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### **COMMISSION MEETING**

8:30 am, Wednesday, July 16, 2014 CDRPC Office One Park Place Albany, New York 453-0850

### **AGENDA**

- 1. Welcome & Introductions
- 2. May 21st, 2014 Meeting Minutes\*
- 3. Financial Statement through June 30th, 2014 (Memo 14-16)\*
- 2013 Audit Report, Presentation UHY LLP Certified Public Accountants (Memo 14-17)\*
- 5. 2015 Proposed Preliminary Budget (Memo 14-18)\*
- 6. LTCP CSO Memo (Memo 14-19)
- 7. Staff Activity Report
- 8. Other Business
- 9. Next Commission Meeting Date: October 15th, 8:30 am
- \*Formal Action Anticipated

#### **COMMISSION MEETING**

May 21, 2014 CDRPC Conference Room One Park Place, Suite 102 Albany, New York 12205

#### Minutes

PRESENT:

Lucille McKnight, Michael Morelli, Judy Breselor, Stan Brownell,

Jacqueline Stellone, Fred Acunto, Phil Barrett, John Murray, Don

Ackerman, Barbara Mauro

ABSENT:

Bill Bruce, Kristin Swinton, Michael Whalen, James Shaughnessy,

Michael Stammel, Jason Kemper, Paul Sausville, Gary Hughes, Joe

Landry, Matthew Martin

#### 1. Welcome & Introductions

There were no guests in attendance.

### 2. March 19, 2014 Meeting Minutes

The minutes were distributed before the meeting. No corrections were made.

#### **Action Taken**

Lucille McKnight made a motion to approve the minutes and Fred Acunto seconded. The motion was approved unanimously.

### 3. Financial Statement through April 30, 2014

For the first four months of the year, revenues are at 31.4% and expenses are at 28.4%. There is approximately \$213,540.65 cash in the bank including one CD and outstanding receivables totaling \$152,574.19.

First quarter invoices were sent to the appropriate billing agencies for the CDYCI, CSO Water Quality, NYSERDA, and the UPWP work programs. The rent and health insurance expenses represent 5 months worth of payments.

The 2013 audit has begun by UHY, LLC and should be completed for Board approval at the July meeting.

#### Action Taken

Phil Barrett made a motion to approve the financial statement and Don Ackerman seconded. The motion was approved unanimously.

#### 4. Staff Appointments

Rocky introduced Tim Canty, a Certified Public Accountant, as the new part time Financial Officer at CDRPC. Tim has twenty five years experience as an auditor working for the NYS Public Service Commission. Tim will be responsible for CDRPC, CDYCI and CSO financial records.

CDRPC also hired Dan Harp as the new Assistant Planner to replace Joanna King who relocated to North Carolina. Dan has a Masters Degree in Regional Planning from UAlbany and has experience working with NYSERDA and NYS DEC. Dan will be responsible for data requests and special studies including school enrollment projections as well as Transportation and Water Quality related activities.

#### 5. Mid Year Staff Activity Report

Rocky gave a PowerPoint presentation to the Board with updates on the Commission's activities through the first half of the year.

A copy of the presentation is available on our website.

#### 6. LTCP CSO

Work continues on the Inter-Municipal Agreement (IMA) as the guiding document for the Albany Pool communities to implement the Long Term Control Plan. Draft documents are being reviewed to create the Local Development Corporation (LDC) including the Certificate of Incorporation, By-Laws, Mission Statement, Fiscal Policies and responsibilities, Code of Ethics and Conflict of Interest Policies, Procurement Policy, Freedom of Information Policy, and Open Meetings Law Policy. The LDC will be submitted to NYS DEC in August, 2014 to get their response and comments by December and have it in place by April 15, 2015. The LDC must be in place by the Order on Consent by April 15, 2015.

The Order on Consent was signed on January 15, 2014 and there are 53 projects set to be completed over the next 15 years. For each project there are four milestones and each have to be submitted to DEC for approval.

A meeting was held with the Environmental Facility Corporation (EFC) to discuss bonding options available. Individual communities will be the bonding entity with EFC for their share of the costs. Some communities will use a "pay as you go" program instead of getting financed through EFC. However, EFC requires that a portion of the money be available up front. A financial plan is being prepared followed by a Capital Improvements plan.

The Pool Communities and the two Sewer Districts continue to meet twice a month to form the foundation of the entity what will guide the process. Meetings are being held with DEC once a month for guidance and updates.

#### 7. Other Business

There was no other business at this time.

### 8. Next Commission Meeting

The next CDRPC Commission meeting is scheduled for July 16, 2014 at 8:30am.

#### Adjournment

Lucille McKnight made a motion to adjourn the meeting and Phil Barrett seconded. The motion was approved unanimously.

Respectfully submitted,

Lucille McKnight

Secretary



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#### **MEMORANDUM** (#14-16)

To:

Commissioners

From:

Rocky Ferraro, Executive Director

Date:

July 8, 2014

Re:

Financial Statement through June 30th, 2014

Enclosed for your review and approval are the current financial statements through June, 2014.

Through the first six months of the fiscal year, revenues are at 50% of the budgeted amount and expenses are at 42%. Par = 50%. The rent and health insurance expenses represent 7 months worth of payments.

Invoices were sent to each of the four counties. Albany and Rensselaer Counties pay semi-annually while Saratoga and Schenectady Counties are billed quarterly. Second quarter invoices were sent to the appropriate billing agencies for the CDYCI, Combined Sewer Overflow, Water Quality, NYSERDA, and the UPWP (Transportation) work programs.

On the Balance Sheet, the Accounts Payable is the money owed to the consultants working with CDRPC under the NYSERDA contract which has been billed for work completed through May and is reflected in the Accounts Receivable account.

Also as noted on the Balance Sheet, on June 30th we had \$234,145 cash in the bank and outstanding receivables totaling \$254,524. We also have one Certificate of Deposit.

CD#	Value	Expires
943799	\$ 35,212.63	November 23, 2014
	Total: \$ 35,212.63	

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# Capital District Regional Planning Commission Income Statement by Month January through June 2014

Income	_	Budget		May 14		Jun 14		TOTAL	Percent
R2390.1 · Albany County	\$	74,59	20	\$	_	\$		07.00	Par=50%
R2390.2 · Rensselaer County	┰	39,09	_		0	3	<u>.</u>	\$ 37,295	50
R2390.3 · Saratoga County	+	53,84	-+		0		0	19,546	50'
R2390.4 · Schenecatady County	$\dashv$	37,93			0			26,924	50'
R2401 · Interest & Earnings	+	30	-		5		0	18,969	50°
R2770.1 · Miscellaneous Revenue	+	10		<del></del>			2	20	79
R2770.3 · Contractual Services	十	20,00	-		0		0	0	00
R2770.4 · Foreign Trade Zone	╅	30,00	_		0	5,80	_	8,800	449
R2770.5 · Conference & Special Events	+	6,00			0		0	18,750	639
R2770.6 · Youth Center Facility	+			2,03	_	1,32		3,350	569
R3900.3 · NYSERDA		82,00	_		0	20,50	-	41,000	509
R3900.6 · LTCP - CSO	╫	72,000	-	17,45	_		0	29,389	419
R4000.2 · Economic Development (EDA)	+	150,000			0	48,29		90,864	61%
R4000.3 · Water Quality (604(b))	$-\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!$	60,000	_		0	10,96	-+	23,829	40%
	-	40,000			0	9,25	-	17,960	45%
R4000.4 · Federal Highway Aid (UPWP/PL)  Fotal Income	+-	150,000			)	35,700	3	71,119	47%
otal income	- \$	815,866	3 3	19,486	3	\$ 131,847	7	\$ 407,814	50%
Expense	ĺ		ı		Í		1		
E1010 · Salaries	\$	440,000	) \$	35,481		\$ 35,425	;	\$ 211,706	48%
E1030 · Temporary Services	1	14,000	_	330	_	1,485	-	4,598	33%
E2010 · Office Equipment	1	5,000	_	458		310		2,901	58%
E2020 · Furniture & Furnishings	1	1,000	<del></del>	0	-	070	+	2,901	
E4020 · Workshops/Conferences	+	6,000		3,791	-	0	-		0%
E4030 · Consultant Services	1	11,000	-	1,035	-	583	-	5,261	88%
E4040 · Agency Memberships	1	4,500	-	1,000	+	0	-	1,618	15%
E4051 · Computer Supplies & Software	1	5,500	_	0	┪-		+-	1,575	35%
E4055 · Data Purchases	<del>                                     </del>	500	_	150	┿	0	╌	3,758 150	68%
E4060 · Equipment Maintenance	†	1,500	-	0	┪	0	+		30%
E4070 · Office Supplies	†	3,000	+	341	╀	216	-	0	0%
E4080 · Books/Journals	<del>                                     </del>	750	-	0	╁		╁	1,159	39%
E4090 · Printing/Publishing	<del>                                     </del>	8,600	-	609	╀	0	╀	225	30%
E4110 · Rent	╁	64,000	╆		╀	633	╀	4,534	53%
E4120 · Telephone	<del>                                     </del>	4,500	╁	4,882	╀	4,953	╄	34,853	54%
E4121 · Internet	<del> </del>		╂	282	╀	283	1	1,831	41%
E4130 · Travel	├	1,000	╀	89	├-	88	∤-	846	85%
E4140 · Equipment Repair	<del>                                     </del>	10,000	├	97	╀	667	╀	1,223	12%
E4150 · Postage	<del> </del>	500	H	0	┞	0	╀	0	0%
E4160 · Miscellaneous	<del>  -</del>	3,000	├—	150	_	450	<u> </u>	1,074	36%
E4170 · Payroll Services		1,000	<u> </u>	1	<u> </u>	15	L	290	29%
E4190 · Contingent Fund	<b> </b>	2,100		167	_	161	Ļ	1,060	50%
E4200 · Insurance - General	<del> </del>	1,016	<u> </u>	0	L	0	L	0	0%
E4210 · Meeting Expenses		1,500	<u> </u>	0	L	0	Ļ	1,410	94%
		1,800	<u> </u>	125	<u> </u> _	141	_	670	37%
E4260 · Bad Debt Expense		0		0	L	0	L	0	
E8010 · NYS Retirement		92,000		0	_	0		0	0%
E8030 · FICA-Employer		35,600		2,790	_	2,885		16,905	47%
E8040 · Workers' Comp & Disability Ins.		3,000		0		0		1,974	66%
E8050 · Health Insurance		90,000		4,783		4,926		39,212	44%
E8060 · Unemployment Ins. (FUTA/NYSUI)		1,500		109		124		1,681	112%
E8070 · Professional Memberships		1,000		0		0		400	40%
E8080 · Continuing Education		1,000		0		0		0	0%
al Expense	\$	815,866	\$	55,669	\$	53,345	\$	340,912	42%

# Capital District Regional Planning Commission Balance Sheet

As of June 30, 2014

100570	(es	Jun 30, 14		
ASSETS				
Current Assets				
Checking/Savings				
A200 · Key Bank - Checking	\$	34,731		
A200.1 · M & T - CD		35,213		
A201 · KeyBank Money Market	_	199,414		
Total Checking/Savings		269,358		
Accounts Receivable				
A300 · Accounts Receivable				
A380 · A/R from Private Persons & Orgs	3	10,804		
A410 · A/R from NYS & Federal		150,302		
A440 · A/R from Other Gov't Entities		93,418		
Total A300 · Accounts Receivable	_	254,524		
	Hou	· ·		
Total Accounts Receivable		254,524		
Other Current Assets				
A210 · Petty Cash		180		
A480 · Prepaid Expenses		632		
Total Other Current Assets		812		
		0 (11		
Total Current Assets		524,694		
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	524,694		
LIABILITIES & EQUITY				
Liabilities				
Current Liabilities				
Accounts Payable				
A600 · Accounts Payable		99,998		
Total Accounts Payable		99,998		
Total Current Liabilities		99,998		
Long Term Liabilities				
A909 · Fund Balance - Unreserved		357,793		
Total Long Term Liabilities		357,793		
•		001,100		
Total Liabilities .		457,792		
Equity				
Net Income		66,902		
Total Equity	*********	66,902		
TOTAL LIABILITIES & EQUITY	\$	524,694		



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To:

Commissioners

From:

Rocky Ferraro, Executive Director

Date:

July 8, 2014

Re:

FY-2013 Audit Report

Enclosed for your review and approval is the FY-2013 Draft Audit Report prepared by the accounting firm UHY LLP Certified Public Accountants.

A representative from the firm will make a presentation and respond to Board questions about the audit findings at the Commission meeting.

Board action is requested to approve the 2013 Audit Report.



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### **MEMORANDUM (#14-18)**

To:

Commissioners

From:

Rocky Ferraro, Executive Director

Date:

July 8, 2014

Re:

Proposed 2015 Preliminary Budget

Attached for your review and approval is the proposed 2015 Preliminary Budget. A final budget will be prepared for the December Commission meeting. The adoption of the Preliminary Budget will allow us to send out the Commission's request for next year's county contributions. The counties are preparing their FY 2015 budgets and need to receive our budget request for inclusion in their budget proposals.

Budget highlights include the following:

- Overall, the 2015 proposed budget is 2.0% greater than the 2014 budget.
- The amount requested from each county will remain the same as 2014. The total amount requested, \$205,466 has remained unchanged since 2004 and is less than the \$233,575 received in 2002. Per the inter-municipal agreement, any adjustment by one county proportionately impacts the contributions from the remaining three counties.
- The contractual services revenue item reflects anticipated work during 2015 including school enrollment projections.
- The current NYSERDA grant is for the period May 1, 2014 through April 30, 2015. Funding beyond May 1, 2015 is uncertain at this time.

- A not for profit Local Development Corporation will be established and operating in 2015 to manage and implement the projects identified in the Long Term Control Plan prepared on behalf of the Albany Pool communities to address Combined Sewer Overflows in the Hudson River. CDRPC has been designated as the entity responsible for project management on behalf of the Albany Pool communities and will receive a fee for the services provided.
- Our contract with the Economic Development Administration (EDA) is for the period July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2015. We have been notified that our funding will be increased to \$70,000, an amount we had previously received prior to this year.
- Our contract for activities related to the Water Quality Program funded through the NYS Department of Environmental Conservation is for the period April 1, 2014 through March 31, 2015. For 2015-16, we anticipate the funding level will remain unchanged.
- The current UPWP contract is also for the period April 1, 2014 through March 31, 2015. We anticipate a similar amount of funding will be available beginning April 1, 2015. The money is provided by the Capital District Transportation Committee.
- Two new expense line items were added. Historically, expenses for workshops that staff may attend for a fee or workshops CDRPC has been asked to also sponsor were included under "Workshops and Conferences". This line item also included expenses associated with the CDRPC hosted Land Use Workshops. The proposed budget separates out these expenses. Under "CDRPC Workshops", it will only include expenses specifically related to our Spring and Fall Planning & Zoning workshops. The "Conference Registration/Sponsor" expense line item will include expenses associated with conference/workshop registrations staff attend and events CDRPC has been asked to make a financial contribution as host. The second expense line item created is entitled "Banking Fees". Previously, bank related expenses were listed under Miscellaneous".
- The health insurance line item was not changed due to the fact that our costs this year will be lower than anticipated. Without any change to the expense line, we can still absorb an increase in health premium costs. When the final budget is presented in December, we will have a better estimate of health insurance costs for 2015.
- Based on the preliminary proposed budget, there will be a need to draw down from the Fund Balance. However with a Fund Balance of \$353,238 and a stable cash flow, there will be no impact on operations.

CDRPC Proposed 2015 Preliminary Budget

	2014 Approved		oosed Budget
Account	Budget	Amount	Change
REVENUE			
R2390.1 Albany County	\$ 74,590.00		\$ -
R2390.2 Rensselaer County	39,091.00		
R2390.3 Saratoga County	53,847.00		-
R2390.4 Schenectady County	37,938.00		
R2401.0 Interest & Earnings	300.00		_
R2770.1 Miscellaneous	100.00		*
R2770.3 Contractual Services	20,000.00		-
R2770.4 FTZ#121	30,000.00		-
R2770.5 CDRPC Workshops	6,000.00		(2,000.00
R2770.6 CDYCI	82,000.00		_
R3900.3 NYSERDA	72,000.00		(22,000.00
R3900.6 LTCP CSO	150,000.00		-
R4000.2 EDA	60,000.00		10,000.00
R4000.3 Water Quality	40,000.00		-
R4000.4 UPWP	150,000.00	155,000.00	5,000.00
Gross Revenue	\$ 815,866.00	\$ 806,866.00	\$ (9,000.00
EXPENSE			NAME OF STREET
E.1010 Salaries	\$ 440,000.00	\$ 455,000.00	15,000.00
E.1030 Intern	14,000.00		-
3.2010 Office Equipment	5,000.00	5,000.00	
E.2020 Furniture & Furnishings	1,000.00	1,000.00	
E.4020 CDRPC Workshops	6,000.00	6,000.00	
E.4021 Conference Registrations/Sponsor		1,500.00	1,500.00
3.4030 Consultant Services	11,000.00	11,000.00	
E.4040 Agency Memberships	4,500.00	4,500.00	
2.4051 Computer Supplies/Software	5,500.00	5,500.00	<del></del>
2.4055 Data Purchases	500.00	500.00	
.4060 Equipment Maintenance	1,500.00	1,500.00	
.4070 Office Supplies	3,000.00	3,000.00	
.4080 Books & Journals	750.00	750.00	
.4090 Printing & Publishing	8,600.00	8,500.00	(100.00)
.4110 Rent	64,000.00	64,000.00	
.4120 Telephone	4,500.00	4,500.00	
.4121 Internet	1,000.00	1,300.00	300.00
.4130 Travel	10,000.00	8,000.00	(2,000.00)
.4140 Equipment Repairs	500.00	500.00	(=3000,00)
4150 Postage	3,000.00	3,000.00	
4160 Miscellaneous	1,000.00	1,000.00	
4170 Payroll Services	2,100.00	2,100.00	*
4190 Contingent Fund	1,016.00	500.00	(516.00)
4200 Insurance-General	1,500.00	1,500.00	(310.00)
4210 Meeting Expenses	1,800.00	1,800.00	
5300 Banking Fees		1,000.00	1,000.00
8010 NYS Retirement	92,000.00	92,000.00	1,000.00
8030 FICA	35,600.00	36,900.00	1,300.00
8040 InsWorker's Comp. & Dis.	3,000.00	3,000.00	1,300.00
8050 InsHealth	90,000.00	90,000.00	-·
8060 InsUnemployment	1,500.00	1,800.00	300.00
8070 Prof. Memberships	1,000.00	1,000.00	
8080 Continuing Education	1,000.00	1,000.00	·
Gross Expenses	\$ 815,866.00		6 1670100
Net Operating Income			\$ 16,784.00
25 Fund Balance-Reserved	\$ -	\$ (25,784.00)	•
09 Fund Balance-Reserved			
	-	25,784.00	•
Net Income	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -



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#### **MEMORANDUM** (#14-19)

To:

Commissioners

From:

Rocky Ferraro, Executive Director

Date:

July 8, 2014

Re:

Long Term Control Plan - Combined Sewer Overflow Study

Work continues on the Inter-Municipal Agreement (IMA) as the guiding document for the Albany Pool communities to implement the Long Term Control Plan to control discharges from combined sewer systems per the requirements outlined in the Order on Consent. Draft documents have been prepared to create the Local Development Corporation and are being reviewed by the Environmental Facilities Corporation (EFC) to incorporate the appropriate language to allow for the financing of projects through EFC. Meetings continue to be held once a month with DEC for guidance and updates.

The Financial and Capital Improvement Plans are also underway. Meetings are being held with the financial managers from each of the six communities to discuss funding options to pay for the improvements outlined in the Plan.

Required monthly reports to meet the Order on Consent's compliance schedule milestones for each project have been coordinated by CDRPC for submittal to DEC. Staff developed an FTP site and installation guide to facilitate the transfer of large documents to DEC. CDRPC will be working with each community to install and use the FTP site.

Work continues on the development of the Sewage Discharge Notification System. Once in place in 2015, the notification system will ultimately serve the duel purposes of both the sewer right-to-know notification, as required under Compliance with the requirements of Sewage Pollution Right to Know Act, and the public advisory notification proposed as part of the Albany Pool CSO LTCP to provide the public with a better understanding of CSO impacts on the water quality of the Hudson River and its tributaries.

CDRPC applied through the latest round of CFA funding for a Green Infrastructure Model Local Code program, Green Infrastructure Design Guidelines for CSO communities, and development of a Green Infrastructure Banking System. The total grant amount requested from the Department of State is \$321,750.

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### STAFF ACTIVITY REPORT

May 12, 2014 to July 6, 2014

### A. ADMINISTRATION

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