

CITY COUNCIL MEMORANDUM

City Council Meeting: April 17, 2025

Department: Public Works

Subject: Monthly meter replacement report

BACKGROUND

The La Vernia Public Works Department is actively engaged in the city-wide meter replacement project. To date, 257 meters have been successfully installed out of a total of 840 accounts. The initial priority remains the replacement of broken or zero-consumption meters. These are identified and assigned as work orders in the Sentryx system, enabling Public Works to target the necessary replacements efficiently. Currently, there are 25 open work orders, with 45 broken or zero-read meters.

GOAL

To complete all outstanding work orders and continue with new meter installations until all 840 are completed. Public Works has set a target of installing 100 additional meters by the next City Council meeting.

COMMUNITY BENEFIT

Each meter installation ensures residents and businesses receive accurate, functional service readings, improving overall utility reliability and billing accuracy.