

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

April 02, 2018 7:00 PM This agenda is only a tentative schedule of matters the Commissioners may address at their meeting and all items found on it may be deleted, amended or deferred. The Commissioners may also, in their absolute discretion, consider matters not shown on this agenda.

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Agenda

Camden County Board of Commissioners SCWSD - Regular Meeting April 02, 2018 7:00 PM Historic Courtroom, Courthouse Complex

1. CALL TO ORDER

ITEM 2. PUBLIC COMMENTS

It is requested that comments be limited to (2-3) minutes. The length and number of comments may be limited upon the Chairman's discretion due to scheduling and other issues.

ITEM 3. CONSIDERATION OF THE AGENDA

ITEM 4. PUBLIC HEARINGS

1. Public Hearing - Installment Financing of Treatment Plant

ITEM 5. NEW BUSINESS (For discussion and possible action)

- A. Monthly Update
- B. Resolution to Reimburse Advanced Funding for Treatment Plant Project
- C. Resolution for Financing Wastewater Treatment Plant Project
- D. Set System Development Fee Public Hearing Date

ITEM 6. CONSENT AGENDA

ITEM 7. <u>INFORMATION</u>

ITEM 8. OTHER

ITEM 9. ADJOURN



Other

Item Number: 4.1

Meeting Date: April 02, 2018

Submitted By: Stephanie Humphries, Finance Director

Finance

Prepared by: Karen Davis

Item Title Public Hearing - Installment Financing of Treatment Plan

Attachments:

Summary:

Hold public hearing for installment financing of wastewater treatment plant.



New Business

Item Number: 5.A

Meeting Date: April 02, 2018

Submitted By: David Credle, Public Works Director

Public Works

Prepared by: David Credle

Item Title Monthly Update

Attachments: February 2018 (DOCX)

Summary: Monthly work order update.

Recommendation: Approval

South Camden Water & Sewer Board

Monthly Work Order Statistics Report

Period: February 2018

	Submitted Work Orders	Completed Work Orders	Percentage Completed	Status of Uncompleted Work Orders
Water/Distribution	68	68	100%	0
Sewer/Collection	1	1	100%	0

Locates:

Water Line: 63

Sewer Line: 22

Water & Sewer, same ticket: 6

Public Works Director Notes/Comments:

Ten work orders have been reviewed for accuracy.

Average daily water use for February 288,156/720,000 available capacity.



New Business

Item Number: 5.B

Meeting Date: April 02, 2018

Submitted By: Stephanie Humphries, Finance Director

Finance

Prepared by: Stephanie Humphries

Item Title Resolution to Reimburse Advanced Funding for Treatment

Plant Project

Attachments: RESOLUTION INTENT TO REIMBURSE WWTP

(DOCX)

Summary: Resolution to approve reimbursement of advance funding of Wastewater Treatment Plant Project. This resolution establishes the intent of the Board to reimburse the District/County for expenses incurred prior to receiving disbursement of funds from project financing.

Recommendation: Adopt resolution

RESOLUTION OF THE SOUTH CAMDEN WATER AND SEWER DISTRICT DECLARING ITS OFFICIAL INTENT TO REIMBURSE EXPENDITURES UNDER UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF TREASURY REGULATIONS

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Commissioners (the "Board") for the County of Camden, North Carolina, in its capacity as the governing body of the South Camden Water and Sewer District (the "District") as follows:

Section 1. The Board hereby finds, determines and declares the following:

- (a) Section 1.150-2 of the Treasury Regulations (the "Regulations") prescribes specific procedures which will be applicable to certain bonds or notes issued by or on behalf of the District including, without limitation, a requirement that the District declare its official intent to reimburse certain expenditures with proceeds of debt to be incurred by the District prior to, or within sixty (60) days of, payment of the expenditures to be reimbursed.
- (b) The District intends that it will advance its own funds or that the County will advance funds on behalf of the District in order to pay certain capital costs (the "Original Expenditures") relating to the acquisition, construction and equipping of a new wastewater treatment plant (the "Project").
- (c) The District reasonably expects to reimburse itself for the Original Expenditures from the proceeds of debt to be incurred by the District.
- (d) \$2,800,000 is the maximum principal amount of debt expected to be incurred for the purpose of paying the costs of the Project.
- (e) This declaration of official intent is made pursuant to Section 1.150-2 of the Treasury Regulations to expressly declare the official intent of the District to reimburse itself from the proceeds of debt to be hereinafter incurred by the District for certain expenditures paid by the District or on behalf of the District by the County on or after the date which is sixty (60) days prior to the date hereof.
- (f) The funds heretofore advanced or to be advanced by the District or on behalf of the District by the County to pay the Original Expenditures are or will be available only on a temporary basis, and do not consist of funds that were otherwise earmarked or intended to be used by the District to permanently finance the Original Expenditures.
- (g) All Original Expenditures to be reimbursed by the District were paid no more than sixty (60) days prior to, or will be paid on or after the date of, this declaration of official intent, except with respect to certain amounts incurred before such 60-day period not exceeding 20% of the issue price of the proceeds of the debt to be hereinafter incurred which are expended for "preliminary expenditures" within the meaning of Section 1.150-2 of the Treasury Regulations (the "Preliminary Expenditures"). The District understands that, except for the Preliminary Expenditures, such reimbursement must occur not later than eighteen (18) months after the later of (a) the date the Original Expenditures were paid and (b) the date the Project is placed in service or abandoned, but in no event more than three (3) years after the Original Expenditures were paid.

Section 2. This resolution shall take effect upon its adoption.



New Business

Item Number: 5.C

Meeting Date: April 02, 2018

Submitted By: Stephanie Humphries, Finance Director

Finance

Prepared by: Stephanie Humphries

Item Title Resolution for Financing Wastewater Treatment Plant

Project

Attachments: RESOLUTION FINANCING WASTEWATER

TREATMENT PLANT

(DOCX)

Summary: Resolution to approve Installment Financing of Wastewater Treatment Plant Project as required by law. This resolution establishes the occurrence of and adherence to the required Public Hearing and the intent of the Board to seek financing to fund the project.

Recommendation: Adopt resolution

RESOLUTION MAKING CERTAIN FINDINGS AND DETERMINATIONS REGARDING THE FINANCING OF A NEW WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT FOR THE SOUTH CAMDEN WATER AND SEWER DISTRICT PURSUANT TO AN INSTALLMENT FINANCING AGREEMENT AND REQUESTING THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT COMMISSION TO APPROVE THE FINANCING ARRANGEMENT

BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Commissioners (the "Board") for the County of Camden, North Carolina, in its capacity as the governing body of the South Camden Water and Sewer District (the "District") as follows:

Section 1. The Board does hereby find and determine as follows:

- (a) There exists in the District a need to finance the cost of acquiring, constructing and equipping a new wastewater treatment plant (the "Project").
- (b) After a public hearing and due consideration, the District has determined to consider entering into an installment financing agreement (the "Agreement") in the aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$2,800,000 to provide funds, together with any other available funds, to pay (i) the cost of the Project and (ii) certain financing costs associated therewith.
- (c) If the District proceeds with the financing, the District will enter into the Agreement with a financial institution to be selected by the District with the advice of the District's financial advisor (the "Lender"), pursuant to which the Lender will advance to the District amounts sufficient to pay the costs of financing the Project, and the District will repay the advancement in installments (the "Installment Payments").
- (d) In order to secure the Installment Payments, the District will grant a lien on all or a portion of the site of the Project, together with any improvements or fixtures located or to be located thereon.
- (e) It is in the best interest of the District to enter into the Agreement in that such transaction will result in providing financing for such Project in an efficient and cost effective manner.
- (f) Entering into the Agreement is preferable to a general obligation bond and revenue bond issue in that (i) the District does not have the constitutional authority to issue non-voted general obligation bonds pursuant to Article V, Section 4 of the North Carolina Constitution because the District has not retired a sufficient amount of debt in the preceding fiscal year to issue a sufficient amount of general obligation bonds for the Project without an election; (ii) the cost of the Project exceeds the amount to be prudently provided from currently available appropriations and unappropriated fund balances; (iii) the circumstances existing require that funds be available to commence construction of the Project as soon as practicable and the time required for holding an election for the issuance of voted general obligation bonds pursuant to Article V, Section 4 of the North Carolina Constitution and the Local Government Bond Act will delay the commencement of construction of the Project by several months; and (iv) there can be

no assurances that the Project will be approved by the voters and the necessity of such Project dictates that the Project be financed by a method that assures that such Project will be constructed in an expedient manner.

- (g) It has been determined by the Board that the cost of financing the Project through an installment financing agreement is reasonably comparable to the costs of issuing general obligation bonds or other available methods of financing and is acceptable to the Board.
- (h) Counsel to the District will render an opinion to the effect that the proposed undertaking as described above is authorized by law and is a purpose for which public funds may be expended pursuant to the Constitution and laws of the State of North Carolina.
- (i) The debt management policies of the District have been carried out in strict compliance with law, and the District is not in default under any obligation for repayment of borrowed money.
- (j) The increase in taxes, if any, necessary to meet the sums to fall due with respect to the Agreement will not be excessive.
- (k) The projected rate increases, if any, for water and wastewater service in connection with entering into the Agreement will be reasonable.
- Section 2. The Board hereby authorizes and approves the District's filing of an application with the Local Government Commission for approval of the Agreement and requests the Local Government Commission to approve of the Agreement and the proposed financing in connection therewith.
 - Section 3. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its passage.



New Business

Item Number: 5.D

Meeting Date: April 02, 2018

Submitted By: Stephanie Humphries, Finance Director

Finance

Prepared by: Stephanie Humphries

Item Title Set System Development Fee Public Hearing Date

Attachments:

Summary: New legislation requires an analysis to be performed by a qualified professional on system development fees charged by Water and/or Sewer Districts/Associations. The District/Association must then give the public 45 days to review the proposed fee(s) then hold a Public Hearing for public comment. The analysis is nearly complete for publishing as required by the statute. In order to give the public 45 days to review the analysis, the proposed June 4th public hearing date would be sufficient to meet the requirements. The analysis will be available through our county website at www.camdencountync.gov or at our Administration office building no later than 8:00 AM, April 20, 2018.

Recommendation: Set public hearing date for June 4th 2018