

City Council Regular Meeting

DEPARTMENT: Public Works
FROM: Errick Thompson, Director
MEETING: December 15, 2025

SUBJECT:

Receive a report, hold a discussion, and provide staff direction regarding public engagement for the potential implementation of a stormwater utility and fee. *(Staff Contact: Errick Thompson, Director of Public Works)*

STRATEGIC PRIORITY AND GOAL(S):

Strategic Priority	Strategic Goal
 <p>High Performing City Organization Providing Exceptional, People Focused Services</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">1.2 Continue to improve the efficiency and productivity of operations1.3 Deliver high-quality service and communications to external and internal customers

SUMMARY:

Staff will provide an overview of public engagement efforts completed and pending pursuant to previous City Council direction.

Staff initiated a robust outreach campaign to help educate the community on the need for sustainable stormwater funding and preliminary fee structure and costs. In addition, the campaign provided multiple ways for property owners to provide feedback and follow along for updates as the initiative develops further.

Staff will also seek direction from City Council on next steps.

RECOMMENDATION:

N/A

PRIOR ACTION/INPUT (Council, Boards, Citizens):

1/6/2025: City Council awarded a professional services contract to Freese and Nichols for technical assistance in the development of a stormwater utility and fee

5/21/2025: Infrastructure & Development Committee received a report from staff and provided recommendations to City Council

5/27/2025: City Council received a report and provided direction to staff to proceed with development of a stormwater utility and fee

REFERENCE:

FISCAL IMPACT:

N/A

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