. This power shall be exercised with due regard for the rights of the holders of bonds of the authority at any time outstanding, and nothing in, or done pursuant to, this subsection shall in any way limit, restrict or alter the obligation or powers of the authority or any representative or officer of the authority to carry out and perform in every detail each and every covenant, agreement or contract at any time made or entered into by or on behalf of the authority with respect to its bonds or for the benefit, protection or security of the holders thereof".

N.J.S.A. 40:14B-14(b) further specifically provides that the veto powers conferred upon the county executive pursuant to this statute do not affect in any way the covenants contained in the bond indentures of an authority, any collective bargaining agreement or binding arbitration decisions affecting authority employees. The powers granted the county executive in N.J.S.A.

40:12B-13(C) are to be exercised with due regard for the rights of the holders of bonds of the authority at any time outstanding, and nothing in, or done pursuant to, this subsection shall in any way limit, restrict or alter the obligation or powers of the authority or any representative or officer of the authority to carry out and perform in very detail each and every covenant, agreement or contract at any time made or entered into by or on behalf of the authority with respect to its bonds or for the benefit, protection or security of the holders thereof.

### **Purposes and Powers**

The Authority exists and operates under and pursuant to the Act. The Authority is a public body politic and corporate, constituting a political subdivision of the State established as an instrumentality exercising public and essential governmental functions to provide for the public health and welfare, having perpetual succession and certain enumerated powers.

The Act defines a municipal authority to include a county utilities authority (N.J.S.A. 40:14B-3(5)). The purposes of the Authority include, but are not limited to, the relief of waters in or bordering the State from pollution arising from causes within the district and the relief of waters in, bordering or entering the district from pollution or threatened pollution, and the consequent improvement of conditions affecting the public health, the provision of sewage collection and disposal service within or without the district, and the provision of solid waste services and facilities within or without the district in a manner consistent with the Solid Waste Management Act, P.L. 1970, c. 39 (N.J.S.A. 13:1E-1 *et seq.*) and in conformance with the solid waste management plans adopted by the solid waste management districts created therein. N.J.S.A. 40:14B-19(a).

The Authority possesses certain enumerated powers (N.J.S.A. 40:14B-20), including, but not limited to, the following: to adopt and have a common seal; to sue and be sued; in the name of the authority and on its behalf, to acquire, hold, use and dispose of its service charges and other revenues and other moneys; in the name of the authority but for the local unit or units, to acquire, rent, hold, lease as lessor, use and dispose of other personal property for the purposes of the authority; in the name of the authority but for the local unit or units, and subject to the limitations of the Act, to acquire, by purchase, gift or condemnation or otherwise, or lease as lessee, real property and easements therein, necessary or useful and convenient for the purposes of the authority; to provide and secure the payment of any bonds and the rights of the holders thereof, and to purchase, hold and dispose of any bonds; to make and enforce by-laws or rules and regulations for the management and regulation of its business and affairs and for the use, maintenance and operation of the utility system and any other of its properties and to amend same; to do and perform any acts and things authorized by the Act, under, through or by means of its own officers, agents and employees, or by contracts with any person; to enter into any and all contracts, execute any and all instruments and do and perform any and all acts or things necessary, convenient or desirable for the purposes of the authority or to carry out any power expressly given in the Act subject to the "Local Public Contracts Law" (N.J.S.A. 40A:11-1 *et seq.*); to extend credit or make loans to any person for the planning, designing, acquiring, construction, reconstructing, improving, equipping, furnishing and operating by that person of any part of a solid waste system, sewage treatment system, wastewater treatment or collection system for the provision of services and facilities within or without the district, which in the case

of a solid waste system shall be in a manner consistent with the "Solid Waste Management Act", P.L. 1970, c. 39 (N.J.S.A. 13:1E-1 *et seq.*) and in conformance with the solid waste management plans adopted by the solid waste management districts created therein. The credits or loans may be secured by loan and security agreements, mortgages, leases and any other instruments, upon such terms as the authority shall deem reasonable, including provision for the establishment and maintenance of reserve and insurance funds, and to require the inclusion in any mortgage, lease, contract, loan and security agreement or other instrument, provisions for the construction, use, operation and maintenance, and financing of that part of the aforementioned systems as the authority may deem necessary or desirable. N.J.S.A. 40:14B-20.

The Authority is authorized to charge and collect rents, rates, fees and other charges (in the Act sometimes referred to as "sewerage service charges") for direct or indirect connection with, or the use or services of, the sewerage system. N.J.S.A. 40:14B-22.

Such sewerage service charges may be charged to and collected from any person contracting for such connection or use or services or from the owner or occupant, or both of them, of any real property which directly or indirectly is or has been connected with the sewerage system or from or on which originates or has originated sewage or other wastes which directly or indirectly have entered or may enter the sewerage system, and the owner of any such real property shall be liable for and shall pay such sewerage service charges to the authority at the time when and place where such sewerage service charges are due and payable. N.J.S.A. 40:14B-22.

In addition to any such sewerage service charges, a separate charge in the nature of a connection fee or tapping fee, in respect of each connection of any property with the sewerage system, may be imposed upon the owner or occupant of the property so connected. Such connection charges shall be uniform within each class of users, and the amount thereof shall not exceed the actual cost of the physical connection, if made by the authority, plus an amount computed in accordance with the provisions of N.J.S.A. 40:14B-22.

Every authority shall prescribe and from time to time, when necessary, revise a schedule of all of its service charges, which may provide for a single rate, fee or charge for any of its utility charges and which shall comply with the terms of any contract of the authority and may be such that the revenues of the authority will at all times be adequate to pay the expenses of operation and maintenance of the utility system, including reserves, insurance, extensions and replacements, and to pay the principal of and interest on any bonds and to maintain such reserves or sinking funds therefor as may be required by the terms of any contract of the authority or as may be deemed necessary or desirable by the authority. N.J.S.A. 40:14B-23.

### **Professional Staff of the Authority**

**Robert E. Laux, Esq.**, is the Authority's Executive Director. Prior to his appointment in December of 2010, Mr. Laux served as County Counsel to the County of Bergen.

**Wallace P. Nowosielecki, CPA**, is the Authority's Treasurer and Chief Financial Officer, a position he has held since 1998. Prior to this position, Mr. Nowosielecki had served as the Authority's Acting Chief Financial Officer from 1996 to 1998 and Chief of Finance and Accounts from 1986 to 1996. Prior to that, he was the Acting Treasurer of the County of Bergen. Mr. Nowosielecki was awarded a Bachelor of Science degree from Seton Hall University. Mr. Nowosielecki holds a license from the State of New Jersey as a Certified Public Accountant.

**Eric Andersen, P.E.**, is the Authority's Chief Engineer. Mr. Andersen has over twenty (20) years of operations and maintenance, engineering, construction and regulatory experience in the field of water pollution control and holds a Bachelor of Science Degree in mechanical engineering from Newark College of Engineering/NJIT. Mr. Andersen has been with the Authority since 1990 and was appointed to his current position in 2002. He holds a license from the State of New Jersey as a professional engineer and planner; the State of New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection as a wastewater collection system operator; the State of New Jersey Department of Community Affairs as a construction and building subcode official; as well as a building and mechanical inspector. He is also a member of the Water Environment Federation and the American Society of Civil Engineers.

## **THE WATER POLLUTION CONTROL SYSTEM**

The Water Pollution Control System measures, intercepts, conveys, treats and disposes of the sewage collected by the respective collection systems of the Participants or delivered by Customers. In addition to Participants and Customers, a number of commercial establishments which are not parties to a contract with the Authority are connected directly to the Maywood extension of the Water Pollution Control System and are charged by the Authority for the use of the facilities. The financing and maintenance of the individual collection systems of the Participants are the responsibility of the respective Participants.

### **Description of Water Pollution Control System**

The Water Pollution Control System services all or part of forty-seven (47) municipalities, two (2) sewerage authorities as well as twenty (20) commercial and industrial users. The Authority owns and operates the Little Ferry Water Pollution Control Facility (Little Ferry WPCF) and the Edgewater WPCF which treat the wastewater collected in their sewer service areas.

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## **Little Ferry Water Pollution Control Facility**

Approximately 1,550 miles of sanitary sewers and 90 miles of interceptor sewers carry wastewater flows to the Authority's Little Ferry WPCF located in Little Ferry, New Jersey. A small portion of the conveyance system consists of combined sewers (*e.g.*, sanitary and storm water is combined), specifically in Fort Lee, Hackensack and Ridgefield Park. Sewage measurement is recorded through 166 operating meter chambers dispersed throughout the Water Pollution Control System and monitored weekly.

The Authority's Little Ferry WPCF provides secondary treatment of the wastewater including screening, grit removal, primary settling, activated sludge stabilization, secondary settling and chlorination/dechlorination. The treated effluent is disinfected prior to discharged into the Hackensack River through four outfalls. The remaining liquid sludge is transported to the Passaic Valley Sewerage Commissioners ("PVSC") wastewater treatment plant in Newark, New Jersey for processing and beneficial use in accordance with an Inter-district Agreement between the two utilities. The PVSC processes the sludge to produce a product which satisfies the United States Environmental Protection Agency ("USEPA") and the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection ("NJDEP") requirements for Class A pathogen and vector reduction requirements.

The Authority has, in the past, increased its plant capacity, based on an annual average flow, in stages, matching the increasing needs of its service area. The plant started operating in 1951, with an average annual flow capacity of 20 million gallons per day ("MGD"). This was expanded to 50 MGD in 1960 and to 62.5 MGD in 1976. In 1983, the plant was expanded to 75 MGD. Its current flow capacity for capacity assurance program purposes is 94 MGD. The Authority, however, completed the phased construction of the expansion of the plant to a maximum month flow of 109 MGD in November 1997, including construction of four final settling tanks, four (4) primary settling tanks, three (3) aeration tanks, a fifth digester and a fourth grit collector.

The NJDEP has stated that the Treatment Works Approval ("TWA") issued to the Authority on May 19, 1993, stipulates that the permitted flow remains limited to 94 MGD until such time as the Northeast New Jersey Water Quality Management Plan, the New Jersey Pollution Discharge Elimination System ("NJPDES") Discharge Permit (described below) and a TWA permit are issued for increased flow. In 2003, the NJDEP notified the Authority that an update of the Authority Wastewater Management Plan ("WMP") was required prior to a NJPDES permit modification and a TWA application. In 2003, the Authority's consulting engineer was retained by the Authority to prepare an updated WMP and application for a TWA permit to obtain an increase in permitted flow. As part of the update of the WMP for increased permitted discharge flows and loads, point source analyses are required. The draft updated WMP was submitted to the NJDEP in November 2004. The Authority received comments from the NJDEP on the updated WMP in August 2005 and March 2006. NJDEP requested the updated WMP to be revised and resubmitted with existing permit conditions (without a request for increased permitted flows and loads). In April 2007, NJDEP requested that the WMP reflect the Authority's commitment to Inflow & Infiltration (I/I) reduction. In October 2007, the

NJDEP requested a first year I/I plan of action outline to be followed by a first five year I/I plan. Subsequently, the Authority submitted a first year I/I plan to the NJDEP in November 2007 and has developed a twenty-five year plan. The updated Authority WMP was adopted by the NJDEP on June 19, 2008. In July 2010, the Authority submitted an amendment to the Authority WMP to include the sewer service area of the Edgewater WPCF. The amended WMP was adopted by the NJDEP on May 9, 2011.

The Authority currently operates under a NJPDES Permit to discharge effluent to the Hackensack River from the Authority's Little Ferry WPCF. The NJPDES Permit lists allowable maximum concentrations and monitoring requirements. The Permit is renewed every five (5) years, at which time additional conditions are attached, prescribing standards, the attainment of which require future study. The Permit also imposes modified reporting requirements and merges therein certain terms and conditions previously contained in a 1991 administrative consent order, as modified (the "ACO"), relating to, *inter alia*, the elimination of emergency overflow discharge points located throughout the sewage collection system and the conduct of studies and potential future remedial action concerning surface and storm water inflow and infiltration into the sewage collection system.

On or about August 16, 2002, the NJDEP, Division of Water Quality issued the most recent NJPDES Permit No. NJ 0020028 (the "Permit") to the Authority. The Permit contains an effective date of October 1, 2002 and an expiration date of September 30, 2007. In March 2007, the Authority submitted an application for renewal of the NJPDES Permit. The existing NJPDES Permit remains in effect until the permit is renewed by the NJDEP. Effective April 1, 2005, a permit action was issued to increase the discharge loading limits for 5-day carbonaceous biochemical oxygen demand (cBOD<sub>5</sub>) and total suspended solids (TSS) for the winter months of November through April based on a flow with secondary treatment of 84.28 mgd. The modified Permit also maintains the Authority's WPCF's seasonal loading allocation of cBOD<sub>5</sub> and TSS based on a flow with secondary treatment of 75 MGD, calculated on a monthly basis for the summer months of May through October. In addition, a final permit action was issued to the Authority, with an effective date of April 1, 2006, requiring an evaluation the plant capacity and development of an economic and performance analysis study of the plant demonstrating relationships among a set of Combined Sewer Overflow (CSO) control alternatives.

The Permit contains, *inter alia*, effluent limitations for nickel, cyanide and silver that became effective on October 1, 2002. The Permit includes deadlines for annual progress reports that outline the progress towards compliance with these new effluent limitations. Other new submittals required during the term of the Permit include an operation and maintenance manual, ammonia toxicity study, documentation for the Water Pollution Control System is operated such that all wet weather events the Water Pollution Control System receives and treats all wet weather flowing up to the capacity of the treatment plant, and beneficial use annual report.

On or about September 18, 2002 the Authority forwarded for filing with the NJDEP its Request for Adjudicatory Hearing and Stay as to Certain Permit Conditions. On December 30, 2003, the NJDEP completed its review and granted the Authority's Request for an adjudicatory hearing. On March 17, 2004, the NJDEP granted a stay on permit conditions for several permit

parameters. The case was filed in the New Jersey Office of Administrative Law and assigned a docket number (EWR-01006-2004N).

The Authority and NJDEP signed a Stipulation of Partial Settlement in January 2008, inclusive of the workplans (Attachments A, B, C and D) to perform point source (anti-degradation) analyses and model revalidation, lower Hackensack River water quality sampling and an effluent dilution study Attachment D. Attachment D and part of Attachment C were implemented in 2008. However, as stated in the Stipulation of Partial Settlement, the workplans and their implementation may be impacted by the existing United States Environmental Protection Agency's (USEPA's) New York/ New Jersey Harbor Estuary Program development of a Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL) for Nutrients. The TMDL, once adopted, will be used by the NJDEP to develop new NJPDES permit limits for the dischargers to the harbor. The Authority negotiated with the NJDEP to develop the TMDL for Nutrients for the Lower Hackensack River as part of a Phase 2 TMDL development proposed by the NJDEP and USEPA. The USEPA HEP program will continue to establish the TMDL for Nutrients for the NY/NJ Harbor (including the lower Hackensack River) as Phase 1. However, the Authority Little Ferry WPCF will not be required to meet any future treatment improvement requirements based on an adopted Phase 1 TMDL by the NJDEP/USEPA during the Authority Phase 2 TMDL development and upon a future Phase 2 adoption by the NJDEP/USEPA. Subsequently, the Authority has developed and the NJDEP/USEPA approved the Authority Phase 2 Nutrient TMDL Study Sampling and Monitoring Workplan (dated March 2010, revised July 2010 and amended August 2010, September 2011 and July 2012 and the Modeling Workplan (dated March 2010). These workplans superceded Attachment B and part of Attachment C of the Stipulation of Partial Settlement. The Sampling and Monitoring Workplan was implemented in 2010, 2011 and 2012. The Authority's Special Consulting Engineer prepared and submitted the Sampling and Monitoring technical report to the NJDEP in October 2013. The modeling subcontractor is implementing the Modeling Workplan.

### **Edgewater Water Pollution Control Facility**

The Authority purchased the Edgewater Municipal Utilities Authority's (Edgewater) Wastewater Treatment Plant located in Edgewater, New Jersey. The Edgewater WPCF (as it is referred to by the Authority) operates under NJPDES Permit No. NJ0020591, which allows for secondary treatment of a permitted monthly capacity of 6.0 MGD with a hydraulic capacity of 12.15 MGD. The Edgewater WPCF provides secondary treatment of the wastewater including screening, grit removal, pure oxygen activated sludge stabilization, secondary settling and chlorination/dechlorination. The treated effluent is then discharged through an outfall into the Hudson River. During periods of extreme wet weather, when as a result of infiltration and inflow facility flows exceed the hydraulic capacity, an overflow pipe from the influent wet well discharges directly to the Hudson River. The liquid sludge is transported to the Passaic Valley Sewerage Commissioners ("PVSC") wastewater treatment plant in Newark, New Jersey for processing and beneficial use in accordance with an Inter-district Agreement between the two utilities.

On or about August 9, 2002, the NJDEP, Division of Water Quality issued the NJPDES Permit No. NJ 0020591(the "Edgewater Permit") to the Authority. The Edgewater Permit

contained an effective date of September 1, 2009 and an expiration date of August 31, 2014. The Edgewater Permit included new limitations for ammonia, copper and zinc that would become effective August 1, 2014. The Edgewater WPCF is not designed to remove ammonia, copper and zinc from the wastewater. The Authority determined that compliance with these new permit limits would require the construction of a new outfall to the Hudson River. The Authority retained its Special Consulting Engineer to plan and design the new outfall. On December 9, 2010 a final dilution evaluation report was submitted to the NJDEP entitled "Outfall Design for the Authority Edgewater Water Pollution Control Facility, March 4, 2010" which presented the new outfall acute and chronic dilution factors based on modeling results. In a February 15, 2011 letter to the Authority, the NJDEP approved dilution factors for the proposed outfall design which should allow the Authority to meet its permit limits for ammonia, copper and zinc once the outfall is constructed. In August 2011, the Authority requested a stay of the permit conditions for ammonia, copper and zinc.

On or about March 30, 2012, the NJDEP, Division of Water Quality revoked and reissued the NJPDES Permit No. NJ0020591 (the "Edgewater Permit") to the Authority. The Edgewater Permit contains an effective date of September 1, 2009 and an expiration date of August 1, 2014. The Edgewater Permit includes new limitations for ammonia and copper that become effective May 1, 2015. The Authority has completed the studies, design and permit applications necessary to proceed with construction of a new outfall. However, the Authority has not been able to obtain the approval of the Army Corps of Engineers for construction of the outfall as designed. The Corps of Engineers has determined that it cannot permit an outfall closer than 100 feet to the Edgewater Channel. Consequently, due to the extremely shallow depths (less than 4 feet) and mudflats, the only alternative is to dredge an artificial cove area to accommodate the outfall. This would require additional studies required by the NJDEP. Therefore the Authority is unable to proceed with construction of the new outfall to satisfy its discharge permit in a timely manner.

As part of the outfall project, the Authority has completed a value engineering analysis of the Edgewater Outfall. The analysis considered alternatives to the outfall as well as alternatives for the outfall in part because of the Authority's difficulties obtaining the permits necessary to construct the outfall. The analysis determined that the alternative of converting the Edgewater WPCF into a pumping station, constructing a force main connected to the Overpeck Relief Sewer and treating the wastewater from the Edgewater WPCF at the Little Ferry WPCF for a twenty year period was \$54,000,000 less expensive than constructing the outfall improvement, upgrading the Edgewater WPCF for nutrient removal and operating the improved outfall and WPCF for twenty years. The Authority is presently pursuing this alternative with the NJDEP instead of constructing the outfall.

The Industrial Pretreatment Program Requirements in the Edgewater Permit require that the Authority to perform a survey of industrial users in the Edgewater WPCF sewer service area, and perform a Headworks Analysis. The industrial survey was submitted to the NDJEP in February 2010. The Headworks Analysis Report was submitted to the NJDEP in April 2011, revised to address NJDEP comments in November 2011 and approved by the NJDEP in January 2012.

In 2007, the Authority acquired the Edgewater Wastewater Treatment Plant (Plant). To integrate the Plant into the Authority's Supervisory Control and Data Acquisition (SCADA) system, an assessment of existing conditions at the Plant was conducted to identify necessary improvements as well as to increase efficiency, reliability and flexibility. The assessment identified improvements at the Plant necessary to allow remote monitoring and control from the Authority's SCADA System, provide cost savings in the operation of the Plant, increase reliability and operability of the system, and necessary security improvements.

**Current and Forecasted Population of the combined Little Ferry and Edgewater WPCF Service Areas**

The latest population forecasts for planning purposes are based upon the County population projections published by the New Jersey Department of Planning and Economic Development. The forecast is based on the current demographic trends and conservation of available vacant land. The population served by the present service area of the Authority for the year 2010 was estimated to be approximately 575,219 persons. The estimated population to be served in the year 2020 is approximately 596,490 persons.

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**Water Pollution Control System Usage**

Forecasts of plant flows and population are based on historical flow data information and on estimates from previous studies undertaken by the Authority and evaluated during the preparation of the Authority Wastewater Management Plan. The following table presents historical and projected average annual and daily wastewater flow to the Authority's WPCFs based on the assumptions set forth in the Authority WMP.

<u>Fiscal Year</u>	<u>Municipal Participants</u>	<u>Sewerage Authorities and Private Users (1)</u>	<u>Estimated Population Served (3)</u>	<u>Annual Flow (MG) (2) (3)</u>	<u>Daily Flow (MGD) (3)</u>
1960	25	23	374,100	12,813	35.1
1970	37	40	506,400	16,503	45.2
1975	43	16	524,000	23,546	64.5
1980	43	16	476,200	21,967	60.2
1985	43	16	483,400	18,410	50.4
1990	45	19	491,730	26,739	73.3
1995	46	23	501,060	25,113	68.8
1999	46	23	518,880	26,813	73.5
2000	46	23	522,170	27,550	75.5
2005	46	22	536,028	31,888	87.4
2010 <sup>4</sup>	47	22	575,219	33,791	92.6
2015 <sup>4</sup>	47	22	585,854	34,307	94.0
2020 <sup>4</sup>	47	22	596,490	34,805	95.4

1. Lists only those sewerage authorities, industrial and commercial users that are directly billed by the Authority. Several hundred additional industrial and commercial users are also served, but are billed by the Participants. Between 1974 and 1975, the change in number of sewerage authorities and private users was the result of consolidation of several accounts under one owner and the transfer of some directly billed users into the accounts of Participants.
2. Variation in flow reflects the influence of changes in climatic conditions on the amount of infiltration and inflow entering the sewer system.
3. Projected population and flows are based on the methodology defined in the Authority WMP (amended through May 9, 2011).
4. The Authority acquired the Edgewater WPCF in October 2007. Values prior to 2010 in the table above do not include the Edgewater WPCF sewer service area population or flows.

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**Annual Charges— Participants and Customers  
2013-2009**

	<u>2013</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2011</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2009</u>
	<u>Total Charge</u>				
Bergenfield	\$ 2,448,422.46	\$ 2,455,911.09	\$ 2,431,442.66	\$ 2,298,518.80	\$ 2,073,957.96
Bogota	688,655.83	695,245.44	662,162.36	681,361.62	574,705.80
Carlstadt	734,592.86	707,388.39	691,958.77	639,260.60	830,023.69
Carlstadt, SA	658,263.15	573,987.00	575,907.73	581,016.40	562,516.38
Cliffside Park	2,154,706.07	1,952,644.90	2,051,472.00	2,066,360.41	2,127,203.70
Closter	849,833.66	836,271.81	792,073.62	767,833.93	684,844.09
Cresskill	682,085.83	640,038.18	554,490.69	506,888.37	526,769.68
Demarest	427,366.37	439,930.89	398,947.40	355,609.45	314,938.52
Dumont	1,670,350.86	1,844,376.90	1,608,393.29	1,516,203.73	1,421,189.24
East Rutherford PW & UC	340,876.17	329,996.89	494,242.52	441,082.15	500,939.93
East Rutherford	936,380.18	1,018,239.52	1,092,274.54	1,206,103.02	811,113.13
Edgewater	781,985.32	975,206.57	991,486.98	1,343,598.58	798,571.96
Emerson	741,720.19	688,409.49	657,796.36	646,918.53	594,895.38
Englewood	3,058,440.32	2,978,626.81	2,967,245.87	2,823,943.43	2,621,925.02
Englewood Cliffs	1,013,956.85	994,501.56	866,702.05	860,174.25	772,366.49
Fairview	1,420,568.10	1,413,259.27	1,506,490.33	1,518,621.90	1,317,375.11
Fort Lee	4,748,565.02	3,956,837.87	3,853,617.88	3,950,561.71	4,173,956.60
Hackensack	6,064,427.64	5,715,113.48	5,928,213.61	5,244,703.10	5,452,302.29
Harrington Park	347,518.22	312,504.81	305,398.21	293,968.31	263,585.87
Hasbrouck Heights	1,209,760.55	1,166,321.54	1,093,093.33	992,597.88	928,578.77
Haworth	393,297.14	410,011.69	352,646.94	336,028.16	293,500.29
Hillsdale	947,240.25	880,510.05	872,162.81	815,484.84	727,708.39
Leonia	839,165.96	815,708.70	778,752.03	776,468.77	683,369.04
Little Ferry	1,210,575.00	1,212,928.17	1,175,565.41	1,093,895.40	972,416.01
Maywood	2,018,118.18	1,802,460.20	1,596,724.66	1,558,915.25	1,362,013.99
Montvale	932,417.98	906,967.92	875,894.61	797,520.54	710,999.51
Moonachie	609,155.01	559,817.41	576,067.57	561,706.04	538,137.84
New Milford	1,471,765.20	1,313,605.35	1,234,071.24	1,143,929.43	1,101,701.77
Northvale	528,935.09	520,919.79	494,413.99	450,814.83	421,641.37
Norwood	547,536.84	506,468.95	464,685.89	468,277.82	442,513.27
Old Tappan	386,707.01	373,886.03	359,326.93	329,678.36	309,153.38
Oradell	895,398.08	881,605.86	841,688.68	750,475.17	712,279.80
Palisades Park	1,950,556.22	1,764,157.55	1,841,499.25	1,822,174.50	1,597,011.08
Paramus	3,017,724.81	3,211,726.06	3,300,235.15	3,045,877.28	2,863,180.61
Park Ridge	668,983.38	642,299.43	621,400.97	571,098.84	526,796.27
Ridgefield	1,962,441.06	1,839,024.72	1,997,242.76	1,912,011.87	1,879,715.57
Ridgefield Park	1,169,849.72	1,191,001.33	1,163,875.30	1,065,752.39	1,015,971.32
River Edge	950,547.86	1,005,766.71	899,936.59	852,105.15	838,536.11
River Vale	823,340.93	777,993.40	733,496.25	678,905.11	630,253.71
Rochelle Park	678,689.88	753,072.81	702,109.29	656,071.32	612,979.00
Rutherford	1,180,778.68	1,000,558.63	965,945.98	941,874.70	824,438.58
South Hackensack	530,877.24	605,499.18	544,520.10	547,287.49	569,989.11
Teaneck	4,284,082.91	4,424,937.18	4,122,574.96	3,864,949.97	3,456,381.67
Tenafly	1,500,473.60	1,648,596.38	1,580,825.91	1,441,318.05	1,252,038.08
Teterboro	208,960.71	188,202.01	192,650.52	216,169.27	203,572.03

	<u>2013</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2011</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2009</u>
	<u>Total Charge</u>				
Washington Township	767,115.62	673,662.85	623,461.98	584,035.98	586,891.40
Westwood	950,895.03	970,758.50	888,661.16	804,005.47	752,660.46
Woodcliff Lake	576,279.29	601,640.52	569,099.82	521,081.56	467,290.64
Wood-Ridge	566,084.17	529,858.70	447,925.85	429,821.81	501,336.69
<b>Municipal Total</b>	<b>\$ 63,546,468.50</b>	<b>\$ 61,708,458.49</b>	<b>\$ 60,340,872.80</b>	<b>\$ 57,773,061.54</b>	<b>\$ 54,206,236.59</b>
Futon World	\$ 325.18	\$ 266.38	\$ 274.78	\$ 264.50	\$ 267.66
Encap Golf Holdings	65,482.12	100,490.58	83,321.58	98,439.56	100,068.68
Bergen Tech	7,126.81	4,646.01	5,119.24	4,785.24	4,664.79
CSX Intermodal	1,187.87	973.01	1,003.78	966.20	978.22
Bogota Industrial	2,375.72	1,946.03	2,007.56	1,932.42	1,956.44
Fairleigh Dickinson	13,699.60	18,846.92	12,681.40	12,755.80	15,064.31
Edax Realty	350.26	981.23	254.09	461.81	517.58
Glass Gardens	7,197.02	6,677.39	6,642.56	5,825.44	5,580.22
Lowe Paper	-	-	5,687.41	4,229.32	8,871.75
Neptune Associates	94.37	95.62	139.20	97.56	105.48
N.T. Hegeman	4,702.05	6,866.04	7,831.86	7,698.73	7,818.05
Hudson Transmission	477.45	386.76			
Host Marriott	6,672.43	17,324.25	22,791.47	22,928.39	26,263.78
P.S. Gas & Electric	267.09	644.55	604.12	559.39	416.29
P.S. Generating Station	274,685.86	218,776.58	221,240.53	175,034.09	168,674.66
Pfister	3,046.11	4,137.27	-	-	-
Macquarie Aviation			3,418.52	3,433.72	4,298.65
Riverside Square	185,413.59	145,161.59	196,987.98	186,978.49	167,471.07
Record Town	119.95	28.81	14.87	24.72	23.56
NJ Transit Bus Oper.	2,726.87	3,045.90	3,427.36	3,258.76	3,114.92
United Water Company	1,546,421.39	1,415,387.35	770,496.89	376,019.41	834,211.61
<b>Industrial Total</b>	<b>\$ 2,122,371.74</b>	<b>\$ 1,946,682.27</b>	<b>\$ 1,343,945.20</b>	<b>\$ 905,693.55</b>	<b>\$ 1,350,367.71</b>
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>\$ 65,668,840.24</b>	<b>\$ 63,655,140.76</b>	<b>\$ 61,684,818.00</b>	<b>\$ 58,678,755.09</b>	<b>\$ 55,556,604.30</b>

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## Water Pollution Control Budget Income/(Loss) – 2013-2009

	<u>2013</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2011</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2009</u>
<b><u>Revenues</u></b>					
Operating Revenues	\$ 68,697,877	\$ 67,605,925	\$ 65,589,278	\$ 63,370,449	\$ 59,793,091
Non-Operating Revenues					
Interest on Investments	335,364	184,282	409,804	315,158	181,717
State & Federal Grants					
Hurricane FEMA/Insurance Reimbursements	616,740				
Bond Reserves	-	246,586	600,000	-	-
	<u>\$ 69,649,981</u>	<u>\$ 68,036,793</u>	<u>\$ 66,599,082</u>	<u>\$ 63,685,607</u>	<u>\$ 59,974,808</u>
<b><u>Expenses</u></b>					
Operating Expenses					
Salaries	\$ 14,098,295	\$ 13,837,547	\$ 13,965,694	\$ 13,903,801	\$ 13,294,658
Other Expenses	29,393,601	27,349,163	28,858,672	26,493,783	28,852,450
Non-Operating Expenses					
Bond and Loan Principal	14,377,397	12,967,887	12,146,559	10,934,618	10,384,748
Bond and Loan Interest	7,573,122	8,021,730	8,466,757	8,715,980	7,789,928
Repayment of Port Authority Loan	322,223	322,222	322,222	322,223	322,222
Natural Disaster - Hurricane Sandy Expenses	1,697,352	1,784,944			
Trustee Fees	178,710	247,200	429,993	178,513	144,937
Reserve for Uncollectables/Bad Debt Expense		10,778			280,857
Capital Outlay	92,134	136,538	24,258	222,277	294,342
	<u>\$ 67,732,834</u>	<u>\$ 64,678,009</u>	<u>\$ 64,214,155</u>	<u>\$ 60,771,195</u>	<u>\$ 61,364,142</u>
<b><i>Budgetary Income/(Loss)</i></b>	<u><b>\$ 1,917,147</b></u>	<u><b>\$ 3,358,784</b></u>	<u><b>\$ 2,384,927</b></u>	<u><b>\$ 2,914,412</b></u>	<u><b>\$ (1,389,334)</b></u>

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## **OTHER OBLIGATIONS OF THE AUTHORITY**

### **Outstanding Bonds**

Please refer to either the 2013 Audit or the most recent audit of the Authority posted on EMMA for the outstanding debt of the Authority.

## **OTHER FINANCINGS**

Please refer to the most recent audit of the Authority posted on EMMA for details of the outstanding bonds of the Authority.

## **SUMMARY OF CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF THE SERVICE CONTRACTS**

The Authority has from time to time entered into the Service Contracts with the Participants providing for the construction by the Authority and use by the Participants of various portions of the Water Pollution Control System and further providing for the payment of Annual Charges by the Participants to the Authority. Certain terms in each Service Contract differ in matters not related to the security for the Bonds. Copies of each Service Contract are on file in the offices of the Authority and are available for public inspection and reference is hereby made thereto for a more complete explanation of any such differences. Each Service Contract contains substantially similar provisions regarding the imposition, payment and collection of Annual Charges and other matters bearing upon the security for the Bonds. The following is a summary of such common provisions, which summary does not purport to be complete and is in all respects qualified by reference to the Service Contracts.

### **Construction of the Water Pollution Control System**

The projects constituting the Water Pollution Control System contemplated by the Service Contracts have been completed and are currently operational. Pursuant to the Service Contracts, the Authority has the power to proceed with the construction, acquisition and operation of any new portion of the Water Pollution Control System at such time or times as the Authority may in its discretion deem proper and expedient, consistent with the plan and purpose of the Act. The Water Pollution Control System may be enlarged and expanded from time to time and, as so enlarged or expanded, shall continue to be the Water Pollution Control System for all purposes of each Service Contract. Each Service Contract, once effective, continues to be binding upon the Participant or Participants executing the same, notwithstanding the exercise of such discretion by the Authority.

Each Service Contract requires the Authority to treat and operate the Water Pollution Control System to dispose of sewage delivered by the Participants. Each Participant is obligated to pay the cost of the delivery of sewage to the Water Pollution Control System. The Authority provides meters or other approved devices for measuring the flow of all sewage delivered and discharged into the Water Pollution Control System by each Participant.

### **Establishment of Rates by the Authority**

The Authority prescribes and from time to time revises rates for the discharge and disposal of sewage through the Water Pollution Control System so that the Water Pollution Control System shall be and always remain self-supporting with earnings sufficient to provide for all expenses of operation, maintenance, depreciation and repair, including establishment and maintenance of working capital and reserves, and the payment of the principal or redemption price of and interest on any bonds issued or to be issued pursuant to the Act, so as to prevent the accrual of any deficit. The rates are based on the total annual volume of sewage discharged or disposed of through the Water Pollution Control System by the Participants, the Customers and others, and are uniform throughout the district for the same type, class and amount of use of or service of the Water Pollution Control System. The Authority is required to include in the rate surcharges which take into account any peculiar characteristics of the sewage and other wastes discharged or disposed of through the Water Pollution Control System and any other special matter affecting the cost of treatment and disposal of such sewage and other wastes.

### **Calculation of Rates for Annual Charges**

The Service Contracts provide that, on or before the fifteenth day of January in each Fiscal Year, the Authority shall calculate the rate or rates which are the basis of the payments to be made to it by the Participants during such Fiscal Year. Such annual rates shall be calculated on the above-described volume and surcharge basis, sufficient to cover the Authority's requirements, including debt service obligations, for the Fiscal Year.

### **Certification of Annual Charges**

On or before the seventeenth day of January in each Fiscal Year, the Authority shall certify to each Participant the amount of money which such Participant shall be required to pay to the Authority during the Fiscal Year. As to each Participant, such amount is calculated by the Authority by applying said rate or rates (including any applicable surcharges) to the volume and characteristics of the sewage delivered and discharged into the Water Pollution Control System by such Participant during the preceding Fiscal Year as shown by the records of the Authority or, if there is no record covering such delivery and discharge for a full year, to the volume of sewage which the Authority then estimates will be delivered and discharged into the Water Pollution Control System by such Participant during the Fiscal Year.

### **Payments by Participants**

Each Participant shall make provision for all payments to become due under its Service Contract, as certified to it for such year by the Authority, and shall make such payments in equal quarterly installments, which are due and payable on or before the first days of February, May, August and November of each year.

### **Penalties for Delinquency**

If any part of any such installment or payment due to the Authority from any Participant shall remain unpaid for thirty (30) days following its due date, such Participant shall be charged with and pay to the Authority interest on the amount unpaid at the rate of eight percent (8%) per annum, and the Authority, in its discretion and without releasing such Participant from any obligations under the Service Contract, may refuse to permit such Participant to discharge sewage into the Water Pollution Control System during the period of such default and, at the expense of such Participant, may shut off from the Water Pollution Control System until the curing of such default, the sewerage system of such Participant.

### **Term of Contract**

Each Service Contract is perpetual in duration.

### **Remedies by the Authority**

Every obligation assumed by or imposed upon any Participant by a Service Contract or pursuant to the Act shall be enforceable by the Authority by appropriate action or proceeding at law or in equity.

### **Federal and State Requirements**

In order to comply with certain requirements of the USEPA regarding the receipt of past federal grants-in-aid, the Authority proposed a standard form of amendment to the Service Contracts which it submitted for consideration to each Participant. The amendment was adopted by each Participant and committed each Participant to construct necessary internal collection systems, to adopt ordinances regulating sewer use and requiring pre-treatment of detrimental industrial wastes in compliance with federal and State regulations, to establish a system of user charges which will comply with the regulations of the USEPA to insure that each user of waste treatment services within the respective municipality will pay such user's fair share of the cost of operation and maintenance of all waste treatment services (other than debt service charges of the Authority or of the Participant with respect to its own facilities) and to adopt a system of industrial cost recovery whereby each industrial user will pay its share of the total amount of any grants awarded in accordance with federal and State regulations. Under the United States Clean Water Act of 1977, the requirement of establishing a system of user charges may be satisfied by an *ad valorem* charge system. The Authority may further amend the Service Contracts to include such a system and seek approval of the same from the Administrator of the USEPA. Pursuant to the amendment, the Authority is entitled to promulgate, and from time to time amend, regulations to implement or supplement federal and State regulations to protect the public health and safety and to carry out the purposes of the Authority.

## **THE SOLID WASTE SYSTEM**

Pursuant to the Act, the Authority's purposes include provision of solid waste services and facilities within or without the solid waste management district in a manner consistent with the Solid Waste Management Act, P.L. 1970, c. 39 (N.J.S.A. 13:1E-1 *et seq.*) and in

conformance with the solid waste management plan adopted for the Bergen County Solid Waste Management District by the Bergen County Board of Chosen Freeholders.

The Authority's solid waste system, its revenues and debts are separate and distinct from the Authority's Water Pollution Control System, its revenues and debts.

On or about May 31, 2002 all of the solid waste system debt of the Authority was defeased and the solid waste system of the Authority currently has no bonded debt.