Annual Treasury Updates

Information Only No Action Requested Today

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Investment and Banking Policy

Annual Review has been completed

Includes Schedules authorizing staff to initiate financial transactions

Updates are needed to reflect changes in staffing and duties

Internal Audit

Payroll

Accounting

No other Policy changes needed

Request Board adoption of resolution on March 1



2021 Operational Plan of Finance

| Forecast Window | Activity | Action | Results End of Period | "Lower Results" Mitigation Tools |
|------------------------------|--|---|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| 2021 Detailed Actions | Net Scheduled Principal Early Retirements* Net New Debt Refinancing Actions | \$ 26M \$ 85M \$ - None | Par \$396M Ratio 24% | Decrease cost growth |
| 2022 – 2025 General Steps | Net Scheduled Principal Early Retirements* Net New Debt** Refinancing Actions | \$ 115M \$ 56M \$ 100M Monitor | Par \$325M Ratio 19% | Delay discretionary capital |
| 2026 – 2028 Broad Path | Net Scheduled Principal Early Retirements Net New Debt Refinancing Actions | \$ 74M \$ - \$ 130M Monitor | Par \$381M Ratio 20% | Incremental rate increases |

^{* \$73}M 2020 Plan completion and early retirements 6 months in advance for savings and coverage support

^{**} Forecast: New bond issuance of \$28M beginning in 2023

Hydro System Capital Funding

Long-term Power Sales Contracts cost plus adders continue to be utilized for pay-as-you-go capital

In 2019, Rock Island also began using Board approved internal loans to fund a portion of capital spending

Forecast 2021/22 Rock Island and Rocky Reach capital plans (plus ISS projects) of approximately \$230M are expected to exceed available power sales contract funds and require partial loan funding





Internal Loans

Match system funding need with available system cash Loan cash from one District accounting system to another Principal and interest paid back over time per schedule

Board affirmed Debt Philosophy and Planning Strategies:

First, internal loans from unrestricted funds, when available Strategic external bond issuance are also evaluated and recommended when prudent

Customer benefits of internal loans:

Supports debt leverage and coverage metrics Avoids external bond issuance and interest costs Uses available unrestricted cash earning interest at lower rate



2021 Internal Loan Recommendations

Recommending 2 years of capital funding from Financing System 2021 unrestricted cash forecast impact due to 2 year funding Still well above metrics and no material impact to 2022 forecast

Power purchaser impacts (cost-plus contracts)

Share of annual principal and interest

Some contract adders increase with internal loan balance increases

Approximately 3% increase compared to 2020 costs

Purchaser outreach plan

Courtesy advance notice will be provided to power purchasers In accordance with contracts, charges will begin in April



Loan Terms:

Per Contracts, to be set by Resolution, considered March 1

Term: 25 years

Interest Rate:

to be set March 31

(estimated at around 2.6%)

Amount:

not to exceed

Rocky Reach \$36M Rock Island \$54M





February 16-28 Commissioner questions, power purchaser outreach

March 1 Request Board approval of resolutions

March 31 Issue internal loan

