

Agenda Report

Fullerton City Council

MEETING DATE:	APRIL 15, 2025				
TO:	CITY COUNCIL / SUCCESSOR AGENCY				
SUBMITTED BY:	STEPHEN BISE, PUBLIC WORKS DIRECTOR				
PREPARED BY:	ANTHONY MANAGER	REYNOSO,	STREETS	AND	SEWER
SUBJECT:	SEWER SYSTEM MANAGEMENT PLAN UPDATE				

SUMMARY

The Public Works Department requests City Council approve the updated Sewer System Management Plan (SSMP) as required by the State Water Resources Control Board under General Order 2022-0103-DWQ.

PROPOSED MOTION

Approve updated Sewer System Management Plan (SSMP) as required by the State Water Resources Control Board under General Order 2022-0103-DWQ.

ALTERNATIVE OPTIONS

- Approve the Proposed Motion
- Reject the update to the Sewer System Management Plan.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends the Proposed Motion.

CITY MANAGER REMARKS

Staff has proposed an updated Sewer System Management Plan for City Council consideration.

PRIORITY POLICY STATEMENT

This item matches the following Priority Policy Statements:

- Public Safety
- Infrastructure and City Assets.

FISCAL IMPACT

This item generates no fiscal impact.

BACKGROUND AND DISCUSSION

The State Water Resources Control Board requires all agencies that own or operate a sanitary sewer system to develop and maintain a Sewer System Management Plan (SSMP) under General Order 2022-0103-DWQ. The SSMP details City sewer system operations, maintenance and emergency response procedures and programs. The Plan requires periodic updates and re-approvals to ensure compliance and improve system management.

The City SSMP contains updates to reflect operational strategies, regulatory requirements and industry best practices which enhance the City's ability to efficiently manage the sewer system, prevent sanitary sewer overflows and comply with state mandates. City staff worked with the consultant, Fischer Compliance, to ensure the revised plan aligns with latest standards. These updates will improve system reliability and mitigate potential sewer issues, supporting the City's commitment to effective sewer management.

Attachments:

- Attachment 1 Sewer System Management Plan
- Attachment 2 Spill Emergency Response Plan
- cc: City Manager Eric J. Levitt