BOARD OF DIRECTORS INDIAN WELLS VALLEY WATER DISTRICT

FINANCE COMMITTEE REGULAR MEETING

REPORT

TUESDAY JULY 2, 2024 – 2:30 PM BOARD ROOM 500 W. RIDGECREST BLVD., RIDGECREST

ATTENDEES: David Saint-Amand, Ron Kicinski, George Croll, Ty Staheli, and Renee Morquecho

1. Call to Order

The Finance Committee Meeting was called to order at 2:42 pm.

2. Committee/Public Comments

None.

3. Fraud Risk Discussion

Description: Discuss potential or actual fraud risks within the organization.

Mr. Croll discussed some of the issues Inyokern CSD is facing with finances.

4. GA Imported Water Costs

Description: Discuss imported water costs and potential impact to customers' bills

Staff has been working with Clean Energy Capital on a concise written report detailing the findings of the cost study associated with the proposed pipeline design. Rate payer impact is being finalized and will be discussed at the July 8 Board meeting.

5. Financial Statements June 30, 2024 (preliminary)

Description: Presentation to Committee financial reports and graphs depicting current revenue and expense trends compared to budget and previous fiscal year actuals.

Estimated year-to-date revenues as of June 30, 2024, are \$16,275,284 and expenses are \$16,642,810, therefore expenditures exceeded revenues by \$367,526, which is better than budget by \$314,303. Additional accruals are expected as the fiscal year is closed, likely shrinking the net revenue delta between budget and actual.

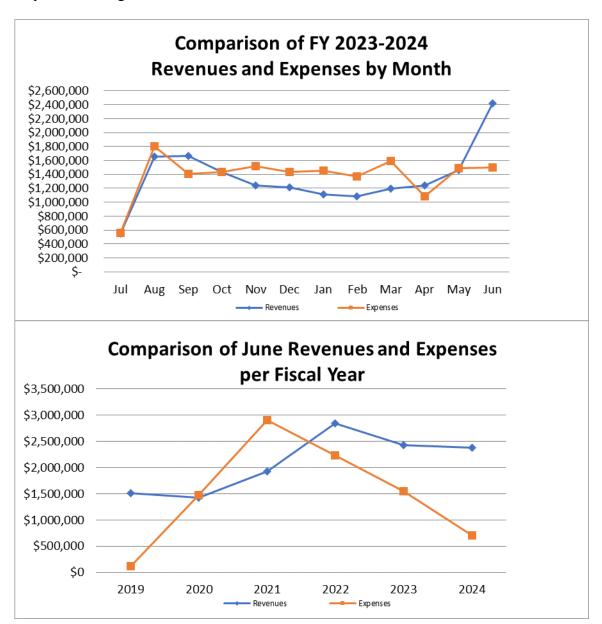
To date, the District has paid the Groundwater Authority \$14,126,632 in fees.

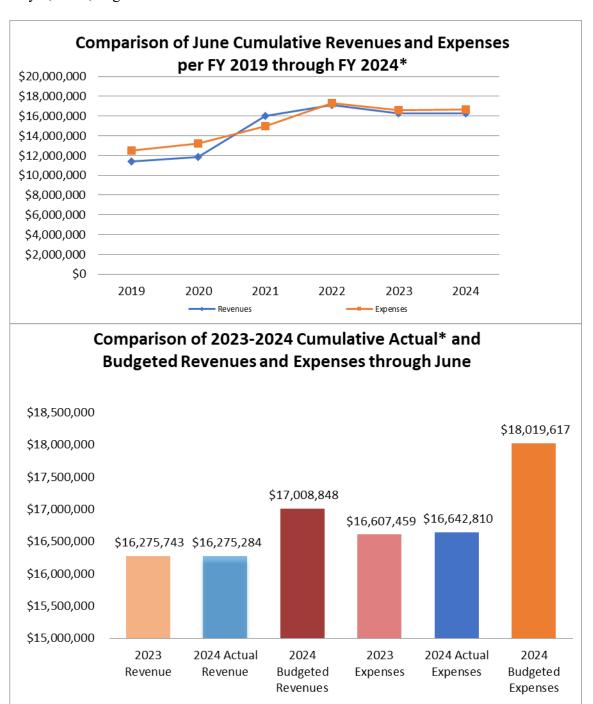
Staff presented the following spreadsheet, which compares June year-to-date actual to budgeted revenues and expenses by category:

Indian Wells Valley Water District

Revenues vs. Expense Actuals & Budget through June 2024 (Preliminary)

	Budget	Actuals	Δ
Revenues			
Total Water Sales	12,326,548	12,318,680	-7,868
GSA Fees	3,859,500	2,877,616	-981,884
Total Water Service Revenue	375,900	404,175	28,275
Total Non-Operating Income	274,500	250,900	-23,600
Capital Contributions	172,400	423,913	251,513
Total Revenues	17,008,848	16,275,284	-733,564
Expenses			
Water Supply	1,211,200	1,406,365	195,165
Arsenic Treatment Plants	413,500	248,594	-164,906
Transmission & Distribution	2,062,700	1,727,529	-335,171
Engineering	496,700	539,677	42,977
Customer Service	484,900	380,588	-104,312
Field Services	517,250	559,214	41,964
General & Administration	2,604,195	2,561,418	-42,777
Legal	800,000	1,308,697	508,697
Legislative	95,800	87,777	-8,023
Depreciation	3,300,000	3,300,000	0
Non-Operating, Interest	1,371,232	1,171,143	-200,089
Non-Operating, Miscellaneous	270,000	283,283	13,283
GSA Fees	3,937,000	2,973,388	-963,612
Non-Operating, Conservation	34,200	31,408	-2,792
Non-Operating, Alternate Water	92,000	63,729	-28,271
Total Expenses	17,690,677	16,642,810	-1,047,867
Net Revenue Increase (Decrease)	-681,829	-367,526	314,303
Capital Expenditures		2,483,572	
Debt Service Principle		1,111,663	
Total GSA Extraction Fee Paid		2,659,378	
Total GSA Replenishment Fee Paid		11,467,255	
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^{*}Actual Revenues and Expenses are Estimated

6. Accounts Payable Disbursements

Description: Presentation to Committee of Accounts Payable Disbursements reports for Board approval.

The Committee recommended approval of accounts payable disbursements totaling \$857,379.03 as follows:

Checks through:	6/6/24	6/20/24	6/26/24
Prepaid	\$ 48,458.57	\$ 51,084.76	\$ 48,525.14
Current	211,001.41	449,752.58	48,556.57
Total	\$ 259,459.98	\$ 500,837.34	<u>\$ 97,081.71</u>

7. Future Agenda Items

None

8. Adjournment

The Committee adjourned at 2:51 pm.