# WATER

# Staff Fiscal Item 3

### **ERIE COUNTY WATER AUTHORITY**

INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM June 10, 2024

To Commissioners Schad, LaGree, and Iannello

From: Jessica Brown, Comptroller GRB

Subject: April 2024 Financial Report

#### Operating Revenue for the Month of: April 2024

Actual operating revenue of \$8,513,000 was lower than budgeted operating revenue of \$8,811,000 by (\$298,000) or (3.4%).

					Higher than Budget	
Category	Actual		Budget		(Lower than Budget)	
Residential	\$	4,096,000	\$	4,406,000	\$ (310,000)	
Commercial		900,000		933,000	(33,000)	
Industrial		275,000		261,000	14,000	
Public Authorities		265,000		270,000	(5,000)	
Public Fire Protection		326,000		333,000	(7,000)	
Private Fire Protection		86,000		57,000	29,000	
Sales to Other Districts		417,000		465,000	(48,000)	
Infrastructure Inv. Charge		1,989,000		1,986,000	3,000	
Other Water Revenues		159,000		100,000	59,000	
TOTAL	\$	8,513,000	\$	8,811,000	\$ (298,000)	

#### Operating Revenue Year-to-Date: April 30, 2024

Total actual year-to-date operating revenue of \$33,267,000 was higher than the budgeted operating revenue of \$33,255,000 by \$12,000 or .04%.

					Higher than Budget	
Category	Actual		Budget		(Lower than Budget)	
Residential	\$	16,100,000	\$	16,368,000	\$ (268,000)	
Commercial		3,384,000		3,315,000	69,000	
Industrial		990,000		937,000	53,000	
Public Authorities		970,000		981,000	(11,000)	
Public Fire Protection		1,315,000		1,292,000	23,000	
Private Fire Protection		290,000		229,000	61,000	
Sales to Other Districts		1,634,000		1,738,000	(104,000)	
Infrastructure Inv. Charge		8,038,000		7,941,000	97,000	
Other Water Revenues		546,000		454,000	92,000	
TOTAL	\$	33,267,000	\$	33,255,000	\$ 12,000	

#### Operating & Maintenance Expense for the Month of: <u>April 2024</u>

Actual operating & maintenance expenses of \$4,386,000 were lower than budgeted operating & maintenance expenses of \$5,765,000 by \$1,379,000 or 23.9%.

			Lower than Budget	
Category	Actual	Budget	(Higher than Budget)	
Salaries & Wages	\$ 1,534,000	\$ 1,917,000	\$ 383,000	
Fringe Benefits	770,000	961,000	191,000	
Overtime	200,000	214,000	14,000	
Chemicals Purchased	227,000	355,000	128,000	
Power Purchased	242,000	389,000	147,000	
Materials and Supplies	348,000	213,000	(135,000)	
Transportation	119,000	122,000	3,000	
Other Public Utilities	50,000	118,000	68,000	
Insurance and Damages	365,000	289,000	(76,000)	
Contractors - Restoration	89,000	238,000	149,000	
Contractors - Other	297,000	618,000	321,000	
Equip. Maint. Contracts	2,000	65,000	63,000	
Other Expenses	143,000	266,000	123,000	
TOTAL	\$ 4,386,000	\$ 5,765,000	\$ 1,379,000	

## Operating & Maintenance Expense Year-to-Date: April 30, 2024

Total actual year-to-date operating & maintenance expenses of \$17,647,000 were lower than budgeted operating & maintenance expenses of \$23,532,000 by \$5,885,000 or 25.0%.

			Lower than Budget	
Category	Actual	Budget	(Higher than Budget)	
Salaries & Wages	\$ 6,014,000	\$ 7,585,000	\$ 1,571,000	
Fringe Benefits	3,015,000	3,803,000	788,000	
Overtime	784,000	922,000	138,000	
Chemicals Purchased	913,000	1,330,000	417,000	
Power Purchased	1,054,000	1,733,000	679,000	
Materials and Supplies	868,000	839,000	(29,000)	
Transportation	478,000	489,000	11,000	
Other Public Utilities	297,000	447,000	150,000	
Insurance and Damages	1,271,000	1,158,000	(113,000)	
Contractors - Restoration	168,000	1,248,000	1,080,000	
Contractors - Other	1,651,000	2,520,000	869,000	
Equip. Maint. Contracts	326,000	385,000	59,000	
Other Expenses	808,000	1,073,000	265,000	
TOTAL	\$ 17,647,000	\$ 23,532,000	\$ 5,885,000	

# **Net Income/(Loss)\*:**

			Increase		Higher/(Lower)
Current Month	2024	2023	(Decrease)	Budget	than Budget
Month of April	\$ 2,915,000	\$ 2,329,000	\$ 586,000	\$ 1,911,000	\$ 1,004,000
Grant Income for Capital	-	-	-	-	-
Net Income after Grant Income					
for Capital Projects	\$ 2,915,000	\$ 2,329,000	\$ 586,000	\$ 1,911,000	\$ 1,004,000

			Increase		Higher/(Lower)
Year-to-Date	2024	2023	(Decrease)	Budget	than Budget
YTD through April 30	\$16,170,000	\$ 8,095,000	\$ 8,075,000	\$ 5,185,000	\$ 10,985,000
Grant Income for Capital	5,530,000	-	5,530,000	-	5,530,000
Net Income after Grant Income					
for Capital Projects	\$10,640,000	\$ 8,095,000	\$ 2,545,000	\$ 5,185,000	\$ 5,455,000

<sup>\*</sup>Income is shown on a GAAP basis – taking into account OPEB expense and other non-cash items

Attached is a chart comparing actual operating revenue, operating expenses, and net income to budget on a monthly basis.

cc: J. Tomaka





