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**DATE:** February 4, 2025

**TO:** Angels City Council

**FROM:** Steve Williams, Interim City Administrator

**RE:** Options for Proceeding with the Proposition 218 Water Rate Process.

#### RECOMMENDATION:

Provide direction on one of three options:

1) Proceed with the February 4, 2025, Public Hearing as scheduled; or

- 2) Postpone the Public Hearing for a later date; or
- 3) Abandon the Public Hearing scheduled for February 4, 2025, and direct staff to initiate a new Proposition 218-compliant public notice process for a Public Hearing scheduled at least 45 days after the public notices are postmarked.

### **BACKGROUND:**

The Public Hearing scheduled for February 4, 2025, is the result of public notices which were postmarked December 20, 2025.

### DISCUSSION:

The City of Angels engaged in a process compliant with Proposition 218 to hold in a Public Hearing to consider maximum fees related to water the wastewater services in the City of Angles for the next five years.

The Public Hearing is scheduled for February 4, 2025.

Through engagement with the public in a transparent and comprehensive process, staff and City Council received and considered feedback regarding the proposed rate changes.

The City Council now has the opportunity to proceed with one of the following options:

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## **FINANCIAL IMPACT:**

None.

# **ATTACHMENTS:**

- 1) Notification Letter Postmarked December 20, 2024
- 2) Public Workshop Notice January 29, 2025
- 3) Draft Rate Study

