



## **February 11, 2025 – Superintendent’s Report**

### **ADMIN UPDATE:**

The Utilities are seeking approval of the Engagement Letter with Bose McKinney & Evans LLP to the Utility Service Board for Legal Services for the year 2025 for the fixed fee of \$10,000.00 per month with the agreement terminating on December 31, 2025. We recommend approval.

The Utilities are seeking approval of the Professional Services Agreement Amendment No. 1 with Clark Dietz, Inc. for a lump sum amount of \$61,000.00. This amendment is for additional work to the project due to changes in the alignment, additional manholes found, and schedule delays involving coordination with INDNR. The route of the sewer was also extended on the downstream end to additionally replace the sewer main under the creek by LS 403 which required additional locates, survey, and coordination. This is for the Shafter Road sanitary sewer main replacement project. The existing sanitary sewer main is constructed of vitrified clay pipe (VCP) and the utility has experienced numerous failures in this line over the past several years. Video inspections of this section of the sewer main have identified many deficiencies that will cause more pipe failures if not addressed. We recommend approval.

As an update, American Structurepoint has provided the Utilities with our first suggested project area for focused efforts at reducing Inflow & Infiltration entering our sanitary sewer system that discharges into the Indian Creek Interceptor sewer line. The utility staff are currently reviewing the proposed project area and will coordinate with the engineering team.

### **Account Adjustments:**

7568 East 46<sup>th</sup> Street – customer is requesting a sanitary sewer adjustment for \$273.29 due to a leak at the spigot. We recommend approval.

7140 Seven Oaks Drive East – customer is requesting a sanitary sewer adjustment for \$461.11 due to a leak at the spigot. We recommend approval.

10227 Alexia Drive – customer is requesting a sanitary sewer adjustment for \$1,171.05 due to a service line leak for a three-month adjustment after consumption returned to normal usage. We recommend approval.