

# Environmental Scan & Strategic Direction Discussion

Council Study Sessions July 2017





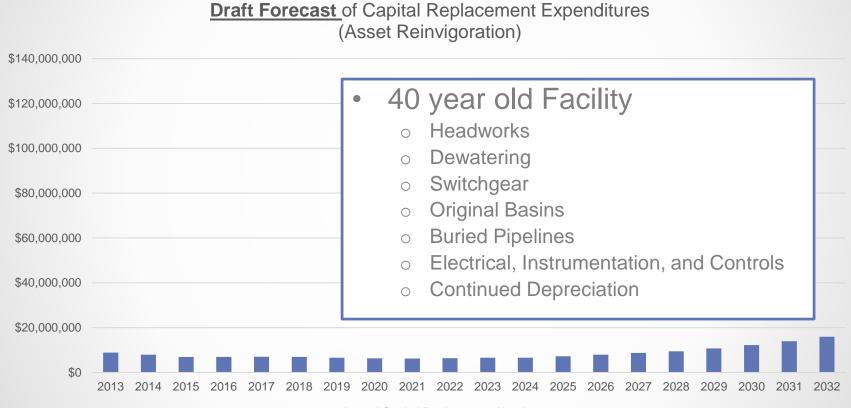
### **Presentation Goals**

- Tonight Sharing Perspective on Long Term Success
- August 17 Joint Council Meeting Solicit Feedback on Strategy
- Environmental Scan
  - Aging Infrastructure
  - Tightening Regulations
  - Cost Reduction/Revenue Generation
  - Regional Priorities





### **Aging Infrastructure**



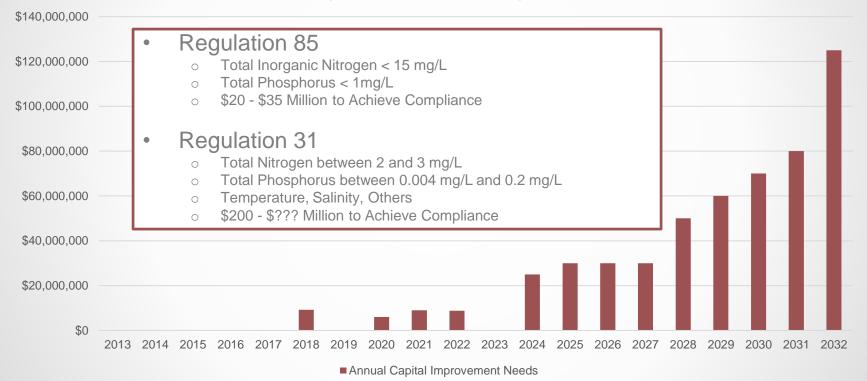
Annual Capital Replacement Needs





### **Tightening Regulations**

<u>**Draft Forecast**</u> of Facility Required Capital Expenditures (Regulations & Service Upgrades)







### Tightening Regulations & Aging Infrastructure

**Draft Forecast** Facility Required Capital Expenditures \$160,000,000 \$140,000,000 \$120,000,000 \$100,000,000 \$80,000,000 \$60,000,000 \$40,000,000 \$20,000,000 \$0 2013 2014 2015 2016 2017 2018 2019 2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2026 2027 2028 2029 2030 2031 2032 Annual Capital Replacement Needs Annual Capital Improvement Needs Total Annual Capital Needs





### We are Not Alone

\$200 \$180 Annual Expenditures (\$'s in millions) \$160 \$140 \$120 \$100 \$80 \$60 \$40 \$20 \$-1999 2001 2002 2005 

**MWRD - Capital Expenditures Forecast through 2035** 

Asset Replace Regs and Other





### **Cost Reduction/ Revenue Generation**

#### Strategic Business Partnerships

- Continue Biosolids, Explore Phosphorus-rich Soil Amendments
- Technological Innovations
- Regulation Advocacy
- Energy Management Biogas, Solar, Hydro
- Local Industry by-products
- Effluent Trading







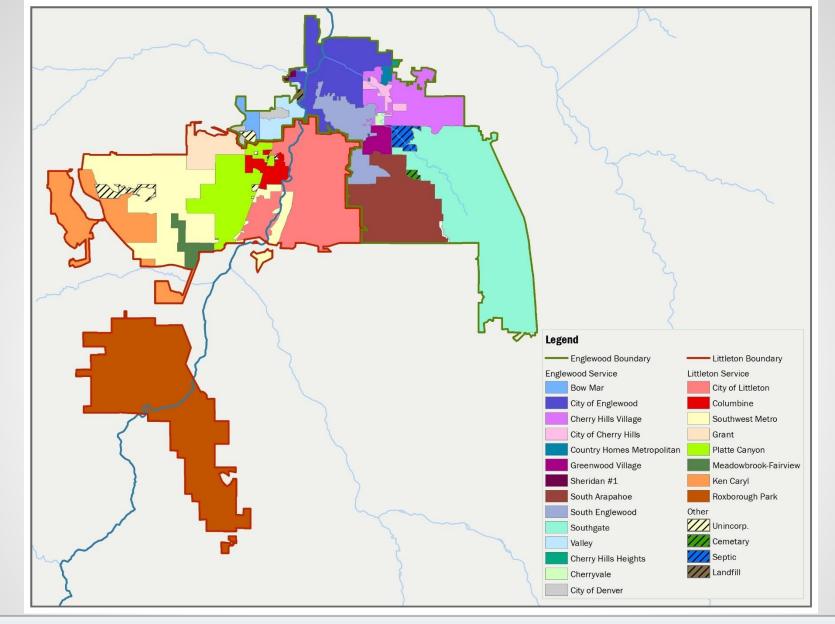












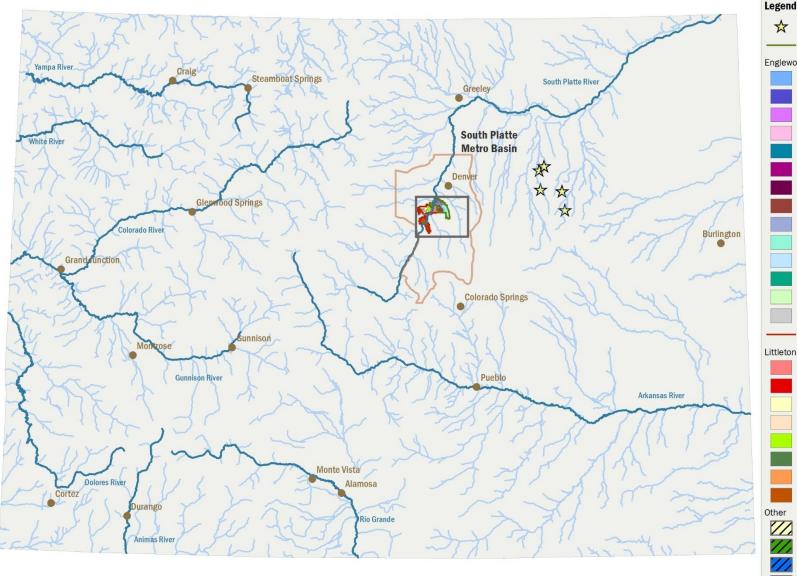






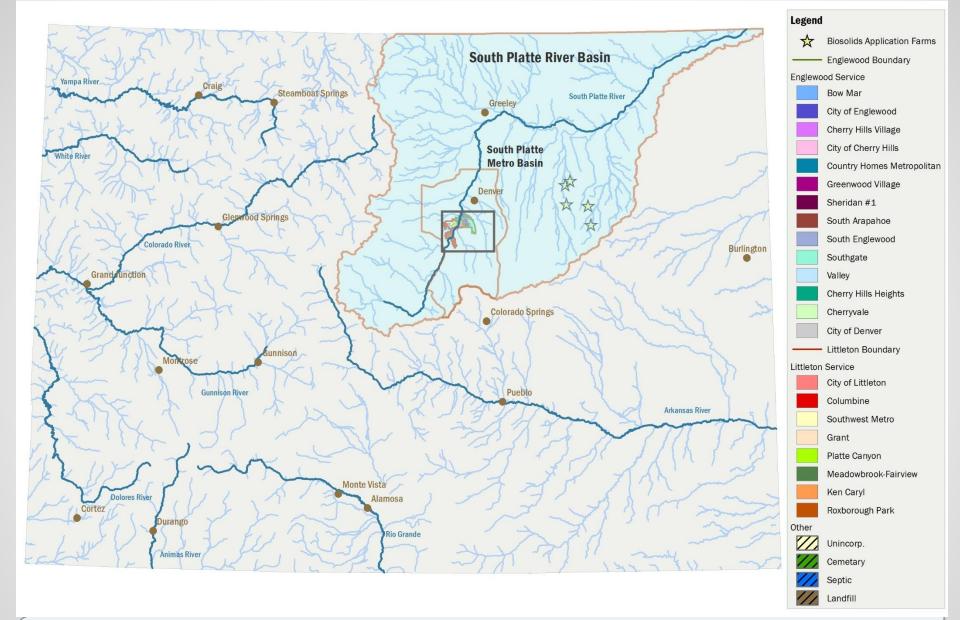




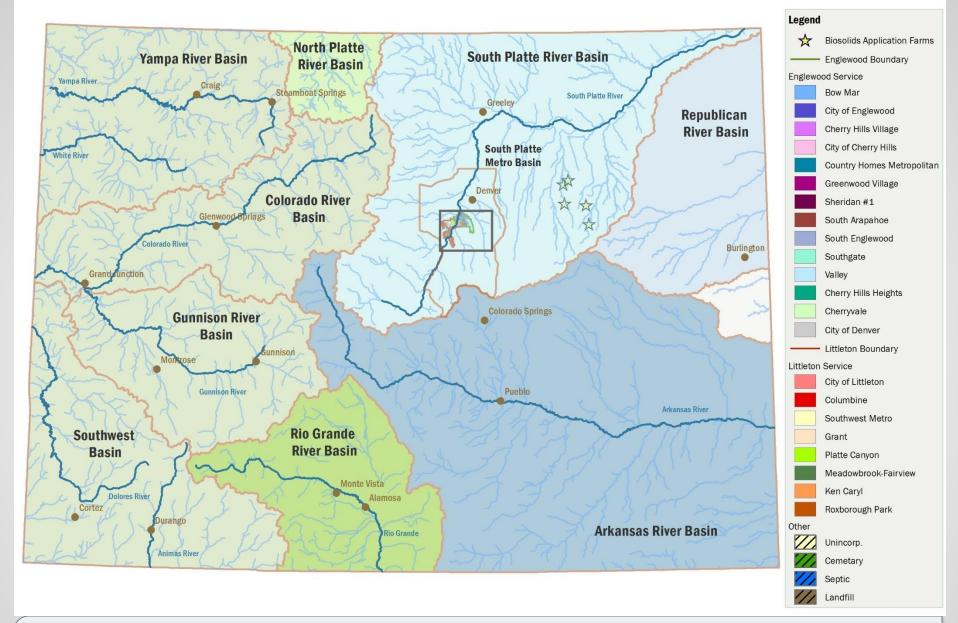


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COLLABORATING ON COLORADO'S WATER FUTURE

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### **Environment Scan = Opportunity**

- Environmental Scan:
  - Funding Pressures are Intensifying
  - Not alone in challenges
  - Water/Wastewater/Agriculture Gap Closing "One Water"
  - Broadening Definition of Stakeholders/Community
- Opportunities:
  - Redefine Fiscal Responsibility
    - Aligning Costs with Beneficiaries/Stakeholders
    - Leverage Strategic Partnerships
    - Nimble Application of Innovation
  - Distinctive Player on Fundamental Statewide Issues
  - Most Thoughtfully Proactive Utility on Front Range





### Policy Discussion -Pathways for Staff to Investigate?









### Questions



