

Okeechobee Utility Authority

FY27 Budget

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Adopted Budget

In developing the accompanying annual budget, the following significant assumptions and estimates have been used in the projection of operating revenues and expenses:

FY27 water and sewer utility revenue have been projected utilizing OUA's actual revenues for 10-1-25 to 06-30-26 and estimated revenues for 07-01-26 to 09-30-26

Water and wastewater utility revenue includes the additional revenue from the projected customer infill growth of:

Proposed Rate Increase for Water Utility Revenue:

Proposed Rate Increase for Wastewater Utility Revenue:

While the movement in prices during the preparation of the previous year's budget were excessive, the return to some form of normalcy has resulted in a reduction in the market outlook as shown in the percentage for FPL & Fuel (Net Change)

Electric (FPL) Services (excluding New Meters): \$ 789,500

Chemical Expenses: \$ 1,056,500

Fuels, gasoline & diesel expense: \$ 104,500

Total change of O&M Expenses, including labor \$ 511,727

Labor related expenses reflect the following:

Total for Cost of Living Adjustment: \$138,020

Total cost for Employee Merit Increase: \$105,229

Total cost for Employee Bonus, including FICA \$57,745

Budgeted Health Care Cost: FY26

Budgeted Monthly Health Care Cost Per Employee \$1,012,800

Life + (AD&D) \$14,988

Short-term & Long-term Disability \$13,984

TCMAI - Urgent Care \$26,000

Total Health Cost to OUA \$1,067,772

Anticipated impact from license/certification

Reduction in annual Pension Contribution per Actuaries Report

Total budgeted labor cost increase/decrease over previous year: (\$46,921)

FY27

0.24%

0.0%

0.0%

15.0%

16%

18%

4.4%

\$1/hr

2.50%

1.50%

FY27

\$1,089,600

\$16,172

\$22,166

\$27,320

\$1,155,258

\$57,158

-0.55%

-0.73%

Notes to the Budget Summary of Sources & Uses Funds Statement (Pages A4-A6)

Page	Line		
A-4	7	General Utility Operating Revenue :	\$ 14,791,670
		Total operating revenues are greater than the previous year's budgeted amount by: 0.0%	\$ 305,490
A-4	10	Total Operating Expenses is composed of five departmental totals as is shown in Expenditures Summary C-2 lines 6 through 27.	\$ 12,123,252
		Total operating expenses (including labor) as presented is higher than the previous years' budgeted amount by: 4.41%	\$511,727
A-4	13	Senior Debt Service consists Truist series 2020A, series 2020B and USDA Promissory Notes.	\$ 1,810,489
		See Tab K for the detail for each debt issue.	
A-4	33 & 34	Total capital connection revenue in the amount of:	\$ 96,056
		is derived from 65 new water and 42 wastewater capital connection charges.	
A-4	26	Annual Junior Debt Service consists of existing SRF	\$ 682,862
		See Tab K pages K-3 for the detail on each indebtedness.	

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Notes to the Budget Summary of Sources & Uses Funds Statement (Pages A4-A6)

Page	Line		
A-4	39	Total interest income revenue on restricted account balances has been projected based on current yields on qualified public funds accounts and with the expectation that these yield will likely will reduce during the proposed budget cycle.	\$ 116,306
A-4	40	Restricted revenues are credited to their respective fund balances during the fiscal year. They are detailed in the Other Sources of Funds section of the Budget Summary and for the fiscal year total:	\$ 424,000
A-4	70	The remaining revenue may be transferred to the Rate Stabilization Fund:	\$ 331,638
A-4	64	As presented the Budget projects utilization of Operating Funds to adjust the Emergency Reserve Fund to its minimum requirement by adding/(subtrating) funds in the amount of:	\$ 182,102
A-5	101	Total Projected Fund Balances at October 1, 2026	\$ 14,907,550
		See worksheet in section O row 5 for a detailed analysis of the projected balances	
A-5	117	Projected Net Additions to Fund Balances From Transfers.	\$ 424,000
		This amount represents the expected transfers to the individual funds as further detailed in the worksheet in tab O.	
A-6	195	Proposed Capital Improvement Projects and Departmental Capital Expenditures total:	\$ 23,811,191
		Proposed capital expenditures are listed on A-6 (rows 139-184),and also on Tab D sheets D-1 and D-2 and Tab O	
		The proposed expenditures are not listed in any order of priority.	
A-6	215	Total Projected Fund Balances at September 30, 2027	\$ 9,295,519
		See worksheet in Tab O for a detailed analysis of the projected balances	

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H
1				Okeechobee Utility Authority			Water	0.00%
2				FY27 Budget			Sewer	0.00%
3				Budget Summary				
4				Sources & Uses of Funds Statement				09/15/2026
5								
6				FUNDS FROM GENERAL UTILITY OPERATING REVENUE SOURCES:		FY27 Budget		
7				General Utility Operating Revenue.	14,791,670			
8				Funds needed from Rate Stabilization Fund				
9				Interest on Operating Accounts	294,303			
10				Total Operating Expenses	(12,123,252)			
11								
12				Net General Utility Operating Revenue (Available for Trust Bank Debt Service)		2,962,721		
13				Total Trust & USDA Debt Service Payments and Budgeted DSC Ratio (%)		(1,810,489)		163.6%
14				Remaining General Utility Oper Revenue Available for SRF Debt Service		1,152,232		
15				FUNDS PROVIDED FROM RESTRICTED REVENUE SOURCES:				
16				Transfers In From Restricted Funds to Meet SRF Debt Service:				
23				Less Senior Lien Coverage Factor at 10% (only utilized in DSC calculation)		(181,049)		
24				Less Junior Lien Coverage Factor at 15% (only utilized in DSC calculation)		(102,429)		
25				Sub-Total		868,754		
26				Total SRF Debt Payments and Budgeted DSC Ratio (%)		(682,862)		127.2%
27				Sub-Total		185,892		
28								
29				Remaining General Operating Revenue and Funds from both Debt Coverage Ratios		469,370		
30								
31				OTHER SOURCES OF FUNDS:				
32				Restricted Revenue:				
33				Water Capital Connection Charge Revenue From Infill	49,700			
34				Wastewater Capital Connection Charge Revenue From Infill	46,356			
38				Fire Hydrant Fund Fees	211,637			
39				Restricted Interest Income	116,306			
40				Sub-Total Restricted Revenue		424,000		
41								
52								
53				Total Funds Available for Required & Discretionary Capital Transfers			893,369	
54								
55				Required Capital Transfers:				
56				Transfer Into Fire Hydrant Fund	(211,637)			
57				Transfer of Interest Income Shown Above Into Respective Restricted Funds	(116,306)			
58				Transfer to Operating Reserve Fund (strive to maintain 60 days of O&M) see tab G	(47,991)			
59				Transfer Into Water CCC Fund (from Water in-fill Revenue)	(49,700)			
61				Transfer Into WW CCC Fund (from WW in-fill Revenue)	(46,356)			
63				Transfer Into RR&I Fund (to be maintained at 5% of Prior Year System Revenue) see tab E	(10,068)			
64				Transfer Into Emergency Reserve Fund (to be maintained at 30 days Oper Exp) see tab F	(182,102)			
65				Total Funds Used for Required Capital Transfers		(664,161)		
66								
67				Discretionary Capital Transfers:				
68				Junior lien coverage used above now return to operating account (line F24)	102,429			
69				Inter-fund Transfer to Future CIP				
70				Interfund Transfer to Rate Stabilization Fund	(331,638)			
71								
72				Total Funds Used for Discretionary Capital Transfers		(229,209)		
73								
74				Total Funds Used for Required & Discretionary Capital Transfers			(893,369)	
75								
76				REMAINING REVENUE FUNDS AVAILABLE FOR OTHER LAWFUL PURPOSES				(0)
77								A-4

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H
78	FUNDING SOURCES:				FY27 Budget			
79	Fund Balance at October 1, 2026 (Projected):							
80	Restricted by Bond Covenants/Loan Documents:							
81				RR&I Fund (Must be maintained at 5% of Prior Year System Revenue)	714,241			
82				Capital Connection Fund-Water	1,151,810			
83				Capital Connection Fund-Sewer	2,334,589			
84				Capital Connection Fund-Sewer 10/20 Plan (Restricted for WWTP DS)	381,065			
86				Debt Servicing Reserve	202,199			
87				Sub-Total	4,783,903			
88	Designated by Board Resolution:							
91				Emergency Reserve Fund (Must be maintained at 30 day Oper Exp.)	772,270			
92				Operating Reserve Fund (Strive for 60 Days of Oper Exp)	1,944,872			
93				Fire Hydrant Fund	427,146			
94				Rate Stabilization Fund	1,339,359			
95				Sub-Total	4,483,647			
96	Not Restricted:							
97				General Operating Funds	3,500,000			
98				PTO Account Fund	140,000			
99				Future CIP Funding (Strive to maintain at 8% of Prior Year System Revenue)	2,000,000			
100				Sub-Total	5,640,000			
101				Total Fund Balance at October 1, 2026 (Projected)		14,907,550		
102								
103	Changes to Fund Balance (From Transfers Projected for FY27:							
104				Transfer into RR&I Fund (Must be maintained at 5% of Prior Year System Revenue)	(10,068)			
105				Transfer into CCC Fund-Water (from in-fill)	49,700			
106				Transfer into CCC Fund-Water (from 10/20 Plan)	0			
107				Transfer into CCC Fund-Sewer (from in-fill)	46,356			
108				Transfer into CCC Fund-Sewer 10/20 Plan	0			
109				Transfer into Fire Hydrant Fund	211,637			
110				Transfer into PTO Account Fund (Net of withdrawals)	0			
111				Transfer into Emergency Reserve Fund (Must be maintained at 30 days Oper Exp)	(182,102)			
112				Transfer into Operating Reserve Fund (Strive to maintain at 60 days of O & M)	(47,991)			
113				Transfer into Future CIP Funding (Strive to maintain at 8% of Prior Year Gross Rev)	0			
114				Transfer into Discretionary Rate Stabilization Funds	240,161			
115				Transfer into Future CIP Fund Earmarked:				
116				Transfers into Restricted Accounts from Interest Income	116,306			
117				Total Additions into Fund Balance (From Transfers in FY27)		424,000		
118								
119				Total Fund Balances (Projected)		15,331,550		
120	Funding Sources for Proposed Construction Project Expenditures:							
121				Net Income from Operation	813,672			
122				Admin fee & interest on SW Service Area Payment Plan agreement	50,000			
123				OSTDS Grant from FDEP for connection of Home to Sewer Line	1,300,000			
125				TMDL Grant - Removal of OSTDS	750,000			
127				FDACS Efficiency Project - NW15	650,000			
128				NW15 - FDEP Grant - LPQ0008	2,196,770			
129				AMI - Metering Project	2,500,000			
130				FDEP - Project 1 SE2 Intercon.- Const.	500,000			
131				LPQ008 - SW Service Area - Proje1 3 Okee Talties	3,684,444			
132				WG018 - Treasure Island Waste Water Project	566,385			
133				SR 70 Industrial Complex WM Extension	200,000			
134				SW 5th Avenue - Septic to Sewer - FDEP - Phase 1	2,513,942			
138				Lakefront State Rd 78 - Phase 3	649,948			
139				Lakefront Contrib. to Storage Tank	1,400,000			
140				Total Funding Sources from Grants & Loans		17,775,160		
141				TOTAL FUNDS AVAILABLE FOR CAPITAL EXPENDITURES & FUND BALANCES		33,106,710		
142								

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143	PROPOSED CAPITAL EXPENDITURES DURING FY27:				FY27 Budget			
144	Funded by Grants and Loans				0			
145								
146				SW Section WW Project - SE2 Intercom Grant Funded Construction)	500,000			
147				Lakefront Pump & Storage Tank	1,400,000			
148				Okee- Tantie WW Project 3 - Grant Funded (Construction)	3,453,000			
149				Okee- Tantie WW Project 3 - Grant Funded (CEI)	231,444			
150				SW 5th Ave - Septic to Sewer Project 1- (CEI + Construction)	2,513,942			
151				NW15 Improvement (FDACS & LPQ008)	2,846,770			
152				AMI - Meter Improvement System	2,750,000			
153				Water Main Expansion - State Road 70W - Park Street	200,000			
154				State Road 78W - Phase 3	1,299,895			
155				Treasure Island Waste Water Project - Design - Grant Funded	566,385			
156				OSTDS & TMDL - Connection (Home to Line) - Construction + CEI	1,300,000			
157				TMDL Grant - Removal of OSTDS	750,000			
158				Capital Improvement Project Expenditures (primarily grant/loan funded)		17,811,436		
159								
160				Water Main Repair & Replacement (System Wide)	150,000			
161				Water Main Installation (System Wide)	150,000			
162				Wastewater Repair & Replacement (System Wide)	150,000			
168				Lift Station Electrical Panel	70,000			
169				Vac. Station #2 generator	469,300			
170				Gravity Sewer Repair & Rehabilitation	100,000			
171				Lift Station Rehabilitations SW13th, SW10th, SW6, SW12	120,000			
172				Manhole Rehabilitations	55,000			
173				Scada System Expansion - SWTP	25,000			
174				Scada System Expansion - WWTP	30,000			
175				Spray Field Pump Station Rehab. - WWTP	120,510			
176				Auger Rehab - WWTP	66,500			
177				SWTP - Ozone Generator Replacement	1,160,000			
178					0			
179				NE 16th Water Main Extension	1,300,000			
180				Vacuum Pump Replacement	25,000			
181				Hot House Rehab.	300,000			
182				PineRidge Park Utility Expansion	158,820			
183				Everglades & Lakeview Rehab.	100,000			
184				Sub-total	4,550,130			
185				Total CIP Expenditures/Equipment Replacement & Rehab Proposed		4,550,130		
186								
187				Proposed Departmental Capital Expenditures: (Detail on D-1)				
188				Administration	250,000			
189				Maintenance	52,000			
190				Water	57,000			
191				Wastewater	1,090,625			
192				Meter Reading	0			
193				Total Proposed Departmental Capital Expenditures		1,449,625		
194								
195				Grand Total of Proposed Capital Funds Expenditures		23,811,191		
196								
197	PROJECTED RESERVES END OF FISCAL YEAR							
198	Fund Balance Reserves at September 30, 2026 (Projected):							
199				Restricted by Bond Covenants/Loan Documents:				
200				RR&I Fund (Must be maintained at 5% of Prior Year System Revenue)	737,487			
201				Capital Connection Charge Fund-Water	1,562			
202				Capital Connection Charge Fund-Sewer	41,690			
203				Capital Connection Charge Fund-Sewer 10/20 Plan (Restricted for WWTP DS)	1,065			
204				Fire Hydrant Fund	388,783			
205				Sub-Total	1,170,588			
206				Restricted by Board Policy & General Operating Funds				
207				General Operating Funds	3,620,172			
208				PTO Account Fund	143,763			
209				Debt Servicing Reserve	202,199			
210				Emergency Reserve Fund (Must be maintained at 30 day Oper Exp.)	795,516			
211				Operating Reserve Fund (Strive for 60 Days of Oper Exp)	1,991,365			
212				Future CIP Funding	13,000			
213				Rate Stabilization Fund	1,358,916			
214				Sub-Total	8,124,931			
215				Fund Balance Reserves at September 30, 2027 (Projected)		9,295,519		
216								
217				TOTAL PROPOSED CAPITAL EXPENDITURES AND FUND BALANCES			33,106,709	
218								
219				REMAINING FUNDS			\$0	
223								

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224				Okeechobee Utility Authority				
225				FY27 Budget				
226				Budget Summary				09/15/2026
227				Debt Service Coverage Tests				
228								
229				Senior Lien Debt Service Coverage Analysis (110% Required)				
230								
231				General Utility Operating Revenue (line 9 above)	15,085,973			
232				Less Total Oper Exp (line 10 above)	(12,123,252)			
233				Funds needed from Rate Stabilization Fund	0			
234				Net General Utility Operating Revenue		2,962,721		
237								
238				Senior Lien Debt Service		(1,810,489)		163.6%
239								
240				Remaining General Utility Oper Rev After Truist Bank Debt Service		1,152,232		
241								
242				Senior Lien Coverage				
243								
244				Junior Lien Debt Coverage Analysis (115% for SRF) (120% for RSF)	FOR SRF COVERAGE			
245								
246				Remaining General Utility Oper Revenue After Truist Bank Debt Service	1,152,232			
247				Less Senior Lien Coverage Factor at 10%	(181,049)			
248				Less Junior Lien Coverage Factor at 15%	(102,429)			
249				Incremental Rate Revenue from FY10 & FY11 rate increases added above	0			
250				Available Revenue for SRF (Junior Lien) DSC Calculation	868,754			127.2%
251								
254				SRF (Junior Lien) Debt Service	682,862			
255				Dollars required to satisfy SRF (Junior Lien Coverage) per Board Policy of 115%	102,429			
256				Total Operating Funds required to meet SRF (junior lien) debt coverage ratio	785,292			
257								
258								A-7

Notes to Revenue Summary

FY26 water and sewer utility revenue have been projected utilizing actual revenues for 10-1-25 to 06-30-26 and budgeted revenues for 07-01-26 to 09-30-26

Page	Line		
B-2	8 to 11	Grand Total Operating Revenue is composed of four classifications of operating income shown in Revenue Summary tab B2 lines 8 through 11.	14,791,670
B-3	18	Total Water Utility Revenue	8,983,889
B-3	29	Total Sewer Utility Revenue	5,538,664
B-3	31	Penalties & Late Charges	118,801
B-3	33 & 34	Miscellaneous	150,316
		As previously noted on Page A1, the growth rate in new capital connections is projected on a simple average of Water (0.63%) and Wastewater (0.86%).	0.24%
		Water	Wastewater
		Projected Number of active connections	
		Beginning of previous Fiscal Year	10,227 4,875
		Beginning of Fiscal Year	10,314 4,912
		Projected Growth	25 12
		Projected Growth rate	0.63% 0.86%
		Average cost per new connection	\$3,387 \$6,320

	A	G	H	J
1	Okeechobee Utility Authority			0.00%
2	FY27 Budget			0.00%
3	Revenue Summary			09/15/2026
4				
5		FY26		FY27
6		Budget		Budget
7	Operating Revenue:			
8	Total Water Utility Revenue (see B-3 Line 18)	8,866,632		8,983,889
9	Total Sewer Utility Revenue (see B-3 Line 29)	5,365,661		5,538,664
10	Penalties & Late Charges	157,541		118,801
11	Miscellaneous Revenue	96,347		150,316
13	Grand Total Operating Revenue (see B-3 Line 41)	14,486,180		14,791,670
14				
15	Non-Operating Revenue:			
16	Gain/Loss Sale of Fixed Assets	0		0
17	Fire Hydrant Fund Fees	106,820		211,637
18	Total Restricted Interest (see B-4 Line 57)	369,607		410,609
19	Total CCC Revenue (Direct) (see B-4 Line 63)	129,151		96,056
22	Rate Stabilization Fund Transfer (see B-4 Line 71)	0		0
23	Grand Total Non-Operating Revenue (see B-4 Line 72)	605,578		718,303
24				
25	Grants, Loans & CIP Funding:			
26	Internal Funding for CIP & Departmental Capital Expenditures	5,625,666		5,999,755
27	Internal Funding (Rate Stabilization Fund)	2,500,000		0
28	External Funding for Construction Projects	16,020,375		17,775,160
29	Total Grants, Loans & CIP Funding (see B-4 Line 80)	24,146,041		23,774,915
30				
31	GRAND TOTAL REVENUE (see B-4 Line 82)	39,237,799		39,284,887
32				
33				B-2

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1	Okeechobee Utility Authority				09/15/2026	
2	FY27 Budget					
3	Revenue Detail					
4		FY26	YTD Actual		FY27	
5		Budget	9 months 6/30/2026		Budget	
6		Amount	Amount		Amount	
7	OPERATING REVENUE					
8	Water Utility Revenue	8,629,877	6,583,087		8,740,556	
9			0			
10	Water GRC Revenue	14,591	16,413		21,884	
11	Install Fees Water	33,625	159,032		34,975	(1)
12	Private Fire Protection	111,188	81,851		109,135	
13	Turn On/Off Fees	63,316	45,639		60,852	
14	Other Revenue Water	14,035	12,365		16,487	
18	Total Water Utility Revenue	8,866,632	6,898,387		8,983,889	
19						
20	Wastewater Utility Revenue	5,256,134	4,030,855		5,473,544	
21		0	0		0	
22	Wastewater GRC Revenue	6,688	5,537		7,383	
23	Install Fees Wastewater	78,624	82,994		29,484	(1)
24	Kings Bay Wastewater Maintenance Fee	19,360	15,884		21,179	
25	Other Revenue Wastewater	4,855	5,306		7,075	
29	Total Wastewater Utility Revenue	5,365,661	4,140,576		5,538,664	
30						
31	Penalties & Late Charges	157,541	88,396		118,801	
32	Merchant Revenue	7,096	2,555		0	
33	Ag Land Lease	3,505	3,505		3,505	
34	Miscellaneous Revenue	92,842	107,296		146,811	
35						
36	Interest Operating Account	0	0		0	
37	Interest on 10/20 Extended Payment Plan	0	0		0	
38	Interest Payroll Account	0	0		0	
39	Total Unrestricted Interest Revenue	0	0		0	
40						
41	GRAND TOTAL FROM OPERATING REVENUE	14,486,180	11,240,715		14,791,670	
42					(1)	

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1	Okeechobee Utility Authority				09/15/2026	
2	FY27 Budget					
3	Revenue Detail					
4		FY26	YTD Actual		FY27	
5		Budget	9 months 6/30/2026		Budget	
43	NON-OPERATING REVENUE	Amount			Amount	
44	Gain/Loss Sale of Fixed Asset	0	\$ -		0	
45						
46	Fire Hydrant Fund Fees	106,820	158,728		211,637	
47						
48	Interest-Treasury Note	0	0		15,000	
49	Interest Operating Account	287,423	207,175		269,302	
50	Interest Payroll Account	4,642	2,854		3,763	
51	Interest-RR&I Funding Required	14,491	14,983		23,246	
52	Interest on Construction Loan - SWSA Connection	0			10,000	
53	Interest-Future CIP Funding	0			0	
54	Interest-Rate Stabilization Fund & Debt Service Fund	19,579	12,577		19,559	
55	Interest-Operating Reserve Fund (60 day O&M) accrued	28,981	30,151		46,493	
56	Interest-Emergency Reserve Fund (30 day O&M) accrued	14,491	16,263		23,246	
57	Total Restricted Interest	369,607	284,003		410,609	
58						
59	Water CCC	47,775	1,164,218		49,700	(1)
60	Wastewater CCC	81,376	444,914		46,356	(1)
61	Water CCC from 10/20 Plan (Net assessment received from developer)	0	0		0	
62	WWTP CCC 10/20 Plan (Net assessment received from developer)	0	0		0	
63	Total Water & WW CCC Revenue (Direct)	129,151	1,609,132		96,056	
73	GRAND TOTAL NON-OPERATING REVENUE	605,578	2,051,863		718,303	
74						
75	GRANTS, LOANS & CIP FUNDING					
76	Internal Funding for CIP Expenditures	3,691,786	0		4,550,130	
77	Internal Funding for SRF Debt Service (from Restricted Funds)	2,500,000	0			
78	Internal Funding for Departmental Capital Expenditures	1,933,880	0		1,449,625	
79	External Funding-State Programs	16,020,375	0		17,811,436	
80	External Funding from loan	0	0		0	
81	GRAND TOTAL GRANTS & INTERNAL FUNDING	24,146,041	0		23,811,191	
82						
83	GRAND TOTAL SOURCES OF FUNDS	39,237,799	13,292,578		39,321,163	
84						
85	Water CC - 25 Regular Infill. Wastewater CC - 12 Regular Infill				(1)	
86						

Notes to Operating Expense Summary:

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C-2	27	Total Departmental Operating Expense:	\$12,123,252
		Total Operating expense (including labor) as presented is higher than the previous years budgeted amount by: \$ 511,727	4.41%
C-4 to C-17		In the detailed expense listing shown on pages C-4 through C-17, most expense classifications have been assigned a budgetary value based on either a specific contract amount or an analysis of the year-to-date operating expenses. However, several selected O&M expense classifications have been subject to market fluctuations.	
A-1	27	Electric (FPL) expenses are assigned a specific budgetary value or an adjusted amount based on FPL projected adj as approved by Public Service Commission (PSC)	15.00%
A-1	29	Chemicals are assigned a budgetary value and a percent change based on projected supplier's price adjustments ('26-'27) :	16.44%
A-1	31	Fuel, gas, diesel & general petroleum based commodities have been assigned a specific budgetary value and a percent change based on inflation estimates:	17.68%

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1	Okeechobee Utility Authority					
2	FY27 Budget					09/15/2026
3	Expenditures Summary					
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5	Operating Expenses		FY26 Budget			FY27 Budget
6	Admin/Exec. Labor, (includes \$27,851 for Urgent Care Services)		2,046,057			1,955,336
7	Admin/Exec. O & M		1,473,915			1,667,320
8	Total Administration / Executive Expenses		3,519,972			3,622,655
9						
10	Maintenance Labor		2,096,990			2,186,185
11	Maintenance O & M		1,147,074			1,260,678
12	Total Maintenance Expenses		3,244,064			3,446,863
13						
14	Water Labor		997,394			943,168
15	Water O & M		1,544,300			1,718,800
16	Total Water Expenses		2,541,694			2,661,968
17						
18	Wastewater Labor		938,673			946,698
19	Wastewater O & M		801,548			855,727
20	Total Wastewater Expenses		1,740,221			1,802,425
21						
22	Meter Labor		374,074			374,881
23	Meter O & M		41,500			64,460
24	Total Meter Reader Expenses		415,574			439,341
25						
26	Contingency		300,000			150,000
27	Grand Total Operating Expenses		11,611,525			12,123,252
28						
29	Non-Operating Expenses					
30	Debt Service & SBITA Interest Expense		302,133			265,963
31	Amortization Expense		12,600			61,608
32	Depreciation Expense		2,950,000			3,600,000
33	Grand Total Non-Operating Expenses		3,264,733			3,927,571
34						
35	Transfers					
36	Debt Service Principal Payments		2,182,993			2,235,008
37	Required Transfers to Restricted Revenue Funds		605,577			718,303
38	Budget Amendment #1		0			
39	Discretionary Transfers From Restricted Funds		389,554			519,370
40	Additional External & Internal Funding		26,592,411			23,811,191
41	Grand Total Transfers		29,770,535			27,283,871
42						
43	GRAND TOTAL EXPENDITURES		44,646,793			43,334,694
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45	GRAND TOTAL EXPENDITURES WITHOUT NON-CASH AMORTIZATION & DEPRECIATION EXPENSE		41,684,193			39,673,086

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1	Okeechobee Utility Authority						
2	FY27 Budget						09/15/2026
3	NON-OPERATING EXPENSES AND TRANSFERS						
4							
5						FY26	FY27
6						Budget	Budget
7	NON-OPERATING EXPENSES:					Amount	Amount
8	Debt Service Interest Expense:						
11		SRF 1 Interest Expense				39,870	27,854
14		SBITA - BSA Amortization Interest					7,620
15		SBITA - Civil 3D Amortization Interest					0
16		Truist Bank 2020A Interest Expense				-	-
17		Truist Bank 2020B Interest Expense				159,029	127,254
18		USDA				103,235	103,235
19		Total				302,133	265,963
20							
21	Amortization Expense:						
33		Amortization - SBITA - BS&A				0	46,188
34		Amortization - Civil 3D				0	2,820
35		Amortize Long-Term Lease				12,600	12,600
36		Total				12,600	61,608
37							
38	Depreciation Expense:					2,950,000	3,600,000
39							
40	TOTAL NON-OPERATING EXPENSES					3,264,733	3,927,571
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	A	B	C	D	E	F	H
43	NON-OPERATING TRANSFERS:					FY26	FY27
44	Required Transfers:						
45	Debt Service Principal Payments:						
48		SRF 1 Principal				642,993	655,008
56		Truist Bank 2020B Principal				1,540,000	1,580,000
57		USDA				0	0
58		Total				2,182,993	2,235,008
59	Unrestricted/Restricted Revenue Transfers to Restricted Accts:						
60							
61		Restricted Interest to Restricted Accts.				369,606	410,609
62		Cap Conn Fund Water (infill)				47,775	49,700
63		Cap Conn Fund WW (infill)				81,376	46,356
65		Fire Hydrant Fund				106,820	211,637
66		Emergency Reserve Fund				0	0
67		Total				605,577	718,303
68							
76	Discretionary Transfers:						
77		Net Transfer to Rate Stabilization Fund				0	\$ -
78		Funds Earmarked for General Operating Fund				389,554	519,370
79		Future CIP Funding				0	0
80		Total				389,554	519,370
81	Other Transfers:						
82		Internal Transfer for CIP Expenditures & Capital Assets				3,691,786	4,550,130
83		Internal Transfer for Departmental Capital Expenditures				1,933,880	1,449,625
84		External Funding from State				20,966,745	17,811,436
85		Total				26,592,411	23,811,191
86							
87	TOTAL NON-OPERATING EXPENSES AND TRANSFERS					33,035,268	31,211,442
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1				Okeechobee Utility Authority			09/15/2026
2				FY27 Budget			
3				Proposed Departmental Capital Expenditures			
4						Operating	Capital
5				DEPARTMENT TOTALS			
6				ADMINISTRATION		6,000	250,000
7				MAINTENANCE		0	52,000
8				WATER		0	57,000
9				WASTEWATER		0	1,090,625
10				METER		13,760	0
11				TOTALS		19,760	1,449,625
12				Administration			
13				Administration Office			250,000
14				Microsoft Home & Business		5,000	
15				Chairs		1,000	
16							
19							
20				Sub Total Administration		6,000	250,000
21				Maintenance			
28							
29				Replace Truck 502			52,000
31							
32							
33				Sub Total Maintenance		0	52,000
34				Water			
35				Flowserve Sand Pump (DXP CV)			40,000
36				Filter Valve Actuator			17,000
42				Sub Total Water		0	57,000
43				Wastewater			
44				Aeration Basin Rehab - Phase 1 of 2			600,000
47				Bar Screen Replacement & Compactor			290,625
52				Replace & Relocate MCC 200			200,000
53							
54							
55				Sub Total Wastewater		0	1,090,625
56				Meter			
57				AG6590 Autogun w/bluetooth (4)		12,160	
58				Extension Probe		1,600	
59				Sub Total Meter		13,760	0

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1														
2	Okeechobee Utility Authority													09/15/2026
3	FY27 Budget													
4	Five Year Capital Improvement Plan Expenditure Detail													
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8	UPGRADE	SCADA System												
9		Generator - Lift Stations (General)					25,000		25,000			25,000		125,000
10		Gravity Sewer Repair & Rehabilitation					0		50,000			50,000		100,000
11		Lift Station Rehabilitations SE13, SW6, SW12					100,000		100,000			100,000		400,000
12		Lift Station Electrical Panels -					120,000		75,000			100,000		470,000
13		Manhole Rehabs (16 x \$3,244)					70,000		25,000			25,000		170,000
14		Lift Station Pump Replacements					55,000		72,000			72,000		343,000
15		Vacuum Pump Replacement					0		32,000			32,000		128,000
16		SCADA System upgrade					25,000		25,000			25,000		125,000
17	WASTEWATER	Hot House Rehab.					30,000		0			10,000		50,000
18		Spray Field Pump Station Rehab.					300,000		0			0		300,000
19		Everglades & Lakeview Lift Station Rehab. (\$50k each)					120,510		0			0		200,510
20		Auger Rehab.					100,000		0			100,000		200,000
21		C12 Pump Station Enclosure Rehab.					66,500		0			15,000		106,500
22		Water Main Installation					150,000		140,000			200,000		840,000
23		Wastewater Main Repair & Replacement (System Wide)					150,000		150,000			150,000		750,000
24		Water Main Repair & Replacement (System Wide)					150,000		150,000			150,000		750,000
25		DEPARTMENTAL CAPITAL REQUESTS:												0
26		Administration (See D-1)					250,000		200,000			300,000		1,300,000
27		Maintenance (See D-1)					52,000		50,000			50,000		250,000
28		Water (See D-1)					57,000		50,000			50,000		250,000
29		Wastewater (See D-1)					1,090,625		900,000			500,000		2,990,625
30		Meter Reader (See D-1)					0		5,000			5,000		20,000
31		TOTAL					2,911,635		1,899,000			1,879,000		9,877,535
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44		MAJOR PROJECTS												
45		Treasure Island Waste Water Project					566,385		2,000,000			20,000,000		60,566,385
46		SW Service Area - SE 2 Diversion					1,500,000		1,000,000			1,000,000		1,500,000
47		SW Service Area - Okeechobee (CEI + Construction)					7,737,444		2,335,705			-		3,635,600
48		State Road 78 - Phase 3 (CEI + Construction)					3,735,600		1,299,895			-		3,321,022
49		SW 6th Ave. - Phase 1 (CEI + Construction)					5,021,022		2,421,242			1,372,743		2,745,486
50		SW 6th Ave. - Phase 2					2,745,486		899,781			1,500,000		3,200,000
51		SR70 - Park Street Commerce Center (CEI + Construction)					3,200,000		200,000			1,500,000		1,400,000
52		Lakefront Pump & Storage Tank (CEI + Construction)					1,464,547		1,400,000			200,000		1,400,000
53		Septic to Sewer Connection - OSTDM grant application					2,500,000		1,300,000			1,300,000		1,300,000
54		Septic to Sewer Connection - TMDL grant application					750,000		750,000			750,000		750,000
55		NW15 - FDACS Efficiency Project					3,095,770		2,846,770			2,846,770		2,846,770
56		Vac Station 2 Generator - Big opening 06.02.25					514,600		469,300			469,300		469,300
57		NE 16th Water Main Extension (CEI + Construction)					1,450,000		1,300,000			500,000		1,300,000
58		SWTP Ozonts Generator Replacement (CEI + Construction)					1,160,000		580,000			580,000		1,160,000
59		GWTP - Well Expansion (CEI + Construction)					0		0			-		1,160,000
60		Total					38,054,854		6,122,847			10,388,229		84,194,593
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1	Okeechobee Utility Authority	
2	FY27 Budget	09/15/2026
3	Analysis of RR&I Fund	
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5	Funding is required to be maintained at 5% of Previous Year System Operating Revenue.	
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8	FY26 System Operating Revenue (Projected)	\$14,486,180
9		
10	FY26 Funding Required at 5% (Fund Balance Required)	724,309
11		
12	Fund Balance at October 1, 2026 (Projected)	714,241
13		
14	Fund Surplus /(Deficit)	(10,068)
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18	Remaining Fund Surplus/(Deficit)	(\$10,068)
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	A	B
1	Okeechobee Utility Authority	
2	FY27 Budget	09/15/2026
3	Analysis of Emergency Reserve Fund	
4		
5	(Maintained at 30 days of current year System O & M)	
6		
7		
8	FY26 System Operating Expenses (Budget)	\$11,611,526
9		
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11	FY26 30 Days O & M Expenses (Fund Balance Required)	954,372
12		
13	Fund Balance at October 1, 2026 (Projected)	772,270
14		
15	Fund Surplus/(Deficit)	(182,102)
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18		
19	Remaining Fund Surplus (deficit)	(\$182,102)
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21	30 calendar days of the preceeding year O & M (FY26) expenses.	

	A	B
1	Okeechobee Utility Authority	
2	FY27 Budget	09/15/2026
3	Analysis of Operating Reserve Fund	
4		
5	(Maintain at 60 days expenses of current year System O & M)	
6		
7		
8	FY27 System Operating Expenses (Budgeted)	\$12,123,252
9		
10	FY27 60 Days O & M Expenses	1,992,863
11		
12	Fund Balance at October 1, 2026 (Projected)	1,944,872
13		
14	Fund Surplus/(Deficit)	(47,991)
15		
16	(Resolution 22 - 05 lowered requirement to 60 days).	
17		
18	Remaining Fund Surplus/(deficit)	(47,991)

Okeechobee Utility Authority
FY27 Budget
Analysis of Fire Hydrant Fund

09/15/2026

The fire hydrant fund receive the following revenue monthly
Residential - \$0.62/meter
Non- Residential - \$1.98/meter
Master - \$0.62/meter

Fund Balance at October 1, 2026 (Projected)	\$427,146
Budgeted Additional Revenue in FY27	\$211,637
Interest Earnings Added to Fund Balance (Projected)	\$0
Budgeted Hydrant Replacement Expenditures in FY27	(\$250,000)
Projects (TBD)	<u>\$0</u>

Projected Fire Hydrant Fund Balance at September 30, 2027	\$388,783
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Debt Service Summary

FYE Ending	Truist D/S Sub Total		SRF D/S Sub Total		USDA D/S Sub Total		Total Annual Debt Service
	Int.	Prin.	Int.	Prin.	Int.	Prin.	
9/30/26	159,029	1,540,000	39,870	642,993	\$103,235.00	0	2,485,126
9/30/27	127,254	1,580,000	27,854	655,008	\$103,235.00	0	2,493,351
9/30/28	94,556	1,635,000	15,615	667,248	\$102,282.61	\$151,499.15	2,666,200
9/30/29	60,885	1,670,000	3,146	338,285	\$100,186.31	\$153,595.45	2,326,098
9/30/30	26,445	1,715,000	0	0	\$98,061.01	\$155,720.75	1,995,227
9/30/31	0	0	0	0	\$95,906.33	\$157,875.43	253,782
					\$93,721.80	\$160,059.96	253,782
					\$91,507.04	\$162,274.72	253,782
					\$79,965.07	\$173,816.69	253,782
					\$77,559.97	\$176,221.79	253,782
					\$75,121.57	\$178,660.19	253,782
					\$72,649.45	\$181,132.31	253,782
					\$70,143.14	\$183,638.62	253,782
					\$67,602.13	\$186,179.63	253,782
					\$65,025.96	\$188,755.80	253,782
					\$62,414.13	\$191,367.63	253,782
					\$59,766.21	\$194,015.55	253,782
					\$57,081.61	\$196,700.15	253,782
					\$54,359.87	\$199,421.89	253,782
					\$51,600.50	\$202,181.26	253,782
					\$48,802.91	\$204,978.85	253,782
					\$45,966.63	\$207,815.13	253,782
					\$43,091.07	\$210,690.69	253,782
					\$40,175.75	\$213,606.01	253,782
					\$37,220.10	\$216,561.66	253,782
					\$34,223.53	\$219,558.23	253,782
					\$31,185.50	\$222,596.26	253,782
					\$28,105.43	\$225,676.33	253,782
					\$24,982.77	\$228,798.99	253,782
					\$21,816.87	\$231,964.89	253,782
					\$18,607.18	\$235,174.58	253,782
					\$15,353.07	\$238,428.69	253,782
					\$12,053.93	\$241,727.83	253,782
					\$8,709.16	\$245,072.60	253,782
					\$5,318.09	\$248,463.67	253,782
					\$1,880.12	\$251,902.96	253,783

Okeechobee Utility Authority
Debt Service Summary - Truist Bank Debt

Last Updated

05/06/26

	Truist 2020A		Truist 2020B		Truist Total
4/1/2026			83,435.00	765,000.00	848,435.00
9/30/2026			75,593.75	775,000.00	850,593.75
4/1/2027			67,650.00	785,000.00	852,650.00
9/30/2027			59,603.75	795,000.00	854,603.75
4/1/2028			51,455.00	815,000.00	866,455.00
9/30/2028			43,101.25	820,000.00	863,101.25
4/1/2029			34,696.25	830,000.00	864,696.25
9/30/2029			26,188.75	840,000.00	866,188.75
4/1/2030			17,578.75	850,000.00	867,578.75
9/30/2030			8,866.25	865,000.00	873,866.25
	0.00	0.00	309,140.00	6,600,000.00	6,909,140.00

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Okeechobee Utility Authority
Debt Service Summary - SRF Debt

Last Updated
05/06/26

FYE Ending	SRF # 1		SRF Total
	Int. 1.86%	Prin.	Debt Service
9/30/26	39,870	642,993	682,862
9/30/27	27,854	655,008	682,862
9/30/28	15,615	667,248	682,862
9/30/29	3,146	338,285	341,431
9/30/30	0	0	0
Totals	46,615	1,660,541	1,707,156

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USDA Loan (7.508mil) Amortization

Original Amount of Indebtedness (funds disb \$ 7,508,000.00

Last Updated

Capitalized Interest (added to indebte \$ -

05/06/26

\$ 7,508,000.00

Initial Date of Obligation = 09/30/24

Financing Rate = 1.375%

Loan CRITICAL

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No.

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INTEREST (2)

PRINCIPAL

LOAN BAL

\$7,508,000.00

1	4/24/2026	0.00	\$103,235.00		\$7,508,000.00
2	4/24/2027	0.00	\$103,235.00		\$7,508,000.00
3	4/24/2028	0.00	\$102,282.61	\$151,499.15	\$7,356,500.85
4	4/24/2029	0.00	\$100,186.31	\$153,595.45	\$7,202,905.40
5	4/24/2030	0.00	\$98,061.01	\$155,720.75	\$7,047,184.65
6	4/24/2031	0.00	\$95,906.33	\$157,875.43	\$6,889,309.22
7	4/24/2032	0.00	\$93,721.80	\$160,059.96	\$6,729,249.26
8	4/24/2033	0.00	\$91,507.04	\$162,274.72	\$6,566,974.54
9	4/24/2034	0.00	\$89,261.66	\$164,520.10	\$6,402,454.44
10	4/24/2035	0.00	\$86,985.18	\$166,796.58	\$6,235,657.86
11	4/24/2036	0.00	\$84,677.21	\$169,104.55	\$6,066,553.31
12	4/24/2037	0.00	\$82,337.33	\$171,444.43	\$5,895,108.88
13	4/24/2038	0.00	\$79,965.07	\$173,816.69	\$5,721,292.19
14	4/24/2039	0.00	\$77,559.97	\$176,221.79	\$5,545,070.40
15	4/24/2040	0.00	\$75,121.57	\$178,660.19	\$5,366,410.21
16	4/24/2041	0.00	\$72,649.45	\$181,132.31	\$5,185,277.90
17	4/24/2042	0.00	\$70,143.14	\$183,638.62	\$5,001,639.28
18	4/24/2043	0.00	\$67,602.13	\$186,179.63	\$4,815,459.65
19	4/24/2044	0.00	\$65,025.96	\$188,755.80	\$4,626,703.85
20	4/24/2045	0.00	\$62,414.13	\$191,367.63	\$4,435,336.22
21	4/24/2046	0.00	\$59,766.21	\$194,015.55	\$4,241,320.67
22	4/24/2047	0.00	\$57,081.61	\$196,700.15	\$4,044,620.52
23	4/24/2048	0.00	\$54,359.87	\$199,421.89	\$3,845,198.63
24	4/24/2049	0.00	\$51,600.50	\$202,181.26	\$3,643,017.37
25	4/24/2050	0.00	\$48,802.91	\$204,978.85	\$3,438,038.52
26	4/24/2051	0.00	\$45,966.63	\$207,815.13	\$3,230,223.39
27	4/24/2052	0.00	\$43,091.07	\$210,690.69	\$3,019,532.70
28	4/24/2053	0.00	\$40,175.75	\$213,606.01	\$2,805,926.69
29	4/24/2054	0.00	\$37,220.10	\$216,561.66	\$2,589,365.03
30	4/24/2055	0.00	\$34,223.53	\$219,558.23	\$2,369,806.80
31	4/24/2056	0.00	\$31,185.50	\$222,596.26	\$2,147,210.54
32	4/24/2057	0.00	\$28,105.43	\$225,676.33	\$1,921,534.21
33	4/24/2058	0.00	\$24,982.77	\$228,798.99	\$1,692,735.22
34	4/24/2059	0.00	\$21,816.87	\$231,964.89	\$1,460,770.33
35	4/24/2060	0.00	\$18,607.18	\$235,174.58	\$1,225,595.75
36	4/24/2061	0.00	\$15,353.07	\$238,428.69	\$987,167.06
37	4/24/2062	0.00	\$12,053.93	\$241,727.83	\$745,439.23
38	4/24/2063	0.00	\$8,709.16	\$245,072.60	\$500,366.63
39	4/24/2064	<u>0.00</u>	\$5,318.09	\$248,463.67	\$251,902.96
40	4/24/2065		\$1,880.12	\$251,902.96	\$0.00

Notes to Labor Costs

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L-2	AD 247	Total Budgeted Labor costs as presented:	\$6,406,267
		The above amount includes labor costs for all positions expected to be utilized in fiscal year.	
		A Cost of Living Allowance of \$1/hr has been included in the accompanying Budget totaling:	\$138,020
		A 2.5% Merit is included and will be dsitributed after employees evaluation	\$105,229
		A 1.5% Bonus has been included in the accompanying Budget totaling:	\$57,745
		The Health Care Cost for employee to OUA has been included in the accompanying Budget totaling:	\$1,155,258
		Anticipated impact from license/certification	\$57,158
		Pension Contribution for the year total:	\$437,823
		Total Short-term & Long-term Disability	\$22,166
		Total change in Budgeted Labor cost vs. previous year's budget.	(\$46,921)

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z	AA	AB	AC	AD
204																													
205																													
206						Okeechobee Utility Authority																							
207						Labor Cost Summary							100.0%																
208						Total Proposed Salaries & Benefits FY24						Curent Salary	COLA	PTO	Proposed	Comp	(\$17.5/m	(\$2/mo)	Disab.	Pension	Health Ins	FICA	Proposed	Longivity	15%	2.5%	Pension	FICA	Grand Total
209						Subtotal Executive Department						526,868	8,320	11,399	546,587	711	936	96	2,981	49,872	67,500	41,814	710,496	1,231	7,903	13,665	1,633	1,744	736,671
210						Subtotal Executive Support						0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
211						Subtotal Admin Supervisor						219,440	6,240	4,748	230,428	300	702	72	1,257	26,969	46,800	17,628	324,154	1,831	3,292	5,761	688	833	336,558
212						Subtotal Admin Support						509,101	18,720	11,014	538,835	700	2,106	216	2,939	63,075	145,200	41,221	794,292	810	7,637	13,471	1,610	1,677	819,495
213						Adm-Support Overtime						9,000	315	0	9,315	12	0	0	0	0	0	713	10,040	0	0	233	0	18	10,290
214						Accrued OPEB																	25,000						25,000
215						Urgent Care Services																	27,320						27,320
216						Administrative						1,264,409	33,595	27,160	1,325,164	1,723	3,744	384	7,176	139,915	259,500	101,375	1,891,301	3,872	18,831	33,129	3,931	4,271	1,955,336
217																													
218						Subtotal Meter Reader Supervisor						77,293	2,080	1,672	81,045	1,524	234	24	442	0	15,609	6,100	105,069	3,092	1,159	2,026	242	480	112,068
219						Subtotal Meter Reader Support						155,301	8,320	3,109	166,730	3,135	702	72	835	17,919	46,800	12,755	248,947	0	2,156	3,826	457	458	255,844
220						Accrued OPEB						0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
221						Overtime						6,000	210	0	6,210	117	0	0	0	0	0	475	6,802	0	0	155	0	12	6,969
222						Meter Reader						238,594	10,610	4,781	253,985	4,775	936	96	1,277	17,919	62,400	19,430	360,817	3,092	3,315	6,008	699	950	374,881
223																													
224						Subtotal Maint Supervisor						89,814	2,080	1,943	93,838	1,764	234	24	512	10,981	15,600	7,179	130,131	0	1,347	2,346	280	283	134,387
225						Subtotal Maint Support						1,155,190	45,760	25,244	1,226,194	23,052	5,066	528	6,687	135,033	404,400	93,804	1,894,765	2,777	17,328	30,655	3,663	3,883	1,953,071
226						Subtotal Const Support						0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
227						Accrued OPEB																							0
228						On Call						20,000	700	0	20,700	389	0	0	0	0	0	1,584	22,673	0	0	518	0	40	23,230
229						Overtime						65,000	2,275	0	67,275	1,265	0	0	0	0	0	5,147	73,686	0	0	1,682	0	119	75,497
230						Maintenance						1,330,005	50,815	27,187	1,408,007	26,471	5,300	552	7,199	146,014	420,000	107,713	2,121,255	2,777	18,675	35,200	3,944	4,334	2,186,185
231																													
232						Subtotal Wastewater Supervisor						74,880	2,080	1,620	78,580	1,422	234	24	429	9,197	15,600	6,011	111,497	0	1,123	1,965	235	236	115,056
233						Subtotal Wastewater Support						479,710	18,720	10,378	508,809	9,209	2,106	216	2,775	59,562	155,700	38,924	777,301	0	7,196	12,720	1,520	1,524	800,261
234						On Call						2,000	70	0	2,070	72	0	0	0	0	0	158	2,301	0	0	52	6	4	2,362
235						Overtime WW						25,000	875	0	25,875	468	0	0	0	0	0	1,979	28,323	0	0	647	0	49	29,019
236						Wastewater						581,590	21,745	11,998	615,334	11,172	2,340	240	3,204	68,759	171,300	47,073	919,422	0	8,319	15,383	1,761	1,813	946,698
237																													
238						Subtotal Water Supervisor						91,562	2,080	1,981	95,623	1,798	234	24	522	0	20,700	7,315	126,215	0	1,373	2,391	286	288	130,552
239						Subtotal Water Support						482,102	18,720	10,430	511,253	9,612	2,106	216	2,788	53,068	155,700	39,111	773,853	550	7,232	12,781	1,527	1,573	797,516
240						Accrued OPEB SWTP						0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
241						Accrued OPEB GWTP						0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
242						Overtime SWTP						13,000	455	0	13,455	253	0	0	0	0	0	1,029	14,737	0	0	336	0	26	15,099
243						Overtime GWTP						0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
244						Water						586,664	21,255	12,411	620,330	11,662	2,340	240	3,310	53,068	176,400	47,455	914,805	550	8,605	15,508	1,813	1,887	943,168
245						Total Care Service																							
246						Sub Total						4,001,262	138,020	83,538	4,227,820	55,803	14,660	1,512	22,166	425,674	1,089,600	323,046	6,207,600	10,290	57,745	105,229	12,148	13,255	6,406,267
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249						Department Codes	Department																						
250						Department 110	Executive					0.13%																	
251						Department 130	Executive Support					0.13%																	
252						Department 220	Administrative					0.13%																	
253						Department 230	Administrative Support					0.13%																	
254						Department 320	Maintenance Supervisor					1.88%																	
255						Department 330	Maintenance Support					1.88%																	
256						Department 340	Construction Support					1.88%																	
257						Department 420	Meter Reader Supervisor					1.88%																	
258						Department 430	Meter Reader Support					1.88%																	
259						Department 520	Water Supervisor					1.88%																	
260						Department 530	Water Support					1.88%																	
261						Department 620	Wastewater Supervisor					1.81%																	
262						Department 630	Wastewater Support					1.81%																	

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I
1	Okeechobee Utility Authority			FY27 Budget					
2	Projected General In-Fill Revenue							09/15/2026	
3	Approved Rates from Resolution 25-01, Effective October 1, 2025								
4									
5		WATER				WASTEWATER			
6									
7		Capital Connection Charge Revenue							
8		Projected Connections Added in	Revenue	Total CC		Projected Connections Added in	Revenue	Total CC	
9		FY27	Per CC	Revenue		FY27	Per CC	Revenue	
10		25	\$1,988.00	\$49,700.00		12	\$3,863.00	\$46,356.00	
11									
12		Install Fee Revenue							
13			Revenue Per	Total Install			Revenue Per	Total Install	
14			Residential Mtr	Fee Revenue			Connection	Fee Revenue	
15		25	\$1,399.00	\$34,975.00		12	\$2,457.00	\$29,484.00	
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35		Statistical Data:							
36						Water	Wastewater		
37		Projected Number of active connections							
38		Beginning of previous Fiscal Year				10227	4875		
39		Beginning of Fiscal Year				10314	4912		
40		Projected In-fill Growth rate				0.242%	0.244%		
41		Average cost per new connection				\$3,387	\$6,320		
42									
43	0% discount is assumed for capital connection and infill charge for FY27								

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X
2					Okeechobee Utility Authority - FY27 Budget						Gen	Debt		Emergency	Operating	RR&I Min			VWTP	Fire	Future	Rate	
3					Projected Fund Balances						Oper	Service	PTO	Rsrv Fd	Rsrv Fd	5% of Prev	CCC	CCC	10/20Plan	Hydrant	CIP	Stabilization	
4											Acct	Acct.	Acct	(30 days)	(60 days)	Yr Op Rev	Water	Sewer	Direct	Fund	Funding	Fund	Total
5					Projected Fund Balances at Oct 1, 2026 before FY27 budget assumptions						3,500,000	202,199	140,000	772,270	1,944,872	714,241	1,151,810	2,334,589	381,065	427,145	2,000,000	1,339,359	14,907,550
6					Projected effect on fund balances from FY26 Operations:			Per A-4															
7					Net General Utility Operating Revenue			3,052,721							0	0							0
8					Debt Servicing coverage							2,493,351											0
9					Truist + USDA Debt Service Payments (required)			(1,810,489)				(1,810,489)											2,493,351
11					Fire Hydrant Fund Fees			211,637												211,637			(1,810,489)
12					Water CCC from Infill			49,700									49,700						211,637
13					WasteWater CCC from Infill			46,356										46,356					49,700
14					SRF Debt Service Payments (required)			(682,862)				(682,862)											46,356
15					Restricted Interest Income (from worksheet B4)			116,306			294,302		3,763	23,246	46,493	23,246							(682,862)
16					Rate Revenue from FY10 & FY11 Rate Increases			0			0											19,559	410,609
19					SW Service Area Payment Plan & Admin. Fee						50,000												0
20					External funding from Grants and Loans																		50,000
21					Treasure Island Waste Water Project - Construction	60,000,000	24,520,580	0	60,000,000		0												0
22					Treasure Island Waste Water Project - Engineering	3,180,385	1,000,000	0	3,180,385		566,385												0
23					SW Service Area - Project 3 Okee Tantie - CEI	831,444	831,444	600,000	231,444		231,444												566,385
24					SW Service Area - Project 3 Okee Tantie - Construction	6,906,000	6,906,000	-	6,906,000		3,453,000												231,444
25					SW 5th Ave - Septic to Sewer - Project 1 - CEI	292,700	292,700	200,000	92,700		92,700												3,453,000
26					SW 5th Ave - Septic to Sewer - Project 1 - Construction	4,728,322	4,728,322	1,500,000	3,228,322		2,421,242												92,700
27					SW 5th Ave - Septic to Sewer - Project 2 - CEI	189,100	0	0	189,100		0												2,421,242
28					SW 5th Ave - Septic to Sewer - Project 2 - Construction	2,556,386	-	0	2,556,386		0												0
29					SR 78 (Phase 3) - CEI	399,895	199,948	0	399,895		199,948												0
30					SR 78 (Phase 3) - Construction	1,000,000	500,000	100,000	900,000		450,000												199,948
31					SE 2 - Diversion	1,500,000			1,500,000		500,000												450,000
32					Lakefront - Pump & Storage Tank - CEI	264,547	264,547	64,547	200,000		200,000												500,000
33					Lakefront - Pump & Storage Tank - Construction	1,200,000	1,200,000		1,200,000		1,200,000												200,000
34					SR 70 Commerce Dept. WM Expansion - CEI	200,000	200,000		200,000		200,000												1,200,000
35					SR 70 Commerce Dept. WM Expansion - Construction	3,000,000	2,700,000		3,000,000		0												200,000
36					NW15 - FDACS Efficiency Project	650,000	650,000	0	650,000		650,000												0
37					NW15 - LPQ008	2,196,770	2,196,770		2,196,770		2,196,770												650,000
38					NW15 - FDACS Efficiency Project - CEI	249,600	249,600		249,600		0												2,196,770
39					AMI - Meter Project	2,750,000	2,500,000		2,750,000		2,500,000												0
40					OSTDS - Connection of Home to Sewer - Grant	450,000	350,000	0	450,000		1,300,000												2,500,000
41					TMDL - Connection of Home to Sewer - Grant	750,000			750,000		750,000												1,300,000
49					Net Source of Funds from Operations after debt service, excluding restricted funds			609,370			609,370												750,000
50					Transfer of Funds to cover overdraft																		609,370
52					Fund Balances Before Capital Expenditures			0	21,365,160		202,199	143,763	795,516	1,991,365	737,487	1,201,510	2,380,945	381,065	638,783	2,000,000	1,358,917		33,196,710
53						Project Budget	Original Grant	Spent @ 09.30.26	Remaining Balance		Gen	Debt Servicing	PTO	Emerg. Resv.	Operating Resv.	RR&I Min	CCC Water	CCC Sewer	VWTP	Fire Hydrant	Future CIP	Rate Stabilization	Project Alloc.
54					Treasure Island Waste Water Project - Construction	60,000,000	24,520,580	0	60,000,000		0												0
55					Treasure Island Waste Water Project - Engineering	3,266,385	3,266,385	2,700,000	566,385		(566,385)												0
56					SW Service Area - Project 3 Okee Tantie - CEI	831,444	831,444	600,000	231,444		(231,444)												(566,385)
57					SW Service Area - Project 3 Okee Tantie - Construction	6,906,000	6,906,000		6,906,000		(3,453,000)												(231,444)
58					SW 5th Ave - Project 1 - Septic to Sewer - CEI	292,700	292,700	200,000	92,700		(92,700)												(3,453,000)
59					SW 5th Ave - Project 1 - Septic to Sewer - Construction	4,728,322	4,728,322	1,500,000	3,228,322		(2,421,242)												(92,700)
60					SW 5th Ave - Project 2 - Septic to Sewer - CEI	189,100	0	0	189,100		0												(2,421,242)
61					SW 5th Ave - Project 2 - Septic to Sewer - Construction	2,556,386	-	0	2,556,386		0												0
62					SR 78W - Phase 3 - CEI	399,895	199,948		399,895		(199,948)						(199,948)						0
63					SR 78W - Phase 3 - Construction	1,000,000	500,000	100,000	900,000		(450,000)						(450,000)						(399,895)
64					SE 2 - Diversion	1,500,000			1,500,000		(500,000)												(900,000)
65					Lakefront - Pump & Storage Tank - CEI	264,547	264,547	64,547	200,000		(200,000)												(500,000)
66					Lakefront - Pump & Storage Tank - Construction	1,200,000	1,200,000		1,200,000		(1,200,000)												(200,000)
67					SR 70 Commerce Dept. WM Expansion - CEI	200,000	200,000	0	200,000		(200,000)												(1,200,000)
68					SR 70 Commerce Dept. WM Expansion - Construction	3,000,000	2,700,000	0	3,000,000														(200,000)
69					NE 16th - Water Main Extension - Construction	1,300,000	-	0	1,300,000		(100,000)												0
70					NE 16th - Water Main Extension - CEI	150,000	-	150,000	-		0						(550,000)			(150,000)	(500,000)		(1,300,000)
71					NW15 - FDACS Efficiency Project	2,846,770	650,000		2,846,770		(2,846,770)												0
72					NW15 - FDACS Efficiency Project - CEI	249,000	249,000	249,000	-														(2,846,770)
74					AMI - Meter Project	2,750,000	2,500,000	0	2,750,000		(2,750,000)												0
75					SWTP OZONE Replacement - Construction	1,000,000		0	1,000,000														(2,750,000)
76					SWTP OZONE Replacement - CEI	160,000	0	0	160,000												(1,000,000)		(1,000,000)
77					GWTP - Well Expansion (Water Hardness) - Construction																(160,000)		(160,000)
78					GWTP - Well Expansion (Water Hardness) - CEI																		0
80					Pine Ridge park Utility Expansion - CEI	45,700			45,700		-												0
81					Pine Ridge park Utility Expansion - Construction	308,820			158,820									(158,820)					0
82					Vac. Station # 2 Generator Replacement - CEI	45,300			45,300		-												(158,820)
83					Vac. Station # 2 Generator Replacement - Contractor	469,300			469,300														0
84					OSTDS - Connection of Home to Sewer - Grant	2,500,000	2,500,000	1,200,000	1,300,000		(1,300,000)												(469,300)
85					TMDL - Connection of Home to Sewer - Grant	750,000	750,000	0	750,000		(750,000)												(1,300,000)
89					Water Main Installation (System Wide)	150,000			150,000		(100,000)												(750,000)
90					Water Main Repair & Replacement(System Wide)	150,000			150,000		(100,000)												(150,000)
91					SCADA System upgrade - WWTP	30,000			30,000														(50,000)
92					SCADA System upgrade - SWTP	25,000			25,000											(30,000)			(30,000)
93					Hot House Rehab.	300,000			300,000														(25,000)
94					Spray Field Pump Station Rehab.	120,510			120,510														(300,000)
95					Everglades & lakeview Rehab.	100,000			100,000														(120,510)
96					Auger Rehab.	66,500			66,500		(66,500)												(100,000)
97					Wastewater Main Repair & Replacement (System Wide)	150,000			150,000														(66,500)
98					Lift Station Electrical Panels -	70,000			70,000		(70,000)												(150,000)
99					Manhole Rehabilitations (10 manholes)																		

**Okeechobee Utility Authority
Budget Summary**

Fiscal Year October 1, 2026 to September 30, 2027

REVENUES

WATER UTILITY REVENUE	\$ 8,983,889
WASTEWATER UTILITY REVENUE	5,538,664
OTHER GENERAL REVENUE	891,364
RATE STABILIZATION FUNDS	0
CAPITAL CONNECTION REVENUE	96,056
CAPITAL ASSET/CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS-INTERNAL FUNDING	5,999,755
CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS-GRANT/LOAN FUNDING	17,775,160
TOTAL REVENUES	<u>\$ 39,284,887</u>

EXPENSES (Not Including Depreciation or Amortization)

OPERATING EXPENSES-WATER DEPT	\$ 2,661,968
OPERATING EXPENSES-MAINTENANCE DEPT	3,446,863
OPERATING EXPENSES-WASTEWATER DEPT	1,802,425
OPERATING EXPENSES-ADMINISTRATIVE DEPT	3,622,655
OPERATING EXPENSES-METER READER DEPT	439,341
CONTINGENCY	150,000
DEBT SERVICE-INTEREST PAYMENTS	265,963
DEBT SERVICE-PRINCIPAL PAYMENTS	2,235,008
TRANSFERS & RESTRICTIONS	6,849,229
GRANT & LOAN FUNDED CIP EXPENDITURES	17,811,436
TOTAL EXPENSES	<u>\$ 39,284,888</u>

BUDGETED SURPLUS OR (DEFICIT)	<u>\$ (0)</u>
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