Northfield Minnesota

Utility Funds 2018 Budget Planning

UTILITIES

- Key Items for 2018
 - Request Utilities Operator (\$75,000)
 - Rate Study (Water, Sanitary, Storm)
 - In-Line Phosphorous Analyzer
 - Replacement of MAU-09 (WWTP Lift Station)
 - Well No. 5 Generator
 - 2 Utilities Trucks

CIP [Wastewater] Phosphorous Analyzer \$70,000



Replace MAU-09 at Lift Station \$15,813



CIP [Utilities]

Well No. 5 Generator



CEP – Wastewater

Replace 2007 Truck - \$25,000



CEP – Utilities

1998 Truck - \$40,000

2009 Wachs Valve Wrench \$25,000





Storm Water

- Key Items for 2018
 - Flood Improvement Feasibility Study \$50,000 (East and West Side of River Downtown)
 - Washing, Sealing, Tuck Pointing River Wall
 - \$15,000 Climate Action Planning

Garbage Fund

- Key Items for 2018
 - Determine if a new RFP for Residential Solid Waste will be sent out for service beginning in 2019 or extend contract w/DSI

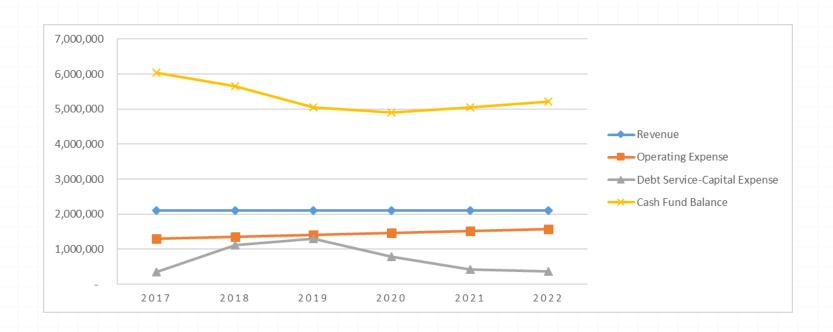
2014 Rate Study

- A study was conducted in 2014 by Ehlers
 - Projected activity for 5 years
 - Proposed rate increases for 2014-2018
 - The City has followed the recommendations each year
 - 2018 is the last year in the study
- Budgeted to conduct a new rate study in 2018
 - o 5 years
 - Review target cash reserve in addition to exploring use of cash and debt in conjunction with future improvement plans

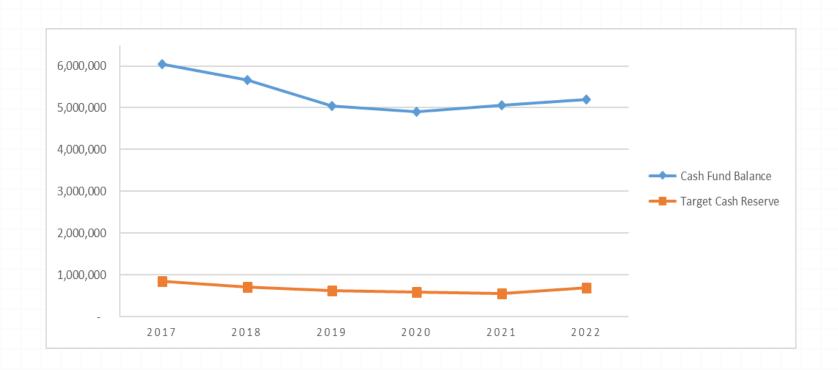
Water Fund

- No increase recommended
- O CIP/CEP schedule of expenditures
 - *o* 2018 \$941,442
 - *o* 2019 \$1,233,744
 - *o* 2020 \$782,452
 - *o* 2021 \$416,944
 - *o* 2022 \$366,750

Water Fund Financial Projection



Water Fund Cash Fund Balance



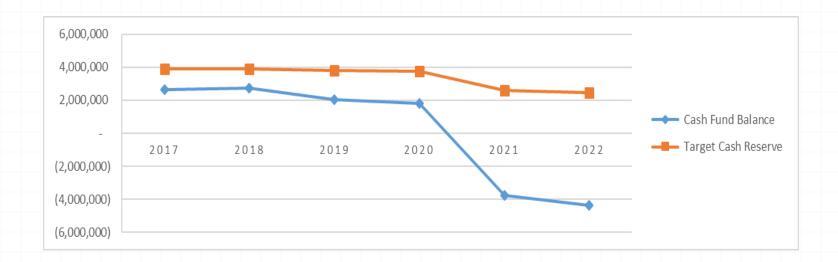
- 3% Increase recommended for 2018
- O Did a large study of the plant in 2015 to determine what needs to be maintained/upgraded in the next 10 years.
- Residential monthly impact of:
 - Low water use \$.52
 - Median water use \$.91
 - O High water use \$ 1.56

- Capital Projects in the next 5 years
 - *o* 2018 \$509,425
 - *o* 2019 \$1,213,965
 - 0 2020 \$790,338
 - *o* 2021 \$6,128,016
 - *o* 2022 \$1,622,500

O Identified projects in 2021 and 2022 will require bonding and will be updated with the 2018 rate study



Assumes no bonding

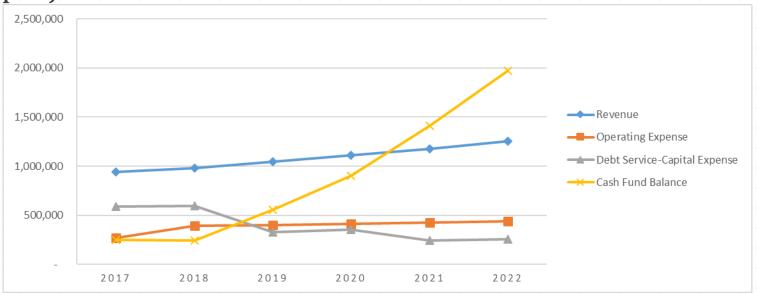


Storm Water Fund

- 6% increase is recommended for 2017
- A pond study is currently being conducted encompassing the ponds in the entire City, and prioritizing. This is similar to the way we did this for the Waste Water plant.
- Residential increase per month
 - Per 1 acre \$ 1.06 a month increase
 - Per ¼ acre \$.26 a month increase

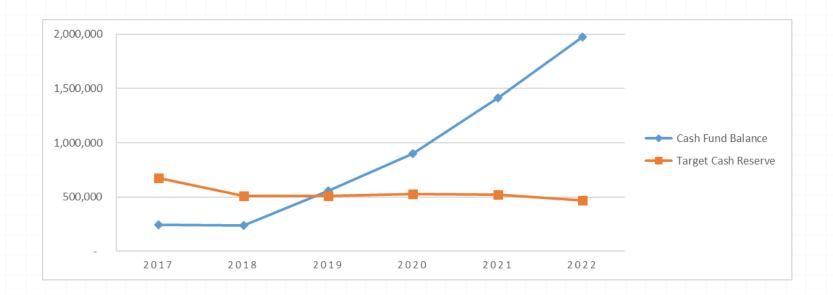
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Long Term Financial Projection – without pond projects



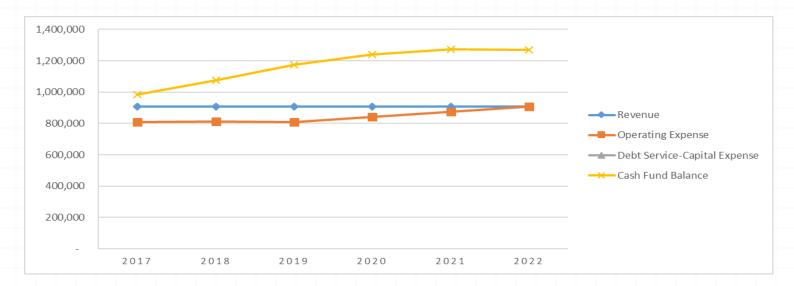
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Financial projections of will change once the pond work is completed



Garbage Fund

- No change recommended at this time
- Explore potential new or expanded services
- Contract renews in 2019



Summary Utility Rates

- Increases follow 2014 rate study for 2014-2018
 - 00% Water
 - 0 3% Waste Water
 - 6% Storm Water
 - 0 0% Garbage
- Adopt at October 17th, 2017 regular meeting
 - To meet January 2018 implementation

Overall Utility Rates

- In looking at the overall monthly utility bill impact the following are the ranges of increase for a bill
- O Residential \$.87 \$2.84
- OClass I \$4.29 \$26.76
- OClass II \$6.72 \$46.00
- Industrial Avg. \$2,556.63