

# ANNUAL UTILITY RATE PLAN UPDATE FOR THE RESULTS OF FY 2023-24

#### **Public Utilities**

#### **City Council**

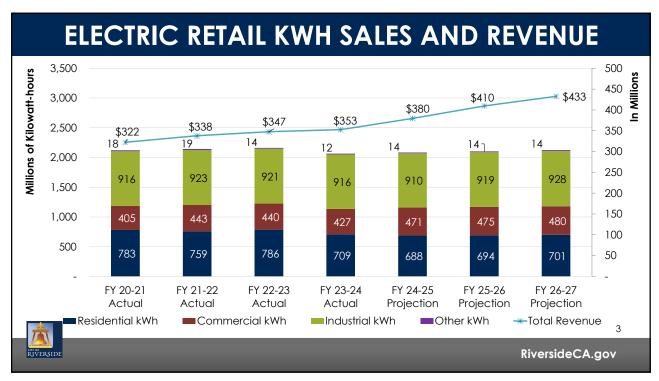
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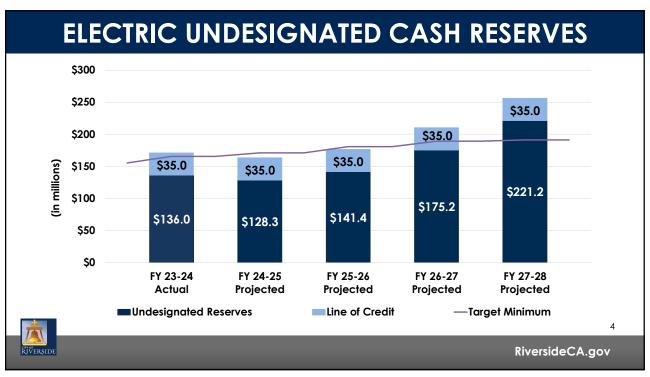


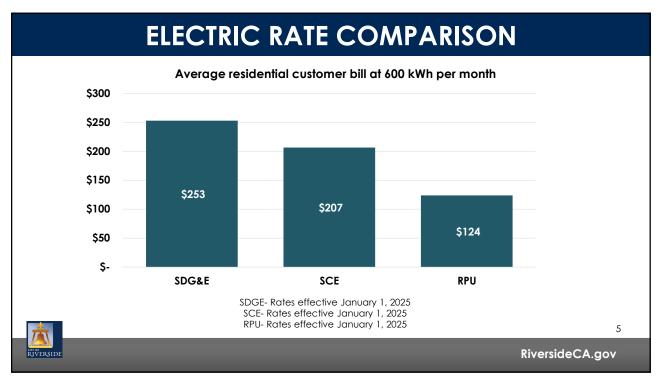
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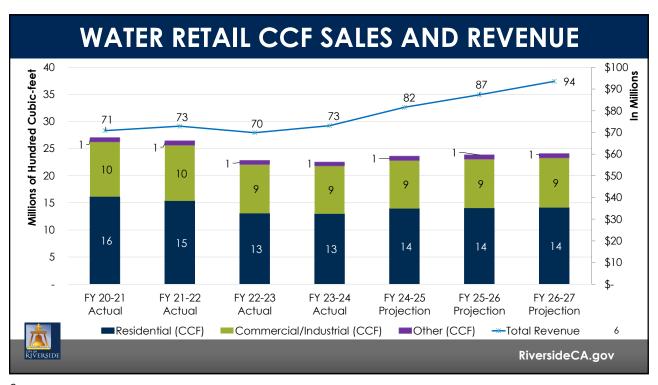
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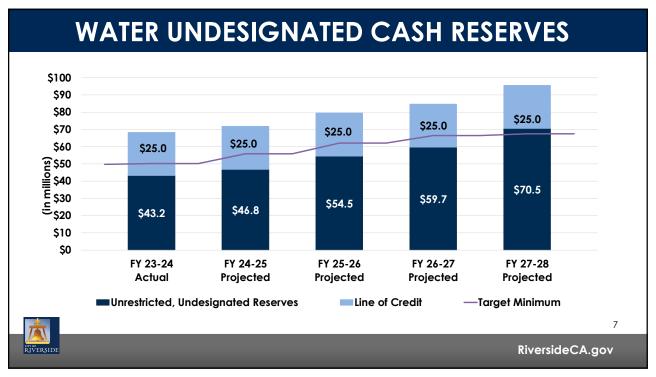
#### **BACKGROUND** Years 1-5 1. Current electric and water five-year rate January 2024 7.0% January 2025 7.0% plans approved by City Electric January 2026 7.0% Council on September January 2027 2.0% 19, 2023 January 2028 2.0% October 2023 6.50% 2. Reviews of adopted July 2024 6.50% Water rates provided annually July 2025 6.50% July 2026 6.50% July 2027 6.50% Based on system average, rate increases vary by customer class and consumption levels. RiversideCA.gov

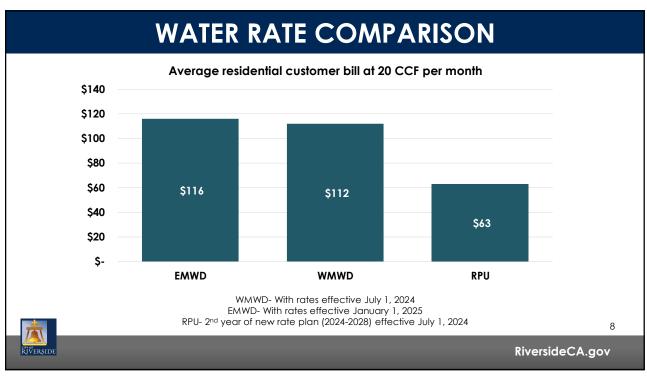












# **UNFUNDED FUTURE COSTS**

- 1. Electrification and Distribution System Upgrades
  - a. Clean Fleet Rules Zero emission vehicle purchases
  - b. Distribution System Upgrades Internal operations and to support community
- 2. PFAS Future compliance orders/standards
- 3. Aging infrastructure continues to be challenging
- 4. Water pipeline replacement
  - a. Lifecycle 125 years to industry standard 75 years



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## **WHAT'S AHEAD**

Second Year of new Electric Rates effective January 1, 2025

Fiscal Year 2023/24 Annual Audit Report and Financial Results

Third Year of Water Rates effective July 1, 2025

Continue to monitor market trends, regulatory compliance, and deliver the highest quality water and electric service at the lowest possible rates to beneift the community



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## STRATEGIC PLAN ALIGNMENT



#### Strategic Priority 6 - Infrastructure, Mobility & Connectivity

**Goal 6.2** - maintain, protect and improve assets and infrastructure within the City's built environment to ensure and enhance reliability, resiliency, sustainability, and facilitate connectivity

#### **Cross-Cutting Threads**



Community Trust









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# **RECOMMENDATION**

That the Board of Public Utilities recommend the City Council receive the annual electric and water utility rate plan update for the results of Fiscal Year 2023/24.



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