

#### FINANCE COMMITTEE April 17, 2023 6:00 PM

#### Municipal Services Building, 8225 Third Street, Wellington, CO

#### Finance Committee Meeting Agenda

#### CALL TO ORDER

1. Roll Call

#### **ACTION ITEMS**

- 1. Minutes from the March 20, 2023 meeting
- 2. Presentation from Public Works
- 3. Further Discussion of Mayor Pay Jason Mellon

#### **REPORTS**

- 1. Staff Communications
- 2. Finance Committee Reports

#### **ADJOURN**

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### **Board of Trustees Meeting**

**Date:** April 17, 2023

**Subject:** Minutes from the March 20, 2023 meeting

#### **BACKGROUND / DISCUSSION**

Meeting Minutes from the March 20, 2023 meeting.

#### STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Approve

#### **ATTACHMENTS**

1. 03-20-2023 Minutes

# FINANCE COMMITTEE MINUTES March 20, 2023

#### A. CALL TO ORDER

The Town of Wellington Finance Committee meeting was called to order by Chair Christine Gaiter, on March 20, 2023 at 6:03 p.m. at the Town of Wellington. The meeting is being recorded.

Attendance:

Chair Christine Gaiter

Jesy Andreen

Dominic Baranyi

Sara Knaack online

Pat Johnson

Jason Mellin

Nic Redavid arrived at 6:23

Others in attendance:

Charity Campfield, Finance Director
Jon Gaiter, Trustee Liaison
Patty Garcia, Town Administrator online

Janice Foster, Accounting & Budget Analyst

#### **B. PUBLIC INVITED TO BE HEARD**

No Public comment was heard.

#### C. ACTION ITEMS / DISCUSSION ITEMS

- 1. Minutes from 02/27/2023 were approved by a motion by Dominic Baranyi and seconded by Jason Mellin.
- 2. An increase in compensation for future Board of Trustee (BOT) members was discussed.
  - Jason Mellin made a motion to recommend an increase in compensation for the Trustees to \$3,600 annually and to \$4,800 for the Mayor annually. The motion was seconded by Jesy Andreen. A roll call vote passed unanimously in support of the recommendation.
  - Jason Mellin volunteered to present to the BOT and answer any questions. Charity will
    put it on the agenda and work with Jason to develop information for the BOT packet.
- 3. The Financial Policy was reviewed.
  - A motion to recommend the Financial Policy to the trustees was made by Jesy Andreen,
     Pat Johnson seconded.

#### Recessed at 6:23, restarted at 6:27

- Nick Redavid made an amendment to the motion to replace the Components of the Fund Balance Policy on pages 6 & 7 with a reference to the Town's fund balance policy document. Dominic Baranyi seconded, the amendment carried and therefore the Motion passed.
- The Committee asked Charity to present the Financial Policy to the BOT, or put on the consent agenda. Trustee Gaiter will speak to it if necessary, during the BOT meeting.
- 4. Debt Discussion.

#### D. REPORTS

- 1. Finance Director: Working on audits, they are focused on Accounts Payable right now.
- 2. Trustee Gaiter: no report
- 3. April Finance Committee meeting will be April 17, 2023.

#### E. ADJOURN

The meeting was adjourned at 7:22 PM.

Pat Johnson Finance Committee Secretary



### **Board of Trustees Meeting**

**Date:** April 17, 2023

**Subject:** Presentation from Public Works

#### **BACKGROUND / DISCUSSION**

Public Works Director Bob Gowing and Deputy Public Works Director Meagan Smith will be presenting on capital projects.

#### STAFF RECOMMENDATION

None

#### **ATTACHMENTS**

1. 2023-04 Finance Committee Presentation final

# Public Works and Utilities Infrastructure and Finance

Bob Gowing, Director of Public Works Meagan Smith, Deputy Director of Public Works April 17, 2023



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# **Public Works – General Information**

- Public Works consists of 5 divisions with a total of 27.5 (FTE) staff members
  - Public Works Administration and Engineering
  - Water Treatment
  - Wastewater Treatment
  - Distribution and Collection
  - Streets and Drainage
- Administration and Engineering
  - Overall leadership and management
    - Oversight, budgeting, expense management and administration for 5 funds: Water, Wastewater, Streets, Drainage and Public Works Administration
      - Revenue Utility rates, infrastructure impact fees, grants, and loans
        - Grants totaling \$3,444,086
        - SRF loans totaling \$73,300,000
      - Expenditures Operating and Capital Improvement Program budgets
        - 2023 total operating budget = \$13,337,386
        - 2023 total CIP budget = \$48,779,995
        - Total CIP 5-year = \$95,377,797





- Procurement and purchasing for all expenses
  - Requests for Qualifications and Proposals
  - Open bid process for capital purchases
- Contract Management
  - Contract preparation
  - Contract execution
  - Pay application processing
    - Davis/Bacon wages verifications and interviews
    - American Iron and Steel requirements
- Submittal of SRF loan reimbursement requests
- · Grant applications, administration and reporting

### Engineering

- Infrastructure lifecycle management for streets, water, wastewater, and stormwater systems
  - · Masterplanning and financial planning
  - Design
  - Construction
  - Operations, maintenance, asset management, and compliance
  - Repeat
- Development review and construction inspection for all public infrastructure
- Water resource planning and engineering
- GIS development and management
- Other duties as needed!

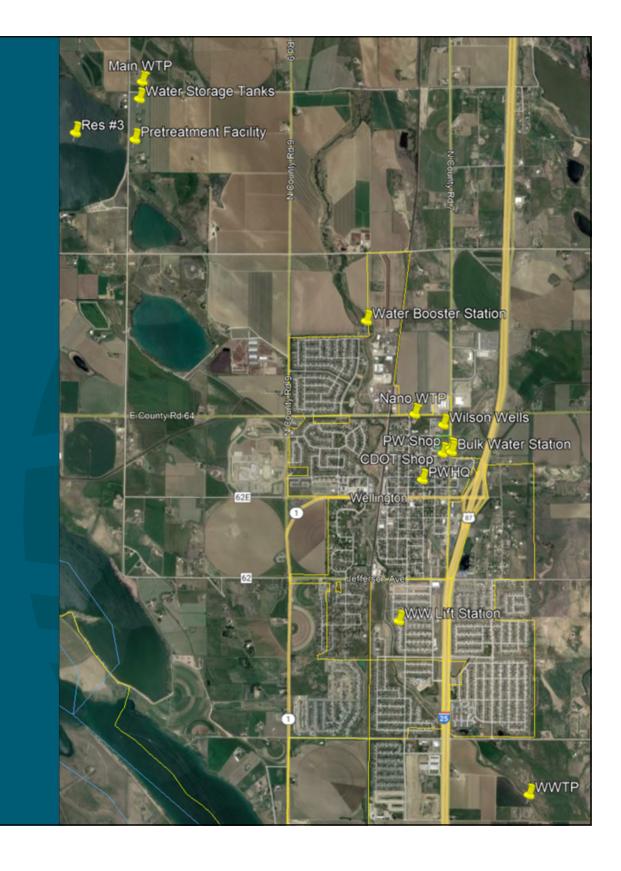


# **PW Building Facilities**

Public Works manages 12 facilities throughout town

- Main Water Treatment Plant
- Water Storage Tanks
- Pretreatment Facility
- Water Booster Station
- Nanofiltration Treatment Plant
- Wilson Wells
- Public Works Shop
- Bulk Water Station
- CDOT Shop
- Public Works Building
- Wastewater Lift Station
- Wastewater Treatment Plant





# PW Ground-level Facilities

### Water Distribution System

- 353,000 linear feet of water piping, sized from 6-inch to 18-inch
- 1,435 water valves and other appurtenances
- 520 fire hydrants
- Bulk Water Station and Water Booster Station

### Wastewater Collection System

- 240,000 linear feet of piping, sized from 6-inch to 24-inch
- 950 wastewater manholes
- Wastewater Lift Station

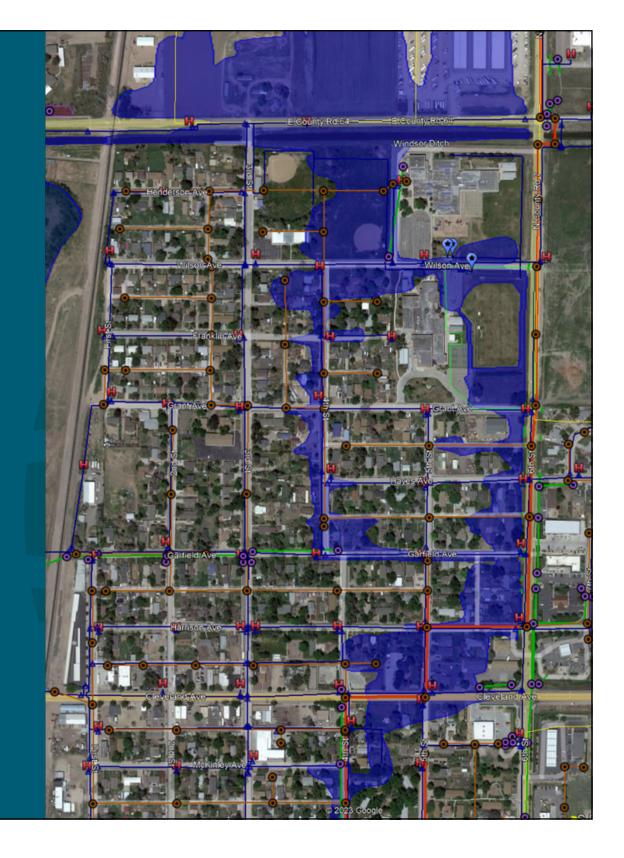
#### Streets

- 52 miles of public streets
- About 1000 traffic signs
- 500,000 linear feet of curb/gutter

### **Drainage System**

- 72,300 linear feet of stormwater piping and culverts
- 580 manholes and other stormwater structures





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# Capital Improvement Program

# Highlights

Water Treatment Plant Expansion
Wastewater Treatment Plant Expansion

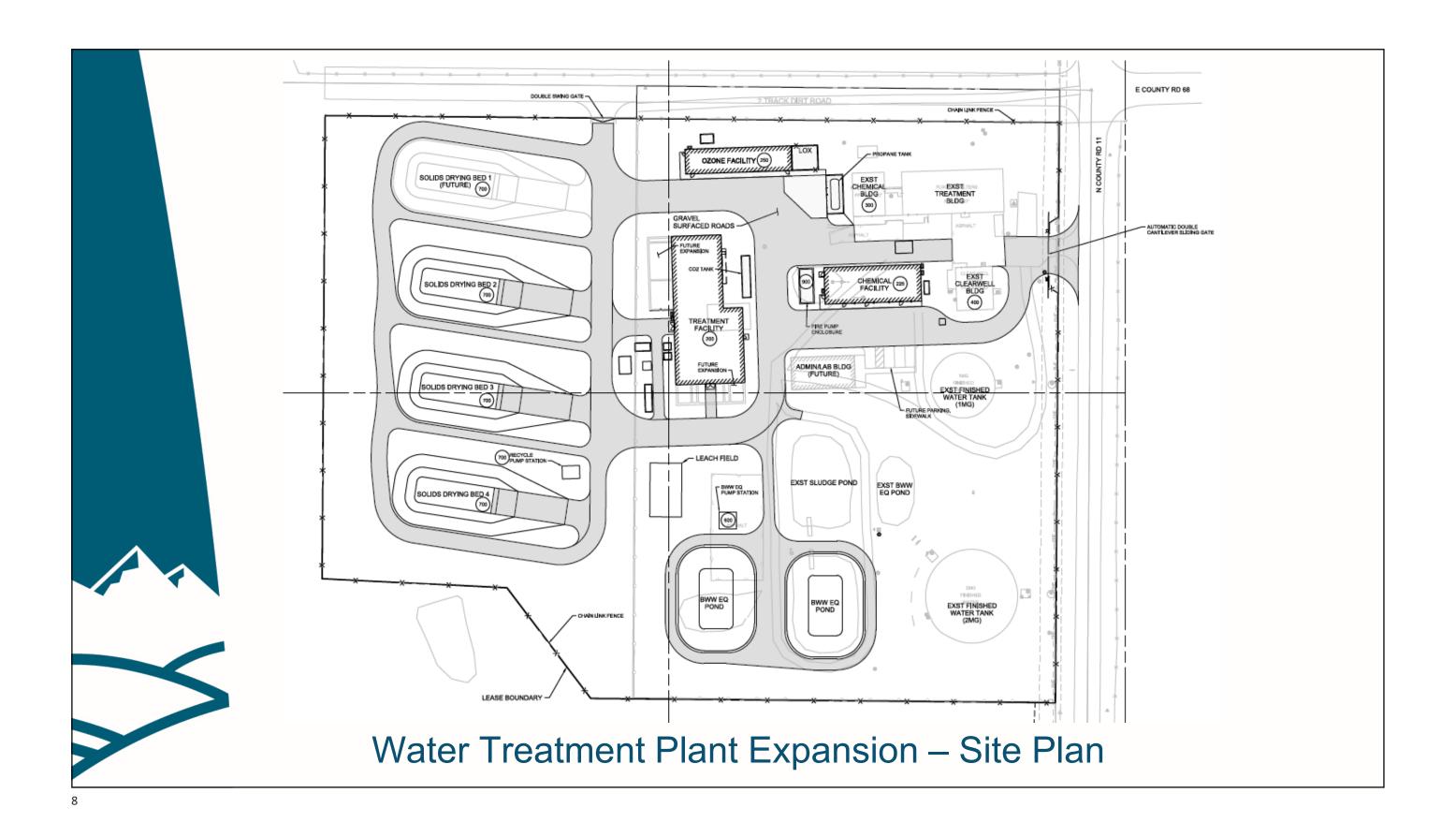


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# **Water Treatment Plant Expansion Project**

- Town goals for the project
  - Eliminate liquid discharge (required by the State)
  - Improve taste & odor
  - Increase capacity for future growth
- Design philosophy
  - Take the long view Avoid future surprises
  - Design for future expansion now to prevent wasted dollars later
  - Align with Town Strategic Plan, Comprehensive Plan, and other Utility Masterplans
- Complete construction and start-up plant Summer 2024

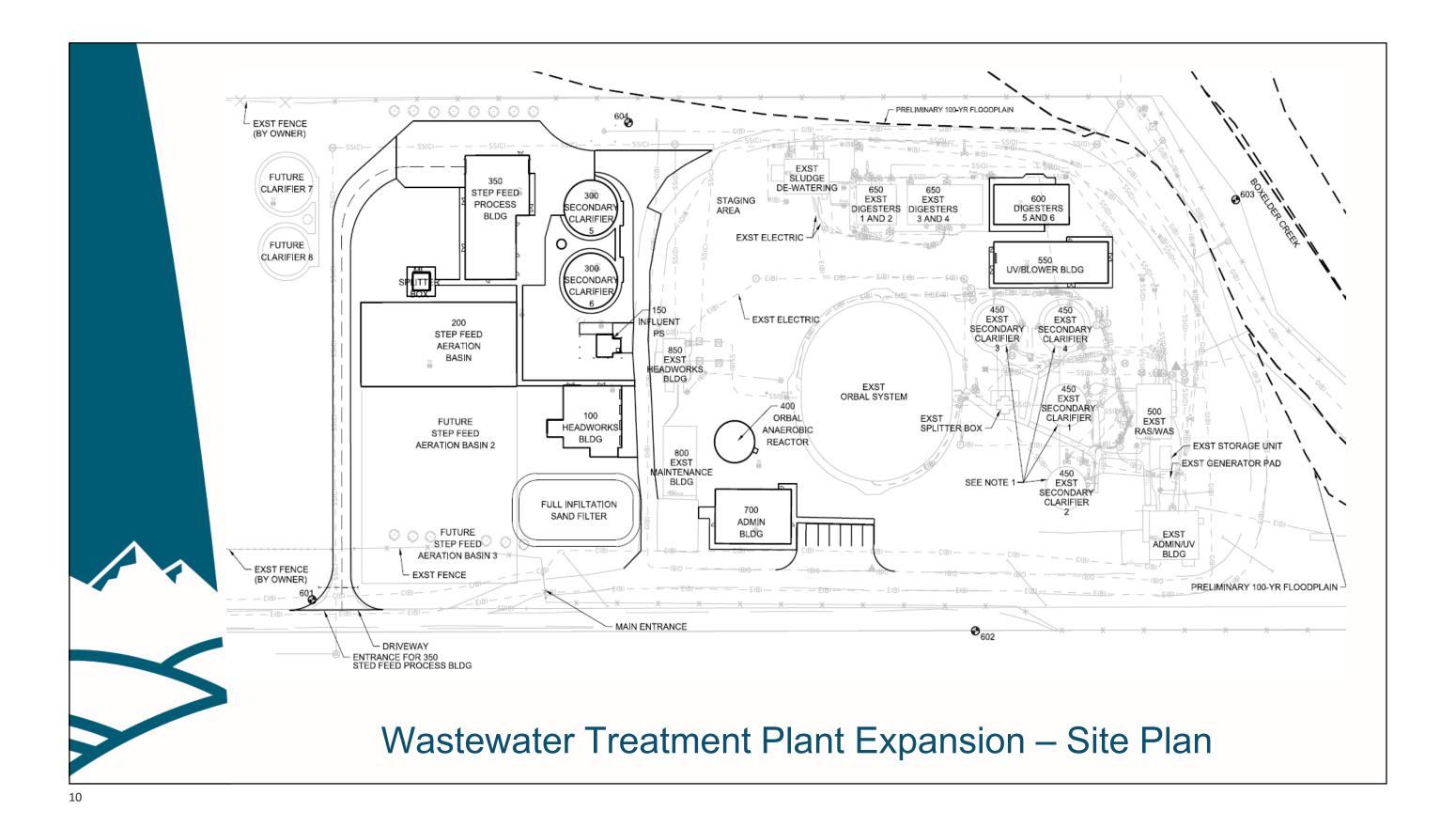




# **Wastewater Treatment Plant Expansion Project**

- Town goals for the project
  - Meet newer, more stringent compliance standards
  - Capacity must grow with Water Treatment Plant Expansion
- Design philosophy
  - Take the long view Avoid future surprises
  - Design for future expansion now to prevent wasted dollars later
  - O Align with Town Strategic Plan, Comprehensive Plan, and other Utility Masterplans
- Complete construction and start-up plant Summer/Fall 2024







# Discussion

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### **Board of Trustees Meeting**

**Date:** April 17, 2023

**Subject:** Further Discussion of Mayor Pay - Jason Mellon

#### **BACKGROUND / DISCUSSION**

#### STAFF RECOMMENDATION

#### **ATTACHMENTS**

1. Peer Communities BOT Salary\_Jan 2023

	Population	BOT/Council	Mayor	Updated
Alamosa	9,704	\$4,800 annual	\$7200 annual	2019
Berthoud	10,188	\$150 per meeting	\$200 per meeting	2022
Buena Vista	2,859	\$350 per meeting	\$450 per meeting	2020
Craig	9,026	\$300 / month	\$300 / month	2017
Dacono	6,084	\$600 annual	\$900 annual	2017
Eaton	5,648	\$300 annual	\$420 annual	2008
Fort Lupton	7,947	\$6,000 annual	\$9,000 annual	2020
Fruita	13,296	\$3,000 annual	\$5,700 annual	2022
Glenwood Springs	10,017	\$12,000 annual	\$14,400 annual	2019
Johnstown	16,596	\$3,000 annual	\$4,800 annual	2016
Keenesburg	1,546	\$75 per meeting	\$6,000 annual	2022
Kersey	1,533	\$150 per meeting	\$300 per month	2020
Lamar	7,636	\$2,400 annual	\$4,800 annual	2018
Lyons	2,261	\$2,400 annual	\$4800 annual	2019
Mead	4,716	\$8,400 annual	\$12,000 annual	2022
Monument	10,026	No compensation	No compensation	2019
			\$3,600 annual &	
			\$50 per special	
Severance	7,691	\$50 per meeting	meeting	2022
Superior	13,283	\$6,000 annual	\$9,000 annual	2020
Timnath	6,289	No compensation	No compensation	2009
Wellington	10,679	\$1,200 annual	\$3,600 annual	2014
Windsor	31,972	\$8,000 annual	\$12,000 annual	2021