SSC Rate Option

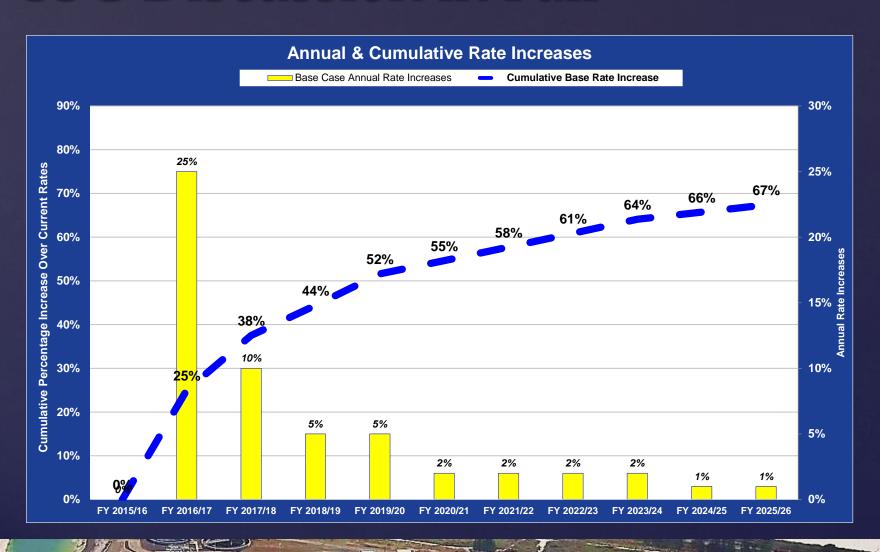
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Discussion

- SSC Discussions in Fall
- Budget Assumptions
- Prop 218 Hearing
- * Alternative to 15 15 6 5 4
- Impact on Operating Budget & CIP





6 "Alternatives" are CIP/R&R Choices*:

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% I&I % R&R $/yr. Above Current CIP
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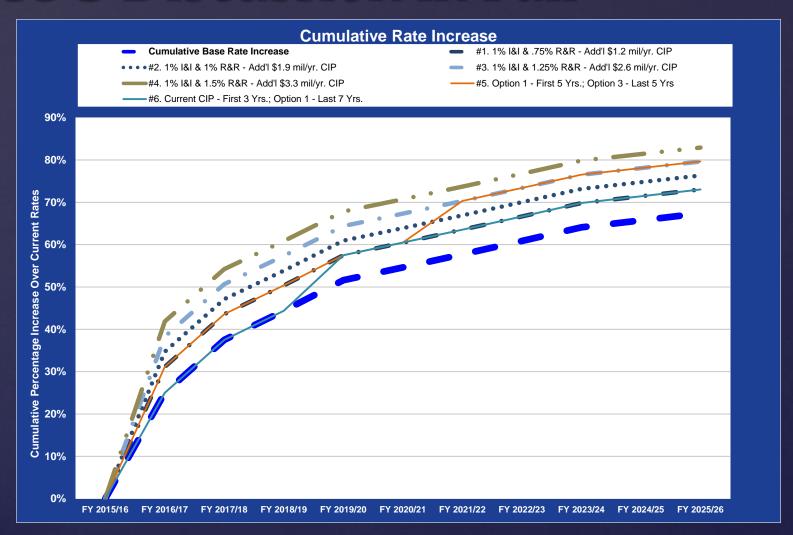
- 1. 1% 0.75% \$1.2 mil.
- 2. 1% 1% \$1.9 mil.
- 3. 1% 1.25% \$2.6 mil.
- 4. 1% 1.5% \$3.3 mil.
- 5. Alt. #1 First 5 Yrs.; Alt. #3 Last 5 Yrs.
- 6. Current CIP First 3 Yrs.; Alt. #1 Last 7 Yrs.

How Much is being Spent on I&I/R&R?

(Note: Tables of Base Case Financial Plan and Reserve Fund Balances are provided separately, along with tables of the Alternatives Results)



^{*} Base Case plus the following...



Delay several CIP Projects

❖Increase to 1% I&I and 1% R&R in Year 4

❖15% - 15% - 6% - 5% - 4%



Budget Assumptions

❖15% - 15% - 6% - 5% - 4%

Approved by Board on February 3, 2016



Proposition 218 Hearing

⋄15% - 15% - 6% - 5% - 4% = Maximum

- Comments at hearing:
 - look into lower rates for FY 16/17
 - evaluate annually as part of budget process



Alternative

10% - 15% - **11%** - 5% - 4%

- Less revenue in first 2 years
- Loss of \$2.1 million in total revenue



Impacts of Alternative

- Potential ways to balance the budget:
 - Postpone to FY 18/19:
 - 2 new Collection Workers (~ \$250k/yr)
 - Asset Management Analyst (~ \$150k/yr)
 - Fewer CIP projects



Impacts of Alternative

- Impact to CIP:
 - Pond Dredge move 1 year
 - RW Reservoir Liner move 2 years
 - Plant Buried Metallic Piping move construction 1 year

