

## **Richland County Council**

Work Session: Sewer Rate Study

March 20, 2018 – 2:00 PM Council Chambers 2020 Hampton Street, Columbia, SC 29204

1. Call to Order

The Honorable Joyce Dickerson, Chair Richland County Council

2. <u>Introduction</u>

Gerald Seals, County Administrator

3. Scope Overview and Consultant Introduction

Shahid Khan, Director Department of Utilities

4. Consultant Presentation

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- a. Overview of Model Content
- b. Operating Scenarios
  - 1. Independent Operation of Each System (Status Quo)
  - Combined Sewer (Same Rate)/Water Stand Alone Supported as Needed by Combined Sewer with No Water Capital Projects Assumed (Separate Water and Sewer Proforma Results)
  - 3. Water and Sewer Systems Operating on Combined Basis (Same Sewer Rate) with Water Supported as Needed by Combined Sewer and No Water Capital Projects (Combined System Proforma Results)
  - 4. Combined Water and Sewer Systems with Water Projects included (Combined System Proforma Results)
- c. Financial Metrics (Graphs) included in Dashboards Discussion
- d. Review Financial Metrics Dashboards for Each Scenario with Corresponding Impact on Rates and Financial Health of Each Operating Scenario
- e. Review Neighboring Utility Comparisons

