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Financial Statements and Supplementary Information

June 30, 2022 and 2021

(With Independent Auditors' Report Thereon)

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Independent Auditor's Report

To the Board of Trustees Urbandale Water Utility Urbandale, Iowa

Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements

Opinions

We have audited the financial statements of the Urbandale Water Utility (Utility), a component unit of the City of Urbandale, Iowa, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2022 and 2021, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Utility's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the Utility, as of June 30, 2022 and 2021, and the respective changes in financial position, and cash flows thereof for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Basis for Opinions

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAS) and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* (*Government Auditing Standards*), issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of the Utility and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinions.

Adoption of New Accounting Standard

As discussed in Notes 1 and 10 to the financial statements, the Utility has adopted the provisions of Government Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement No. 87, *Leases*, for the year ended June 30, 2022. Accordingly, a restatement has been made to the Utility's net position as of July 1, 2020, to restate beginning net position. Our opinions are not modified with respect to this matter.

Responsibilities of Management for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; and for the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is required to evaluate whether there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the Utility's ability to continue as a going concern for twelve months beyond the financial statement date, including any currently known information that may raise substantial doubt shortly thereafter.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinions. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with GAAS and *Government Auditing Standards* will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Misstatements are considered material if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, they would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user based on the financial statements.

In performing an audit in accordance with GAAS and Government Auditing Standards, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due
 to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such
 procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures
 in the financial statements.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit
 procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an
 opinion on the effectiveness of the Utility's internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion is
 expressed.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant
 accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the
 financial statements.
- Conclude whether, in our judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the Utility's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit, significant audit findings, and certain internal control—related matters that we identified during the audit.

Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the management's discussion and analysis and the other required supplementary information listed in the table of contents be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. We have applied certain limited procedures to the required supplementary information in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, which consisted of inquiries of management about the methods of preparing the information and comparing the information for consistency with management's responses to our inquiries, the basic financial statements, and other knowledge we obtained during our audit of the basic financial statements. We do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the information because the limited procedures do not provide us with sufficient evidence to express an opinion or provide any assurance.

Other Information

Management is responsible for the other information included with the financial statements. The other information comprises the schedule of cash receipts and cash disbursements – budget to actual but does not include the basic financial statements and our auditor's report thereon. Our opinions on the basic financial statements do not cover the other information, and we do not express an opinion or any form of assurance thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and consider whether a material inconsistency exists between the other information and the basic financial statements, or the other information otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If, based on the work performed, we conclude that an uncorrected material misstatement of the other information exists, we are required to describe it in our report.

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated October 17, 2022 on our consideration of the Utility's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the Utility's internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the Utility's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

Dubuque, Iowa

October 17, 2022

Esde Saelly LLP

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Management's Discussion and Analysis
June 30, 2022 and 2021

This section of the Urbandale Water Utility's Annual Financial Report presents management's discussion and analysis of the Water Utility's fiscal performance during the fiscal years that ended on June 30, 2022 and 2021. It should be read in conjunction with the Water Utility's financial statements, which immediately follow this section.

Financial Highlights

- The assets and deferred outflows of resources of the Water Utility exceeded the liabilities and deferred inflows of resources at the close of the 2021-22 fiscal year by \$37,427,698 (net position). Of this amount, \$8,320,969 (unrestricted net position) may be used to meet the Water Utility's ongoing obligations and scheduled capital improvements.
- The Water Utility's total net position increased by \$1,387,509 for the year ended June 30, 2022. This is attributable to capital contributions of \$1,425,418.
- As of the close of the current fiscal year, the Water Utility's unrestricted cash and cash equivalents balance was \$9,788,706, a decrease of \$592,275. The decrease in cash and cash equivalents is primarily attributed to higher operating expenses including the early payoff of Des Moines Water Works commitment debt during the year ended June 30, 2022.
- The Water Utility's total operating revenues increased by .310% to \$11,912,831, and the operating expenses increased by 5.477% to \$9,071,488. The total operating revenues exceeded total operating expenses by \$2,841,343.

Overview of the Financial Statements

The Water Utility Financial Report consists of three parts:

- 1. Management's Discussion and Analysis (this section),
- 2. Financial Statements, and
- 3. Notes to the Financial Statements.

This report also contains other supplementary information in addition to the basic financial statements.

The Water Utility's financial statements are designed to provide readers with a broad overview of the Water Utility's finances, in a manner similar to private business.

The Water Utility's financial statements report on the functions of the Water Utility. The Water Utility is an enterprise fund supported by water revenues. The Urbandale Water Utility Board consists of a three-member Board of Trustees. The trustees are nominated by the Mayor and elected by the City Council. Under Chapter 388 of the Code of Iowa and Urbandale City Ordinance, the Water Utility Board is independent and has all the rights of a City Council with the exception that it cannot levy taxes or issue general obligation bonds. The Water Utility's operating budget is approved by the Water Board and accepted by the City Council.

The title to all property must be held in the name of the City, but the Water Utility Board has all the powers with respect to acquisition by purchase, condemnation or otherwise lease, sale or other disposition of the property, and the management, control and operation, subject to the requirements, terms, covenants, conditions and provisions

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of any resolutions authorizing the issuance of revenue bonds, pledge orders or obligations which are payable from the revenues of the water utility.

The statement of net position presents information of the Water Utility's assets and deferred outflows of resources and liabilities and deferred inflows of resources, with the difference between them reported as net position. Over a period of time the increases or decreases in net position can be an indicator of the financial stability of the Water Utility. Total net position increased by 3.850% and 8.765% for the fiscal years ending June 30, 2022 and 2021, respectively.

The largest portion of the Water Utility's net position (77.768%) is investment in capital assets (e.g. building, distribution system and equipment). See discussion of capital asset activity on page 9. The Water Utility uses these capital assets to provide services to the residents of the City; therefore, the assets are not available for future spending. The capital assets are reported net of related debt. The Water Utility provides revenue through the sale of water and the delivery of goods and services to liquidate any liabilities incurred through operations or capitalized projects.

	_	June 30, 2022	June 30, 2021	Not Restated June 30, 2020
Current assets	\$	11,703,664	12,633,318	10,749,412
Restricted assets		186,073	175,066	146,834
Noncurrent assets		1,745,986	1,828,048	· —
Capital assets, net		29,573,729	27,850,159	26,845,218
Deferred outflows of resources		271,236	339,018	312,814
Total assets and deferred	-			
outflows of resources	=	43,480,688	42,825,609	38,054,278
Long-term liabilities		1,424,979	2,911,109	3,017,186
Other liabilities		1,841,077	1,905,491	1,742,049
Deferred inflows of resources		2,786,934	1,968,820	159,667
Total liabilities and deferred inflows of resources	-	6,052,990	6,785,420	4,918,902
Net position:				
Net investment in capital assets		29,106,729	27,156,159	25,929,218
Unrestricted	_	8,320,969	8,884,030	7,206,158
Total net position	_	37,427,698	36,040,189	33,135,376
Total liabilities, deferred inflows and net position	\$	43,480,688	42,825,609	38,054,278

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The unrestricted net position \$8,320,969 and \$8,884,030 at fiscal years ending on June 30, 2022 and 2021, respectively, will be used to meet the Water Utility's ongoing obligations and scheduled capital improvements.

At the end of the current and prior fiscal years, the Water Utility's financial statements report positive balances of net position.

Water Utility Activities

The statements of revenues, expenses, and changes in net position show how the Water Utility's net position has changed during the most recent fiscal years. All changes in net position are reported as soon as the underlying event giving rise to the change occurs, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Thus, revenues and expenses are reported in these statements for some items that will only result in cash flows in future fiscal years.

The Water Utility has two categories for operating revenues; metered water sales and other. Metered water sales are revenues derived from the sale of water that has passed through metering devices. Other operating revenues include fees charged for various goods and services. Operating expenses have six categories; water purchases, distribution operations, distribution maintenance, accounting and collection, general and administrative, and depreciation. The separation of activities allows detailed information regarding the fiscal effectiveness of the activity and easier tracking capabilities. The Water Utility's activities increased its net position by \$1,387,509 and \$2,904,813 for the fiscal years ending June 30, 2022 and 2021, respectively. The increase in net position for the year ending June 30, 2022 is attributable to capital contributions in the amount of \$1,425,418. The following table depicts the changes in net position for the year.

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Water Utility Condensed Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Position

	_	June 30, 2022	June 30, 2021	Not Restated June 30, 2020
Operating revenues:				
Metered sales	\$	10,884,011	10,972,893	9,561,886
Other	_	1,028,820	903,098	598,094
Total operating revenues	_	11,912,831	11,875,991	10,159,980
Operating expenses:				
Water purchases		4,801,436	4,325,285	3,425,147
Distribution operations		1,238,966	1,146,669	1,077,814
Distribution maintenance		692,049	711,799	724,580
Accounting and collection		686,543	734,265	701,149
General and administrative		727,531	820,822	770,343
Depreciation	_	924,963	861,568	855,005
Total operating expenses	_	9,071,488	8,600,408	7,554,038
Operating income	_	2,841,343	3,275,583	2,605,942
Non-operating revenues (expenses):				
Interest income		59,358	74,119	97,390
Interest expense		(23,392)	(33,690)	(70,089)
Contributions		(3,040,758)	(1,074,058)	(1,070,197)
Lease revenue		119,216	104,297	117,511
Loss on disposal of asset		_	_	(464)
Miscellaneous income	_	6,324	20,486	17,852
Total non-operating expenses, net	_	(2,879,252)	(908,846)	(907,997)
Income before capital contributions		(37,909)	2,366,737	1,697,945
Capital contributions	_	1,425,418	538,076	982,732
Change in net position		1,387,509	2,904,813	2,680,677
Net position at beginning of year, as restated	_	36,040,189	33,135,376	30,454,699
Net position at end of year	\$_	37,427,698	36,040,189	33,135,376

The Water Utility's operating revenues increased by .310% and increased 16.890% for fiscal years ending June 30, 2022 and 2021, respectively. Operating expenses increased by 5.477% and by 13.852%, respectively. The ending unrestricted position totaled \$8,320,969 and \$8,884,030, respectively. Total operating revenues exceeded operating expenses by \$2,841,343 and \$3,275,583, respectively.

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Key elements of the changes in net position for the years ending June 30, 2022 and 2021, respectively:

- Contributions from developers for infrastructure improvements of \$1,425,418 and \$538,076 for 2022 and 2021, respectively.
- Operating revenues exceeded operating expenses by \$2,841,343 and \$3,275,583 in 2022 and 2021, respectively.

Capital Assets and Debt Administration

Capital assets

At the end of 2022 and 2021, the Water Utility had invested \$29,573,729 and \$27,850,159, respectively, in capital assets that include structures, distribution system and equipment (see table A). This amount represents a net increase (including additions and deductions) of \$1,723,570 (6.189%) from 2021 to 2022 and net increase (including additions and deductions) of \$1,004,941 (3.744%) from 2020 to 2021, respectively.

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Capital assets	_	2022		2021	_	2020
Building	\$	1,181,173		1,181,173		1,181,173
Distribution system		41,364,213	3	8,270,034		37,189,281
Land		2,198,900		2,198,900		2,198,900
Equipment		988,622		982,846		948,209
Construction in progress		732,221		1,201,499		506,693
		46,465,129	4	3,834,452		42,024,256
Less depreciation	_	16,891,400	1	5,984,293	_	15,179,038
Net capital assets	\$_	29,573,729	2	27,850,159		26,845,218

Additional information on the Water Utility's capital assets can be found in Note 3 of this report.

Long-term debt

The Water Utility had a long-term capital loan debt balance of \$1,175,000 on June 30, 2022. The debt balance on June 30, 2021 was \$1,469,000. The reduction of capital loan debt was \$294,000 in principal payments.

Additional information on the Water Utility's debt can be found in Note 4 of this report.

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Maintaining the Condition of the Water Utility's Infrastructure

The Urbandale Water Utility has on-going water main replacement and distribution system maintenance programs. Each year the distribution system goes through an evaluation process to determine areas that need attention by both management and field personnel. The attention areas are prioritized and placed in the Capital Improvements Program and balanced with the available funds. The improvements have resulted in updating the system by replacing older and undersized water mains, increased fire flows and a reduction in water main breaks in troubled areas.

Distribution maintenance is performed on both a scheduled and an as needed basis. The system appurtenances such as valves and hydrants are checked after each use. They are scheduled for maintenance every three years. The valves are operated through a full cycle. Fire hydrants are operated, flowed and static pressures are recorded. Results are compared with previous tests to determine system changes.

Fiscal Year 2022 Activity

The Utility continued its meter replacement program and changed 236 meters and added 521 new connections this year. The new meters are equipped with automatic meter reading (AMR) technology allowing automated integration of meter readings to be downloaded to the customer service billing system resulting in more efficient use of utility resources.

The Water Utility completes a multi-year Capital Improvements Program (CIP) on an annual basis. The current CIP has an estimated cost of \$7,567,301 for water main replacement projects, main extensions, and various improvements to the distribution system. See Table B.

In November the Utility paid off the Water Revenue Bonds, Series 2012B, of the Des Moines Water Works, City of Des Moines, State of Iowa, dated October 30, 2012. The final payment distribution was made from the General Fund in the amount of \$2,592,782 and the Reserve Fund in the amount of \$1,099,711 for a total of \$3,692,493. By satisfying this obligation early the Utility saved \$206,263 in interest payments.

The Des Moines Metro has made progress towards regionalization of the area's water production facilities. The majority of the area utilities have reached a memorandum of understanding toward developing a regional water production entity. We are currently working on the 28E for a binding agreement for those entities that will be participating. The end result will be that all potable water produced by the region will be owned by the region and then sold to wholesale customers like the Urbandale Water Utility to then sell and deliver to their customers. In all cases the distribution and customer service activities would still be under the control of each utility.

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Table B
Urbandale Water Utility Capital Improvements 2022-2027

Year		Feet	Description	Cost
2022	S22	805	8" 67th - NW Urbandale Dr. N to dead end/ Boston 67th to dead end	\$ 202,000
	S22	1300	8" 64th St Aurora to Townsend	325,000
	S22	1300	8" 66th - Aurora to Townsend	325,000
	F22		Valve Replacement Program	75,000
	F22	600	16" Meredith - relcation east of 170th	120,000
	F22	1700	20" 170th - Plum Dr. to Waterford Rd.	395,000
				1,442,000
2023	S23	1320	8" Airline - 66th to 70th	339,900
	S23	620	8" 81st St Douglas to Madison	159,650
	S23	150	8" Madison- 81st to 82nd	38,625
	F23		Valve Replacement Program	75,000
	F23	2100	8" 70th - Douglas to Aurora	540,750
				1,153,925
2024	S24	1300	8" Monroe Court - 70th to 72nd	344,500
	S24	1100	8" Oliver Smith - 72nd to 74th	291,500
	F24		Valve Replacement Program	75,000
	F24	1600	8" Monroe Court - 72nd to Roseland	424,000
				1,135,000
2025	S25	1250	8" Roseland - 70th to 72nd	340,625
	S25	900	8" Roseland - 72nd to 74th	245,250
	F25		Valve Replacement Program	75,000
	F25	800	8" Palm - 71st to 70th	218,000
	F25	540	8" 71st st. Roseland to Palm	147,150
	F25	1470	8" Hillsdale - Patricia Dr. to Dewey Gibbs	400,575
				1,426,600
2026	S26	1300	8" Monroe Ct 70th - to 72nd	364,000
	F26		Valve Replacement Program	75,000
	F26	2530	12" Meredith - 66th to Merle Hay	708,400
				1,147,400
2027	S27	1155	8" Willard Ct./Willard Cir Hillsdale to Beverly	332,063
	S27	525	8" Beverly - Willard Ct. to New York	150,938
	F27		Valve Replacement Program	75,000
	F27	2000		575,000
	F27	450	8" Horton - Rolling Green to 83rd	129,375
				1,262,376
				\$ 7,567,301

Projects may be adjusted forward or back depending on the timing of developments in the various areas and funds available as cash flows are adjusted to reflect actual revenues and expenses. (S) and (F) stands for spring and fall construction.

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Economic Factors and Next Year's Budget and Rates

Based on historical trends, current fiscal year activity and building permits issued by the City of Urbandale, the Water Utility anticipates the following:

- Development is projected to see continued growth in the western part of the City which will increase the contributed assets of the Water Utility and the revenue from new customers.
- The 2022-23 fiscal year budget will show increases in revenues and disbursements due to anticipated increase in water and sewer sales and services to Urbandale customers. The rate the Urbandale Water Utility will be charged for water purchased from the Des Moines Water Works is projected to increase in April of 2023. This rate increase will be evaluated to determine if rate increases to our customers are necessary.
- The pandemic event of COVID-19 continues to have far reaching effects of delivery of products such as meters and brass. We have been able to keep up with new construction and development but have reduced our change out of meters slightly.

The Water Utility tracks water sales on a calendar year basis. Table C shows a trend line for the past 7 years allowing a visual look at the increase or decrease in water sales. Water sales are estimated using past history of water sales, weather conditions and population increases.

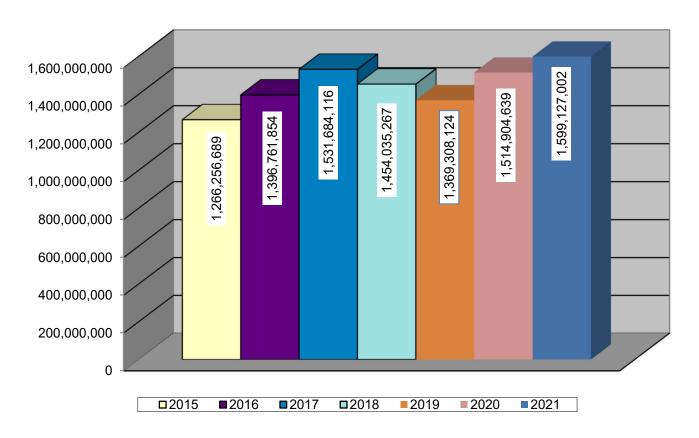
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Table C

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Contacting the Urbandale Water Utility's Financial Management

This financial report is designed to provide customers, investors and creditors with a general overview of the Water Utility's finances and to demonstrate the Utility's accountability for the business aspects of the entity. If there are questions about this report or additional financial information is needed, please contact the Urbandale Water Utility, at 3720 86th Street, Urbandale, Iowa 50322.

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Statements of Net Position

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		2022	2021
Assets and Deferred Outflows of Resources			
Current assets: Cash (note 2) Cash equivalents (note 2) Accounts receivable	\$	220,476 9,568,230 1,502,222	92,476 10,288,505 1,848,058
Leases receivable (Note 9) Due from City of Urbandale Prepaid expense and other assets Inventories, at cost		82,062 37,448 52,878 240,348	80,453 26,838 49,381 247,607
Total current assets	_	11,703,664	12,633,318
Restricted assets: Cash and cash equivalents (note 2) Due from City of Urbandale		184,513 1,560	173,906 1,160
Total restricted assets	_	186,073	175,066
Noncurrent assets: Leases receivable (Note 9)	_	1,745,986	1,828,048
Total noncurrent assets	_	1,745,986	1,828,048
Capital assets (note 3): Building Distribution system Land Equipment Construction in progress	_	1,181,173 41,364,213 2,198,900 988,622 732,221 46,465,129	1,181,173 38,270,034 2,198,900 982,846 1,201,499
Less accumulated depreciation		16,891,400	43,834,452 15,984,293
Net capital assets	_	29,573,729	27,850,159
Total assets		43,209,452	42,486,591
Deferred outflows of resources: Pension related deferred outflows OPEB related deferred outflows	_	215,525 55,711	291,794 47,224
Total deferred outflows of resources	_	271,236	339,018
Total assets and deferred outflows of resources	\$_	43,480,688	42,825,609

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	2022	2021
Liabilities, Deferred Inflows and Net Position		
Liabilities:		
Current liabilities payable from current assets:		
Accounts payable	\$ 59,838	25,489
Due to other governments	1,039,632	1,156,386
Due to City of Urbandale Compensation and payroll taxes	67,964 114,513	70,967 108,937
Compensated absences (note 4)	117,763	112,596
Interest payable	1,807	7,726
Current portion of capital loans payable (note 4)	300,000	294,000
	1,701,517	1,776,101
Current liabilities payable from restricted assets: Customer deposits	139,560	129,390
Total current liabilities	1,841,077	1,905,491
	1,041,077	1,703,471
Long-term liabilities: Capital loans payable (note 4)	875,000	1,175,000
Compensated absences (note 4)	214,497	234,659
Total OPEB liability (note 6)	310,700	298,157
Net pension liability (note 5)	24,782	1,203,293
Total long-term liabilities	1,424,979	2,911,109
Total liabilities	3,266,056	4,816,600
Deferred inflows of resources:		
Pension related deferred inflows	939,925	59,579
OPEB related deferred inflows Leases related deferred inflows	18,961 1,828,048	740 1,908,501
Total deferred inflows of resources	2,786,934	1,968,820
Net Position:		
Net investment in capital assets	29,106,729	27,156,159
Unrestricted	8,320,969	8,884,030
Total net position	37,427,698	36,040,189
Commitments (note 8)		
Total liabilities, deferred inflows and net position	\$ 43,480,688	42,825,609

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Statements of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Position

Years ended June 30, 2022 and 2021

		2022	2021
Operating revenues:			
Metered sales	\$	10,884,011	10,972,893
Other		1,028,820	903,098
Total operating revenues		11,912,831	11,875,991
Operating expenses:			
Water purchases		4,801,436	4,325,285
Distribution operations		1,238,966	1,146,669
Distribution maintenance		692,049	711,799
Accounting and collection		686,543	734,265
General and administrative		727,531	820,822
Depreciation	_	924,963	861,568
Total operating expenses		9,071,488	8,600,408
Operating income		2,841,343	3,275,583
Nonoperating revenues (expenses):			
Interest income		59,358	74,119
Interest expense and fiscal charges		(23,392)	(33,690)
Contribution (note 8)		(3,040,758)	(1,074,058)
Lease revenue		119,216	104,297
Miscellaneous income		6,324	20,486
Total nonoperating revenues (expenses), net		(2,879,252)	(908,846)
Income before capital contributions		(37,909)	2,366,737
Capital contributions		1,425,418	538,076
Change in net position		1,387,509	2,904,813
Net position at beginning of year, as restated	_	36,040,189	33,135,376
Net position at end of year	\$ _	37,427,698	36,040,189

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Statements of Cash Flows

Years ended June 30, 2022 and 2021

		2022	2021
Cash payments to suppliers Cash receipts on behalf of other governments Cash payments to other governments Cash payments to employees Other operating cash payments	\$	12,138,070 (5,990,384) 10,330,892 (10,327,889) (1,757,414) (572,657)	11,728,534 (5,614,355) 9,869,606 (9,871,939) (1,409,993) (779,774)
Net cash provided by operating activities	_	3,820,618	3,922,079
Cash flows from noncapital financing activities: Cash receipts from lease Cash receipts from miscellaneous income	_	119,216 6,324	104,297 20,486
Net cash provided by noncapital financing activities	_	125,540	124,783
Cash flows from capital and related financing activities: Purchase of capital assets Cash paid for interest Principal payments on revenue bonds and capital loans Cash paid for capital contributions		(1,223,115) (29,311) (294,000) (3,040,758)	(1,328,433) (35,028) (287,000) (1,074,058)
Net cash used in capital and related financing activities	_	(4,587,184)	(2,724,519)
Cash flows from investing activities: Cash received from interest	_	59,358	74,205
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents		(581,668)	1,396,548
Cash and cash equivalent at beginning of year		10,554,887	9,158,339
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year	\$	9,973,219	10,554,887
Cash equivalent Restricted assets - cash and cash equivalents	\$ _ \$_	220,476 9,568,230 184,513 9,973,219	92,476 10,288,505 173,906 10,554,887
Reconciliation of operating income to net cash provided by operating activities Operating income Adjustments to reconcile operating income to net cash provided by operating activities:	\$	2,841,343	3,275,583
Depreciation Change in:		924,963	861,568
Accounts receivable Due from City of Urbandale Prepaid expense Inventories, at cost Accounts payable Due to other governments Due to City of Urbandale Compensation and payroll taxes Deferred inflows and outflows of resources Customer deposits		345,836 (11,010) (3,497) 7,259 34,349 (116,754) (3,003) (1,175,387) 966,349 10,170	(388,342) (6,735) 21,507 (61,653) (96,992) 220,857 2,333 195,075 (125,552) 24,430
Net cash provided by operating activities	\$ _	3,820,618	3,922,079

Schedule of noncash capital and related financing activities – Contribution from developers, water distribution system, \$1,425,418 in 2022 and \$538,076 in 2021.

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(1) Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

(a) Organization and Basis of Accounting

The accompanying financial statements of the Urbandale Water Utility have been prepared in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP) as applied to governmental entities. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) is the accepted standard setting body for establishing governmental accounting and financial reporting principles. The Water Utility is governed by a three-member board of trustees nominated by the Mayor and elected by the City Council. Under Chapter 388 of the Code of Iowa and Urbandale City Ordinance, the Water Utility Board is independent and has all the rights of a City Council with the exception that it cannot levy taxes or issue general obligation bonds.

The Water Utility is a component unit of the City of Urbandale, Iowa (the City). The financial statements do not present the financial position and changes in net position of the City.

The flow of economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting are used by the Urbandale Water Utility, wherein revenues are recognized when earned and expenses when incurred.

(b) Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash equivalents of the Water Utility include a money market account and an investment in the Iowa Public Agency Investment Trust (IPAIT), which is valued at amortized cost pursuant to Rule 2a-7 under the Investment Company Act of 1940 and is not subject to risk categorization. IPAIT was established under Iowa law to authorize cities, counties, and municipal utilities to jointly invest. IPAIT invests only in permitted investments as specified for public agencies by Iowa law. The board of trustees of IPAIT meets quarterly to monitor investment compliance and performance.

For purposes of the Statement of Cash Flows, all short-term cash investments that are highly liquid (including restricted assets) are considered to be cash equivalents. Cash equivalents are readily convertible to known amounts of cash and, at the day of purchase, have a maturity date no longer than three months.

(c) Accounts Receivable

Utilizing the first billing subsequent to year-end, the Urbandale Water Utility accrues estimated unbilled water revenues for service rendered subsequent to the last billing date and prior to year-end, based upon the number of days unbilled. Management periodically reviews accounts receivable to determine if there are amounts that are uncollectible. Accounts receivable are written off when deemed uncollectible. The direct write off method approximates the allowance method. Therefore, no allowance is deemed necessary at June 30, 2022 and 2021.

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(d) Inventories

Inventories of materials and supplies are valued at the lower of average cost or market. Inventories are recorded as expenditure at the time of consumption.

(e) Capital Assets

Building, distribution system, and equipment of the Urbandale Water Utility are stated at cost or at estimated historical cost if actual cost is not available. Contributed capital assets are recorded at acquisition value. Depreciation has been provided using the straight-line method over the following estimated useful lives:

	Years
Building	40
Distribution system	50
Equipment	5 - 10

The cost of repairs and maintenance is charged to operations when incurred, while the cost of renewals or substantial improvements is capitalized. Reportable capital assets are defined by the Utility as assets with an initial cost in excess of \$5,000.

(f) Restricted Assets

Customer deposits are disclosed in the balance sheets as restricted assets and liabilities as they represent funds that may be refunded back to customers at the termination of their water service.

Restricted cash and cash equivalents after June 30, 2022 and June 30, 2021 also represents two capital loan sinking funds. These funds are being held for the repayment of the capital loans issued during the fiscal years ending June 30, 2011, and June 30, 2015.

(g) Compensated Absences

Water Utility employees accumulate vacation and sick leave hours for subsequent use or for payment upon termination, death, or retirement. These accumulations are recorded as liabilities and are expensed in the year earned.

(h) Budgetary and Appropriation Data

The Water Utility follows the same budgeting process as the City. State law mandates that annual budgets for funds other than Custodial and Internal Service for the fiscal year beginning July 1 must be certified to the county auditor no later than March 31. The Water Utility also annually adopts a five-year capital improvement plan. The review and adoption of a budget is handled in accordance with state laws, as there is no City Ordinance governing the budget process. Preliminary review of all operating budget requests is conducted by the City Manager (the Manager) at a departmental level. The Water Utility's budget is included in this process. The Manager's budget, considered as a plan of

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financial operation along with proposed sources of revenues, is presented to the Council at least two months prior to certification. The Council holds hearings with the Manager, department heads, boards, and commissions, as well as a public hearing prior to adopting a budget. By resolution, the Council adopts a budget effective July 1 and certifies it to the county auditor, who, in turn, certifies the City's budget to the State Department of Management. This budget becomes the appropriation and is prepared on a cash basis (budget basis).

Amendments to the budget are considered annually only if revenue sources are available (i.e., unanticipated revenues and budget surpluses). The actual amendment process, as prescribed by state law, is identical to the procedures followed for the original budget, including certification. The budget for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022 was not amended and the fiscal year ending June 30, 2021 was amended.

State law allows budgeting and accounting to be on a cash basis rather than on a generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) basis. A reconciliation of the differences between the budgetary and GAAP basis for the year ended June 30, 2022 is presented for the Water Utility in The Schedule of Cash Receipts and Cash Disbursements – Budget to Actual.

(i) Financial Statement Presentation

For financial statement purposes, the Urbandale Water Utility is treated as an enterprise fund, a proprietary fund type. Proprietary funds distinguish operating revenues and expenses from non-operating items. Operating revenues and expenses generally result from providing services and producing and delivering goods in connection with a proprietary fund's principal ongoing operations, which includes providing water resources and related services to the citizens of Urbandale. All revenues and expenses not meeting this definition are reported as non-operating revenues and expenses.

(j) Pensions

For purposes of measuring the net pension liability, deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions and pension expense, information about the fiduciary net position of the Iowa Public Employees' Retirement System (IPERS) and additions to/deductions from IPERS' fiduciary net position have been determined on the same basis as they are reported by IPERS. For this purpose, benefit payments (including refunds of employee contributions) are recognized when due and payable in accordance with the benefit terms. Investments are reported at fair value.

(k) Total OPEB Liability

For purposes of measuring the total OPEB liability, deferred outflows and inflows of resources related to OPEB and OPEB expense, information has been determined based on the Utility's actuary report. For this purpose, benefit payments are recognized when due and payable in accordance with the benefit terms.

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(1) Deferred Outflows of Resources

Deferred outflows of resources represent a consumption of net position that applies to a future period(s) and will not be recognized as an outflow of resources (expense/expenditure) until then. Deferred outflows of resources consist of unrecognized items not yet charged to pension and OPEB expense and contributions from the employer after the measurement date, but before the end of the employer's reporting period.

(m) Deferred Inflows of Resources

Deferred inflows of resources represent an acquisition of net position that applies to a future period(s) and will not be recognized as an inflow of resources (revenue) until that time. Deferred inflows of resources in the Statements of Net Position consist of unrecognized items related to pension, OPEB, and leases.

(n) Leases

A lessor should recognize a lease receivable and a deferred inflow of resources at the commencement of the lease term, with certain exceptions for leases of assets held as investments, certain regulated leases, short-term leases, and leases that transfer ownership of the underlying asset. A lessor should not derecognize the asset underlying the lease. The lease receivable should be measured at the present value of lease payments expected to be received during the lease term. The deferred inflow of resources should be measured at the value of the lease receivable plus any payments received at or before the commencement of the lease term that relate to future periods.

(o) Implementation of GASB Statement No. 87

As of July 1, 2020, the Utility adopted GASB Statement No. 87, Leases. The objective of this Statement is to better meet the information needs of financial statement users by improving accounting and financial reporting for leases by governments. The impact to the Utility resulted in the reporting of lease receivable and deferred inflows of resources related to leases. The effect of the implementation of this standard on beginning net position is disclosed in Note 10.

(2) Cash Deposits and Cash Equivalents

At June 30, 2022 and 2021, the Urbandale Water Utility's cash deposits were covered by federal depository insurance or by the State Sinking Fund in accordance with Chapter 12C of the Code of Iowa. This chapter provides for additional assessments against the depositories to ensure there will be no loss of public funds.

At June 30, 2022 and 2021, cash equivalents included a money market account of \$6,254,675 and \$6,968,574, respectively, and an investment in the Iowa Public Agency Investment Trust (IPAIT) \$3,453,114 and \$3,449,321 respectively, which is valued at amortized cost pursuant to Rule 2a-7 under the Investment Company Act of 1940, and is not subject to risk categorization. Additionally, there are checking accounts with \$265,430 and \$136,992, respectively.

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Interest rate risk. The Water Utility's investment policy limits the investment of operating funds (funds expected to be expended in the current budget year or within 15 months of receipt) in instruments that mature within 397 days. Funds not identified as operating funds may be invested in investments with maturities longer than 397 days but the maturities shall be consistent with the needs and use of the Water Utility.

Credit risk. The investment in Iowa Public Agency Investment Trust is unrated. IPAIT was established under Iowa law to authorize cities, counties, and municipal utilities to jointly invest. IPAIT invests only in permitted investments as specified for public agencies by Iowa law. The board of trustees of IPAIT meets quarterly to monitor investment compliance and performance.

Concentration of credit risk. The Water Utility places no limit on the amount that may be invested in any one issuer, but does have a diversification policy to eliminate risk of loss resulting from over concentration of assets in a specific maturity, a specific issue, or a specific class of securities.

Custodial credit risk – deposits. In the case of deposits, this is the risk that in the event of a credit union failure, the Utility's deposits may not be returned to it. The Water Utility's deposits are entirely covered by the National Credit Union Administration or by letters of credit in accordance with Chapter 12C of the Code of Iowa. This chapter provides for additional assessments against the depositories to insure there will be no loss of public funds.

Custodial credit risk – investments. For an investment, this is the risk that, in the event of the failure of the counterparty, the government will not be able to recover the value of its investments or collateral securities that are in the possession of an outside party. The Water Utility held no such investments during the year.

The Utility had no investments meeting the disclosure requirements of Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement No. 72.

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(3) Capital Assets

Capital assets activity for the year ended June 30, 2022 and 2021 is as follows:

	2022				
	June 30, 2021 Balance	Increases	Decreases	June 30, 2022 Balance	
Capital assets, not being depreciated					
Land	\$ 2,198,900	_	_	2,198,900	
Construction in progress	1,201,499	732,221	1,201,499	732,221	
Total capital assets,					
not being depreciated	3,400,399	732,221	1,201,499	2,931,121	
Capital assets being depreciated: Equipment Building	982,846	5,776	_	988,622	
S	1,181,173			1,181,173	
Distribution system	38,270,034	3,112,035	17,856	41,364,213	
Total capital assets being depreciated	40,434,053	3,117,811	17,856	43,534,008	
Less accumulated depreciation for: Equipment Building	744,526	57,852	_	802,378	
S	836,362	30,617		866,979	
Distribution system	14,403,405	836,494	17,856	15,222,043	
Total accumulated depreciation	15,984,293	924,963	17,856	16,891,400	
Total capital assets, net	\$ 27,850,159	2,925,069	1,201,499	29,573,729	

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	J	June 30, 2020			June 30, 2021
		Balance	Increases	Decreases	Balance
Capital assets, not being depreciated:	_	<u> </u>			
Land	\$	2,198,900		_	2,198,900
Construction in progress	_	506,693	1,161,775	466,969	1,201,499
Total capital assets,					
not being depreciated	_	2,705,593	1,161,775	466,969	3,400,399
Capital assets being depreciated:					
Equipment		948,209	126,857	92,220	982,846
Buildings		1,181,173			1,181,173
Distribution system		37,189,281	1,087,282	6,529	38,270,034
Total capital assets being depreciated		39,318,663	1,214,139	98,749	40,434,053
Less accumulated depreciation for:					
Equipment		737,612	56,698	49,784	744,526
Buildings		805,745	30,617	-	836,362
Distribution system		13,635,681	774,253	6,529	14,403,405
Total accumulated depreciation		15,179,038	861,568	56,313	15,984,293
Total capital assets, net	\$_	26,845,218	1,514,346	509,405	27,850,159

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(4) Long-term Obligations

(a) Water Revenue Refunding Capital Loan Notes

On June 1, 2015 the Utility issued \$1,963,000 in Water Revenue Refunding Capital Loan Notes. Interest is payable each December 1 and June 1 at a rate of 1.99%. Principal payments are due each June 1 and range from \$201,000 to \$236,000 with final maturity in 2024. The proceeds were used to refund \$2,275,000 of outstanding 2005 Water Revenue Bonds which had an interest rate of 3.90%. At June 30, 2022 the restricted cash on the balance sheet includes \$21,218 in the Sinking Fund. The debt is owned by Regions Bank and; therefore, constitutes a direct borrowing.

Principal and interest requirements to maturity for obligations at June 30, 2022 are as follows:

Years Ending	_	Water Revenue Refunding Capital Loan			
June 30 ,	Principal		Interest		
2023	\$	231,000	9,293		
2024		236,000	<u>4,696</u>		
	\$	467,000	13,989		

(b) Drinking Water State Revolving Fund

The Urbandale Water Utility applied for and received a capital loan note from the Drinking Water State Revolving Fund on February 17, 2010 in the amount of \$1,671,000. The funds were used solely for the meter replacement project as defined in the application. Funds were disbursed from the Iowa Finance Authority when invoices were submitted by the Utility and approved for the project. The first \$332,000 disbursed to the Utility represents the forgivable portion of the loan. The remaining \$1,339,000 was disbursed over the next 24 months and will be repaid semi-annually over a twenty year period. A loan servicing fee is payable each June 1 at a rate of .25% of the principal amount of the loan outstanding. Interest is payable each December 1 and June 1 at a rate of 3.0%. Principal payments are due June 1 of each year, and range from \$65,000 to \$89,000 with final maturity in 2031. Effective June 1, 2020, the interest rate was reduced to 1.75% that will result in an interest savings of \$66,312. At June 30, 2022 the restricted cash on the balance sheet includes \$23,735 in the Sinking Fund. The debt is owned by the Iowa Finance Authority and; therefore, constitutes a direct borrowing.

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Principal and interest requirements to maturity for obligations at June 30, 2022 are as follows:

Years Ending		Capital Loan				
June 30,	_	Principal	Interest			
		_				
2023	\$	69,000	12,390			
2024		71,000	11,183			
2025		74,000	9,940			
2026		76,000	8,645			
2027		78,000	7,315			
2028-2031		340,000	15,102			
	\$	708,000	64,575			

Changes in long-term obligations for the year ended June 30, 2022 and 2021 are as follows:

	<u>J</u>	Balance une 30, 2021	Additions	Reductions	Balance June 30, 2022	Due within 1 year
Water revenue refunding	\$	694,000		227,000	467,000	231,000
Capital loan		775,000		67,000	708,000	69,000
Compensated absences		347,255		14,995	332,260	117,763
Total	\$_	1,816,255		308,995	1,507,260	417,763
		Balance June 30, 2020	Additions	Reductions	Balance June 30, 2021	Due within 1 year
Water revenue refunding	\$		Additions	Reductions 222,000		
Water revenue refunding Capital loans		June 30, 2020	Additions		June 30, 2021	1 year
Č		June 30, 2020 916,000	Additions — — —	222,000	June 30, 2021 694,000	1 year 227,000

(5) Retirement Plans

(a) Iowa Public Employee Retirement System

<u>Plan Description</u> – IPERS membership is mandatory for employees of the Utility. Employees of the Utility are provided with pensions through a cost-sharing multiple employer defined benefit pension plan administered by Iowa Public Employees' Retirement System (IPERS). IPERS issues a stand-alone financial report which is available to the public by mail at 7401 Register Drive, P.O. Box 9117, Des Moines, Iowa 50306-9117 or at www.ipers.org.

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IPERS benefits are established under Iowa Code chapter 97B and the administrative rules thereunder. Chapter 97B and the administrative rules are the official plan documents. The following brief description is provided for general informational purposes only. Refer to the plan documents for more information.

<u>Pension Benefits</u> – A regular member may retire at normal retirement age and receive monthly benefits without an early retirement deduction. Normal retirement age is age 65, any time after reaching age 62 with 20 or more years of covered employment, or when the member's years of service plus the member's age at the last birthday equals or exceeds 88, whichever comes first. These qualifications must be met on the member's first month of entitlement to benefits. Members cannot begin receiving retirement benefits before age 55. The formula used to calculate a Regular member's monthly IPERS benefit includes:

- A multiplier (based on years of service).
- The member's highest five-year average salary. (For members with service before June 30, 2012, the highest three-year average salary as of that date will be used if it is greater than the highest five-year average salary.)

If a member retires before normal retirement age, the member's monthly retirement benefit will be permanently reduced by an early-retirement reduction. The early-retirement reduction is calculated differently for service earned before and after July 1, 2012. For service earned before July 1, 2012, the reduction is 0.25 percent for each month that the member receives benefits before the member's earliest normal retirement age. For service earned starting July 1, 2012, the reduction is 0.50 percent for each month that the member receives benefits before age 65.

Generally, once a member selects a benefit option, a monthly benefit is calculated and remains the same for the rest of the member's lifetime. However, to combat the effects of inflation, retirees who began receiving benefits prior to July 1990 receive a guaranteed dividend with their regular November benefit payments.

<u>Disability and Death Benefits</u> – A vested member who is awarded federal Social Security disability or Railroad Retirement disability benefits is eligible to claim IPERS benefits regardless of age. Disability benefits are not reduced for early retirement. If a member dies before retirement, the member's beneficiary will receive a lifetime annuity or a lump-sum payment equal to the present actuarial value of the member's accrued benefits or calculated with a set formula, whichever is greater. When a member dies after retirement, death benefits depend on the benefit option the member selected at retirement.

Contributions – Effective July 1, 2012, as a result of a 2010 law change, the contribution rates are established by IPERS following the annual actuarial valuation, which applies IPERS' Contribution Rate Funding Policy and Actuarial Amortization Method. Statute limits the amount rates can increase or decrease each year to 1 percentage point. IPERS Contribution Rate Funding Policy requires that the actuarial contribution rate be determined using the "entry age normal" actuarial cost method and the actuarial assumptions and methods approved by the IPERS Investment Board. The actuarial contribution rate covers normal cost plus the unfunded actuarial liability payment based on a 30-year amortization

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period. The payment to amortize the unfunded actuarial liability is determined as a level percentage of payroll, based on the Actuarial Amortization Method adopted by the Investment Board.

In fiscal years 2022 and 2021, pursuant to the required rate, Regular members contributed 6.29 percent of covered payroll, and the Utility contributed 9.44 percent of covered payroll for a total rate of 15.73 percent.

The Utility's total contributions to IPERS for the year ended June 30, 2022 and 2021 were \$141,963 and \$135,472, respectively.

Net Pension Liabilities, Pension Expense, and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to Pensions – At June 30, 2022 and 2021, the Utility reported a liability of \$24,782 and \$1,203,293 for its proportionate share of the net pension liability. The net pension liability was measured as of June 30, 2021 and 2020, and the total pension liability used to calculate the net pension liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of that date. The Utility's proportion of the net pension liability was based on the Utility's share of contributions to IPERS relative to the contributions of all IPERS participating employers. At June 30, 2021, the Utility's collective proportion was (.0071785) percent which was a decrease of .0243079 percent from its proportion measured as of June 30, 2020 of .0171294 percent.

For the year ended June 30, 2022 and 2021, the Utility recognized pension expense (income) of (\$79,968) and \$186,650, respectively. At June 30, 2022 and 2021, the Utility reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions from the following sources:

2022

2021

	20.	<u> </u>	2021		
	Deferred Outflows	Deferred Inflows of	Deferred Outflows	Deferred Inflows of	
	-		V-	Resources	
	Resources	Resources	Resources	Resources	
\$	18,855	18,933	1,328	28,521	
	16,210	-	61,765	-	
	-	897,908	67,645	-	
	38,497	23,084	25,584	31,058	
•	141,963		135,472		
\$	215,525	939,925	291,794	59,579	
		Deferred Outflows of Resources \$ 18,855	Outflows of Resources Inflows of Resources \$ 18,855 18,933 16,210 - - - 897,908 - 38,497 23,084 - 141,963 - -	Deferred Outflows of Resources Deferred Outflows of Resources Deferred Outflows of Resources \$ 18,855 18,933 1,328 16,210 - 61,765 - 897,908 67,645 38,497 23,084 25,584 141,963 - 135,472	

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The \$141,963 in 2022 and \$135,472 in 2021 reported as deferred outflows of resources related to pensions resulting from the Utility contributions subsequent to the measurement date will be recognized as a reduction of the net pension liability in the year ended June 30, 2023 and 2022. Other amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions will be recognized in pension expense as follows:

Year Ending			Year Ending		
June 30,	•	2022	June 30,	_	2021
2023	\$	(211,559)	2022	\$	17,815
2024		(214,906)	2023		25,580
2025		(202,116)	2024		22,263
2026		(241,324)	2025		34,662
2027		3,523	2026	_	(3,575)
	\$	(866,382)		\$	96,745

There were no non-employer contributing entities to IPERS.

<u>Actuarial Assumptions</u> – The total pension liability in the June 30, 2021 actuarial valuation was determined using the following actuarial assumptions applied to all periods included in the measurement, as follows:

Rate of inflation (effective June 30, 2017)	2.60% per annum
Rates of salary increase (effective June 30, 2017)	3.25 to 16.25% average, including inflation. Rates vary by membership group.
Long-term Investment rate of return (effective June 30, 2017)	7.00%, compounded annually, net of investment expense, including inflation.
Wage growth (effective June 30, 2017)	3.25% per annum based on 2.60% inflation and 0.65% real wage inflation.

The actuarial assumptions used in the June 30, 2021 valuation were based on the results of an economic assumption study dated March 24, 2017 and a demographic assumption study dated June 28, 2018.

Mortality rates used in the 2021 valuation were based on the RP-2014 Employee and Healthy Annuitant Tables with MP-2017 generational adjustments.

The long-term expected rate of return on IPERS' investments was determined using a building-block method in which best-estimate ranges of expected future real rates (expected returns, net of pension plan investment expense and inflation) are developed for each major asset class. These ranges are combined

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to produce the long-term expected rate of return by weighting the expected future real rates of return by the target asset allocation percentage and by adding expected inflation. The target allocation and best estimates of arithmetic real rates of return for each major asset class are summarized in the following table:

Asset Class	Asset Allocation	Long-Term Expected Real Rate of Return
Domestic Equity	22.0%	4.43%
International equity	17.5	6.01
Global smart beta equity	6.0	5.10
Core plus fixed income	26.0	0.29
Public Credit	4.0	2.08
Cash	1.0	(0.25)
Private equity	13.0	9.51
Private real assets	7.5	4.63
Private credit	3.0	2.87
	100.0%	

<u>Discount Rate</u> – The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was 7.00%. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed that employee contributions from the Utility will be made at contractually required rates, actuarially determined. Based on those assumptions, the IPERS' fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make all projected future benefit payments of current active and inactive employees. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was applied to all periods of projected benefit payments to determine the total pension liability.

Sensitivity of the Utility's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate - The following presents the Utility's proportionate share of the net pension liability calculated using the discount rate of 7.00%, as well as what the Utility's proportionate share of the net pension liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1% lower (6.00%) or 1% higher (8.00%) than the current rate.

	1% Decrease (6.00%)		Discount Rate (7.00%)	1% Increase (8.00%)	
Utility's proportionate share of the net pension liability at June 30, 2022	\$	877,131	24,782	(689,540)	
		6.00%)	Discount Rate (7.00%)	1% Increase (8.00%)	
Utility's proportionate share of the net pension liability at June 30, 2021	\$	2,006,390	1,203,293	529,909	

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<u>IPERS' Fiduciary Net Position</u> – Detailed information about the IPERS' fiduciary net position is available in the separately issued IPERS financial report which is available on IPERS' website at www.ipers.org.

<u>Payables to IPERS</u> – At June 30, 2022 and 2021, the Utility reported payables to IPERS of \$10,598 and \$10,347, respectively for legally required employer contributions and \$7,062 and \$6,895, respectively for legally required employee contributions which had been withheld from employee wages but not yet remitted to IPERS.

(b) Money Purchase Plan

The Water Utility also offers its employees a money purchase plan created and administered in accordance with Internal Revenue Code Section 401(a). The plan, available to all full-time Water Utility employees, permits them to contribute up to 8% of their salary with the Water Utility matching 60% of the employee's contribution. Additionally, the Utility offers its employees the option of contributing to a 457 or Roth IRA deferred compensation plan in accordance with Internal Revenue Code Sections 457(g) and 408A(c)(5). The Utility does not make contributions to either of these plans. All assets and income of the plans are held in trusts established for the exclusive benefit of eligible participants and their beneficiaries. No part of the trusts shall revert to the Water Utility or be used for or diverted to purposes other than the exclusive benefit of participants and their beneficiaries. Third-party administrators who act in a trustee capacity manage the plans. Accordingly, these plan assets are not reported in the Water Utility's financial statements. The contributions made by the Utility to the 401(a) plan were \$53,214 and \$55,544 for the years ended June 30, 2022 and 2021, respectively. Employee contributions to the 401(a) were \$88,690 and \$92,572, the 457 were \$36,296 and \$33,269 the Roth IRA were \$8,970 and \$9,250 for the years ended June 30, 2022 and 2021, respectively.

(6) Other Postemployment Benefits (OPEB)

<u>Plan Description</u> - The Utility administers a single-employer benefit plan which provides medical and prescription drug benefits for employees, retirees and their spouses. Group insurance benefits are established under Iowa Code Chapter 509A.13. No assets are accumulated in a trust that meets the criteria in paragraph 4 of GASB Statement No. 75.

OPEB Benefits – Individuals who are employed by the Utility are eligible to participate in the group health plan and are eligible to continue healthcare benefits upon a bona fide retirement as defined by IPERS or Social Security. Retirees under age 65 receive one month of insurance for each year of service which results in an implicit rate subsidy and an OPEB liability.

Retired participants must be age 55 or older at retirement. At June 30, 2022, the following employees were covered by the benefit terms:

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	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>
Inactive employees currently receiving benefit payments	0	0
Active employees	17	17

<u>Total OPEB Liability</u> - The Utility's total OPEB liability of \$310,700 was measured as of June 30, 2022, and was determined by an actuarial valuation as of July 1, 2021.

<u>Actuarial Assumptions</u> - The total OPEB liability in the June 30, 2022 actuarial valuation was determined using the following actuarial assumptions and the entry age normal actuarial cost method, applied to all periods included in the measurement.

Rate of inflation	3.00% per annum
(effective July 1, 2021)	
Discount rate	2.37%, compounded annually, including inflation.
(effective July 1, 2021)	
Health care cost trend rate	6.00%
(effective July 1, 2021)	

<u>Discount Rate</u> – The discount rate used to measure the total OPEB liability was 2.37% which reflects the index rate for 20-year tax-exempt general obligation municipal bonds with an average rating of AA/Aa or higher as of the measurement date.

The actuarial assumptions used in the June 30, 2022 valuation were based on the results of an actuarial experience study with dates corresponding to those listed above.

Changes in the Total OPEB Liability

	2022	2021
Total OPEB liability beginning of year Changes for the year:	\$ 298,157	263,712
Service cost	11,376	8,448
Interest	7,336	8,573
Change in assumptions	13,209	-
Change in experience	(19,378)	17,424
Net changes	12,543	34,445
Total OPEB liability end of year	\$ 310,700	298,157

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Sensitivity of the Utility's total OPEB Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate – The following presents the total OPEB liability of the Utility, as well as what the Utility's total OPEB liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1% lower (1.37%) or 1% higher (3.37%) than the current discount rate.

	-	1% Decrease (1.37%)	Discount Rate (2.37%)	1% Increase (3.37%)	
2022 Total OPEB liability	\$	328,639	310,700	293,893	
	-	1% Decrease (2.15%)	Discount Rate (3.15%)	1% Increase (4.15%)	
2021 Total OPEB liability	\$	319,247	298,157	279,216	

Sensitivity of the Utility's Total OPEB Liability to Changes in the Healthcare Cost Trend Rates - The following presents the total OPEB liability of the Utility, as well as what the Utility's total OPEB liability would be if it were calculated using healthcare cost trend rates that are 1% lower (5.00%) or 1% higher (7.00%) than the current healthcare cost trend rates.

		Healthcare Cost			
		1% Decrease	Trend Rate	1% Increase	
	_	(5.00%)	(6.00%)	(7.00%)	
2022 Total OPEB liability	\$	301,994	310,700	319,597	
			Healthcare Cost		
		1% Decrease	Trend Rate	1% Increase	
	_	(5.00%)	(6.00%)	(7.00%)	
2021 Total OPEB liability	\$	285,666	298,157	311,056	

<u>OPEB Expense and Deferred Outflows and Inflows of Resources Related to OPEB</u> - For the year ended June 30, 2022, the Utility recognized OPEB expense of \$22,277.

At June 30, 2022, the Utility reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to OPEB from the following resources:

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	2022		2021		
	Deferred		Deferred	Deferred	Deferred
		Outflows of	Inflows of	Outflows of	Inflows of
	. <u>-</u>	Resources	Resources	Resources	Resources
Differences between expected and	¢	55 711	10.061	47.224	740
actual experience	\$	55,711	18,961	47,224	740

The amount reported as deferred outflows and inflows of resources related to OPEB will be recognized as OPEB expense as follows:

Year Ending June 30,	_	2022	Year Ending June 30,	_	2021
2023	\$	3,565	2022	\$	3,914
2024		3,565	2023		3,914
2025		3,565	2024		3,914
2026		3,565	2025		3,914
2027		3,565	2026		3,914
Thereafter	_	18,925	Thereafter	_	26,911
	\$	36,750		\$	46,481

(7) Risk Management

The Utility is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts, theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets, errors and omissions, injuries to employees, and natural disasters. Workers compensation and general liability and auto liability coverages are provided through the Utility's participation in self-insurance risk pools as described in the subsequent paragraphs. Commercial insurance is purchased for all other risks of loss. Settlements have not exceeded coverages for each of the past three fiscal years.

(a) Iowa Municipalities Workers' Compensation Association

The Utility is a member of the Iowa Municipalities Workers' Compensation Association (the Association). The Association is a local government risk-sharing pool whose more than 530 members include various municipal and county governments throughout the State of Iowa. The Association was formed in July, 1981 to formulate, develop and administer, on behalf of the member governments, a program of joint self-insurance to stabilize costs related to members' workers' compensation liabilities. The members participating in the Association to manage and conduct the business and affairs of the Association elect a board of trustees consisting of seven members. Program components

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include claims management, member education and loss control services. There have been no reductions in insurance coverage from prior years.

Each member pays annual premiums determined by using applicable standard rates for the exposure to risk and applicable experience modification factors of the National Council on Compensation Insurance. Each member may be subject to additional premiums to pay it's pro rata share of claims which exceeds the Association's resources available to pay such claims. A distribution to members may also be made if the Association has excess monies remaining after payment of claims and expenses. The Association uses reinsurance and excess risk-sharing agreements to reduce its exposure to large losses. Claims exceeding \$750,000 are reinsured in an amount not to exceed \$2,000,000 per occurrence. Members may withdraw from the Association at any time provided they provide assets for settlement of all pending claims.

The Utility's premium contributions to the Association are recorded as expenditures from its operating funds at the time of payment to the risk pool. The Utility's annual contributions to the Association for the year ended June 30, 2022 were \$11,574.

(b) Iowa Communities Assurance Pool

The Utility is a member of the Iowa Communities Assurance Pool, as allowed by Chapter 670.7 of the Code of Iowa. The Iowa Communities Assurance Pool (Pool) is a local government risk-sharing pool whose 794 members include various governmental entities throughout the State of Iowa. The Pool was formed in August 1986 for the purpose of managing and funding third-party liability claims against its members. The Pool provides coverage and protection in the following categories: general liability, automobile liability, automobile physical damage, public officials' liability, police professional liability, property, inland marine and boiler/machinery. There have been no reductions in insurance coverage from prior years.

Each member's annual casualty contributions to the Pool fund current operations and provide capital. Annual casualty operating contributions are those amounts necessary to fund, on a cash basis, the Pool's general and administrative expenses, claims, claims expenses and reinsurance expenses estimated for the fiscal year, plus all or any portion of any deficiency in capital. Capital contributions are made during the first six years of membership and are maintained at a level determined by the Board not to exceed 300% of basis rate.

The Pool also provides property coverage. Members who elect such coverage make annual property operating contributions which are necessary to fund, on a cash basis, the Pool's general and administrative expenses, reinsurance premiums, losses and loss expenses for property risks estimated for the fiscal year, plus all or any portion of any deficiency in capital. Any year-end operating surplus is transferred to capital. Deficiencies in operations are offset by transfers from capital and, if insufficient, by the subsequent year's member contributions.

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The Utility's property and casualty contributions to the risk pool are recorded as expenditures from its operating funds at the time of payment to the risk pool. The Utility's contributions to the Pool for the year ended June 30, 2022 were \$57,894.

The Pool uses reinsurance and excess risk-sharing agreements to reduce its exposure to large losses. The Pool retains general, automobile, police professional, and public officials' liability risks up to \$500,000 per claim. Claims exceeding \$500,000 are reinsured through reinsurance and excess risk-sharing agreements up to the amount of risk-sharing protection provided by the Utility's risk-sharing certificate. Property and automobile physical damage risks are retained by the Pool up to \$250,000 each occurrence. Property risks exceeding \$250,000 are reinsured through reinsurance and excess risk-sharing agreements up to the amount of risk-sharing protection provided by the Utility's risk-sharing certificate.

The Pool's intergovernmental contract with its members provides that in the event a casualty claim, property loss or series of claims or losses exceeds the amount of risk-sharing protection provided by the Utility's risk-sharing certificate, or in the event a casualty claim, property loss or series of claims or losses exhausts the Pool's funds and any excess risk-sharing recoveries, then payment of such claims or losses shall be the obligation of the respective individual member against whom the claim was made or the loss was incurred.

The Utility does not report a liability for losses in excess of reinsurance or excess risk-sharing recoveries unless it is deemed probable such losses have occurred and the amount of such loss can be reasonably estimated. Accordingly, at June 30, 2022, no liability has been recorded in the Utility's financial statements. As of June 30, 2022, settled claims have not exceeded the risk pool or reinsurance coverage since the Pool's inception.

Members agree to continue membership in the Pool for a period of not less than one full year. After such period, a member who has given 60 days' prior written notice may withdraw from the Pool. Upon withdrawal, payments for all casualty claims and claims expenses become the sole responsibility of the withdrawing member, regardless of whether a claim was incurred or reported prior to the member's withdrawal. Upon withdrawal, a formula set forth in the Pool's intergovernmental contract with its members is applied to determine the amount (if any) to be refunded to the withdrawing member.

(8) Commitments

(a) Des Moines Water Works

The Urbandale Water Utility has entered into agreements with Des Moines Water Works for the construction of Des Moines Water Works-owned booster stations, a treatment plant, feeder mains, and a storage tank, which will enhance service to the City. Des Moines Water Works designed, constructed, and financed the booster stations, a treatment plant, feeder mains, and storage tank through issuance of revenue bonds. On October 12, 2021 the Urbandale Water Board of Trustees

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passed a Resolution Authorizing the Redemption of Urbandale Water Utility's Portion of Outstanding Water Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2012B, of the Des Moines Water Works, City of Des Moines, State of Iowa, dated October 30, 2012. The redemption in the amount of \$3,692,493 consisted of outstanding principal. The final payment distribution November 18, 2021 was made from the General Fund in the amount of \$2,592,782 and the Reserve Fund in the amount of \$1,099,711 for a total of \$3,692,493. By satisfying this obligation early the Utility saved \$206,263 in interest payments.

(b) Central Iowa Regional Drinking Water Commission

The Urbandale Water Utility, in conjunction with 23 other governmental entities that provide water services, created a Central Iowa Regional Drinking Water Commission (the Commission). The Commission was created to (1) jointly plan and coordinate implementation for water supply, treatment, distribution, and storage facilities; (2) enable the participants in the Commission to jointly provide services in a cost effective manner; and (3) enable the participants in the Commission to undertake joint or coordinated procurement of goods and services. The Commission has not set a budget for expenditures. The Water Utility will be responsible for its proportional share of the budgeted expenses, which will be determined on the basis of the ratio of its retail customer accounts to the total retail customers of all participants, using the most recent information available each year.

(9) Leases

The Water Utility leases a portion of its facilities for cellular antenna sites. The leases are non-cancelable for initial periods of five years, with five renewal periods ranging from three to five years. The Water Utility believes the lessee will exercise the renewal options with reasonable certainty. The agreements allow for increases at renewals. During the fiscal year, the Water Utility recognized \$119,216 in lease revenue related to the agreements. At June 30, 2022, the Water Utility recorded \$1,828,048 in lease receivables and deferred inflows of resources for the arrangement. The Water utility used an interest rate of 2.0%, based on the rates available to finance construction projects over the similar time periods.

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Remaining amounts to be received associated with these leases are as follows:

Fiscal Year Ended		
June 30,	_	Lease Revenue
2023	\$	82,062
2024		86,666
2025		92,832
2026		100,395
2027		107,095
2028-2032		548,680
2033-2037		513,579
2038-2042		226,932
2043-2044		69,807
	\$	1,828,048

(10) New Accounting Pronouncement Implemented

As of July 1, 2020, the Water Utility adopted GASB No. 87, Leases. This standard establishes a single model for lease accounting based on the foundational principle that leases are financings of the right to use an underlying asset. The Statement requires recognition of certain lease assets and liabilities for leases that previously were classified as operating leases and recognized as inflows of resources or outflows of resources based on the payment provisions on the contract.

	July 1, 2021 Balance	Additions	Deletions	June 30, 2022 Balance
Lease Receivable	\$ 1,908,501	\$ -	\$ 80,453	\$ 1,828,048
	July 1, 2020 Balance	Additions	Deletions	June 30, 2021 Balance
Lease Receivable	\$ 1,983,376	\$ -	\$ 74,875	\$ 1,908,501

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Beginning net position was restated to retroactively adopt the provisions of GASB Statement No. 87 as follows:

Net position at June 30, 2020, as previously reported	\$ 33,135,376
Add lease receivable under GASB No. 87 at	1.002.277
June 30, 2020 Less deferred inflows of resources under GASB	1,983,376
No. 87 at June 30, 2020	(1,983,376)
110. 07 at valle 30, 2020	(1,505,570)
Net position at June 30, 2020, as restated	\$ 33,135,376

(11) **COVID-19**

In March 2020, the COVID-19 outbreak was declared a global pandemic. The disruption to businesses across a range of industries in the United States continues to evolve. The full impact to local, regional and national economies, including that of Urbandale Water Utility remains uncertain.

To date, the outbreak has not created a material disruption to the operations of Urbandale Water Utility. However, the extent of the financial impact of COVID-19 will depend on future developments, including the spread of the virus, duration and timing of the economic recovery. Due to these uncertainties, management cannot reasonably estimate the potential impact to Urbandale Water Utility.

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Required Supplementary Information

Schedule of the Utility's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability

Iowa Public Employees' Retirement System - IPERS

For the Last Eight Years

	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015
Utility's proportionate share of the net pension liability (asset)	-0.0071785%	0.0171294%	0.0179618%	0.0173791%	0.0168905%	0.0170391%	0.0170161%	0.0175847%
Utility's proportion of the net pension liability (asset)	\$ 24,782	1,203,293	1,040,109	1,099,795	1,125,122	1,072,327	840,677	697,393
Utility's covered payroll	\$ 1,442,877	1,360,104	1,367,021	1,306,205	1,260,797	1,222,791	1,165,755	1,150,666
Utility's proportionate share of the net pension liability as a percentage of its covered payroll	1.72%	88.47%	76.09%	84.20%	89.24%	87.70%	72.11%	60.61%
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability.	100.81%	82.90%	85.45%	83.62%	82.21%	81.82%	85.19%	87.61%

In accordance with GASB No. 68, the amounts presented for each fiscal year were determined as of June 30 of the preceding year.

See accompanying notes to required supplementary information.

Note: GASB Statement No. 68 requires ten years of information to be presented in this table. However, until a full 10-year trend is compiled, the Utility will present information for those years for which information is available.

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Schedule of Utility Contributions

Iowa Public Employees' Retirement System - IPERS Last Ten Fiscal Years

	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013
Statutorily required contribution	\$ 141,963	135,472	128,287	129,041	116,645	112,589	109,195	104,102	102,751	104,545
Contributions in relation to the statutorily required contribution	141,963	135,472	128,287	129,041	116,645	112,589	109,195	104,102	102,751	104,545
Contribution deficiency (excess)	\$ 	<u> </u>		<u>-</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>		<u> </u>	_
Utility's covered payroll	\$ 1,503,841	1,442,877	1,360,140	1,367,021	1,306,205	1,260,797	1,222,791	1,165,755	1,150,666	1,205,835
Contributions as a percentage of covered payroll	9.44%	9.39%	9.43%	9.44%	8.93%	8.93%	8.93%	8.93%	8.93%	8.67%

See accompanying notes to required supplementary information.

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Notes to Required Supplementary Information – Pension Liability Year ended June 30, 2022

Changes of benefit terms:

There are no significant changes in benefit terms.

Changes of assumptions:

The 2018 valuation implemented the following refinements as a result of a demographic assumption study dated June 28, 2018:

- Changed mortality assumptions to the RP-2014 mortality tables with mortality improvements modeled using Scale MP-2017.
- Adjusted retirement rates.
- Lowered disability rates.
- Adjusted the probability of a vested Regular member electing to receive a deferred benefit.
- Adjusted the merit component of the salary increase assumption.

The 2017 valuation implemented the following refinements as a result of a quadrennial experience study dated March 24, 2017:

- Decreased the assumed rate of interest on member accounts from 3.75% to 3.50% per year.
- Decreased the inflation assumption from 3.00% to 2.6%.
- Decreased the discount rate from 7.5% to 7.00%.
- Decreased the wage growth assumption from 4.00% to 3.25%.
- Decreased the payroll growth assumption from 4.00% to 3.25%.

The 2014 valuation implemented the following refinements as a result of a quadrennial experience study:

- Decreased the inflation assumption from 3.25% to 3.00%.
- Decreased the assumed rate of interest on member accounts from 4.00% to 3.75% per year.
- Adjusted male mortality rates for retirees in the Regular membership group.
- Reduced retirement rates for sheriffs and deputies between the ages of 55 and 64.
- Moved from an open 30-year amortization period to a closed 30-year amortization period for the UAL (unfunded actuarial liability) beginning June 30, 2014. Each year thereafter, changes in the
- UAL from plan experience will be amortized on a separate closed 20-year period.

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Schedule of Changes in the Utility's Total OPEB Liability, Related Ratios and Notes

For the Last Five Years

	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018
Service cost	\$ 11,376	8,448	8,448	7,084	7,084
Interest cost	7,336	8,573	7,775	8,013	6,954
Change in assumptions	13,209	-	9,961	-	-
Change in experience	(19,378)	17,424	(863)	14,983	14,409
Net change in total OPEB liability	12,543	34,445	25,321	30,080	28,447
Total OPEB liability beginning of year	298,157	263,712	238,391	208,311	179,864
Total OPEB liability end of year	\$ 310,700	298,157	263,712	238,391	208,311
Covered-employee payroll	\$ 1,426,443	1,402,066	1,389,586	1,337,814	1,284,137
Total OPEB liability as a percentage of covered-employee payroll	21.78%	21.27%	18.98%	17.82%	16.22%

Notes to Schedule of Changes in the Utility's Total OPEB Liability and Related Ratios

No assets are accumulated in a trust that meets the criteria in paragraph 4 of GASB Statement No. 75.

Changes in benefit terms:

There were no significant changes in benefit terms.

Changes in assumptions:

There were no significant changes in assumptions.

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Schedule of Cash Receipts and Cash Disbursements – Budget and Actual

Year ended June 30, 2022

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	2022				
		Original and Final	Actual	Actual over (under) budget	
Cash receipts:					
Metered sales	\$	10,710,661	11,210,946	500,285	
Bulk and construction water sales		23,000	45,624	22,624	
Water service hookup		132,550	299,338	166,788	
Other service		10,000	11,280	1,280	
Other:					
Collections for sewer districts		5,909,173	5,542,596	(366,577)	
Taps		6,100	10,260	4,160	
Meters and parts		113,525	228,137	114,612	
Hydrant meter charge		8,000	(10,600)	(18,600)	
Sewer collection fees		131,486	133,100	1,614	
WET/Sales Taxes		893,486	811,221	(82,265)	
Bacteriological samples		4,700	4,400	(300)	
Late charges		31,000	29,547	(1,453)	
Miscellaneous		123,000	142,110	19,110	
Main reimbursements		50,000	58,438	8,438	
Interest on investments		96,000	55,334	(40,666)	
Trust receipts		63,000	68,676	5,676	
Lease revenue		112,500	119,216	6,716	
Solid Waste		2,293,200	2,345,082	51,882	
Solid waste collect		29,916	30,553	637	
Storm Water		2,392,354	2,425,678	33,324	
Storm Water collect		32,526	33,192	666	
Miscellaneous Non-Operating	_	5,000	6,324	1,324	
Total other	_	12,294,966	12,033,264	(261,702)	
Total cash receipts	\$	23,171,177	23,600,452	429,275	
Cash disbursements:					
Water purchases	\$	4,719,530	4,888,962	169,432	
Distribution operations:					
Personnel:					
Salaries	\$	624,854	554,427	(70,427)	
Part-time		38,250	16,437	(21,813)	
FICA		50,727	43,114	(7,613)	
Retirement		62,597	49,943	(12,654)	
Group insurance		182,570	173,228	(9,342)	
	_	958,998	837,149	(121,849)	
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Operations and maintenance:	\$	12 000	17,403	5 402	
Telephone and communication	Ф	12,000 20,308	,	5,403	
Bacteriological samples Drafting supplies		2,500	16,213	(4,095)	
Vehicle repair and maintenance		20,500	1,001 16,892	(1,499) (3,608)	
Buildings and grounds			126,036		
Utility systems and structures		151,500 1,651,616	1,227,198	(25,464) (424,418)	
Inspections		75,000	900	(74,100)	
New meters		201,275	226,699	25,424	
Automotive equipment		53,000	503	(52,497)	
Easements		2,500		(2,500)	
Miscellaneous		2,500	_	(2,500)	
	_	2,192,699	1,632,845	(559,854)	
Total distribution operations	_		2,469,994		
i otal distribution operations	_	3,151,697	4,707,774	(681,703)	

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Schedule of Cash Receipts and Cash Disbursements – Budget and Actual

Year ended June 30, 2022

			2022	
	_	Original and Final	Actual	Actual over (under) budget
Distribution maintenance:				
Personnel:		400.000		(20.040)
Salaries	\$	433,858	395,039	(38,819)
FICA Retirement		33,190 40,314	29,454	(3,736)
Group insurance		160,439	36,938 125,694	(3,376) (34,745)
Group insurance	_			
	_	667,801	587,125	(80,676)
Operations and maintenance:	Ф	05.000	44.200	(40.702)
System maintenance	\$	85,000	44,298	(40,702)
Minor equipment and tools Main maintenance supplies		18,200 50,500	12,707 40,100	(5,493) (10,400)
Repair maintenance, vehicles,		30,300	40,100	(10,400)
and equipment		12,100	5,171	(6,929)
Miscellaneous contract work		10,000	34,936	24,936
Meter parts		7,500	7,846	346
Hydrants, valves, and parts		65,000	43,471	(21,529)
Miscellaneous	_	750		(750)
	_	249,050	188,529	(60,521)
Total distribution maintenance	_	916,851	775,654	(141,197)
Accounting and collection:				
Personnel:				
Salaries	\$	283,627	268,639	(14,988)
Part-time		21.607	10.062	(2.025)
FICA Retirement		21,697 26,774	18,862	(2,835)
Group insurance		124,187	25,041 107,586	(1,733) (16,601)
Group insurance	_			
	_	456,285	420,128	(36,157)
Operations and maintenance:		4.00.000	400000	• • • •
Postage and shipping	\$	130,600	130,990	390
Computer/Printing Customer refunds		250,362	188,081	(62,281)
Remittances to sewer districts		20,000 5,909,173	36,080 5,568,091	16,080 (341,082)
Solid Waste remittances		2,293,200	2,342,203	49,003
Storm Water remittances		2,392,354	2,423,163	30,809
Sales tax remittances		906,408	765,663	(140,745)
Miscellaneous	_	1,000	481	(519)
	_	11,903,097	11,454,752	(448,345)
Total accounting and collection	_	12,359,382	11,874,880	(484,502)

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Schedule of Cash Receipts and Cash Disbursements – Budget and Actual

Year ended June 30, 2022

		2022				
		Original and Final		Actual	Actual over (under) budget	
General and administrative:						
Personnel:						
Salaries	\$	324,224		322,224	(2,000)	
FICA		25,538		22,527	(3,011)	
Retirement		98,087		84,254	(13,833)	
Group insurance	_	66,281		58,638	(7,643)	
	_	514,130		487,643	(26,487)	
Operations and maintenance:						
Liability insurance	\$	95,005		75,660	(19,345)	
Professional fees Dues, memberships, and		129,500		46,442	(83,058)	
subscriptions		13,000		11,665	(1,335)	
Postage and shipping		2,450		2,405	(45)	
Telephone		19,510		18,580	(930)	
Training		11,000		6,779	(4,221)	
Travel and conference expense		10,000		2,088	(7,912)	
Office supplies and equipment		20,300		9,508	(10,792)	
Utilities		15,000		14,261	(739)	
Advertising and legal publications		2,000		2,217	217	
Miscellaneous		12,800		11,804	(996)	
Bank service charge		60,000		60,983	983	
Capital Contributions		3,692,493		3,040,758	(651,735)	
Trust disbursements	_	50,000		58,526	8,526	
	_	4,133,058		3,361,676	(771,382)	
Total general and administrative	_	4,647,188		3,849,319	(797,869)	
2015 Water Revenue Refunding Debt Service - 2015 Capital Loan	\$	240,811		240,811	_	
2010 SRF Capital Loan:						
Debt Service - SRF Loan	_	82,500		82,500		
Total Bond/Loan Expenditures	_	323,311		323,311		
Total cash disbursements		26,117,959		24,182,120	(1,935,839)	
Cash receipts over cash disbursements	\$	(2,946,782)		(581,668)	2,365,114	
ash and cash equivalents at beginning of year	_		•	10,554,887		
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ash and cash equivalents at end of year			\$	9,973,219		

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Reconciliation of Cash Receipts over Cash Disbursements to Change in Net Position Year ended June 30, 2022

	_	2021
Cash receipts over (under) cash disbursements Change in Accrued Revenue Change in Accrued Expense Reconciling Accruals	\$	(581,668) (9,197,407) 11,186,212 (19,628)
Total change in Net Position	\$	1,387,509



Independent Auditor's Report on Internal Control over Financial Reporting and on Compliance and Other Matters Based on an Audit of Financial Statements Performed in Accordance with Government Auditing Standards

To the Board of Trustees Urbandale Water Utility

We have audited in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, the financial statements of the Urbandale Water Utility (Utility) as of and for the year ended June 30, 2022 and the related notes to the financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated October 17, 2022.

Report on Internal Control over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements, we considered the Utility's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) as a basis for designing the audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Utility's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Utility's internal control.

A *deficiency in internal control* exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct, misstatements on a timely basis. A *material weakness* is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control, such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the entity's financial statements will not be prevented, or detected and corrected on a timely basis. A *significant deficiency* is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control that is less severe than a material weakness, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

Our consideration of internal control over financial reporting was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies and therefore, material weaknesses or significant deficiencies may exist that have not been identified. Given these limitations, during our audit we did not identify any deficiencies in internal control that we consider to be material weaknesses. We identified a certain deficiency in internal control, described in the accompanying schedule of findings and responses as item 2022-001 that we consider to be a significant deficiency.

Report on Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements of the Urbandale Water Utility are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the financial statements. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit, and accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*. However, we noted certain immaterial instance of noncompliance or other matters which are described in Part II of the accompanying schedule of findings and responses.

Comments involving statutory and other legal matters about the Utility's operations for the year ended June 30, 2022, are based exclusively on knowledge obtained from procedures performed during our audit of the financial statements of the Utility and are reported in Part II of the accompanying schedule of findings and responses. Since our audit was based on tests and samples, not all transactions that might have had an impact on the comments were necessarily audited. The comments involving statutory and other legal matters are not intended to constitute legal interpretations of those statutes.

Urbandale Water Utility's Responses to Findings

Government Auditing Standards requires the auditor to perform limited procedures on the Utility's response to the finding identified in our audit and described in the accompanying schedule of findings and responses. The Utility's response was not subjected to the other auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and, accordingly, we express no opinion on the response.

Purpose of this Report

The purpose of this report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control and compliance and the result of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the Utility's internal control or on compliance. This report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the Utility's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.

Dubuque, Iowa October 17, 2022

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Part I: Findings Related to the Financial Statements:

SIGNIFICANT DEFICIENCY

2022-001 Segregation of Duties

Criteria – Properly designed segregation of duties allow entities to initiate, authorize, record, process, and report financial data reliably in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles.

Condition - During our review of internal control, the existing procedures are evaluated in order to determine that incompatible duties, from a control standpoint, are not performed by the same employee. The Utility has a limited number of people having responsibility for certain accounting and financial duties.

Cause/Effect — With a limited number of office employees, segregation of duties is difficult. As a result, some of those aspects of internal control which rely upon an adequate segregation of duties are missing and misstatements may not have been prevented or detected on a timely basis in the normal course of operations.

Recommendation – We recognize that with a limited number of office employees, segregation of duties is difficult, and it may not be cost effective to employ additional persons for the purpose of segregating duties. However, the Utility should constantly be aware of this condition and realize that the concentration of duties and responsibilities in a limited number of individuals is not desirable from a control point of view.

Response – The Utility is aware of the situation and continues to segregate duties as much as possible.

Part II: Other Findings Related to Statutory Reporting:

- **2022-IA-A Questionable Expenditures** We noted no expenditures that fail to meet the requirements of public purpose as defined in an Attorney General's opinion dated April 25, 1979.
- **2022-IA-B Travel Expense** No expenditures of Utility money for travel expenses of spouses of Utility officials or employees were noted.
- **2022-IA-C Business Transactions** No business transactions between the Utility and its officials or employees were noted.
- **2022-IA-D Bond Coverage** Surety bond coverage of Utility officials and employees is in accordance with statutory provisions. The amount of coverage should be reviewed annually to ensure the coverage is adequate for current operations.

Part II: Other Findings Related to Statutory Reporting (continued):

- **2022-IA-E Board Minutes** No transactions were found that we believe should have been approved in the Board minutes but were not.
- **2022-IA-F Deposits and Investments** No instances of non-compliance with the deposit and investment provisions of Chapters 12B and 12C of the Code of Iowa and the Utility's investment policy were noted.
- **2022-IA-G** Revenue Notes No instances of non-compliance with the revenue note provisions were noted.
- **2022-IA-H** Restricted Donor Activity No transactions were noted between the Utility, Utility officials, Utility employees and restricted donors in compliance with Chapter 68B of the Code of Iowa.
- **2022-IA-I** Mileage Reimbursement The Utility has adopted the IRS mileage rate for employee reimbursements. During our audit, we noted one instance in which the Utility paid a mileage reimbursement for an incorrect amount due to a reimbursement form formula error.

Recommendation – The Utility should review mileage reimbursement forms to ensure correct formulas are used.

Response – The Utility's staff will double check reimbursements going forward to ensure there is not a formula error in the calculation.