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Be Freshwater Friendly:

Renewable Water Resources' Be Freshwater Friendly campaign educates the community on how small changes in our day-to-day actions can have a great impact on our local rivers, lakes and streams. Being friendly to freshwater sources protects aquatic life and preserves our watershed for the long-term.



BeFreshwaterFriendly.org



Be Freshwater Friendly:

One of our initiatives under the Be Freshwater Friendly campaign is Pet Poop Etiquette. Pet waste is not something people typically think of as pollution, but unscooped waste can be washed into our rivers, lakes and streams. Pet waste contains Nitrogen, Phosphorus, parasites and fecal bacteria which can pollute our water bodies.



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June 30, 2012

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Jeffrey R. Egan". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first letters of the first and last names being capitalized and prominent.

Executive Director/CEO



October 30, 2013

To Renewable Water Resources Board of Commissioners, Bondholders and Customers:

The management and staff of Renewable Water Resources (the “Agency”) are pleased to present the Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (“CAFR”) for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2013.

The CAFR consists of management’s representations concerning the finances of the Agency for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2013. Accordingly, management assumes full responsibility for the accuracy and completeness of the information provided in this report. To provide a reasonable basis for making these representations, management has established a comprehensive internal control framework that is designed both to protect the Agency’s assets from loss, theft or misuse, and to compile sufficient reliable information for the preparation of the Agency’s financial statements in conformity with Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (“GAAP”). Since the cost of internal controls should not outweigh the benefits, the Agency’s comprehensive framework of internal controls has been designed to provide reasonable rather than absolute assurance that the financial statements will be free from material misstatement. As management, we assert to the best of our knowledge and belief that this financial report is complete and reliable in all material respects.

The Agency’s Board of Commissioners (the “Commission”) requires an annual audit by an independent firm of certified public accountants. Cherry Bekaert, LLP performed this function and conducted the engagement in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Cherry Bekaert, LLP concluded, based upon the audit, that there was a reasonable basis for rendering an unqualified opinion on the Agency’s financial statements for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2013.

GAAP requires that management provide a narrative introduction, overview and analysis in the form of Management’s Discussion and Analysis (“MD&A”) to accompany the basic financial statements. This letter

of transmittal is designed to complement MD&A and should be read in conjunction with it. The Agency's MD&A can be found in the financial section of this report.

PROFILE OF THE AGENCY

The Agency is a special purpose district originally created in 1925 under the name of the "Greater Greenville Sewer District" by Act No. 362 of the Acts of the General Assembly of the State of South Carolina. As originally constituted, Act No. 362 provided for the Greater Greenville Sewer District to be governed by a commission known as the "Greater Greenville Sewer District Commission." In 1926, by Act No. 784, the Commission of the Greater Greenville Sewer District was empowered "to establish, extend, enlarge, maintain, conduct and operate sewer systems, sewer lines and sewer mains; to make any and all regulations which they consider necessary to effectuate this Act; and generally to do all things necessary to create and maintain a sewerage system in the District." The name, Greater Greenville Sewer District was changed to Western Carolina Regional Sewer Authority by Act No. 393 of 1974, and changed to Renewable Water Resources by Act No. 102 of 2009. In 2010, by Act No. 311, the Agency's authority was expanded to use, market and set rates related to the generation of goods and energy derived from by-products of the treatment process and alternate sources. The Agency's activities are accounted for as an enterprise fund and costs are recovered through user fees.

The Agency is the largest wastewater treatment provider in the region, serving much of Greenville County and portions of Anderson, Laurens, Pickens and Spartanburg Counties, which are commonly referred to as the Upstate. The Saluda River, Reedy River and Enoree River basins are the three drainage basins in the Agency's service area. Wastewater within the region is collected from 18 public partners that construct and maintain approximately 2,065 miles of sewer collection lines. These collection lines connect into the Agency's 341 mile interceptor system. The Agency owns and operates eight water resource recovery facilities ("WRRF") which treat an average flow of 39.7 million gallons per day.

A nine-member Commission governs the Agency. Each member of the Commission is appointed to a four-year term by the Governor upon recommendation of the respective county legislative delegation. Seven members are residents of Greenville County, whereas the remaining two are required to live in Anderson and Laurens Counties.

The Agency is dedicated to enhancing the quality of life in its service area by providing high quality wastewater treatment services. In addition to providing wastewater treatment services, the Agency is focused on long-term sustainability strategies such as generating renewable products from methane gas and

biosolids which are by-products of the treatment process. The mission of the organization is to protect the public health and water quality of the Upstate waterways while providing the necessary infrastructure to support the regional economy. To better reflect our mission, the Agency's facilities are now referred to as water resource recovery facilities.

FACTORS AFFECTING FINANCIAL CONDITION

The information presented in this report is most meaningful when it is considered in relation to the economic and social environment in which the Agency operates.

Regional Economy

Greenville County is strategically located on the I-85 corridor between Atlanta and Charlotte, as well as almost equal distance between New York and Miami. As a result, Greenville has become an established coordination center for east coast transportation. The City of Greenville is centrally located within Greenville County and is the fourth largest city in the state. Additionally, Greenville is in the center of the largest metropolitan statistical area in South Carolina.

Greenville is often admired for its progressive government, favorable business climate and low cost of living. Greenville's high quality of life and main street appeal is demonstrated through our pedestrian friendly and restaurant abundant downtown. For many years now, Greenville has generated national recognition and accumulated accolades. Examples of recognition received during the past fiscal year are listed below:

- 'Is Greenville the Next Big Food City of the South?' *Esquire.com*, March 8, 2013
- Greenville selected as one of 'Tastiest Towns in the South' *Southern Living*, April 2013
- *TripAdvisor* named Falls Park the Ninth-Best Park in the United States

As of July 2013, Greenville County's unemployment rate, not seasonally adjusted, was 6.6%. The unemployment rate was down from 7.7% for the same period in 2012. This is an indicator that Greenville's economy continues to improve. Greenville's unemployment rate remains significantly lower than the overall South Carolina rate of 8.1%, which can be attributed to Greenville's economic development strategy.

Greenville is committed to strategic planning and development and is regarded as an innovative and entrepreneurial leader in South Carolina. Companies continue to be attracted to Greenville's pro-business attitude, location and workforce quality. In fact, Greenville has earned the reputation as one of the top metropolitan areas in the world for engineering talent per capita. Greenville is known to have a progressive

local government which has formed partnerships with companies and universities to promote economic development.

An example of Greenville's progressive government is the Electric Vehicle Ecosystem Pilot Project which was awarded the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's Clean Air Excellence Award. The program created the first electric vehicle ecosystem in the world and involved 30 public and private partners. The program has been called "a model for the future" by Bradford Swann, a spokesman for G.E.

One of the most prominent partnerships is Clemson University's International Center of Automotive Research ("CU-ICAR"), the result of a joint effort between BMW, Michelin North America, the City of Greenville, the State of South Carolina and others. The 250-acre advanced-technology campus, located within the city limits of Greenville, was designed to bridge the gaps between research, technology and commercial application. CU-ICAR is composed of five technology neighborhoods, each designed uniquely for optimizing an innovative and collaborative environment. Additionally, the South Carolina Technology and Aviation Center ("SCTAC"), which is jointly owned by the City of Greenville and Greenville County, boasts tenants such as 3M, Lockheed Martin, Michelin and Stevens Aviation. CU-ICAR and SCTAC partnered to develop next-generation (i.e. electric or biofuel powered) transportation systems.

Greenville County is home to 98 Fortune 500 companies and has more foreign investment per capita than any other region in the United States. During fiscal year 2013, the Greenville Area Development Corporation announced 13 expansions and/or relocations representing an estimated investment greater than \$100.4 million and creating nearly 500 jobs.

Industry

The Agency has slightly more than 100 industrial customers that it bills directly and classifies as either significant industrial users or low-volume dischargers. An industry is classified as a significant industrial user by meeting one of the following criteria:

- is subject to National Categorical Treatment Standards
- discharges an average of at least 25,000 gallons per day of process wastewater to the Public Owned Treatment Works ("POTW")
- discharges five percent or more of any design or treatment capacity of the POTW

- is found by the Agency, the South Carolina Department of Health & Environmental Control, or the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency to have a reasonable potential for adversely affecting, either singly or in combination with other discharges, the wastewater disposal system, the quality of sludge, the system's effluent quality, the receiving stream, or air emissions generated by the system

Conversely, a low-volume discharger is a regulated industry that does not meet any of the above criteria. Currently, the Agency has 70 industries classified as significant industrial users. All significant industrial users must obtain a permit to discharge to the POTW. Significant industrial users pay fixed-base fees, volume charges, and surcharges for industrial biological oxygen demand and total suspended solid discharges.

Listed below are the Agency's largest industrial customers by revenue generation in fiscal year 2013.

Ten Largest Industrial Accounts in 2013

<u>Industry</u>	<u>Revenue</u>	<u>Percentage of total operating revenues</u>
Columbia Farms <i>Poultry processing</i>	1,309,694	1.75%
Furman University <i>Higher education</i>	311,397	0.42%
Cryovac Sealed Air Corporation <i>Food packaging services</i>	301,315	0.40%
Cytec Carbon Fibers LLC <i>Carbon fiber and graphite manufacturer</i>	289,062	0.39%
Safety Components Fabric Technology <i>Technical fabric manufacturer</i>	260,114	0.35%
Michelin North America <i>Tire manufacturer</i>	259,922	0.35%
Kemet Simpsonville <i>Electronic capacitor manufacturing</i>	217,393	0.29%
3M Company <i>Film and tape manufacturer</i>	214,629	0.29%
Cliffstar LLC <i>Non-alcoholic beverage manufacturer</i>	210,171	0.28%
Roy Metal & Finishing Company <i>Electroplating</i>	209,148	0.28%

Long-Term Financial Planning

The Agency performs long-range planning, such as the 20-year strategic plan (the “Upstate Roundtable Plan”). The current plan was adopted in 2009 and was built upon the 1994 plan. The goal of the Upstate Roundtable Plan was to align regional wastewater infrastructure with the Upstate’s projected growth, while promoting environmental sustainability. The completion of the Piedmont Regional WRRF signifies the attainment of all capital planning needs identified in the 1994 plan. The current plan identifies more than \$800 million in capital improvement needs and more than 70 recommendations as a guide for growth and development through the year 2030. Additional information on the Upstate Roundtable Plan, as well as the final report, can be accessed at www.upstateroundtable.org.

In addition, the Agency maintains a rolling five-year capital improvements program. The development of this program involves evaluating the recommendations identified in the Upstate Roundtable Plan to current growth projections and regulatory requirements, as well as project affordability. In fiscal year 2011, the Commission adopted the first five years of the 20-year Wastewater Capital Planning & Rate Study which identified the appropriate sources to fund these capital improvement needs. Since the Agency’s revenues are solely derived from user fees, it is critical that the rates remain sufficient to meet operational expenses, as well as the above five- and 20-year plans. The Agency continues to monitor and report its implementation progress of the Upstate Roundtable Plan’s recommendations via the Agency’s Business Plan.

Accountability and Transparency

Our website, www.rewaonline.org, is utilized to publish both financial and non-financial information to our rate payers and other interested parties to enhance the public’s understanding and promote interest. The site enables us to disseminate information in a timely and effective manner and includes a description of the wastewater treatment process, approved rates, procurement and employment opportunities, new customer information, Annual Reports, Sewer Use Regulation and upcoming events. The website also includes links to the Upstate Roundtable Plan and the Agency’s community outreach initiatives such as Project Rx and Be Freshwater Friendly. The Agency uses the website and local newspapers to communicate public comment and hearing notifications, as well as Commission meeting agendas. The Agency strives to be transparent and accountable both operationally and fiscally.

Budget

The Agency’s Commission annually adopts an operating and capital budget prior to the new fiscal year. The budget is prepared on a cash basis, as required by the state of South Carolina, and on an accrual basis for internal purposes. The budget provides the basis for reporting, which management uses to monitor and

control the Agency's spending. Management receives budget to actual reports monthly and is responsible for providing variance explanations to the Accounting Department.

The budget is approved by the Commission after a public hearing and upon recommendation of the Executive Director. The approved budget will remain in effect for the entire fiscal year and can only be revised with a public hearing and Commission approval.

Major Initiatives

For several years, the Agency has utilized the strategies and reporting tools set forth in the Effective Utility Management Primer (The "Primer") and the Balanced Scorecard. The Primer identifies ten attributes of effectively managed utilities and five keys to management success. In fiscal year 2011, we shared an example of each of the ten attributes and last year we highlighted the strides we had made within the attribute of Product Quality. Our goal is to continually improve our operations, stewardship and service capabilities, which is why this year we would like to focus on the technological and educational investments we have made to evolving water quality. In fiscal year 2013, the Agency made a significant investment in the construction of Piedmont Regional WRRF. This regional facility introduces the highest level of treatment at the Agency and allows the Agency to consolidate resources by merging four aging facilities (the existing Piedmont, Grove Creek and the municipal plants of Pelzer and West Pelzer). Additionally, the Agency has invested in public education initiatives focused on raising awareness about preventing nutrient and stormwater pollution.

ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Organizational Awards

Eight of the Agency's facilities: Durbin Creek, Georges Creek, Gilder Creek, Grove Creek, Lower Reedy, Marietta, Pelham and Piedmont, as well as multiple departments: Administrative and Engineering Services, Industrial Pretreatment, Instrumentation, Laboratory, Maintenance and Solids Management, won the South Carolina Chamber of Commerce Safety Awards.

Five of the Agency's facilities: Georges Creek, Grove Creek, Lower Reedy, Marietta and Piedmont won the South Carolina Department of Health & Environmental Control's Outstanding Facility Award.

All of the Agency's facilities received Peak Performance Awards from NACWA. NACWA recognizes member agencies for excellence in wastewater treatment as measured by their compliance with their National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System ("NPDES") permit. Awards are made in three categories:

Silver Awards for member facilities with five or fewer NPDES permit violations in a calendar year; Gold Awards for member facilities that meet all NPDES permit limits during a calendar year; and Platinum Awards for facilities that have sustained 100 percent compliance for five consecutive years or more. Georges Creek, Grove Creek, Lower Reedy, Marietta and Mauldin Road facilities received Platinum level awards; Durbin Creek, Pelham and Piedmont received Gold level awards; and Gilder Creek received a Silver level award.

The Agency won the Excellence in Collection System Operations Award from the Water Environment Association of South Carolina (WEASC).

The Agency's Operations Challenge team placed first at both the National (within their division) and State environmental conferences.

The Piedmont Regional WRRF won the Award of Merit in the Water\Environmental category from the *Engineering National Review Southeast*.

Individual Awards

Ralph Hendricks, Commissioner from 1991 to 2012, received the prestigious Order of the Silver Crescent award from Governor Nikki Haley.

Glen McManus, Director of Operations, received the Arthur Sidney Bedell and William D. Hatfield awards from the Water Environment Federation.

Bryan Kohart, P.E., Senior Environmental Engineer, received the WEASC 2012 Engineer of the Year Award.

Toby Humphries, TV and Cleaning Supervisor, received the WEASC Dennis Pittman Collection System Award.

Dargan Evans, Facility Operator, received the WEASC Wastewater Treatment Plant Operator of the Year Award.

Financial Awards

The Government Finance Officers Association of the United States and Canada ("GFOA") awarded a Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting to the Agency for its comprehensive

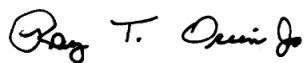
annual financial report for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2012. This was the 20th consecutive year that the Agency has achieved this prestigious award. In order to be awarded a Certificate of Achievement, a government must publish an easily-readable and efficiently-organized comprehensive annual financial report. This report must satisfy both generally accepted accounting principles and applicable legal requirements. Receipt of this award represents the highest form of recognition in the area of governmental accounting and financial reporting.

A Certificate of Achievement is valid for a period of one year only. We believe that our current CAFR continues to meet the Certificate of Achievement Program's requirements and we are submitting it to the GFOA to determine its eligibility for another certificate.

The Agency was also awarded the GFOA's prestigious Award for Outstanding Achievement in Popular Annual Financial Reporting for the 15th consecutive year. We believe that our current Annual Report to the Community continues to meet the award requirements and we are submitting it to the GFOA for evaluation.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

This report could not have been prepared without the dedicated and professional effort of the Agency's Accounting Department along with the cooperation of staff from the Agency's other departments.



Ray T. Orvin Jr., DBA
Executive Director



Cathy D. Caldwell, CPA
Administrative Finance Director



Patricia R. Dennis, CPA
Controller

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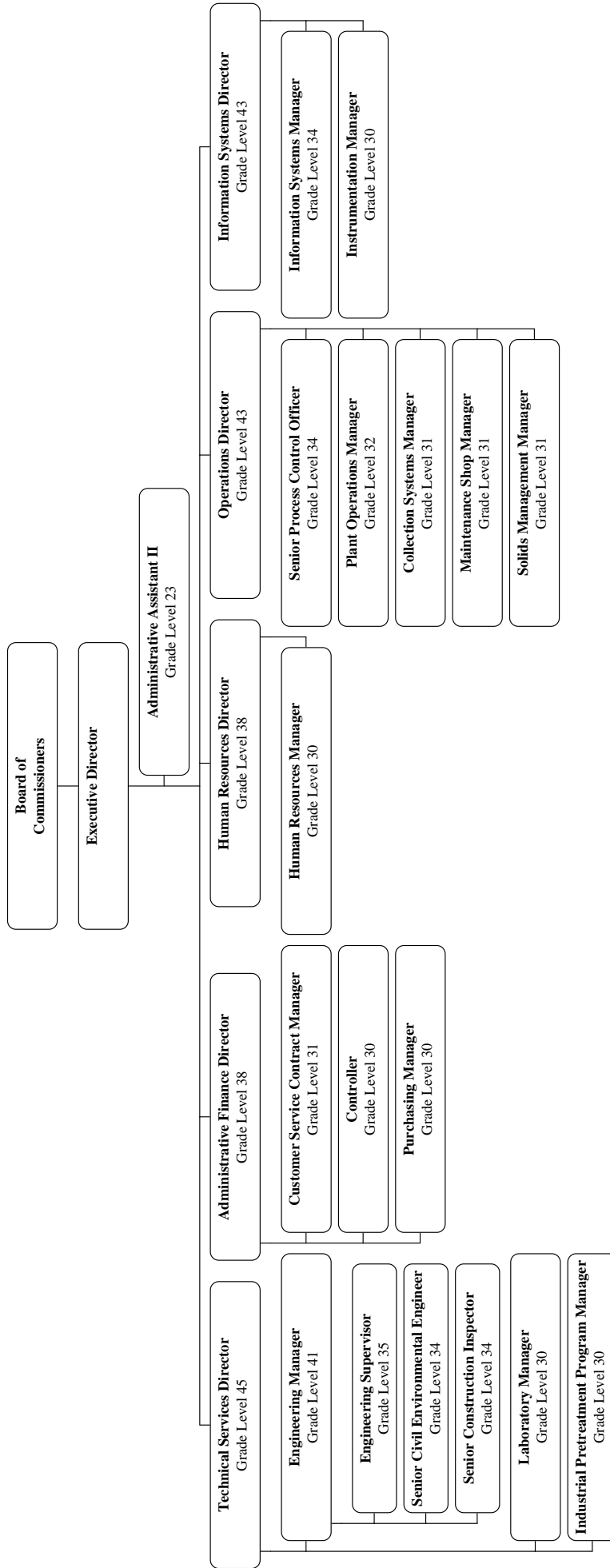
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J. D. Martin Chairman	12/31/01	12/31/13	Businessman
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Daniel K. Holliday	01/01/13	01/01/17	Businessman
Billy D. Merritt, Jr.	06/06/84	12/31/13	Enrollment Counselor
Ray C. Overstreet	12/31/10	12/31/14	Businessman
Willie J. Whittaker, Jr.	01/14/85	12/31/16	Retired Science Consultant

Directors

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RENEWABLE WATER RESOURCES

Organizational Chart



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Project Rx:

Project Rx: A River Remedy is a medication take-back event held by Renewable Water Resources and several community partner organizations. It offers the Upstate community a free and safe way to properly dispose of prescription and over-the-counter medications.

PROJECT Rx
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Project Rx:

As of June 30, 2013, Project Rx has held six drug take-back events, collecting a combined weight of 7,534 lbs of unwanted medications for proper disposal.

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Renewable Water Resources

**Financial Statements
and Supplemental Information**

Years Ended June 30, 2013 and 2012

Independent Auditor's Report

To the Board of Commissioners
Greenville, South Carolina

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying statements of net position of Renewable Water Resources (the "Agency") as of and for the years ended June 30, 2013 and 2012, and the related statements of revenues, expenses and changes in net position and cash flows for the years then ended, which collectively comprise the Agency's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express opinions on these financial statements based on our audits. We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audits to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Opinions

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the Agency, as of June 30, 2013 and 2012, and the results of its operations and its cash flows thereof for the years then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Other Matters

Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the management's discussion and analysis on pages 18 through 29 and the Schedule of Funding Progress – Other Postemployment Benefits on page 57 be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. We have applied certain limited procedures to the required supplementary information in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, which consisted of inquiries of management about the methods of preparing the information and comparing the information for consistency with management's responses to our inquiries, the basic financial statements, and other knowledge we obtained during our audit of the basic financial statements. We do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the information because the limited procedures do not provide us with sufficient evidence to express an opinion or provide any assurance.

Other Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the Agency's financial statement. The introductory section and statistical section are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements.

Other Reporting Required by *Government Auditing Standards*

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated September 3, 2013 on our consideration of the Agency's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the Agency's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.



Greenville, South Carolina
September 3, 2013

Management's Discussion and Analysis

Renewable Water Resources Management's Discussion and Analysis

As management of Renewable Water Resources (the "Agency"), we present this narrative overview and analysis of financial performance for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2013 and 2012. Please consider this information in conjunction with the financial statements and related notes, which follow this section.

Financial Highlights

- Financial position continues to be strong as net position increased by \$9.0 million, or 3.2%, to \$289.1 million as a result of current year operations, as compared to an increase of 4.7% from 2011 to 2012.
- Construction was completed on the Piedmont Regional Water Resource Recovery Facility ("WRRF") during fiscal year 2013. The completion of Piedmont Regional WRRF signifies the attainment of all capital planning needs identified in the 1994 Upstate Roundtable plan. The facility is located on a 100-acre site on the Saluda River in Anderson County and consolidates four aging facilities: two smaller facilities of the Agency and the municipal plants of Pelzer and West Pelzer. The 4.0 million gallons per day ("MGD") facility costs approximately \$46.5 million and includes screening, grit removal, diurnal and wet weather equalization, biological treatment via membrane bio-reactor, ultraviolet disinfection, re-aeration, and membrane solid thickening.

Overview of the Financial Statements

This discussion and analysis is intended to serve as an introduction to the basic financial statements of the Agency. The basic financial statements include the Statements of Net Position; the Statements of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Net Position and the Statements of Cash Flows; with the related notes to provide additional details. These basic financial statements provide information about the activities and performance of the Agency using accounting methods similar to those found in the private sector.

The Statements of Net Position present information on the Agency's assets, plus deferred outflows of resources, less liabilities, and deferred inflows of resources, with the difference reported as net position. Over time, increases or decreases in net position may serve as a useful indicator of whether the Agency's financial position is improving or deteriorating.

The Statements of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Net Position present the current and prior fiscal years' results of operations and can be used to determine whether the Agency is recovering costs through user fees and charges.

The Statements of Cash Flows report cash receipts, cash payments and net changes in cash and cash equivalents for the current and prior fiscal years. This statement may be used to determine sources of cash, uses of cash and changes in cash from operating, capital and related financing and investing activities. The statement may be useful in assessing the Agency's ability to meet short-term obligations.

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Overview of the Financial Statements, continued

The Notes to the Financial Statements provide required disclosures and other information essential to a full understanding of information reported in the statements. The notes present information about the Agency's accounting policies, significant account balances and activities, significant risks, obligations, commitments, contingencies and subsequent events, if applicable.

Net Position

The Agency's overall financial position improved during fiscal year 2013 as net position grew 3.2%. Net position in fiscal years 2013, 2012, and 2011 totaled \$289.1 million, \$280.1 million, and \$267.5 million, an increase of \$9.0 million, \$12.6 million, and \$7.6 million, respectively. The largest portion of the Agency's net position, approximately 71.7%, reflects the Agency's investment in capital assets (e.g., land, buildings, machinery and equipment) less any related outstanding debt used to acquire those assets. The Agency uses these capital assets to provide services to ratepayers. Although the Agency's investment in capital assets is reported net of debt, the resources needed to repay this debt must be provided from other sources, as these capital assets cannot be liquidated to pay these liabilities.

An additional \$28.0 million or 9.7% of the Agency's net position are restricted funds (restrictions established by debt covenants, enabling legislation, or other legal requirements). In fiscal years 2012 and 2011, restricted net position decreased \$12.6 million or 31.7% and \$8.4 million or 17.4%, respectively. In fiscal year 2013, restricted net position increased \$0.8 million primarily due to an increase in amounts restricted for debt service. Approximately \$12.2 million of the decrease in fiscal year 2012 is due to recapture of the debt service reserve fund: \$8.6 million from advance refunding of the Series 2005 bonds and \$3.6 million from retroactive loan policy changes by the South Carolina Water Quality Revolving Fund Authority.

The third and final component of net position is unrestricted which may be used to fund day to day operations or capital projects. In fiscal year 2013, the Agency's unrestricted net position totaled \$53.7 million.

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Net Position, continued

A summary of the Agency's Statement of Net Position is presented in Table A-1.

Table A-1
Condensed Statements of Net Position (in millions)
For the Years Ended June 30,

	<u>2013</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2011</u>
Current and non-current assets	\$ 63.3	\$ 77.2	\$ 65.8
Restricted assets	28.0	34.2	64.8
Capital assets	<u>487.5</u>	<u>484.8</u>	<u>465.9</u>
Total assets	578.8	596.2	596.5
Current liabilities	29.6	37.7	24.7
Non-current liabilities	<u>260.1</u>	<u>278.4</u>	<u>304.3</u>
Total liabilities	<u>289.7</u>	<u>316.1</u>	<u>329.0</u>
Net investment in capital assets	207.4	183.9	169.9
Restricted	28.0	27.2	39.8
Unrestricted	<u>53.7</u>	<u>69.0</u>	<u>57.8</u>
Total net position	<u>\$ 289.1</u>	<u>\$ 280.1</u>	<u>\$ 267.5</u>

Revenues

Table A-2 reveals that the Agency's total revenues decreased by \$0.1 million in fiscal year 2013 to \$74.9 million. The Agency's total revenues increased \$4.8 million in fiscal year 2012, to \$75.0 million from \$70.2 million in 2011. The Agency's regulations provide for a sewer use charge that funds the operation of the system, provides a source of funds to repay liabilities and provides for future maintenance of the Agency's facilities. The current user fee regulation in effect for fiscal year 2013 was adopted December 6, 2010, and became effective March 1, 2013, with subsequent increases in monthly base fees and volume charges effective on March 1, 2014 and 2015.

Domestic and commercial customer revenues decreased 1.0% to \$61.9 million in fiscal year 2013. The decrease was a result of reduced consumption despite an approximate 4.0% rate increase and customer growth of 2.6%. In fiscal years 2012 and 2011, domestic and commercial revenues increased 4.5% and 7.2%, respectively. The increases in fiscal years 2012 and 2011 are attributable to scheduled rate increases and customer growth.

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Revenues, continued

In fiscal year 2013, industrial revenues decreased slightly to \$6.7 million from \$6.8 million in fiscal year 2012. Industrial revenues increased \$0.5 million, or 7.9%, in fiscal year 2011.

New account fees, based on water meter size, increased 17.0%, 74.1% and 12.5% in fiscal years 2013, 2012 and 2011, respectively, a sign that the economy continues to improve.

Interest and other non-operating revenues declined to \$0.3 million in fiscal year 2013 and remained flat at \$0.5 million in fiscal years 2012 and 2011 due to depressed market conditions.

Table A-2
Condensed Statements of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Net Position (in millions)
For the Years Ended June 30,

	<u>2013</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2011</u>
Operating revenues			
Domestic and commercial customers	\$ 61.9	\$ 62.5	\$ 59.8
Industrial customers	6.7	6.8	6.8
New account fee	5.5	4.7	2.7
Septic haulers and other	0.5	0.5	0.4
Interest and other non-operating revenues	<u>0.3</u>	<u>0.5</u>	<u>0.5</u>
Total revenues	74.9	75.0	70.2
Operating expenses			
Operations	13.7	12.8	12.0
Technical services	3.0	2.9	2.9
Collection system	2.9	2.7	2.6
IS and instrumentation	1.6	1.5	1.4
Human resources	2.1	2.0	1.8
Administration finance	<u>5.7</u>	<u>5.4</u>	<u>5.0</u>
Total operating expenses before depreciation	29.0	27.3	25.7
Depreciation	<u>26.1</u>	<u>24.1</u>	<u>24.0</u>
Total operating expenses	55.1	51.4	49.7
Interest, amortization & other non-operating expenses	<u>10.8</u>	<u>11.6</u>	<u>12.9</u>
Total expenses	<u>65.9</u>	<u>63.0</u>	<u>62.6</u>
Capital project cost reimbursements	-	0.6	-
Increase in net position	9.0	12.6	7.6
Total net position, beginning of year	<u>280.1</u>	<u>267.5</u>	<u>259.9</u>
Total net position, end of year	<u><u>\$ 289.1</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 280.1</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 267.5</u></u>

Capital Contributions

Project reimbursement occurs when the Agency enters into a contract with one or more entities to construct facilities and/or sewer conveyance systems that will be mutually beneficial. There were no participating entities in fiscal years 2013 and 2011.

The Agency received two grants in fiscal year 2012 totaling \$0.6 million: one for \$0.5 million from the US Department of Energy, administered by the State of South Carolina to produce electricity using digester gas, as well as one for \$0.1 million through the Budget and Control Board Office of Local Government to increase energy efficiency at the Agency's facilities.

Expenses

Total expenses in fiscal years 2013, 2012 and 2011 totaled \$65.9 million, \$63.0 million and \$62.6 million, respectively. In fiscal year 2013, total expenses increased by \$2.9 million or 4.6%. Total expenses increased by \$0.4 million or 0.6% in fiscal year 2012. In fiscal year 2013, \$1.7 million of the increase is primarily attributable to increases in chemicals, repairs and maintenance, employee related expenses, as well as carbon media replacement. An increase of \$2.0 million in depreciation also contributed to the overall increase in fiscal year 2013. These increases were offset by a decrease of \$0.8 million in interest, amortization and other non-operating expenses. In fiscal year 2012, the increase is the net effect of a \$1.7 million increase in total operating expense due to increases in billing expense, electricity, salaries and fringes, as well as depreciation. These increases were reduced by a \$1.3 million decrease in non-operating expenses, which is primarily attributable to decreases in interest expense. Operating expenses before depreciation increased by 6.2% in fiscal years 2013 and 2012, respectively. Depreciation expense increased \$2.0 million or 8.2% in fiscal year 2013. Non-project expenses can vary considerably each fiscal year. These expenses are one-time costs that are non-operational and are not capitalizable.

Capital Assets

Net capital assets being depreciated increased by \$55.8 million or 7.9% to \$764.4 million in fiscal year 2013. Approximately \$46.5 million of the increase pertains to the capitalization of the newly constructed Piedmont Regional WRRF. In fiscal year 2012, net capital assets increased by a modest \$2.9 million, as \$41.0 million remained in construction in progress. At the end of fiscal year 2013, the Agency had invested \$487.5 million in infrastructure, which includes land, rights-of-ways, trunk lines, buildings, operating equipment, water resource recovery facility equipment and vehicles as shown in Table A-3 and in Note 5 of the accompanying notes to the financial statements.

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Capital Assets, continued

Table A-3
Capital Assets (in millions)
For the Years Ended June 30,

	<u>2013</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2011</u>
Capital assets not being depreciated:			
Land	\$ 3.6	\$ 3.5	\$ 3.5
Construction in progress	<u>10.1</u>	<u>41.0</u>	<u>4.1</u>
Total capital assets not being depreciated	13.7	44.5	7.6
Capital assets being depreciated:			
Buildings	341.2	318.0	317.1
Trunk lines	326.3	305.2	303.4
Water resource recovery facility equipment	90.0	82.9	83.0
Operational equipment	5.7	1.3	1.1
Office furniture	0.4	0.5	0.5
Vehicles	<u>0.8</u>	<u>0.7</u>	<u>0.6</u>
Total capital assets being depreciated	764.4	708.6	705.7
Less: accumulated depreciation	<u>290.6</u>	<u>268.3</u>	<u>247.4</u>
Total capital assets being depreciated, net	<u>473.8</u>	<u>440.3</u>	<u>458.3</u>
Net capital assets	<u><u>\$ 487.5</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 484.8</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 465.9</u></u>

Capital improvement program

The Commission assembled a community-wide volunteer collaboration to develop an environmentally sound long-term strategy for the Agency. The collaboration was named the Upstate Roundtable and was tasked with aligning the regional wastewater system capacity and infrastructure with projected growth, while promoting environmental sustainability. Initially convened in 1994 and reconvened in 2008, this strategic planning group brought together over 60 community, governmental and industry leaders to develop a 20-year plan to guide the Agency. The 1994 Upstate Roundtable Plan identified needs of approximately \$326.5 million for growth in the Reedy, Saluda and Enoree basins. In fiscal year 2013, all projects that were identified in this plan were completed. The 2008 Upstate Roundtable Plan identified \$809.7 million of projects which have been incorporated into the Agency's capital improvements program ("CIP").

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Capital Assets, continued

Capital improvement program, continued

The Agency maintains a fluid five year CIP that merges the Agency's strategic plan with the ongoing objective of maintaining compliance with South Carolina Department of Health & Environmental Control regulations and National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System permit limitations. The CIP calls for upgrades to three of the Agency's water resource recovery facilities, numerous line and conveyance system projects, as well as various green energy and reuse projects that support the recently adopted Upstate Roundtable Plan.

In addition to the Piedmont Regional WRRF project, major capital expenditures in fiscal year 2013 focused on various line and conveyance rehabilitation projects.

Capital improvement expenditures

Significant capital improvement expenditures for fiscal year 2013 include the following:

- **Piedmont Regional WRRF** – Total investment of \$46.5 million for the engineering design and construction of the Piedmont Regional WRRF. This facility combines four aging facilities on the Saluda River (two of the Agency's facilities, as well as the municipal plants of Pelzer and West Pelzer). The facility was completed and placed in service in fiscal year 2013.
- **Grove Creek and Piedmont Pump Station Modifications** – Expenditure of \$5.9 million for the construction of a new 2.75 MGD pump station for conveyance of raw sewage to the new Piedmont Regional WRRF, as well as conversion of the Grove Creek WRRF effluent pump station to an influent pump station capable of providing influent flow to the Piedmont Regional WRRF. Modifications include a new influent screenings facility, Parshall flume and manhole, mag meter vault, lagoon pump suction intake, flow diversion structure, associated manholes, miscellaneous piping, and all associated electrical and instrumentation.

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Capital Assets, continued

Capital improvement expenditures, continued

Table A-4 illustrates the Agency's 2014 Capital Expenditures Budget of \$42.8 million for planned spending on projects that primarily consist of design of a new laboratory building, facility enhancements and collection system improvements. The Agency believes that the budget requirement for the upcoming fiscal year can be funded through a combination of reserves and South Carolina revolving loan funds.

Table A-4
Fiscal Year 2014 Capital Expenditures Budget (in millions)

<i>FUNDING SOURCES</i>	
South Carolina revolving loan fund	\$ 12.0
Reserves	<u>30.8</u>
Total funding sources	<u><u>\$ 42.8</u></u>
<i>EXPENDITURES</i>	
Water resource recovery facilities	\$ 11.3
Collection system	16.2
Sustainability and reuse	6.8
Other projects	<u>8.5</u>
Total expenditures	<u><u>\$ 42.8</u></u>

Long-Term Debt

Revenue bonds

Long-term debt for the Agency consists of outstanding balances on revenue bonds and state revolving loans with the South Carolina Water Quality Revolving Fund Authority. As of June 30, 2013, revenue bond debt of the Agency totaled \$233.7 million and consisted of six series of revenue and refunding revenue bonds: Series 2005, Series 2005B, Series 2009, Series 2010A, Series 2010B and Series 2012. Revenue bond debt totaled \$249.4 million and \$273.4 million at the end of fiscal years 2012 and 2011, respectively. In fiscal year 2012, the Agency issued \$71.4 million to advance refund \$79.8 million of the Series 2005 bonds. In fiscal year 2011, the Agency issued \$90.4 million in bonds consisting of both revenue and refunding revenue bonds, the 2010A Series refunding revenue bonds of \$63.6 million and the 2010B Series Taxable Revenue Bonds (Recovery Zone Economic Development Bonds) of \$26.8 million.

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Long-Term Debt, continued

Revenue bonds, continued

The Agency received bond premiums of \$4.7 million, \$7.6 million, \$6.1 million and \$11.4 million on the Series 2005, 2005B, 2010A and 2012 revenue bonds, respectively. The bond premiums and related bond issuance costs, consisting of insurance costs and underwriting fees, are amortized over the life of the bonds. The Series 2005, Series 2005B and Series 2009 are payable from gross revenues and are on parity with all of the Agency's state revolving loans. These obligations are collectively referred to as the Senior Lien Debt. The Series 2010A, Series 2010B and Series 2012 were issued under the 2010 Bond Resolution and are subordinate in all aspects to the Senior Lien Debt.

The Series 2005 and Series 2005B revenue bonds carry 'Aa2' and 'AA' ratings from Moody's Investors Service and Standard & Poor's, respectively. Both the Series 2005 and 2005B ratings were enhanced through the purchase of a surety agreement at issuance and carry the rating of the surety provider or the underlying rating of the Agency, whichever is higher. In fiscal year 2009, Moody's Investors Service downgraded the Agency's surety provider, triggering the funding of the Agency's debt service reserve requirement. In fiscal year 2011, Standard & Poor's downgraded the Agency's surety provider.

The Series 2009, Series 2010A and Series 2010B revenue bonds were issued based on the Agency's underlying rating. In fiscal year 2012, Standard & Poor's affirmed its 'AA' rating on the Agency's Senior Lien Debt, Series 2010A bonds, Series 2010B bonds and assigned its 'AA' rating to the Series 2012 bonds. Also in fiscal year 2012, Moody's Investors Service affirmed its 'Aa2' rating on the Agency's Senior Lien Debt, affirmed its 'Aa3' rating on the Series 2010A and 2010B bonds and assigned its 'Aa3' rating to the Series 2012 bonds.

State revolving loans

Since December 1989, the Agency has entered into numerous loan agreements with the South Carolina Water Quality Revolving Fund Authority for new construction and/or upgrades of the system. Interest rates on these loans range from 1.8 to 2.25 percent. State revolving loans outstanding as of June 30, 2013 totaled \$42.8 million.

Listed below are the Agency's state revolving loans outstanding at year end:

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|-----------------|---|
| • June 2005 | Lower Reedy WRRF expansion Phase II |
| • November 2006 | Durbin Creek WRRF expansion |
| • December 2009 | Gravity Sewer and Manhole Rehabilitation Phase I |
| • December 2009 | Gravity Sewer and Manhole Rehabilitation Phase II |

Construction has been completed and all funds received for the projects listed above.

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Long-Term Debt, continued

Total outstanding long-term debt

At June 30, 2013, the Agency owed \$268.7 million (excluding premiums and deferred gain/loss on refunding) in total long-term debt, a decrease of \$16.9 million or 5.9% from \$285.6 million at the end of fiscal year 2012. In fiscal year 2012, the Agency issued \$71.4 million in revenue bond debt and \$0.9 million in state revolving loans. The Agency advance refunded \$79.8 million of the Series 2005 bonds and made a total of \$16.1 million in payments on both outstanding revenue bonds and state revolving loans. In fiscal year 2011, the Agency incurred \$90.4 million in revenue bond debt and \$2.3 million in state revolving loans. The Agency refunded \$77.2 million in state revolving loans and made \$16.6 million in aggregate payments on both outstanding revenue bonds and state revolving loans. The total obligation for compensated absences at June 30, 2013 was \$0.8 million. More detailed information about the Agency's long-term liabilities is presented in Notes 7, 8 and 9 of the accompanying notes to the financial statements.

The Agency's bond covenants require net earnings (as defined in respective loan agreements) to be at least 110 percent of the combined annual principal and interest requirement (as defined in the respective loan agreements) in the fiscal year. The Agency has not defaulted in the payment of principal or interest or in any other material way with respect to any of its securities at any time, nor has the Agency used the proceeds of any bonds for current operating expenses at any time, nor does the Agency intend to use the proceeds of any bonds for any such purposes. Based on the Agency's accompanying financial statements, the debt coverage ratio is calculated in Table A-5.

Table A-5
Debt Coverage (in millions)
For the Years Ended June 30,

	2013	2012	2011
Operating revenue	\$ 74.6	\$ 74.4	\$ 69.7
Investment revenue, unrestricted	0.2	0.4	0.4
Gross revenues	74.8	74.8	70.1
Less: operating expenses before depreciation	29.1	27.3	25.7
Net revenues available for debt service	<u>\$ 45.7</u>	<u>\$ 47.5</u>	<u>\$ 44.4</u>
Debt service on bonds	\$ 27.8	\$ 29.2	\$ 28.9
Debt coverage	164%	163%	154%

Fiscal year 2013 debt service payments decreased \$1.4 million or 4.8% to \$27.8 million. Debt service payments increased \$0.3 million or 1.0% in fiscal year 2012. Debt structure on revenue bonds varies year to year causing principal payments to increase and decrease over the life of the bonds.

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Long-Term Debt, continued

Table A-6 shows the average coupon/rate by issue.

Table A-6
Average Coupon/Interest Rate

	Balance (without premiums) (in millions)	Average coupon / rate
Series 2005 revenue bonds	\$ 1.0	4.3%
Series 2005B refunding revenue bonds	59.0	4.0
Series 2009 revenue bonds	21.9	3.8
Series 2010A refunding revenue bonds	51.3	3.4
Series 2010B revenue bonds	21.3	2.7
Series 2012 refunding revenue bonds	71.4	2.9
State revolving loans	42.8	2.1

General obligation bonds limitation on debt

Under the debt limitation provisions of Article X of the South Carolina Constitution, every county, incorporated municipality, special purpose district and school district has the power, in such manner and upon such terms and conditions as the General Assembly shall prescribe by general law, (a) to incur general obligation debt authorized by a majority vote of the qualified electors thereof voting in a referendum, without limitation as to amount and (b) to incur, without an election, debt, in addition to bonded indebtedness existing on November 30, 1977, and bonded indebtedness authorized by majority vote of qualified electors, in an amount not exceeding 8.0% of the assessed value of all taxable property therein. As of June 30, 2013, the Agency's assessed value was approximately \$1.6 billion. The Agency had no general obligation debt outstanding as of June 30, 2013.

Economic Factors

The Agency is moderately impacted by economic trends. The Agency's operating revenues are derived solely from user fees. The Agency does not receive any tax appropriation. The Agency experienced Domestic and commercial customer growth, as well as an increase in New account fees; hopefully an indication that the economy is recovering. The New account fee revenue is designated exclusively for increasing system capacity.

Interest rates remain low, decreasing interest earnings and the cost of borrowing.

Current economic conditions, such as the above, are considered by the Agency's Commissioners and Management when developing plans and budgets for the upcoming year.

Contacting the Agency's Financial Department

This financial report is designed to provide our users and creditors with a general overview of the Agency's finances and to demonstrate the Agency's accountability for funds received. If you have any questions about this report or need additional financial information, please contact the Controller of Renewable Water Resources at 561 Mauldin Road, Greenville, South Carolina 29607.

Basic Financial Statements

Renewable Water Resources
Statements of Net Position
June 30,

	2013	2012
Current assets		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 29,925,252	\$ 52,251,506
Restricted cash and cash equivalents	19,728,940	26,490,104
Receivables, net	9,949,800	9,626,231
Investments	-	757,107
Restricted investments	8,268,669	7,727,459
Total current assets	67,872,661	96,852,407
Non-current assets		
Receivables, net	3,020,834	3,250,233
Investments	15,033,007	5,323,164
Capital assets, net	487,489,863	484,843,069
Bond issuance costs, net	5,343,838	5,901,574
Total non-current assets	510,887,542	499,318,040
Total assets	<u>\$ 578,760,203</u>	<u>\$ 596,170,447</u>
Current liabilities		
Revenue bonds payable	\$ 16,607,208	\$ 15,692,944
State revolving loans payable	2,402,392	2,350,601
Accounts payable - operations	776,125	749,445
Accounts payable - construction projects	3,648,566	13,534,862
Accrued interest payable	4,443,962	3,969,745
Accrued expenses and other liabilities	1,075,713	699,179
Compensated absences	625,550	673,000
Total current liabilities	29,579,516	37,669,776
Long-term liabilities		
Revenue bonds payable	217,108,746	233,715,954
State revolving loans payable	40,353,970	42,756,362
Compensated absences	126,055	21,250
Other postemployment benefits	2,532,266	1,953,924
Total long-term liabilities	260,121,037	278,447,490
Total liabilities	<u>289,700,553</u>	<u>316,117,266</u>
Net position		
Net investment in capital assets	207,368,981	183,853,336
Net position - restricted		
Debt service	19,560,054	18,744,295
Depreciation	4,874,899	4,848,431
Other	3,562,656	3,563,847
Net position - unrestricted	53,693,060	69,043,272
Total net position	<u>\$ 289,059,650</u>	<u>\$ 280,053,181</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

Renewable Water Resources
Statements of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Net Position
For the Years Ended June 30,

	2013	2012
Operating revenues		
Domestic and commercial customers	\$ 61,858,932	\$ 62,503,653
Industrial customers	6,734,685	6,771,088
New account fees	5,492,500	4,684,500
Septic haulers and other	546,015	454,470
Total operating revenues	<u>74,632,132</u>	<u>74,413,711</u>
Operating expenses		
Operations	13,741,097	12,772,433
Technical services	2,951,718	2,922,505
Collection system	2,938,441	2,643,092
IS and instrumentation	1,597,780	1,530,452
Human resources	2,144,962	2,000,955
Administrative finance	5,711,236	5,408,849
Total operating expenses before depreciation	<u>29,085,234</u>	<u>27,278,286</u>
Depreciation	<u>26,061,618</u>	<u>24,134,563</u>
Total operating expenses	<u>55,146,852</u>	<u>51,412,849</u>
Net operating revenue	<u>19,485,280</u>	<u>23,000,862</u>
Non-operating revenues (expenses)		
Investment revenue	218,939	453,338
Interest expense	(10,094,401)	(10,723,179)
Amortization	(557,736)	(509,502)
Non-project expenses	(154,442)	(375,100)
Other revenue	108,829	87,436
Net non-operating expenses	<u>(10,478,811)</u>	<u>(11,067,007)</u>
Capital project cost reimbursements	<u>-</u>	<u>610,293</u>
Increase in net position	9,006,469	12,544,148
Total net position, beginning of year	<u>280,053,181</u>	<u>267,509,033</u>
Total net position, end of year	<u><u>\$ 289,059,650</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 280,053,181</u></u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

Renewable Water Resources
Statements of Cash Flows
For the Years Ended June 30,

	2013	2012
Cash flows from operating activities		
Received from customers	\$ 74,309,111	\$ 79,031,850
Paid to suppliers for goods and services	(26,898,624)	(3,451,264)
Paid to employees for services	(11,033,995)	(10,638,010)
Net cash provided by operating activities	<u>36,376,492</u>	<u>64,942,576</u>
Cash flows from capital and related financing activities		
Cash received for capital project cost reimbursement	-	610,293
Cash received on notes receivable for capital	220,616	212,169
Acquisition of capital assets and project expenses	(28,710,805)	(42,988,501)
Proceeds from issuance of long-term debt	-	83,652,700
Principal payments on debt	(16,890,601)	(106,847,412)
Bond issuance costs	-	(602,960)
Interest payments on debt	(10,925,177)	(13,139,453)
Proceeds from non-operating revenue	<u>108,829</u>	<u>87,436</u>
Net cash used for capital and related financing activities	<u>(56,197,138)</u>	<u>(79,015,728)</u>
Cash flows from investing activities		
Interest received on investments	227,174	452,125
Proceeds from sales of investment securities	21,590,256	40,821,974
Purchases of investment securities	<u>(31,084,202)</u>	<u>(29,468,780)</u>
Net cash used for investing activities	<u>(9,266,772)</u>	<u>11,805,319</u>
Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents	(29,087,418)	(2,267,833)
Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of year	<u>78,741,610</u>	<u>81,009,443</u>
Cash and cash equivalents, end of year	<u><u>\$ 49,654,192</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 78,741,610</u></u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

Renewable Water Resources
Statements of Cash Flows
For the Years Ended June 30,

	<u>2013</u>	<u>2012</u>
Reconciliation of net operating revenue to net cash flows from operating activities		
Net operating revenue	\$ 19,485,280	\$ 23,000,862
Adjustments to reconcile net operating revenue to net cash provided by operating activities		
Depreciation	26,061,618	24,134,563
Changes in asset and liability amounts		
Receivables	(323,021)	4,618,139
Accounts payable - operations	26,680	182,171
Accounts payable - construction projects	(9,886,296)	12,349,906
Accrued expenses and other liabilities	376,534	67,118
Compensated absences	57,355	(4,503)
Other postemployment benefits	578,342	594,320
Net cash provided by operating activities	<u>\$ 36,376,492</u>	<u>\$ 64,942,576</u>
Reconciliation of cash and cash equivalents to statement of net position		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 29,925,252	\$ 52,251,506
Restricted cash and cash equivalents	<u>19,728,940</u>	<u>26,490,104</u>
Total cash and cash equivalents	<u>\$ 49,654,192</u>	<u>\$ 78,741,610</u>
Supplemental disclosures		
Capitalized interest costs	<u>\$ 152,049</u>	<u>\$ 449,821</u>
Non-cash investing activities		
Decrease in fair value of investments	<u>\$ (48,512)</u>	<u>\$ (15,928)</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

Notes to Financial Statements

Renewable Water Resources
Notes to Financial Statements
For the Years Ended June 30, 2013 and 2012

Note 1 – Summary of Significant Accounting Policies and Activities

Description of entity

Renewable Water Resources (the “Agency”), previously known as Western Carolina Regional Sewer Authority, is a special purpose district created by the General Assembly of the State of South Carolina. The Agency is governed by a Commission consisting of nine members who are appointed by the Governor upon recommendation by the legislative delegations of Greenville, Anderson, and Laurens Counties. The Agency's mission is to provide wastewater treatment services for residents and industries covering substantially all of Greenville County and portions of Anderson, Laurens, Pickens and Spartanburg Counties. In fulfilling its functions, the Agency receives wastewater from the area's collection systems and owns and operates treatment facilities, sewage pumping stations and trunk sewer lines (the “System”). It is the Agency's policy to maintain customer user rates sufficient to meet operational and maintenance expenses and to pay debt service on bonds and notes issued to finance upgrading and maintaining the System.

Reporting entity

This report includes all operations of the Agency for which the Agency's Commissioners are financially accountable.

Fund accounting

The Agency maintains a single enterprise type fund to record its activities which consists of a self-balancing set of accounts. Enterprise type funds are used to account for activities similar to those found in the private sector, where the determination of net income is necessary or useful for sound financial administration.

Basis of accounting

The accompanying financial statements have been prepared using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting as recommended by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (“GASB”) and the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants (“AICPA”). Basis of accounting refers to the timing of recognition of revenues and expenses. Under the accrual basis of accounting, revenues and receivables are recognized when earned and expenses and liabilities are recognized when incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows.

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Renewable Water Resources
Notes to Financial Statements
For the Years Ended June 30, 2013 and 2012

Note 1 – Summary of Significant Accounting Policies and Activities, continued

Budgetary practices

Annual budgets are prepared by management as a control device. The budget required by the State of South Carolina is prepared on the cash basis of accounting. Management also prepares a budget on the accrual basis of accounting which is used for internal purposes.

Cash and cash equivalents

For purposes of reporting cash flows, the Agency considers all liquid investments with an original maturity of three months or less to be cash equivalents.

Investments

Investments are reported at fair value. Gains or losses that result from market fluctuation are reported in the current period.

Restricted assets

Any unexpended bond proceeds issued by the Agency are classified as restricted assets because their use is restricted to the purpose for which the bonds were originally issued. Cash and cash equivalents and investments included in the Agency's debt service and debt service reserve accounts are classified as restricted because their use is restricted for security and debt service of the outstanding debt. When both restricted and unrestricted resources are available for use, it is the Agency's policy to use restricted resources first, then unrestricted resources as needed.

Capital assets

Capital assets are stated at historical cost. The Agency capitalizes purchases of assets greater than \$5,000. Donated capital assets are recorded at estimated fair value at the date of donation. Depreciation of capital assets is calculated by use of the straight-line method over the estimated useful lives of the respective assets as follows:

Facilities, trunk lines, and equipment	15 – 40 years
Office furniture and equipment	5 – 8 years
Vehicles	3 years

Intangible assets consisting of rights-of-way are recorded as capital assets at cost and considered to have an indefinite useful life, therefore not amortized. If changes in factors and conditions result in the useful life of an intangible asset no longer being indefinite, the asset is evaluated for impairment because a change in the expected duration of use of the asset has occurred. The carrying value of the intangible asset, if any, following the recognition of any impairment loss is amortized over the remaining estimated useful life of the asset.

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Note 1 – Summary of Significant Accounting Policies and Activities, continued

Major outlays for capital assets and improvements are capitalized as projects are constructed. Interest incurred during the construction phase of capital assets is included as part of the capitalized value of the assets constructed.

The cost of fully depreciated assets and the related accumulated depreciation amounts are eliminated from the accounts whether the assets are retired or continue in service.

The costs of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of the asset or materially extend the life of the asset are not capitalized.

Net position

Net position is classified into three components: net investment in capital assets, restricted, and unrestricted. These classifications are defined as follows:

- **Net investment in capital assets** - This component of net position consists of capital assets, including restricted capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation and reduced by the outstanding balances of any bonds, mortgages, notes, or other borrowings that are attributable to the acquisition, construction, or improvement of those assets. If there are significant unspent related debt proceeds at year-end, the portion of the debt attributable to the unspent proceeds are not included in the calculation of net investment in capital assets. Instead that portion of the debt is included in the same net position component as the unspent proceeds.
- **Restricted** - This component of net position consists of constraints placed on an assets' use through external constraints imposed by creditors (such as through debt covenants), grantors, contributors, or laws or regulations of other governments or constraints imposed by law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.
- **Unrestricted** - This component consists of net position that does not meet the definition of "restricted" or "net investment in capital assets."

Long-term obligations

Long-term debt and other obligations financed by the Agency are reported as liabilities on the Statements of Net Position. Bond premiums and discounts, as well as deferred refunding costs, are deferred and amortized over the life of the bonds using methods which approximate the effective interest method. Bonds payable are reported net of the applicable bond premium or discount and, if applicable, deferred refunding costs. Issuance costs are reported as deferred charges (other assets) and amortized over the life of the bonds on the straight-line method.

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Compensated absences

Vested vacation leave is recorded as an expense and liability as the benefits accrue to employees.

Revenues and receivables

- **Domestic and commercial customers** - Revenues and receivables, based on water consumption, are recognized when services are provided.
- **Industrial customers** - Revenues and receivables, based on metered effluent and surcharges, are recognized when services are provided.
- **Allowance for uncollectible accounts** - An allowance for uncollectible accounts is estimated based on historic bad debt levels, plus an amount for any specific doubtful accounts.

Operating revenues and expenses

Operating revenues and expenses generally result from providing services in connection with the Agency's principal ongoing operations. The principal operating revenues of the Agency are charges to customers for wastewater treatment services. Operating expenses include the cost of services, administrative expenses, and depreciation on capital assets. All revenues and expenses not meeting this definition are reported as non-operating revenues and expenses.

Estimates

Preparation of the financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the Agency's financial position and results of operations and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities. Actual results could differ from these estimates.

New pronouncements

The Agency has implemented the following GASB pronouncements:

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GASB Statement No. 62, *Codification of Accounting and Financial Reporting Guidance Contained in Pre-November 30, 1989 Financial Accounting Standards Board (“FASB”) and AICPA Pronouncements*, effective for periods beginning after December 15, 2011, codifies all sources of generally accepted accounting principles for state and local governments so they are derived from a single source. The standard also supersedes GASB Statement No. 20, eliminating the election to apply FASB Statements and Interpretations issued after November 30, 1989, as well as the need for disclosure of this election. All FASB and AICPA pronouncements issued after November 30, 1989 will become nonauthoritative literature for application purposes. In addition, the standard clarifies that interest should be capitalized on assets acquired for others, clarifies that interest need not be imputed on low interest loans and clarifies the operating cycle should not be used to classify current assets and liabilities. This statement does not have a material impact on the Agency’s financial statements.

GASB Statement No. 63, *Financial Reporting of Deferred Outflows of Resources, Deferred Inflows of Resources, and Net Position*, effective for periods beginning after December 15, 2011, provides financial reporting guidance for deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources requiring segregation of deferred outflows and inflows from assets and liabilities for both governmental financial statements and accrual basis financial statements. The standard amends the net asset reporting requirements in GASB Statement No. 34, *Basic Financial Statements—and Management’s Discussion and Analysis—for State and Local Governments*, and other pronouncements by incorporating deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources into the definitions of the required components of the residual measure and by renaming that measure as net position, rather than net assets. This statement does not have a material impact on the Agency’s financial statements.

The GASB has issued several statements which have not yet been implemented by the Agency. Those statements which may have a future impact on the Agency include:

GASB Statement No. 65, *Items Previously Reported as Assets and Liabilities*, effective for periods beginning after December 15, 2012, identifies deferred outflows and inflows that are to be separated from assets and liabilities under GASB Statement No. 63 and provides for immediate recognition of certain costs and fees. This standard also provides financial reporting guidance related to the impact of the financial statement elements deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources, such as changes in the determination of the major fund calculations and limiting the use of the term deferred in financial statement presentations. Implementation of this standard will result in reclassifications of the Agency’s deferred loss on refunding from revenue bonds payable to deferred outflow and elimination of the Agency’s bond issuance cost assets, with a net carrying value of \$5,343,838 at June 30, 2013.

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GASB Statement No. 68, *Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions-an amendment of GASB Statement No. 27*, effective for periods beginning after June 15, 2014, replaces the requirements of GASB Statements No. 27 and No. 50 as they relate to pensions that are provided through pension plans administered as trusts or equivalent arrangements that meet certain criteria. The standard requires government employers to recognize as a liability, for the first time, their long-term obligation for pension benefits. The employer liability is to be measured as the difference between the present value of projected benefit payments to be provided through the pension plan for past periods of service less the amount of the pension plan's fiduciary net position, with obligations for employers with cost sharing plans based on their proportionate share of contributions to the pension plan. The standard also requires more immediate recognition of annual service cost, interest and changes in benefits for pension expense, specifies requirements for discount rates and actuarial methods and changes disclosure requirements.

Note 2 – Cash and Cash Equivalents and Investments

As of June 30, 2013 and 2012, the Agency had the following cash and cash equivalents and investments:

Description	Fair Value June 30,	
	2013	2012
Cash and cash equivalents		
Checking and other cash	\$ 38,358,560	\$ 67,724,774
Money markets – government obligations	11,295,632	11,016,836
Total cash and cash equivalents	<u>\$ 49,654,192</u>	<u>\$ 78,741,610</u>
Investments		
Certificates of deposit	\$ 9,000,000	\$ -
Government sponsored enterprises	6,033,007	6,080,271
United States Treasury Bills	8,268,669	7,727,459
Total investments	<u>\$ 23,301,676</u>	<u>\$ 13,807,730</u>

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Note 2 – Cash and Cash Equivalents and Investments, continued

Investment maturities are as follows as of June 30, 2013:

Investment Type	Fair Value	Investment maturities (in years)	
		Less than 1 year	1 – 5 years
Certificates of Deposit	\$ 9,000,000	\$ -	\$ 9,000,000
US Treasury Bills	8,268,669	8,268,669	-
US Agencies notes and bonds			
Federal Farm Credit Bank bonds	3,912,425	-	3,912,425
Federal Home Loan Bank bonds	878,621	-	878,621
Federal National Mortgage Association notes	1,241,961	-	1,241,961
Total	<u>\$ 23,301,676</u>	<u>\$ 8,268,669</u>	<u>\$ 15,033,007</u>

Interest rate risk

The Agency's investment policy requires structuring investment maturities and investment options to manage its exposure to fair value losses arising from increasing interest rates.

Credit risk

State law limits investments to obligations of the United States and agencies thereof, general obligations of the State of South Carolina or any of its political units, financial institutions to the extent that the same are secured by Federal Deposit Insurance, and certificates of deposits where the certificates are collaterally secured by securities of the type described above are held by a third party as escrow agent or custodian, of a market value not less than the amount of the certificates of deposit so secured, including interest. The Agency has an investment policy that would further limit its investment choices. The Agency's investments at June 30, 2013 and 2012 consist of US Treasury Bills and US Agencies notes and bonds. The bills and US Agencies notes and bonds were rated AA+ by Standard & Poor's and Aaa by Moody's Investors Service as of June 30, 2013.

Concentration of credit risk

The Agency has an investment policy that limits the types of investments the Agency may invest in any one issuer. More than 5 percent of the Agency's investments are in US Treasury Bills. These investments are approximately 35 percent of the Agency's total investments at June 30, 2013.

Custodial credit risk deposits

Custodial credit risk is the risk that in the event of a bank failure, the Agency's deposits may not be returned to it. The Agency has a policy for custodial credit risk. As of June 30, 2013 and 2012 all of the Agency's deposits were insured or collateralized with securities held by the Agency's agents in the Agency's name.

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Note 3 – Receivables

Customer and other accounts receivables were as follows:

	June 30,	
	2013	2012
Fees and services		
Domestic and commercial customers	\$ 9,162,313	\$ 8,800,833
Industrial customers	1,246,274	1,227,698
Total receivables from fees	10,408,587	10,028,531
Less: allowance for uncollectible accounts	725,000	725,000
Net receivables from fees	9,683,587	9,303,531
Accrued interest on cash equivalents & other receivables	36,815	77,085
Reimbursements due from other governmental units	3,250,232	3,495,848
Total receivables	12,970,634	12,876,464
Less: current receivables, net	9,949,800	9,626,231
Non-current receivables, net	<u>\$ 3,020,834</u>	<u>\$ 3,250,233</u>

Note 4 – Restricted Cash and Cash Equivalents and Investments

Provisions of the revenue bond and state revolving loan agreements require the Agency to establish funds and restrict the use of certain cash and cash equivalents and investments. A brief description of such funds follows:

- **Capital projects** - restricts the use of revenue bond, state revolving loan, real property sales proceeds, and interest earnings on such proceeds, to the construction of capital projects.
- **Current principal and interest payments** - reports resources accumulated for the next principal and interest payments.
- **Debt service reserves** - reports resources set aside to cover potential future deficiencies in the current principal and interest payments account.
- **Operations and maintenance** - reports resources set aside to cover operating and maintenance expenses for one month.
- **Depreciation** - reports resources set aside to fund asset replacements.
- **Contingencies** - reports resources set aside to meet unexpected contingencies.

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Note 4 – Restricted Cash and Cash Equivalents and Investments, continued

Restricted cash and cash equivalents and investments at June 30, 2013 and 2012 are restricted for the following uses:

	<u>2013</u>	<u>2012</u>
Capital projects	\$ -	\$ 7,060,990
Current principal and interest payments	11,283,895	10,471,104
Debt service reserves	8,276,159	8,273,191
Operations and maintenance	2,562,656	2,563,847
Depreciation	4,874,899	4,848,431
Contingencies	1,000,000	1,000,000
Total restricted assets	<u>\$ 27,997,609</u>	<u>\$ 34,217,563</u>

Restricted assets consisted of the following at June 30:

	<u>2013</u>	<u>2012</u>
Cash	\$ 19,728,940	\$ 26,490,104
Investments	8,268,669	7,727,459
Total restricted assets	<u>\$ 27,997,609</u>	<u>\$ 34,217,563</u>

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Note 5 – Capital Assets

A summary of changes in capital assets follows below.

	Balance June 30, 2012	Additions	Disposals	Balance June 30, 2013
Capital assets not being depreciated				
Construction in progress	\$ 40,981,998	\$ 8,991,619	\$ 39,859,743	\$ 10,113,874
Land	3,544,803	5,691	-	3,550,494
Rights-of-way	41,417	18,850	-	60,267
Total capital assets not being depreciated	<u>44,568,218</u>	<u>9,016,160</u>	<u>39,859,743</u>	<u>13,724,635</u>
Capital assets being depreciated				
Buildings	318,005,443	24,667,983	1,453,910	341,219,516
Trunk lines	305,208,393	21,927,096	850,262	326,285,227
Water resource recovery facilities equipment	82,853,162	8,222,661	1,058,517	90,017,306
Operational equipment	1,266,849	4,537,033	72,147	5,731,735
Office furniture	482,394	-	95,636	386,758
Vehicles	751,511	197,504	169,227	779,788
Total capital assets being depreciated	<u>708,567,752</u>	<u>59,552,277</u>	<u>3,699,699</u>	<u>764,420,330</u>
Less: accumulated depreciation				
Buildings	120,877,639	11,373,984	1,453,910	130,797,713
Trunk lines	100,562,358	8,157,131	850,262	107,869,227
Water resource recovery facilities equipment	45,669,273	6,001,154	1,058,517	50,611,910
Operational equipment	504,662	260,828	72,147	693,343
Office furniture	275,708	72,227	95,354	252,581
Vehicles	403,261	196,294	169,227	430,328
Total accumulated depreciation	<u>268,292,901</u>	<u>26,061,618</u>	<u>3,699,417</u>	<u>290,655,102</u>
Total capital assets being depreciated, net	<u>440,274,851</u>	<u>33,490,659</u>	<u>282</u>	<u>473,765,228</u>
Capital assets, net	<u>\$ 484,843,069</u>	<u>\$ 42,506,819</u>	<u>\$ 39,860,025</u>	<u>\$ 487,489,863</u>

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Note 5 – Capital Assets, continued

	Balance June 30, 2011	Additions	Disposals	Balance June 30, 2012
Capital assets not being depreciated				
Construction in progress	\$ 4,108,739	\$ 38,317,353	\$ 1,444,094	\$ 40,981,998
Land	3,502,452	42,351	-	3,544,803
Rights-of-way	11,169	30,248	-	41,417
Total capital assets not being depreciated	<u>7,622,360</u>	<u>38,389,952</u>	<u>1,444,094</u>	<u>44,568,218</u>
Capital assets being depreciated				
Buildings	317,070,082	2,523,452	1,588,091	318,005,443
Trunk lines	303,388,103	2,243,070	422,780	305,208,393
Water resource recovery facilities equipment	83,004,340	841,152	992,330	82,853,162
Operational equipment	1,191,062	144,419	68,632	1,266,849
Office furniture	458,887	72,546	49,039	482,394
Vehicles	629,657	292,725	170,871	751,511
Total capital assets being depreciated	<u>705,742,131</u>	<u>6,117,364</u>	<u>3,291,743</u>	<u>708,567,752</u>
Less: accumulated depreciation				
Buildings	111,865,544	10,600,186	1,588,091	120,877,639
Trunk lines	93,354,928	7,630,210	422,780	100,562,358
Water resource recovery facilities equipment	41,138,062	5,523,541	992,330	45,669,273
Operational equipment	446,526	126,768	68,632	504,662
Office furniture	248,061	76,686	49,039	275,708
Vehicles	396,960	177,172	170,871	403,261
Total accumulated depreciation	<u>247,450,081</u>	<u>24,134,563</u>	<u>3,291,743</u>	<u>268,292,901</u>
Total capital assets being depreciated, net	<u>458,292,050</u>	<u>(18,017,199)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>440,274,851</u>
Capital assets, net	<u>\$ 465,914,410</u>	<u>\$ 20,372,753</u>	<u>\$ 1,444,094</u>	<u>\$ 484,843,069</u>

The Agency has granted a statutory lien on the System to secure its revenue bonds and state revolving loans.

Interest cost in 2013 and 2012 totaled \$11,380,851 and 12,416,372, respectively, of which \$152,049 and \$449,821 was capitalized.

Note 6 – Bond Issuance Costs

At June 30, 2013 and 2012, the Agency's bond issuance costs were as follows:

	June 30, 2013	2012
Bond issuance costs	\$ 9,025,381	\$ 9,025,381
Less: accumulated amortization	3,681,543	3,123,807
Bond issuance costs, net	<u>\$ 5,343,838</u>	<u>\$ 5,901,574</u>

Amortization of bond issuance costs for the year ended June 30, 2013 and 2012 totaled \$557,736 and \$509,502, respectively.

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Note 6 – Bond Issuance Costs, continued

Estimated amortization expense for each of the next five years is as follows:

Year ending June 30,	Amortization expense
2014	\$ 557,736
2015	557,736
2016	553,049
2017	553,049
2018	553,049
Thereafter	2,569,219
	<u>\$ 5,343,838</u>

Note 7 – Revenue Bonds Payable

At June 30, 2013 and 2012, the Agency was obligated on various series of revenue bonds issued for purposes of constructing water resource recovery facilities and trunk lines. Revenue bonds outstanding at June 30, 2013 and 2012 are as follows:

	<u>2013</u>	<u>2012</u>
\$86,560,000 Series 2005 revenue bonds dated January 11, 2005 with annual principal payments ranging from \$65,000 to \$2,250,000 plus interest at 2.40 to 4.88 percent payable semi-annually through March 2015.	\$ 1,025,000	\$ 1,510,000
\$69,695,000 Series 2005B refunding revenue bonds dated March 15, 2005 with interest at 2.55 to 5.07 percent payable semi-annually beginning September 1, 2005. Beginning March 1, 2012, annual principal payments ranging from \$5,180,000 to \$9,400,000 plus semi-annual payments of interest at 2.55 to 5.07 percent are payable through March 2021.	59,070,000	64,515,000
\$30,000,000 Series 2009 revenue bonds dated April 29, 2009 with annual principal payments ranging from \$1,520,000 to \$5,000,000 plus interest at 3.79 percent payable semi-annually through March 2024.	21,900,000	23,480,000
\$63,630,000 Series 2010A refunding revenue bonds dated July 9, 2010 with interest at 3.00 to 5.00 percent payable semi-annually beginning January 1, 2011. Beginning January 1, 2011, annual principal payments ranging from \$1,665,000 to \$5,585,000 plus semi-annual payments of interest at 3.00 to 5.00 percent are payable through January 2025.	51,285,000	55,585,000
\$26,800,000 Series 2010B revenue bonds dated December 7, 2010 with interest at 1.99 to 5.81 percent payable semi-annually beginning July 1, 2011. Beginning January 1, 2012, annual principal payments ranging from \$225,000 to \$3,080,000 plus semi-annual payments of interest at 1.99 to 5.81 percent are payable through January 2025.	21,270,000	24,000,000

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Note 7 – Revenue Bonds Payable, continued

	<u>2013</u>	<u>2012</u>
\$71,395,000 Series 2012 refunding revenue bonds dated March 20, 2012 with interest at 2.00 to 5.00 percent payable semi-annually beginning July 1, 2012. Beginning January 1, 2014, annual principal payments ranging from \$270,000 to \$17,325,000 plus semi-annual payments of interest at 2.00 to 5.00 percent are payable through January 2025.	71,395,000	71,395,000
	225,945,000	240,485,000
Premium on Series 2005 revenue bonds	34,067	51,101
Premium on Series 2005B refunding bonds	3,618,389	4,090,353
Premium on Series 2010A refunding bonds	3,652,905	4,552,381
Premium on Series 2012 refunding bonds	10,681,950	11,376,688
Less: deferred loss on refunding	10,216,357	11,146,625
Less: current maturities	16,607,208	15,692,944
Long-term portion	<u>\$ 217,108,746</u>	<u>\$ 233,715,954</u>

Amortization of bond premiums totaled approximately \$2,083,212 and \$1,493,908 for the years ended June 30, 2013 and 2012, respectively. Amortization of the deferred loss on refunding was \$930,268 and \$234,463 for the years ended June 30, 2013 and 2012.

Future amounts required to pay principal and interest on revenue bonds outstanding at June 30, 2013 are as follows:

<u>June 30,</u>	<u>Principal</u>	<u>Interest</u>	<u>Total</u>
2014	\$ 15,375,000	\$ 10,076,124	\$ 25,451,124
2015	16,015,000	9,417,219	25,432,219
2016	16,560,000	8,788,824	25,348,824
2017	17,290,000	8,070,271	25,360,271
2018	18,080,000	7,351,450	25,431,450
2019 - 2023	98,870,000	23,817,218	122,687,218
2024 - 2025	43,755,000	3,118,063	46,873,063
	<u>\$ 225,945,000</u>	<u>\$ 70,639,169</u>	<u>\$ 296,584,169</u>

Provisions of the revenue bond agreements require the Agency to maintain user rates sufficient to generate net earnings as defined by the bond agreement of at least 110 percent of the combined annual principal and interest payments, make timely payment of principal and interest on all outstanding debt, maintain required funds for debt service reserves, operations and maintenance expenses, depreciation and contingencies, and meet various other general requirements specified in the bond agreements. Management believes that the Agency was in compliance with these covenants at June 30, 2013 and 2012.

The Series 2005, 2005B and 2009 bonds are payable solely from and secured by a pledge of the gross revenues of the Agency.

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Note 7 – Revenue Bonds Payable, continued

The Series 2010A, 2010B and 2012 bonds are secured by a pledge of the gross revenues, net of operations and maintenance expenses (as defined), that is subordinate to the aforementioned Series 2005, 2005B and 2009 pledge.

Interest expense on the revenue bonds totaled \$10,275,580 and \$10,890,645 for the years ended June 30, 2013 and 2012, respectively.

Note 8 – State Revolving Loans Payable

At June 30, 2013 and 2012, the Agency was obligated on various state revolving loans issued for purposes of constructing capital assets. State revolving loan amounts outstanding at June 30, 2013 and 2012 are as follows:

	<u>2013</u>	<u>2012</u>
\$19,571,443 Lower Reedy water resource recovery facility expansion phase II loan dated June 10, 2005. Payable in quarterly installments of \$312,731, including interest at 2.25 percent, through March 2027.	\$ 14,758,556	\$ 15,664,634
\$27,800,000 Durbin Creek water resource recovery facility upgrade and expansion loan dated November 14, 2006. Payable in quarterly installments of \$438,048, including interest at 2.25 percent, through March 2029.	23,182,748	24,396,215
\$2,850,550 Gravity sewer and manhole rehabilitation phase I loan dated December 9, 2009. Payable in quarterly installments of \$42,187 including interest at 1.84 percent, through November 2030.	2,540,283	2,665,648
\$2,509,938 Gravity sewer and manhole rehabilitation phase II loan dated December 9, 2009. Payable in quarterly installments of \$38,755 including interest at 2.17 percent, through January 2031.	2,274,775	2,380,466
	<u>42,756,362</u>	<u>45,106,963</u>
Less: current maturities	2,402,392	2,350,601
Long-term portion	<u>\$ 40,353,970</u>	<u>\$ 42,756,362</u>

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Note 8 – State Revolving Loans Payable, continued

Interest expense on the state revolving loans totaled \$971,765 and \$1,091,949 for the years ended June 30, 2013 and 2012, respectively.

Future amounts required to pay outstanding principal and interest on state revolving loans outstanding at June 30, 2013 are as follows:

<u>June 30,</u>	<u>Principal</u>	<u>Interest</u>	<u>Total</u>
2014	\$ 2,402,392	\$ 924,490	\$ 3,326,882
2015	2,455,405	871,476	3,326,881
2016	2,509,670	817,211	3,326,881
2017	2,565,217	761,664	3,326,881
2018	2,622,077	704,804	3,326,881
2019 - 2023	14,011,490	2,622,916	16,634,406
2024 - 2028	14,067,718	1,003,034	15,070,752
2029 - 2031	2,122,393	39,922	2,162,315
	<u>\$ 42,756,362</u>	<u>\$ 7,745,517</u>	<u>\$ 50,501,879</u>

Provisions of the state revolving loan agreements require the Agency to use loan proceeds solely for the purpose of paying eligible project costs, submit the annual audit of its financial statements by December 31st, maintain user rates sufficient to make timely payment of principal and interest on all outstanding debt, maintain required funds for current principal and interest payments, operations and maintenance expenses, depreciation and contingencies, review the adequacy of its user rates at least annually, and meet various other general requirements specified in the loan agreements. Management believes that the Agency was in compliance with these covenants at June 30, 2013 and 2012.

The state revolving loans are secured by a pledge of the gross revenues of the Agency. As additional security, the Agency has granted a statutory lien on the System.

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Note 9 – Changes in Long-Term Liabilities

Changes in long-term debt, compensated absences and other postemployment benefits (“OPEB”) for the years ended June 30, 2013 and 2012 are as follows:

	Balance July 1, 2012	Additions	Reductions	Balance June 30, 2013	Due within one year
Revenue bonds	\$ 240,485,000	\$ -	\$ 14,540,000	\$ 225,945,000	\$ 15,375,000
State revolving loans	45,106,963	-	2,350,601	42,756,362	2,402,392
Compensated absences	694,250	683,355	626,000	751,605	625,550
OPEB	1,953,924	871,159	292,817	2,532,266	-
	288,240,137	1,554,514	17,809,418	271,985,233	18,402,942
Less: deferred loss on refunding	11,146,625	-	930,268	10,216,357	930,268
Premiums on bond issuance	20,070,523	-	2,083,212	17,987,311	2,162,476
	<u>\$ 297,164,035</u>	<u>\$ 1,554,514</u>	<u>\$ 18,962,362</u>	<u>\$ 279,756,187</u>	<u>\$ 19,635,150</u>

	Balance July 1, 2011	Additions	Reductions	Balance June 30, 2012	Due within one year
Revenue bonds	\$ 262,710,000	\$ 71,395,000	\$ 93,620,000	\$ 240,485,000	\$ 14,540,000
State revolving loans	46,472,373	881,012	2,246,422	45,106,963	2,350,601
Compensated absences	698,753	668,261	672,764	694,250	673,000
OPEB	1,359,604	844,007	249,687	1,953,924	250,000
	311,240,730	73,788,280	96,788,873	288,240,137	17,813,601
Less: deferred loss on refunding	2,683,537	8,697,551	234,463	11,146,625	930,268
Premiums on bond issuance	13,338,573	11,376,688	4,644,738	20,070,523	2,083,212
	<u>\$ 321,895,766</u>	<u>\$ 76,467,417</u>	<u>\$ 101,199,148</u>	<u>\$ 297,164,035</u>	<u>\$ 18,966,545</u>

A portion of the Series 2005 bonds were defeased through the issuance of the Series 2012 bonds and by depositing the proceeds in an irrevocable trust to provide for future debt service payments. Thus, the defeased debt and the irrevocable trust are not a part of the financial statements. Outstanding principal amounts of defeased bonds totaled \$79,770,000 at June 30, 2013.

Note 10 – Construction Contracts in Progress

At June 30, 2013 the Agency had commitments for various projects for the construction and acquisition of property and equipment. Construction in progress is included in the property and equipment balance as facilities, land, trunk lines and equipment.

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Note 10 – Construction Contracts in Progress, continued

The following summarizes construction contracts in progress at June 30, 2013 on which significant additional work is to be performed:

Project Name	Contract amount	Total contract incurred through June 30, 2013	Balance to be performed
Bar Screen and Screw Compactor Replacement	\$ 459,868	\$ 25,793	\$ 434,075
FY13 Gravity Sewer Rehab	3,494,807	1,017,595	2,477,212
Fountain Inn "A" PS Upgrades	864,043	658,718	205,325
Gilder Creek PCS Upgrades	1,445,483	277,656	1,167,827
Guy's Restaurant PS Upgrades	292,674	157,111	135,563
Pelham Day Tank Repairs	141,395	-	141,395
Pelham IPS Equipment Replacement	1,548,541	625,992	922,549
Pelham Solids Handling Improvements	625,392	83,834	541,558
Piedmont and Grove Modifications	7,677,155	6,195,937	1,481,218
Piedmont Regional WRRF Warranty	3,181,695	-	3,181,695
Taylor's PS Bar Screen	1,009,290	704,222	305,068
	<u>\$ 20,740,343</u>	<u>\$ 9,746,858</u>	<u>\$ 10,993,485</u>

Note 11 – Compensated Absences

Full-time employees of the Agency accumulate vacation benefits at 1 to 2 days per month, based on length of service, up to 24 days per year. Annual leave in excess of 24 days at December 31st of each year is forfeited. Annual leave earned up to 24 days is paid to employees upon separation from employment. Accrued vacation benefits totaled \$751,605 and \$694,250 at June 30, 2013 and 2012, respectively.

Note 12 – Employee Benefits

Pension plan

Substantially all of the Agency's employees are members of the South Carolina Retirement System (the "SCRS"), a cost-sharing multiple-employer pension plan administered by the Retirement Division of the State Budget and Control Board. The SCRS provides retirement and disability benefits, cost of living adjustments on an adhoc basis, life insurance benefits and survivor benefits. The Plan's provisions are established under Title 9 of the South Carolina Code of Laws. The SCRS issues a publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required information for the SCRS. That report may be obtained by writing the South Carolina Retirement System, Post Office Box 11960, Columbia, South Carolina 29211-1960 or by calling 1-800-868-9002.

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Note 12 – Employee Benefits, continued

Plan members are required to contribute 7.0 and 6.5 percent of their annual covered salary for the years ended June 30, 2013 and 2012, respectively, and the Agency is required to contribute at an actuarially determined rate. The Agency's rate is 10.45 and 9.385 percent of annual covered payroll for the years ended June 30, 2013 and 2012, respectively, and an additional 0.15 percent of payroll is contributed to a group life insurance benefit for the participants for each of the years ended June 30, 2013 and 2012.

Required contributions were made at 100 percent and are summarized as follows:

	Employer SCRS	Employee SCRS
June 30, 2013	\$ 1,129,479	\$ 745,882
June 30, 2012	972,459	662,924
June 30, 2011	949,406	657,078

Deferred compensation plan

The Agency offers its employees a deferred compensation plan, created in accordance with Internal Revenue Code Section 457, which is administered and controlled by the state of South Carolina. The plan, available to all the Agency employees, permits employees to defer a portion of their salary until future years. Participation in the plan is optional. Certain employees of the Agency have elected to participate. Compensation deferred under the Section 457 plan is placed in trust for the contributing employee.

The deferred compensation is not available to employees until termination, retirement, death or unforeseeable emergency. Participants' rights under the plan are equal to those of general creditors of the Agency in an amount equal to the fair market value of the deferred account for each participant. Great-West Retirement Services (under state contract) is the program administrator of the Section 457 Plan.

Note 13 – Postemployment Healthcare Plan

The Agency maintains a single-employer defined benefit plan (the "Plan") to provide certain postretirement healthcare benefits to all former regular full time employees. Healthcare coverage levels for retirees are the same as coverage provided to regular active full time employees in accordance with the terms and conditions of the SC State Health Plan. The Agency contributes up to 58 percent of the monthly premium for retirees and covered dependents based on the selected healthcare plan. The amount contributed by the Agency is determined by the State of SC Employee Insurance Program. This amount is based on the level of coverage selected by the retiree not the plan selected. The Agency is under no statutory or contractual obligation to provide these postretirement healthcare benefits. Because the Plan consists solely of the Agency's commitment to provide OPEB through the payment of premiums to insurance companies on behalf of its eligible retirees, no stand-alone financial report is either available or generated.

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Note 13 – Postemployment Healthcare Plan, continued

The Agency contributes the following per retiree per month based on the level of coverage selected and not the plan selected by the retiree:

	July 2012 to December 2012	January 2013 to June 2013
Retiree only	\$ 292	\$ 328
Retiree/spouse	578	650
Retiree/child(ren)	448	504
Family	724	814

For the year ended June 30, 2013, Plan members receiving benefits paid \$134,398 which was used to offset the Agency's cash outlays to insurance carriers equaling \$412,201 for the current year premiums due. The net outlay from the Agency, which totaled \$277,803, represents the Agency's net cost paid for current year premiums due. The Plan is financed on a pay-as-you-go basis.

The Agency's annual OPEB cost is calculated based on the annual required contributions ("ARC") of the Agency, an amount actuarially determined in accordance with the parameters of GASB Statement No. 45. The ARC represents a level of funding that, if paid on an ongoing basis, is projected to cover normal cost each year and amortize any unfunded actuarial liabilities (or funding excess) over a period not to exceed thirty years.

The following table shows the components of the Agency's annual OPEB cost for the year, the amount actually contributed to the plan, and changes in the Agency's net OPEB obligation to the Plan:

Annual required contribution	\$ 864,695
Interest on net OPEB obligation	87,927
Adjustment to annual required contribution	<u>(81,463)</u>
Annual OPEB cost (expense)	871,159
Contributions made	<u>(292,817) *</u>
Increase in net OPEB obligation	578,342
Net OPEB obligation, beginning of year	<u>1,953,924</u>
Net OPEB obligation, end of year	<u><u>\$ 2,532,266</u></u>

The Agency's annual OPEB cost, the percentage of annual OPEB cost contributed to the plan, and the net OPEB obligation for fiscal year ending June 30, 2013 and the preceding two fiscal years were as follows:

Fiscal year ended	Annual required contribution	Annual OPEB cost	Employer amount contributed	Percentage contributed	Net OPEB obligation
June 30, 2013	\$ 864,695	\$ 871,159	\$ 292,817	*	\$ 2,532,266
June 30, 2012	839,510	844,007	249,687	*	1,953,924
June 30, 2011	733,507	736,451	266,792	*	1,359,604

*includes adjustment for implicit rate subsidy.

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Note 13 – Postemployment Healthcare Plan, continued

As of June 30, 2010, the most recent actuarial valuation date, the Plan was not funded. The actuarial accrued liability for benefits was \$8,780,194 resulting in an unfunded actuarial accrued liability (“UAAL”) of \$8,780,194. The covered payroll (annual payroll of active employees covered by the plan) was \$10,660,375, and the ratio of the UAAL to the covered payroll was 82.3 percent.

The schedule of funding progress, presented as required supplementary information following the notes to the financial statements, presents multiyear trend information about whether the actuarial value of plan assets is increasing or decreasing over time relative to the actuarial accrued liabilities for benefits. However, because the Agency maintains no Plan assets, information relative to Plan asset required disclosure is not applicable.

The Projected Unit Credit actuarial cost method is used to calculate the GASB ARC for the Agency’s retiree health care plan. Using the plan benefits, the present health premiums and a set of actuarial assumptions, the anticipated future payments are projected. The projected unit credit method then provides for a systematic funding for these anticipated payments. The yearly ARC is computed to cover the cost of benefits being earned by covered members as well as to amortize a portion of the unfunded accrued liability.

Projections of health benefits are based on the plan as understood by the Agency and include the types of benefits in force at the valuation date and the pattern of sharing benefit costs between the Agency and its employees to that point. Actuarial calculations reflect a long-term perspective and employ methods and assumptions that are designed to reduce short-term volatility in actuarial accrued liabilities and the actuarial value of assets. Significant methods and assumptions were as follows:

Investment rate of return	4.50%, net of expenses
Actuarial cost method	Projected Unit Credit Cost Method
Amortization method	Level as a percentage of employee payroll
Amortization period	Open 30 year period
Payroll growth	3.00% per annum
Inflation	3.00% per annum
Medical trend	Initial rate of 7.25% declining to an ultimate rate of 4.50% over 13 years
Drug trend	Initial rate of 8.00% declining to an ultimate rate of 4.50% over 13 years

Actuarial valuations involve estimates of the value of reported amounts and assumptions about the probability of events in the future. Amounts determined regarding the funded status and the ARC of the Agency’s retiree health care plan are subject to continual revision as actual results are compared to past expectations and new estimates are made about the future.

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Note 14 – Commitments

The Agency has contracted with the Commissioners of the Public Works of the City of Greenville, South Carolina to provide for collection of sewer service charges. The rate charged is subject to adjustment annually based upon experience. The cost to the Agency for the year ending June 30, 2013 was \$1,753,634, which is included in customer service expenses on the accompanying Statements of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Net Position. For the year ended June 30, 2014, billing charges to the Agency are estimated to cost approximately \$1.8 million.

Note 15 – Contingencies

Through routine sampling, the Agency identified polychlorinated biphenyls, also known as PCB's, in the solid waste byproducts in one of the water resource recovery facilities. These byproducts have been isolated into on-site holding tanks for cleanup. The Agency will continue testing its effluent and solid waste byproducts to ensure the illegal dumping does not present an environmental concern. Also, the Agency will continue to work closely with South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control and United States Environmental Protection Agency until this is resolved.

The Agency is from time-to-time subject to various claims, legal actions and other matters arising out of the normal conduct of the Agency's operations. In particular, the Agency is regularly involved in lawsuits related to acquiring rights-of-way for its use, which requires a determination of amounts of just compensation to be paid to the owners. Based on prior experience and available information, the Agency does not anticipate any lawsuits to be material to the basic financial statements.

Note 16 – Risk Management

The Agency is exposed to various risks of losses related to torts; theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees; and natural disasters. The Agency maintains insurance coverage through the State of South Carolina, and has effectively managed risk through various employee education and prevention programs. No significant reductions in insurance coverage have occurred from the prior year to the current year. The amount of settlements has not exceeded insurance coverage for the years ending June 30, 2013 and 2012. The Agency believes that the amount of actual or potential claims as of June 30, 2013 will not materially affect the financial condition of the Agency.

Renewable Water Resources
Required Supplementary Information
Schedule of Funding Progress – Other Postemployment Benefits

Fiscal Year	Actuarial valuation date	Actuarial value of assets (a)	Actuarial accrued liability (AAL) - entry age b	Unfunded AAL (UAAL) (b-a)	Funded ratio (a/b)	Covered payroll (c)	UAAL as a percentage of covered payroll ((b-a)/c)
2011	June 30, 2008	\$ -	\$ 8,417,369	\$ 8,417,369	0.00%	\$ 10,318,963	81.6%
2012	June 30, 2010	-	8,780,194	8,780,194	0.00%	10,198,831	86.1%
2013	June 30, 2010	-	8,780,194	8,780,194	0.00%	10,660,375	82.3%

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Save an old plastic bag to use as a can liner. Pour cooled FOG into the can and allow it to harden. When hardened, simply toss the liner in the trash.

Pipe Patrol:

Pipe Patrol is an educational campaign designed by Renewable Water Resources to inform our community about the hazards of pouring fats, oils and grease ("FOG") down the drain. Although most of us are aware of the potential health risks associated with excessive fats and grease in our diet, we may not realize the danger of improperly disposing of these items.



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Pipe Patrol:

The Pipe Patrol campaign educates the community about the effects of pouring FOG down the kitchen sink and how it can be harmful to the local environment. Pouring FOG down the drain can cause problems during the wastewater treatment process and create pipe blockages in your home that can be inconvenient and expensive to fix.



Statistical Section

This part of the Agency's comprehensive annual financial report presents detailed information as a context for understanding what the information in the financial statements, note disclosures, and required supplementary information say about the Agency's overall financial health.

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Financial Trends – These schedules contain trend information to help the reader understand how the Agency's financial performance and well-being have changed over time.

Revenue Capacity – This schedule contains information to help the reader assess the Agency's most significant local revenue sources.

Debt Capacity – These schedules present information to help the reader assess the affordability of the Agency's current levels of outstanding debt and the ability to manage debt in the future.

Demographic and Economic Information – These schedules offer demographic and economic indicators to help the reader understand the environment in which the Agency operates.

Operating Information – These schedules contain service and infrastructure data to help the reader understand how the financial report relates to the services the Authority provides.

**Renewable Water Resources
Schedule of Net Position
Last Ten Fiscal Years Ended June 30,**

	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008 ⁽²⁾	2007 ⁽²⁾	2006 ⁽²⁾	2005 ^{(1),(2)}	2004 ^{(1),(2)}
Net investment in capital assets	\$ 207,368,981	\$ 183,853,336	\$ 169,934,492	\$ 161,289,271	\$ 170,727,631	\$ 180,458,085	\$ 139,622,665	\$ 143,955,865	\$ 137,838,215	\$ 103,152,950
Restricted										
Debt service	19,560,054	18,744,295	31,669,416	40,108,418	39,528,346	6,049,781	6,202,937	19,477,820	n/a	n/a
Depreciation	4,874,899	4,848,431	4,659,144	4,802,059	4,955,508	4,892,868	4,450,494	3,822,587	n/a	n/a
Other	3,562,656	3,563,847	3,463,870	3,286,842	3,173,574	3,132,177	4,297,592	4,642,670	n/a	n/a
Total restricted	27,997,609	27,156,573	39,792,430	48,197,319	47,657,428	14,074,826	14,951,023	27,943,077	26,546,992	41,145,932
Unrestricted	53,693,060	69,043,272	57,782,111	50,394,599	38,614,745	58,636,940	91,110,877	60,277,431	50,225,291	51,621,512
Total net position	\$ 289,059,650	\$ 280,053,181	\$ 267,509,033	\$ 259,881,189	\$ 256,999,804	\$ 253,169,851	\$ 245,684,565	\$ 232,176,373	\$ 214,610,498	\$ 195,920,394

n/a - not available

⁽¹⁾ Restricted net position categories are not available prior to fiscal year 2006.

⁽²⁾ In 2010, the Agency restated fiscal year 2009 net position to reflect the cumulative impact of certain unbilled services, as described in Note 18 of the notes to the financial statements for years ended June 30, 2010 and 2009. For comparative purposes, all other fiscal years presented have been adjusted to reflect the application of this methodology.

Renewable Water Resources
Schedule of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Net Position
Last Ten Fiscal Years Ended June 30,

	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008 ⁽¹⁾	2007 ⁽¹⁾	2006 ⁽¹⁾	2005 ⁽¹⁾	2004 ⁽¹⁾
Operating revenues										
Domestic and commercial customers	\$ 61,858,932	\$ 62,503,653	\$ 59,872,550	\$ 55,789,993	\$ 55,522,398	\$ 52,601,443	\$ 49,602,282	\$ 48,265,538	\$ 44,777,872	\$ 42,240,262
Industrial customers	6,734,685	6,771,088	6,771,019	6,352,280	6,209,957	6,248,026	6,101,595	5,825,086	5,849,490	5,921,739
New account fees	5,492,500	4,684,500	2,712,528	2,375,000	2,914,250	6,761,750	8,432,625	9,494,000	7,630,470	6,708,750
Septic haulers and other	546,015	454,470	410,743	389,836	368,854	562,351	311,718	290,257	289,578	227,510
Total operating revenues	74,632,132	74,413,711	69,766,840	64,907,109	65,015,459	66,173,570	64,448,220	63,899,285	58,523,006	55,098,261
Operating expenses										
Operations	13,741,097	12,772,433	12,039,274	12,011,643	13,003,922	12,860,996	12,584,312	12,445,489	12,028,264	11,489,585
Technical services	2,951,718	2,922,505	2,944,467	2,798,800	2,582,927	2,663,298	2,460,605	2,230,179	1,973,541	1,927,538
Collection system	2,938,441	2,643,092	2,566,448	2,580,034	2,620,849	2,708,288	2,526,372	2,625,325	2,554,998	2,422,992
IS and instrumentation	1,597,780	1,530,452	1,366,658	1,308,401	1,073,100	394,302	365,384	350,906	317,738	278,152
Human resources	2,144,962	2,000,955	1,786,029	1,683,357	1,570,773	922,355	793,321	751,382	699,831	531,189
Administration finance	5,711,236	5,408,849	4,957,039	4,824,588	5,231,330	6,036,883	4,711,871	4,792,357	4,199,521	3,882,056
Total operating expenses before depreciation	29,085,234	27,278,286	25,659,915	25,206,823	26,082,901	25,586,122	23,441,865	23,195,638	21,773,893	20,531,512
Depreciation	26,061,618	24,134,563	24,055,324	24,137,438	24,073,372	23,198,109	21,024,952	18,284,379	16,543,392	14,640,227
Total operating expenses	55,146,852	51,412,849	49,715,239	49,344,261	50,156,273	48,784,231	44,466,817	41,480,017	38,317,285	35,171,739
Net operating revenue	19,485,280	23,000,862	20,051,601	15,562,848	14,859,186	17,389,339	19,981,403	22,419,268	20,205,721	19,926,522
Non-operating revenues (expenses)										
Investment revenue	218,939	453,338	425,659	439,915	1,035,059	2,923,494	5,475,237	5,651,443	2,244,095	769,779
Other revenue	108,829	87,436	43,134	91,628	57,637	48,525	129,821	246,454	6,340	30,880
Amortization	(557,736)	(509,502)	(557,839)	(866,645)	(915,208)	(888,104)	(898,034)	(876,834)	(598,155)	(371,239)
Interest expense	(10,094,401)	(10,723,179)	(12,093,716)	(12,259,120)	(11,129,245)	(11,725,769)	(11,199,451)	(12,093,195)	(9,431,185)	(7,327,769)
Non-project expenses	(154,442)	(375,100)	(240,995)	(87,241)	(77,476)	(262,199)	(475,957)	(305)	-	(1,789)
Other expenses	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(145)
Net non-operating expenses	(10,478,811)	(11,067,007)	(12,423,757)	(12,681,463)	(11,029,233)	(9,904,053)	(6,968,384)	(7,072,437)	(7,778,905)	(6,900,283)
Capital project cost reimbursement										
Increase in net position	9,006,469	12,544,148	7,627,844	2,881,385	3,829,953	7,485,286	13,508,192	17,565,875	18,690,104	14,290,031
Total net position, beginning of year	280,053,181	267,509,033	259,881,189	256,999,804	253,169,851	245,684,565	232,176,373	214,610,498	195,920,394	181,630,363
Total net position, end of year	\$ 289,059,650	\$ 280,053,181	\$ 267,509,033	\$ 259,881,189	\$ 256,999,804	\$ 253,169,851	\$ 245,684,565	\$ 232,176,373	\$ 214,610,498	\$ 195,920,394

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Schedule of Operation and Maintenance Expenses
Last Ten Fiscal Years Ended June 30,

	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004
Salaries	\$ 10,592,787	\$ 10,000,763	\$ 9,697,910	\$ 9,412,737	\$ 9,563,556	\$ 8,885,770	\$ 8,446,661	\$ 8,731,260	\$ 8,096,008	\$ 7,650,640
Fringe benefits	4,214,744	3,802,595	3,436,708	3,315,822	3,312,199	2,668,145	2,463,339	2,389,311	2,152,354	1,981,923
Electricity	3,305,708	3,283,843	2,867,974	3,203,095	3,264,567	2,799,673	2,778,711	2,740,943	2,521,771	2,231,822
Collection fees	2,081,122	2,161,131	1,603,208	1,600,662	1,483,506	1,856,243	1,748,839	1,431,752	967,791	916,442
Repairs and maintenance	1,960,977	1,624,738	1,454,772	1,348,942	1,214,581	1,234,600	1,168,419	1,509,707	1,712,179	1,684,176
Outside technical services	1,015,397	1,212,548	1,235,401	1,319,038	1,491,827	1,399,756	1,171,351	423,102	405,066	464,368
Solids management	1,227,630	1,129,904	1,149,986	1,156,579	1,575,855	1,867,073	1,966,735	1,859,808	2,227,367	2,589,053
Chemicals - other	1,404,893	1,156,138	1,144,663	1,054,410	1,218,621	1,170,024	1,119,876	1,062,535	795,450	549,731
Other	508,520	381,194	311,407	311,717	290,104	1,137,029	371,334	417,224	362,722	333,532
General insurance	380,201	336,563	338,888	290,520	279,026	240,533	295,340	279,296	250,594	246,759
Legal	181,273	175,240	295,555	288,293	373,979	193,103	91,785	119,079	112,999	77,176
Employee/public relations	453,438	339,240	420,822	274,214	223,847	169,951	330,105	129,105	103,572	106,964
Gasoline/fuel oil	357,881	335,992	340,402	245,277	223,958	317,902	226,642	235,939	174,582	130,606
Worker's compensation	195,811	184,616	220,168	226,207	195,584	248,935	166,156	212,917	139,380	133,997
Telephone	187,065	180,807	173,689	174,560	180,803	191,260	151,460	176,749	173,881	139,612
Travel	117,969	104,231	91,819	90,281	82,713	81,505	84,776	87,265	80,589	71,527
Water	39,769	61,011	42,356	56,501	114,858	65,014	79,647	68,316	62,370	63,723
Office supplies	57,655	55,814	52,567	53,818	57,860	60,424	58,525	63,112	64,203	51,505
Auto parts	44,570	42,537	45,122	32,058	44,380	52,921	45,203	48,214	40,918	44,697
Tires and tubes	45,474	44,335	42,779	31,759	47,568	40,909	45,788	43,386	42,262	29,959
Chemicals - chlorine and sulfur dioxide	18,415	29,037	31,047	29,614	50,257	164,693	210,299	317,402	291,914	229,930
Commissioners	19,198	23,412	13,280	21,985	20,434	20,132	18,937	20,702	16,261	18,688
Postage	21,984	10,988	16,090	7,043	19,914	20,546	26,153	27,476	22,646	20,911
Paint	5,858	8,047	8,492	2,184	5,457	6,150	18,310	25,064	18,945	28,306
Total, excluding allowance for uncollectible accounts	28,438,339	26,684,724	25,035,105	24,547,316	25,335,454	24,892,291	23,084,391	22,419,664	20,835,824	19,796,047
Percentage increase (decrease) over prior year	6.6%	6.6%	2.0%	(3.1)%	1.8%	7.8%	3.0%	7.6%	5.3%	6.5%
Allowance for uncollectible accounts	646,895	593,562	624,810	659,507	747,447	693,831	357,474	775,974	938,069	735,465
Total, including allowance for uncollectible accounts	\$ 29,085,234	\$ 27,278,286	\$ 25,659,915	\$ 25,206,823	\$ 26,082,901	\$ 25,586,122	\$ 23,441,865	\$ 23,195,638	\$ 21,773,893	\$ 20,531,512

**Renewable Water Resources
Schedule of Revenue Statistics
Last Ten Fiscal Years Ended June 30,**

	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004
Domestic and Commercial Customer Revenue										
Greenville	\$ 58,317,726	\$ 59,233,997	\$ 56,785,235	\$ 52,922,310	\$ 52,705,367	\$ 49,803,407	\$ 47,044,899	\$ 45,781,937	\$ 42,528,444	\$ 40,317,749
Greer/Taylors	2,551,021	2,474,381	2,309,191	2,149,999	2,007,268	1,989,232	1,748,499	1,617,121	1,394,840	1,170,406
Powdersville	417,331	349,261	336,455	296,425	317,808	286,316	256,942	237,607	194,228	170,440
Marietta	192,711	186,887	184,511	183,616	180,017	177,275	165,609	166,455	159,896	149,483
Laurens	146,410	127,749	108,787	98,290	77,723	74,077	62,885	52,937	42,669	36,300
Well water/commercial	94,853	77,899	80,771	81,985	196,468	271,136	301,677	383,676	429,967	369,408
Pelzer	64,230	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
West Pelzer	46,307	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Slater	-	28,156	45,660	43,934	37,747	-	21,771	25,805	27,828	26,476
Blue Ridge	28,343	25,323	21,940	13,434	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total domestic and commercial customers	\$ 61,858,932	\$ 62,503,653	\$ 59,872,550	\$ 55,789,993	\$ 55,522,398	\$ 52,601,443	\$ 49,602,282	\$ 48,265,538	\$ 44,777,872	\$ 42,240,262
Number of Customers										
Customer accounts	126,054	122,826	121,374	120,558	119,184	116,986	115,942	111,123	108,158	105,612
Percentage increase	2.6%	1.2%	0.7%	1.2%	1.9%	0.9%	4.3%	2.7%	2.4%	2.3%
Domestic Revenue Rates										
User volume charge per 1000 gallons	\$ 5.18	\$ 4.96	\$ 4.79	\$ 4.61	\$ 4.45	\$ 4.30	\$ 4.15	\$ 4.01	\$ 4.01	\$ 3.75
Base charge per month	10.20	9.80	9.40	9.00	8.50	8.00	7.50	7.00	7.00	6.50
Total monthly charge ⁽¹⁾	\$ 49.05	\$ 47.00	\$ 45.33	\$ 43.58	\$ 41.88	\$ 40.25	\$ 38.63	\$ 37.08	\$ 37.08	\$ 34.63
Monthly charge percent increase	4.4%	3.7%	4.0%	4.1%	4.0%	4.2%	4.2%	0.0%	7.1%	7.1%

⁽¹⁾ Assumes residential customer using approximately 7,500 gallons per month, rates are effective in March of each year

**Renewable Water Resources
Schedule of Long-Term Debt
Last Ten Fiscal Years Ended June 30,**

	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004
Revenue Bonds										
2001 Refunding	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 4,920,000	\$ 9,535,000	\$ 11,915,000	\$ 14,280,000	\$ 16,125,000	\$ 17,580,000	\$ 90,585,000
2002 Refunding	-	-	-	-	-	2,000,000	2,135,000	4,240,000	6,320,000	8,360,000
2005 Series	1,025,000	1,510,000	81,495,000	81,585,000	81,650,000	81,780,000	82,675,000	84,310,100	86,560,000	-
2005B Refunding	59,070,000	64,515,000	69,695,000	69,695,000	69,695,000	69,695,000	69,695,000	69,695,000	69,695,000	-
2009 Series	21,900,000	23,480,000	25,000,000	30,000,000	30,000,000	-	-	-	-	-
2010A Refunding	51,285,000	55,585,000	59,720,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2010B Series	21,270,000	24,000,000	26,800,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2012 Series	71,395,000	71,395,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total revenue bonds payable	225,945,000	240,485,000	262,710,000	186,200,000	190,880,000	165,390,000	168,785,000	174,370,100	180,155,000	98,945,000
State Revolving Loans ("SRL")										
Regional Sludge	-	-	-	21,159	103,340	181,730	256,505	310,313	379,158	444,826
Brushy Creek/Reedy River	-	-	-	1,685,006	1,928,758	2,162,999	2,388,100	2,551,142	2,761,098	2,962,861
Maple Creek	-	-	-	75,378	147,457	216,382	282,291	345,316	405,581	463,211
Lower Reedy River	-	-	-	19,572,448	21,044,548	22,459,206	23,818,665	25,125,079	26,380,516	27,586,966
Gilder Creek Phase 1	-	-	-	5,488,322	5,847,480	6,192,623	6,524,299	6,843,033	7,149,330	7,443,676
Georges Creek	-	-	-	13,619,303	14,366,298	15,084,146	15,773,984	16,273,640	16,917,065	17,446,628
Gilder Creek Phase 2	-	-	-	28,528,215	29,920,953	31,262,666	32,555,221	32,979,213	32,583,718	21,565,759
Georges Creek Conveyance Phase 1	-	-	-	4,846,898	5,111,675	5,366,751	5,612,483	5,790,854	6,021,048	5,876,295
Georges Creek Conveyance Phase 2	-	-	-	4,159,734	4,376,787	4,585,889	4,787,328	4,981,387	4,975,282	1,640,933
Lower Reedy River Phase 2	14,758,556	15,664,634	16,533,197	17,327,143	18,097,710	18,845,587	18,510,512	8,118,404	-	-
Durbin Creek Upgrade	23,182,748	24,396,215	25,549,712	26,571,651	24,487,526	18,308,917	1,431,894	-	-	-
Gravity Sewer and Manhole Rehabilitation Phase I	2,540,283	2,665,648	2,789,326	1,496,822	-	-	-	-	-	-
Gravity Sewer and Manhole Rehabilitation Phase II	2,274,775	2,380,466	1,600,138	698,068	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total SRL	42,756,362	45,106,963	46,472,373	124,090,147	125,432,532	124,666,896	111,941,282	103,318,381	97,572,796	85,431,155
Total long-term debt payable	268,701,362	285,591,963	309,182,373	310,290,147	316,312,532	290,056,896	280,726,282	277,688,481	277,727,796	184,376,155
Less: deferred loss on refunding	10,216,357	11,146,625	2,683,537	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Premiums on bond issuance	17,987,311	20,070,523	13,338,573	9,734,500	10,991,600	11,756,505	12,521,411	13,286,317	14,051,223	2,135,176
Total long-term debt, including premiums	\$ 276,472,316	\$ 294,515,861	\$ 319,837,409	\$ 320,024,647	\$ 327,304,132	\$ 301,813,401	\$ 293,247,693	\$ 290,974,798	\$ 291,779,019	\$ 186,511,331
Customer accounts	126,054	122,826	121,374	120,558	119,184	116,986	115,942	111,123	108,158	105,612
Long-Term liabilities per customer account	\$ 2,193	\$ 2,398	\$ 2,635	\$ 2,655	\$ 2,746	\$ 2,580	\$ 2,529	\$ 2,618	\$ 2,698	\$ 1,766

**Renewable Water Resources
Long-Term Debt Obligation (Excluding Premiums)
Fiscal Years 2014 to 2031**

Year	Revenue Bond Principal	Revenue Bond Interest	SRL Principal	SRL Interest	Total Principal	Total Interest	Grand Total
2014	\$ 15,375,000	\$ 10,076,124	\$ 2,402,392	\$ 924,490	\$ 17,777,392	\$ 11,000,614	\$ 28,778,006
2015	16,015,000	9,417,219	2,455,405	871,476	18,470,405	10,288,695	28,759,100
2016	16,560,000	8,788,824	2,509,670	817,211	19,069,670	9,606,035	28,675,705
2017	17,290,000	8,070,271	2,565,217	761,664	19,855,217	8,831,935	28,687,152
2018	18,080,000	7,351,450	2,622,077	704,804	20,702,077	8,056,254	28,758,331
2019	18,815,000	6,534,728	2,680,281	646,600	21,495,281	7,181,328	28,676,609
2020	19,440,000	5,669,433	2,739,862	587,019	22,179,862	6,256,452	28,436,314
2021	20,235,000	4,738,912	2,800,854	526,028	23,035,854	5,264,940	28,300,794
2022	19,615,000	3,776,907	2,863,289	463,592	22,478,289	4,240,499	26,718,788
2023	20,765,000	3,097,238	2,927,204	399,677	23,692,204	3,496,915	27,189,119
2024	21,685,000	2,086,757	2,992,634	334,248	24,677,634	2,421,005	27,098,639
2025	22,070,000	1,031,306	3,059,614	267,267	25,129,614	1,298,573	26,428,187
2026	-	-	3,128,185	198,696	3,128,185	198,696	3,326,881
2027	-	-	2,885,651	128,499	2,885,651	128,499	3,014,150
2028	-	-	2,001,634	74,324	2,001,634	74,324	2,075,958
2029	-	-	1,608,372	29,537	1,608,372	29,537	1,637,909
2030	-	-	315,334	8,434	315,334	8,434	323,768
2031	-	-	198,687	1,951	198,687	1,951	200,638
	<u>\$ 225,945,000</u>	<u>\$ 70,639,169</u>	<u>\$ 42,756,362</u>	<u>\$ 7,745,517</u>	<u>\$ 268,701,362</u>	<u>\$ 78,384,686</u>	<u>\$ 347,086,048</u>

**Renewable Water Resources
Schedule of Bond Coverage
Last Ten Fiscal Years Ended June 30,**

	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004
Operating revenues	\$ 74,632,132	\$ 74,413,711	\$ 69,766,840	\$ 64,907,109	\$ 65,015,459	\$ 66,173,570	\$ 64,448,220	\$ 63,899,285	\$ 58,523,006	\$ 55,098,261
Investment revenue, unrestricted	217,379	382,179	364,936	405,982	1,023,713	2,570,452	3,451,183	1,200,000	1,176,003	769,779
Gross revenues	74,849,511	74,795,890	70,131,776	65,313,091	66,039,172	68,744,022	67,899,403	65,099,285	59,699,009	55,868,040
Less: operating expense before depreciation	29,085,234	27,278,286	25,659,915	25,206,823	26,082,901	25,586,122	23,441,865	23,195,638	21,773,893	20,531,512
Net revenues available for debt service	<u>\$ 45,764,277</u>	<u>\$ 47,517,604</u>	<u>\$ 44,471,861</u>	<u>\$ 40,106,268</u>	<u>\$ 39,956,271</u>	<u>\$ 43,157,900</u>	<u>\$ 44,457,538</u>	<u>\$ 41,903,647</u>	<u>\$ 37,925,116</u>	<u>\$ 35,336,528</u>
Debt service on senior lien bonds	\$ 15,075,678	\$ 18,825,634	\$ 23,593,930	\$ 24,949,616	\$ 22,564,302	\$ 22,863,522	\$ 21,359,711	\$ 24,207,487	\$ 15,971,002	\$ 17,317,957
Senior lien debt coverage ⁽¹⁾	3.0	2.5	1.9	1.6	1.8	1.9	2.1	1.7	2.4	2.0
Debt service on all bonds	\$ 27,797,235	\$ 29,219,832	\$ 28,918,439	\$ 24,949,616	\$ 22,564,302	\$ 22,863,522	\$ 21,359,711	\$ 24,207,487	\$ 15,971,002	\$ 17,317,957
Total debt coverage	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.6	1.8	1.9	2.1	1.7	2.4	2.0

⁽¹⁾ Per Article IV, Section 4.02 (A) (7) of the Sewer System Revenue Bond Resolution dated April 26, 1990, net revenues available for debt service cannot be less than 1.10 of the debt service obligation

Renewable Water Resources
Ratio of Total Expenses to Long-Term Debt Costs
Last Ten Fiscal Years Ended June 30,

	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004
Operating expenses										
Operating expenses before depreciation	\$ 29,085,234	\$ 27,278,286	\$ 25,659,915	\$ 25,206,823	\$ 26,082,901	\$ 25,586,122	\$ 23,441,865	\$ 23,195,638	\$ 21,773,893	\$ 20,531,512
Depreciation	26,061,618	24,134,563	24,055,324	24,137,438	24,073,372	23,198,109	21,024,952	18,284,379	16,543,392	14,640,227
Total operating expenses	55,146,852	51,412,849	49,715,239	49,344,261	50,156,273	48,784,231	44,466,817	41,480,017	38,317,285	35,171,739
Non-operating expenses										
Amortization	557,736	509,502	557,839	866,645	915,208	888,104	898,034	876,834	598,155	371,239
Non-project expenses	154,442	375,100	240,995	87,241	77,476	262,199	475,957	305	-	1,789
Other expenses	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	145
Total non-operating expenses	712,178	884,602	798,834	953,886	992,684	1,150,303	1,373,991	877,139	598,155	373,173
Total expenses	55,859,030	52,297,451	50,514,073	50,298,147	51,148,957	49,934,534	45,840,808	42,357,156	38,915,440	35,544,912
Debt service										
Interest payments	10,906,634	13,123,410	12,317,958	13,661,275	12,399,921	12,561,183	11,964,357	12,901,635	8,267,425	7,677,953
Principal payments	16,890,601	16,096,422	16,600,480	11,288,341	10,164,381	10,302,339	9,395,354	11,305,852	7,703,577	9,640,004
Total debt service	\$ 27,797,235	\$ 29,219,832	\$ 28,918,438	\$ 24,949,616	\$ 22,564,302	\$ 22,863,522	\$ 21,359,711	\$ 24,207,487	\$ 15,971,002	\$ 17,317,957
Total expenses to debt ratio	2.0	1.8	1.7	2.0	2.3	2.2	2.1	1.7	2.4	2.1

Renewable Water Resources
Ratio of Assessed Value Per Capita and General Obligation Debt Balance
Last Ten Fiscal Years Ended June 30,

	2013 ⁽⁴⁾	2012 ⁽⁴⁾	2011 ⁽³⁾	2010 ⁽²⁾	2009 ⁽²⁾	2008 ⁽²⁾	2007 ⁽²⁾	2006 ⁽²⁾	2005 ⁽²⁾	2004 ⁽²⁾
Assessed value ⁽¹⁾	\$1,628,001,143	\$1,600,768,508	\$1,597,142,350	\$1,540,375,699	\$1,508,622,437	\$1,833,262,263	\$1,312,110,475	\$1,629,775,545	\$1,552,755,137	\$1,519,843,124
General obligation debt balance	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Population	464,394	459,324	457,575	453,966	438,119	428,243	417,166	407,000	401,000	393,000
Assessed value per capita	\$ 3,506	\$ 3,485	\$ 3,490	\$ 3,393	\$ 3,443	\$ 4,281	\$ 3,145	\$ 4,004	\$ 3,872	\$ 3,867

⁽¹⁾ Greenville County Auditor's Office

⁽²⁾ Greenville County Planning Commission estimate based on new building permits for the year

⁽³⁾ U.S. Census Estimate

⁽⁴⁾ Greenville County Planning Department/Esri Business Analyst

Renewable Water Resources
Outstanding General Obligation Bonds - Direct and Overlapping
Last Ten Fiscal Years Ended June 30,

	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004
Berea Public Service District ⁽¹⁾	\$ 2,475,000	\$ 2,730,000	\$ 2,970,000	\$ 1,690,000	\$ 1,830,000	\$ 2,000,000	\$ 2,180,000	\$ 2,352,000	\$ 2,525,000	\$ 700,000
Boiling Springs Fire District ⁽¹⁾	262,799	297,092	329,392	359,819	388,486	273,670	440,957	480,406	201,657	552,121
City of Fountain Inn ⁽²⁾	430,000	700,000	3,895,000	3,935,000	1,080,000	1,795,000	230,000	2,375,000	275,000	-
City of Greenville ⁽²⁾	9,915,000	10,208,000	11,222,000	12,040,780	13,005,000	14,300,000	15,550,000	70,926,407	11,825,000	12,950,000
City of Greer ⁽²⁾	2,655,000	3,180,000	3,693,500	4,136,500	4,576,500	5,133,500	5,311,500	4,116,500	3,040,000	3,435,000
City of Mauldin ⁽²⁾	3,645,000	3,885,000	4,250,000	4,535,000	4,855,000	2,275,000	2,485,000	6,196,987	2,875,000	3,940,295
City of Simpsonville ⁽²⁾	1,699,669	2,050,000	2,585,000	3,105,000	3,605,000	3,000,000	2,450,000	11,095,000	2,515,000	2,595,000
City of Travelers Rest ⁽²⁾	815,000	845,000	875,000	683,310	721,447	840,529	142,293	-	-	-
Clear Springs Fire District ⁽¹⁾	1,031,000	1,117,000	880,000	935,000	990,000	1,045,000	1,100,000	1,150,000	1,200,000	1,250,000
Donaldson Center Fire Service District ⁽¹⁾	455,000	565,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fountain Inn Fire Service Area ⁽¹⁾	1,990,000	2,100,000	880,000	1,670,000	1,735,000	-	-	-	-	-
Gantt Fire, Sewer & Police District ⁽¹⁾	1,201,823	1,428,180	1,444,710	1,580,453	1,640,447	1,739,727	1,838,327	1,926,279	2,013,615	2,090,362
Glassy Mountain Fire District ⁽¹⁾	1,945,000	2,140,000	2,325,000	2,505,000	1,690,000	1,805,000	1,915,000	2,020,000	15,000	30,000
Greenville Arena District ⁽¹⁾	20,900,000	22,065,000	36,848,647	24,275,000	8,125,000	8,650,000	9,150,000	9,620,000	10,080,000	10,500,000
Greenville County ⁽¹⁾	143,469,285	65,900,000	64,440,000	68,040,000	62,510,000	66,115,000	65,435,000	58,385,000	55,855,000	46,560,000
Greenville County School District ⁽¹⁾	973,508,597	66,449,000	47,785,000	38,230,000	15,795,000	-	-	-	-	-
Mauldin Fire Service Area ⁽¹⁾	1,870,000	2,005,000	2,135,000	2,265,000	2,390,000	-	-	55,000	110,000	160,000
North Greenville Fire District ⁽¹⁾	1,675,000	1,750,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pelham Batesville Fire District ⁽¹⁾	-	-	-	-	-	-	529,525	621,550	709,428	793,344
Recreation District ⁽¹⁾	1,017,357	1,201,391	1,377,193	1,544,817	1,704,315	1,855,736	2,000,128	2,137,535	1,607,000	1,712,000
Simpsonville Fire Service Area ⁽¹⁾	-	210,000	415,000	615,000	805,000	-	-	-	-	-
South Greenville Fire & Sewer District ⁽¹⁾	850,000	975,000	1,095,000	1,209,000	1,318,000	1,422,000	1,522,000	1,760,000	310,000	455,000
Taylors Fire & Sewer District ⁽¹⁾	80,209	229,535	372,680	509,899	641,438	767,532	888,407	1,004,278	1,112,208	1,221,829
Tigerville Fire District ⁽¹⁾	455,000	485,000	550,000	158,935	180,069	199,983	218,748	236,430	253,092	268,792
Upper Paris Mountain District ⁽¹⁾	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10,000	30,000	30,000
Total	\$ 1,172,345,739	\$ 192,515,198	\$ 190,368,122	\$ 174,023,513	\$ 129,585,702	\$ 113,217,677	\$ 113,386,885	\$ 176,468,372	\$ 96,552,000	\$ 89,243,743

⁽¹⁾ Greenville County Treasurer

⁽²⁾ Surrounding Municipalities

**Renewable Water Resources
Ten Largest Employers in 2013**

Company Name	City	Product / Service	Employment		Date Established
			Jobs	% of Total	
Greenville Health System	Greenville	Health services	10,925	2.4%	1930
School District of Greenville County	Greenville	Public education	10,850	2.3%	1951
Bon Secours St. Francis Health System	Greenville	Health services	4,500	1.0%	1932
Michelin North America, Inc.	Greenville	Headquarters, R&D and manufacturing	4,000	0.9%	1975
GE Energy	Greenville	Engineering (turbines & jet engine parts)	3,200	0.7%	1967
SC State Government	Greenville	State government	3,036	0.7%	1905
Fluor Corporation	Greenville	Engineering and construction services	2,500	0.5%	1960
Bi-Lo Supermarkets	Greenville	Headquarters, distribution and retail	2,089	0.4%	1961
Greenville County Government	Greenville	Government	1,944	0.4%	1786
US Government	Greenville	Federal government	1,835	0.4%	1776

Source: GADC and SCACOG; May 2013

Note: Data for previous nine years not considered relevant to current year report and therefore omitted

Renewable Water Resources
Summary of Demographic and Economic Statistics
Last Ten Fiscal Years Ended June 30,

	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004
Population ⁽¹⁾	464,394	459,324	457,575	453,966	438,119	428,243	417,166	407,000	401,000	393,000
Population growth	1.1%	0.4%	0.8%	3.6%	2.3%	2.7%	2.5%	1.5%	2.0%	0.5%
School enrollment ⁽²⁾	70,282	69,649	69,141	69,006	70,051	69,227	68,382	65,287	63,694	62,918
Median age ⁽³⁾	37	37	37	37	37	37	36	n/a	n/a	n/a
Per capita personal income ⁽⁴⁾	\$ 37,689	\$ 36,426	\$ 35,963	\$ 36,905	\$ 35,076	\$ 30,814	\$ 30,037	n/a	n/a	n/a
Personal income ⁽⁴⁾	\$ 17,385,834	\$ 16,510,427	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Percent unemployment ⁽⁵⁾	7.3%	8.2%	8.9%	9.5%	10.8%	5.2%	4.8%	5.5%	5.5%	6.3%

n/a - not available

⁽¹⁾ Greenville County Planning Department/Esri Business Analyst

⁽²⁾ Greenville County Schools (<http://www.greenville.k12.sc.us/gcsd/depts/admin/stats/>)

⁽³⁾ US Census Bureau, American Community Survey (<http://factfinder2.census.gov/faces/tableservices>)

⁽⁴⁾ US Dept of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis (<http://www.bea.gov/iTable>)

⁽⁵⁾ Bureau of Labor Statistics Data (<http://www.bls.gov/data/>)

**Renewable Water Resources
Employees by Function
Last Ten Fiscal Years Ended June 30,**

Employees by Department	2013		2012		2011		2010		2009		2008		2007		2006		2005		2004	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Laboratory	18	9%	18	9%	17	9%	16	8%	17	9%	17	9%	16	9%	17	9%	18	9%	19	9%
Operations, see below	57	28%	56	28%	55	28%	58	30%	58	30%	60	32%	61	34%	61	32%	62	31%	63	31%
Maintenance/Collections	65	32%	62	32%	64	33%	64	33%	59	31%	61	33%	58	32%	63	33%	65	33%	66	33%
Administration	36	18%	33	17%	31	16%	31	16%	33	17%	26	14%	21	12%	24	13%	25	13%	24	12%
Pretreatment	8	4%	7	4%	8	4%	8	4%	8	4%	8	4%	6	3%	7	3%	7	4%	7	4%
Engineering	15	7%	14	7%	15	8%	14	7%	13	7%	15	8%	11	6%	15	8%	15	8%	18	9%
Solids management	5	2%	5	3%	5	2%	5	2%	4	2%	-	0%	7	4%	5	2%	5	2%	5	2%
Total	204	100%	195	100%	195	100%	196	100%	192	100%	187	100%	180	100%	192	100%	197	100%	202	100%

Operations Employees by Facility

East Operations

Durbin Creek	4	7%	2	3%	3	5%	4	7%	3	5%	3	5%	4	7%	4	7%	4	6%	4	6%
Gilder Creek	6	10%	7	13%	6	11%	6	10%	6	10%	6	10%	6	10%	5	8%	3	5%	3	5%
Pelham	8	14%	8	14%	7	13%	8	13%	8	14%	7	12%	8	13%	6	10%	6	10%	6	10%
Taylors	-	0%	-	0%	-	0%	-	0%	3	5%	4	7%	5	8%	5	8%	5	8%	6	10%

West Operations

Georges Creek	5	9%	5	9%	5	9%	5	9%	5	9%	5	8%	5	8%	6	10%	7	11%	9	14%
Grove Creek	-	0%	4	7%	5	9%	5	9%	4	7%	4	7%	3	5%	5	8%	7	11%	6	10%
Lower Reedy	7	12%	7	13%	7	13%	7	12%	7	12%	7	12%	7	11%	7	11%	7	11%	7	11%
Mauldin Road	22	39%	23	41%	22	40%	23	40%	21	36%	23	38%	22	36%	23	38%	23	38%	22	34%
Piedmont	-	0%	-	0%	-	0%	-	0%	1	2%	1	1%	1	2%	-	0%	-	0%	-	0%
Piedmont Regional	5	9%	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Total	57	100%	56	100%	55	100%	58	100%	58	100%	60	100%	61	100%	61	100%	62	100%	63	100%

Renewable Water Resources
Length of Gravity Line Serving Water Resource Recovery Facilities (in feet)
Last Ten Fiscal Years Ended June 30,

Water Resource Recovery Facility	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004
Mauldin Road	400,920	397,285	400,352	397,109	388,847	389,273	398,565	398,565	398,950	393,740
Pelham	342,006	341,019	347,054	339,132	345,862	242,194	216,760	216,760	216,683	216,802
Lower Reedy	282,485	282,495	282,528	285,209	279,622	279,823	279,823	279,823	274,237	274,260
Gilder Creek	161,999	161,999	162,000	162,000	162,000	162,000	160,358	146,112	139,559	139,524
Durbin Creek	135,548	135,548	135,548	135,556	135,312	135,552	135,552	135,552	135,552	135,054
Georges Creek	94,491	107,006	94,674	94,674	94,674	117,892	117,892	117,892	117,840	68,355
Grove Creek	-	94,570	94,570	94,570	94,570	94,570	94,570	94,570	94,570	94,431
Marietta	24,877	24,877	24,877	24,877	24,877	24,877	24,877	24,877	24,877	25,172
Piedmont	-	10,417	10,417	10,417	10,437	10,437	10,437	10,437	10,437	10,437
Piedmont Regional	104,987	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Taylors	-	-	-	-	-	110,199	110,199	110,199	110,186	110,113
Saluda	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	35,593
Totals	1,547,313	1,555,216	1,552,020	1,543,544	1,536,201	1,566,817	1,549,033	1,534,787	1,522,891	1,503,481

Renewable Water Resources
Summary of Water Resource Recovery Facility Flows in Million Gallons Per Day (MGD)
Last Ten Fiscal Years Ended June 30,

	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004
Permitted flow	90	85	85	85	92	89	85	85	66	67
Average flow	40	34	35	40	36	35	39	38	44	41
Average peak flow	50	39	44	51	47	40	49	47	55	48
Fiscal Year 2013 Flows by Facility and Basin ⁽¹⁾										
Reedy River Basin	Permitted	Average		Peak						
Mauldin Road ⁽²⁾	29.0	15.0		18.1						
Lower Reedy	11.5	5.6		6.5						
Basin Total	40.5	20.6		24.6						
Saluda River Basin										
Marietta	0.7	0.3		0.5						
Georges Creek	3.0	1.1		1.5						
Grove Creek	2.0	0.7		0.9						
Piedmont	1.2	0.2		0.2						
Piedmont Regional	4.0	1.3		1.5						
Basin Total	10.9	3.6		4.6						
Enoree River Basin										
Pelham	22.5	9.7		13.3						
Gilder Creek	11.3	4.1		5.0						
Durbin Creek	5.2	1.7		2.2						
Basin Total	39.0	15.5		20.5						
Total all basins	90.4	39.7		49.7						

⁽¹⁾ Flows by plant and basin for previous nine years not considered relevant to current year report and therefore omitted.

⁽²⁾ The actual permitted wet weather flow of the Mauldin Road WRRF is 70.0 MGD and its permitted load allocation capacity is 40.0 MGD; however, the plant's biological nutrient removal process is only designed to treat daily flows of 29.0 MGD.

Renewable Water Resources
Miscellaneous Statistics
Last Ten Fiscal Years Ended June 30,

	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004
East Operations Power Usage										
Electric power	\$ 1,141,920	\$ 1,179,919	\$ 1,038,043	\$ 1,139,057	\$ 1,231,168	\$ 1,127,835	\$ 1,061,279	\$ 1,164,450	\$ 886,122	\$ 994,531
West Operations Power Usage										
Electric power	\$ 1,717,418	\$ 1,724,628	\$ 1,432,934	\$ 1,616,801	\$ 1,599,550	\$ 1,404,115	\$ 1,410,938	\$ 1,280,498	\$ 1,306,662	\$ 883,778
East Operations Chemical Usage (in tons)										
Chlorine	31	30	28	27	33	36	40	109	143	174
Polymer	44	40	38	34	64	50	49	43	33	41
Lime	702	1,123	663	677	622	671	698	848	765	1,321
Sulfur dioxide	-	-	-	-	9	13	18	40	63	159
West Operations Chemical Usage (in tons)										
Chlorine	430	210	131	108	56	90	113	745	339	133
Polymer	29	53	50	62	43	58	68	54	72	35
Lime slurry	69	250	158	226	498	4,732	4,520	4,466	2,792	620
Lime	412	1,871	1,513	388	429	605	598	556	499	35
Sulfur dioxide	26	96	28	46	53	14	33	246	148	83

**Renewable Water Resources
Pump Stations and Industrial User Statistics
Last Ten Fiscal Years Ended June 30,**

	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004
Number of Pump Stations by Facility										
Durbin Creek	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6
Georges Creek	13	13	13	13	13	14	14	15	14	7
Gilder Creek	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
Grove Creek	2	2	2	2	2	2	1	1	1	1
Lower Reedy	5	5	5	5	5	6	5	6	5	5
Marietta	3	3	3	3	3	3	4	3	3	3
Mauldin Road	8	8	8	8	8	9	8	8	8	8
Pelham	15	16	16	16	17	7	8	8	8	8
Piedmont	-	3	3	3	3	3	3	4	3	3
Piedmont Regional	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Saluda	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7
Taylors	-	-	-	-	-	8	10	10	10	10
Totals	59	59	59	59	60	61	62	64	61	61

Number of Industrial Customers by Facility

Durbin Creek	13	14	14	14	14	14	14	13	12	13
Georges Creek	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	2	2
Gilder Creek	7	7	8	9	9	7	8	8	8	7
Grove Creek	7	8	7	7	10	11	15	11	12	12
Lower Reedy	32	30	30	30	30	30	26	28	30	29
Marietta	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Mauldin Road	27	25	26	28	28	28	27	28	29	32
Pelham	17	17	17	17	17	10	10	7	7	7
Piedmont	-	2	2	2	1	1	-	-	-	1
Piedmont Regional	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Taylors	-	-	-	-	-	8	7	9	11	11
Totals	107	105	107	109	111	111	110	107	112	115

Renewable Water Resources
Schedule of Funding Sources for Capital Projects
Last Ten Fiscal Years Ended June 30,

	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	Totals
Funding Sources for Capital Projects											
Bond proceeds	\$ -	\$ 24,966,337	\$ 3,679,145	\$ 3,139,084	\$ 22,264,062	\$ -	\$ 59,917,562	\$ 36,379,771	\$ 13,094,710	\$ 34,273,243	\$ 197,713,914
State revolving loan proceeds	-	-	3,165,598	3,640,849	6,420,017	17,937,953	12,338,255	10,201,437	14,925,217	31,269,646	99,898,972
Contributed capital	-	-	-	-	-	-	495,172	2,219,044	6,168,268	408,612	9,291,096
Federal payments	-	610,293	-	-	-	-	-	-	95,020	855,180	1,560,493
Internal reserves	28,070,672	16,527,079	2,556,656	1,195,542	542,036	49,195,900	11,037,376	4,826,614	26,709,772	1,789	140,663,436
Total capital project expense	\$ 28,070,672	\$ 42,103,709	\$ 9,401,399	\$ 7,975,475	\$ 29,226,115	\$ 67,133,853	\$ 83,788,365	\$ 53,626,866	\$ 60,992,987	\$ 66,808,470	\$ 449,127,911

Renewable Water Resources
Solids Generated and Method of Disposal (Dry Tons Per Year)
Last Ten Fiscal Years Ended June 30,

Solids Generated by Facility	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004
Durbin Creek	403	258	200	239	127	170	314	283	282	165
Georges Creek	121	166	159	161	264	299	266	295	303	55
Gilder Creek	455	523	500	682	655	709	568	706	919	1,027
Grove Creek	55	143	109	147	117	229	214	233	192	197
Lower Reedy	1,146	869	1,066	764	1,240	1,266	1,458	1,442	1,255	1,258
Marietta	101	75	102	74	92	146	103	73	140	92
Mauldin Road	2,930	2,869	2,933	2,791	3,215	3,607	3,811	3,550	4,129	5,001
Pelham	1,282	1,284	1,468	1,166	1,999	1,247	1,061	969	1,338	1,201
Piedmont	38	52	52	71	39	30	29	23	52	70
Piedmont Regional	92	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Saluda	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	41
Taylor's	-	-	-	-	423	433	922	589	917	907
Totals	6,623	6,239	6,589	6,095	8,171	8,136	8,746	8,163	9,527	10,014

Disposal Methods

Landfill disposal	516	158	365	382	498	714	1,482	1,526	5,576	3,677
Land application/recycled	6,107	6,081	6,224	5,713	7,673	7,422	7,264	6,637	3,951	6,337
Totals	6,623	6,239	6,589	6,095	8,171	8,136	8,746	8,163	9,527	10,014

Appendix

**Report on Internal Control Over Financial Reporting and on Compliance and Other Matters
Based on an Audit of Financial Statements Performed in Accordance With *Government Auditing
Standards***

Independent Auditors' Report

To the Board of Commissioners
Greenville, South Carolina

We have audited, in accordance with the auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, the financial statements of Renewable Water Resources (the "Agency"), as of and for the year ended June 30, 2013, and the related notes to the financial statements and have issued our report thereon dated September 3, 2013.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements, we considered the Agency's internal control over financial reporting ("internal control") to determine the audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing our opinions on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Agency's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Agency's internal control.

A *deficiency in internal control* exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct, misstatements on a timely basis. A *material weakness* is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control, such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the entity's financial statements will not be prevented, or detected and corrected on a timely basis. A *significant deficiency* is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control that is less severe than a material weakness, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies. Given these limitations, during our audit we did not identify any deficiencies in internal control that we consider to be material weaknesses. However, material weaknesses may exist that have not been identified.

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the Agency's financial statements are free from material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit, and accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

Purpose of this Report

The purpose of this report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control or on compliance. This report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the entity's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.

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Greenville, South Carolina
September 3, 2013

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