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RECOMMENDED ACTION: Financial Update and Report, including an Update on the Impact Fee Program Effective February 1, 2023 (referred to as Program E)

BACKGROUND

NBU's service territory experienced higher temperatures and higher rainfall during the month of July than historically. The average temperature was 85.0 degrees, which was 2.2 degrees higher than the historical average temperature of 82.8 degrees. Rainfall totaled 5.78 inches for the month of July, which was 2.8 inches higher than the historical average rainfall of 2.98 inches.

For the month of July 2026, NBU recorded a change in net position after contributions ("CNPAC") of \$7,251,000 which represents an increase of \$5,276,000 compared to the budgeted monthly CNPAC of \$1,975,000. Operating service revenues of \$33,848,000 were greater than budget, by \$3,581,000, or 12%, for the month of July. A \$3,324,000 increase in electric revenue, a \$152,000 increase in water revenue, and a \$105,000 increase in wastewater revenue contributed to the overall service revenues. Other operating revenues of \$564,000 were less than budget by \$21,000 for the month of July. Purchased power costs were \$2,607,000 less than budget for July 2026 and \$27,717,000 less for Year-to-Date ("YTD"). An increase in other operating expenses of \$1,294,000 resulted in total operating expenses to be \$1,313,000, or 5%, less than the budgeted amount of \$28,216,000. The net revenue and operating expense variances contributed to a favorable net operating income variance of \$4,873,000 from budget. Net non-operating items had a \$150,000 favorable variance compared to budget. Impact fees were less than budget by \$130,000, and services income was greater than budget by \$507,000. July 2026 YTD CNPAC was \$70,480,000, which was \$54,613,000 greater than the budgeted amount of \$15,867,000.

FINANCIAL IMPACT

Electric

The Electric Line of Business reported total operating revenues of \$25,080,000, a \$3,325,000 increase from the July budgeted amount of \$21,755,000. The net rate realized per kWh was \$0.1337, which was 21% greater than the budgeted rate of \$0.1101 for the month of July. July kWh sales were 184.0 million kWh, a 9.2 million kWh decrease, or 5%, in comparison to the budgeted amount of 193.2 million kWh.

Purchased power costs totaled \$14,015,000, which was \$2,607,000 less than the budgeted amount of \$16,622,000. Electric gross margin, which is total operating revenues minus purchased power, resulted in the amount of \$11,065,000 for the month of July and \$92,601,000 YTD. These amounts were \$5,932,000 greater than and \$27,846,000 greater than the budgeted amount of \$5,133,000 Month-to-Date (“MTD”) and \$64,755,000 YTD, respectively. Other operating expenses were greater than budget by \$373,000. These items resulted in the Electric Line of Business reporting net operating income of \$7,238,000, which was \$5,558,000 greater than the budgeted amount of \$1,680,000. Net non-operating items provided a favorable variance from budget of \$10,000. Services income was greater than budget by \$512,000. The Electric Line of Business reported in July 2026 CNPAC of \$6,844,000 and YTD CNPAC of \$56,234,000. These amounts were \$6,080,000 greater than and \$42,593,000 greater than their respective July 2026 MTD and July 2026 YTD budget amounts.

Water

The Water Line of Business reported total operating revenues of \$5,213,000, a \$134,000 increase, or 3%, from the July budgeted amount of \$5,079,000. In July, water gallons sold of 389,187,000 were less than the budgeted amount of 433,865,000 (a 44,678,000-gallon variance from budget, or 10%). NBU’s net realized price per 1,000 gallons sold in July was \$13.24, which was greater than the budgeted amount of \$11.53. Operating expenses for July were \$5,279,000, which was \$514,000 greater than the budgeted amount of \$4,765,000. The net effect of greater revenues and greater operating expenses than budgeted resulted in Water’s net operating income of (\$66,000), which was less than budget. Net non-operating items provided a favorable variance of \$87,000 from budget. Impact fees of \$1,396,000 were less than budget by \$63,000, and services income of \$92,000 was less than budget by \$5,000. The Water Line of Business reported in July 2026 CNPAC of \$532,000 and YTD CNPAC of \$8,216,000. These amounts were \$485,000 less than and \$5,381,000 greater than their respective July 2026 MTD and July 2026 YTD budget amounts.

Wastewater

The Wastewater Line of Business reported total operating revenues of \$4,118,000, a \$101,000 increase from the July budgeted amount of \$4,017,000. Total operating expenses of \$3,782,000 were \$407,000 greater than the budgeted amount of \$3,375,000. As a result, the Wastewater Line of Business reported net operating income of \$336,000, which was \$306,000 less than the budgeted amount of \$642,000. Net non-operating items provided a favorable variance of \$54,000 from budget. Impact fees were less than budget by \$67,000. The Wastewater Line of Business reported July 2026 CNPAC of (\$125,000) and YTD CNPAC of \$6,030,000. These amounts were \$319,000 less than and \$6,639,000 greater than their respective July 2026 MTD and July 2026 YTD budget amounts.

LINK TO STRATEGIC PLAN

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EXHIBITS

1. Overview Comparison to Budget and Prior Fiscal Year
2. Financial Statements
3. Capital Expenditure Summary
4. Statistics - Electric (Provided separately due to competitive matters)
5. Statistics – Water
6. Statistics - Wastewater