

# **2017 Budget Presentation**

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### **Key 2017 Budget Dates**

#### **Finance Committee Meetings**

- May 23<sup>rd</sup>
- June 27<sup>th</sup>
- July 27<sup>th</sup>

- 1<sup>st</sup> Budget Review High level overview
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Budget Review Focused on Energy & Water Services
- 3rd Budget Review Focused on Customer & Corporate Services

#### **Utilities Board Meetings**

- August 25<sup>th</sup>
- September 21<sup>st</sup>

#### **Upcoming Meetings**

– November 8<sup>th</sup>

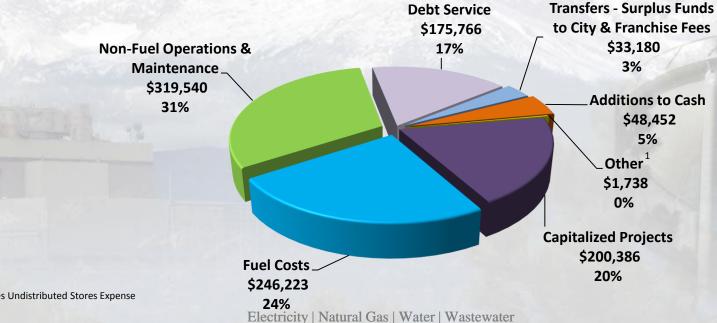
1<sup>st</sup> Review of the Budget – Focused on key projects and alternatives Annual Operating and Financial Plan Review

2<sup>nd</sup> Budget Reading City Council



#### **2017 Utilities' Proposed Appropriation** \$1,025,283

(in thousands)

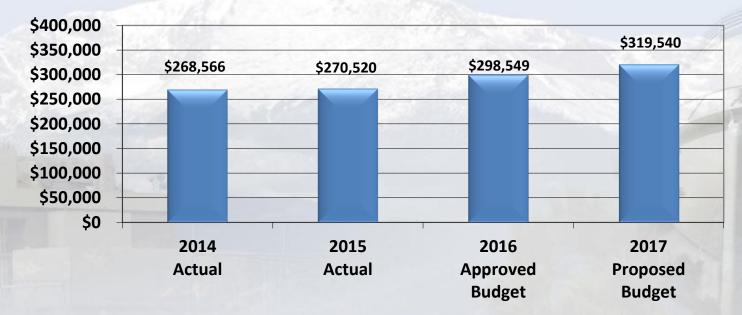


1: Includes Undistributed Stores Expense



## **Non-Fuel Operations & Maintenance Expense**

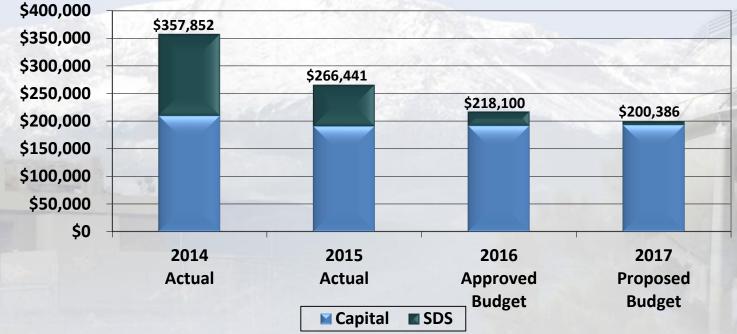
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### **Total Capital Expenditures**

(in thousands)



Capital before AFUDC & capitalized interest; Includes Common Capital Allocation

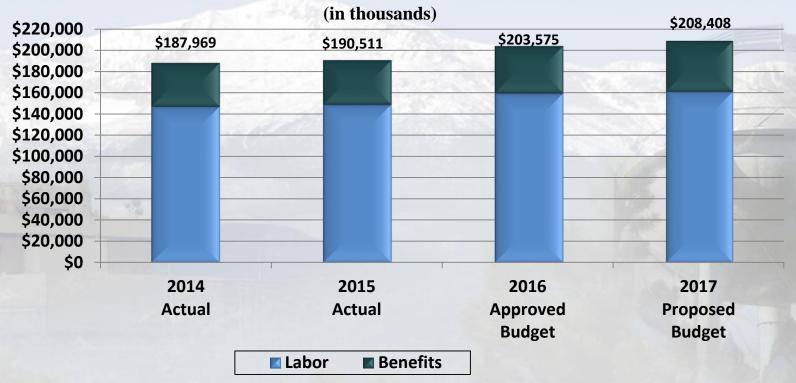


#### Capital Funding \$200,386 (in thousands)

Cash Funded Capital, 59% Bond Funded Capital, 41%

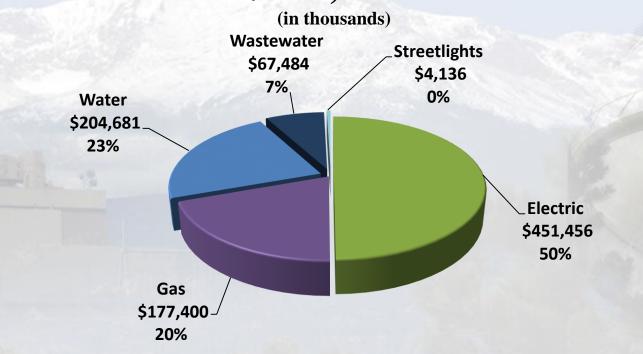


#### **Total Labor & Benefits**





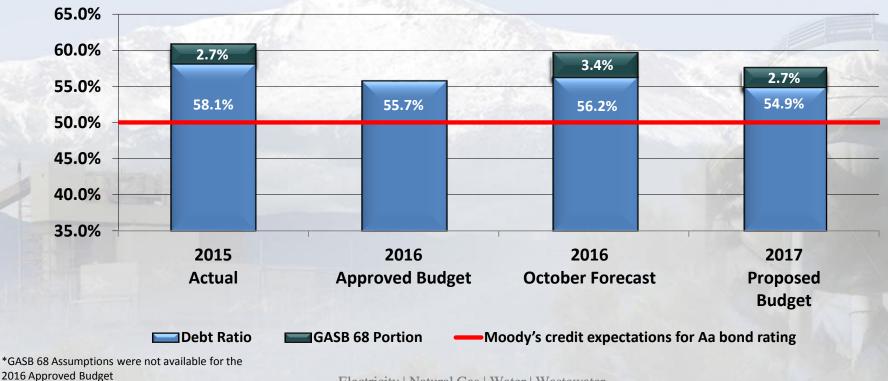
## Revenue by Service \$905,157\*



\*Includes proposed rate adjustment's

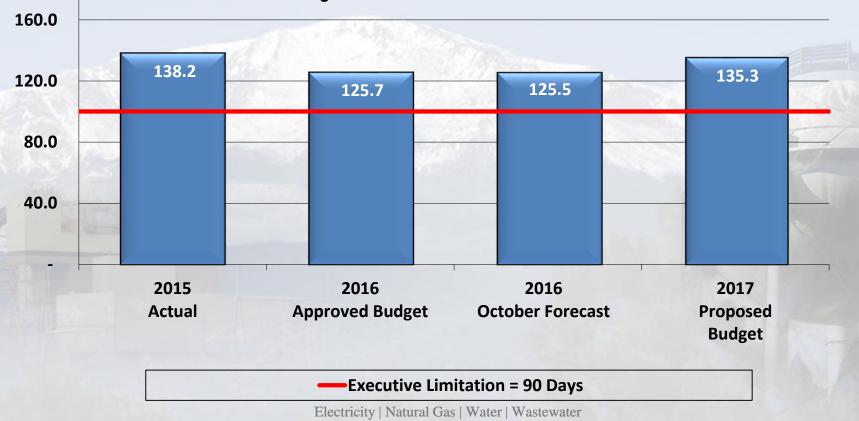


#### **Debt Ratio**\*



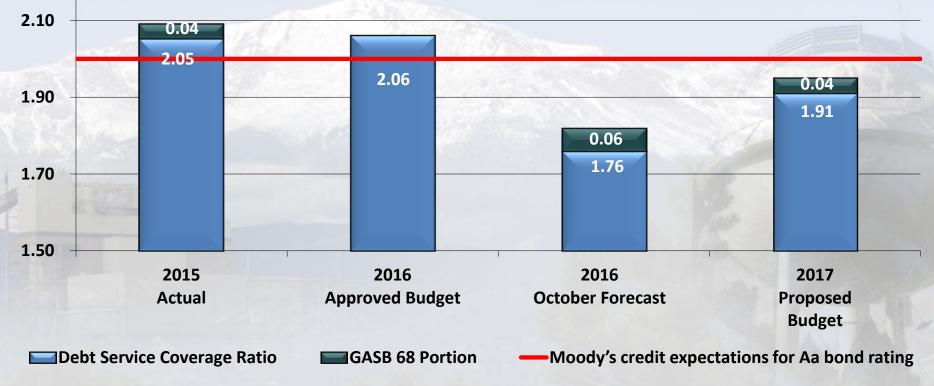


#### **Days Cash on Hand**





#### **Adjusted Debt Service Coverage**





#### **211 Funding – Fee for Service**

#### What is 211?

- United Way service to refer citizens to assisting agencies
- Comprehensive service for citizens (rent, medical, child/elder care, utilities, etc.)
- 28% of calls are for utilities assistance with referrals to COPE agencies

United Way 211 program funding needs \$180,000 per year.

**United Way Request** 

- Funding of \$60,000 each requested from:
  - City of Colorado Springs
  - El Paso County
  - Colorado Springs Utilities

#### **Benefits of Supporting**

- Colorado Springs Utilities business case estimate:
  - If 211 is not funded, costs for Utilities increase by approximately \$63,500
- No additional budget requested. Funded by Customer Service maintaining a higher vacancy rate in 2017 than forecasted



# Questions??