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Agenda Report

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SUBJECT:

ANNUAL STATUS REPORT OF THE ORANGE COUNTY SANITATION DISTRICT FINANCING CORPORATION

GENERAL MANAGER'S RECOMMENDATION

RECOMMENDATION:

Receive and file the Annual Status Report of the Orange County Sanitation District Financing Corporation.

BACKGROUND

Per Section 2.05 of the Orange County Sanitation District (OC San) Financing Corporation, the Board of Directors will conduct at least one annual meeting where staff shall provide an activity report and conduct other business as necessary.

As of June 30, 2023, OC San will have approximately \$790 million in outstanding debt that is scheduled to be paid off prior to June 30, 2044.

OC San did not issue any new money debt during the 2022-23 Fiscal Year and no new money debt issuances are planned for the 2023-24 Fiscal Year. OC San staff continually review the debt issuances and look for potential savings through refunding existing debt.

A summary of OC San debt history is provided later in this agenda report.

RELEVANT STANDARDS

- Ensure the public's money is wisely spent
- Ensure that investment proposals and decisions are based on clearly defined standards
- Sound engineering and accounting practices, complying with local, state, and federal laws
- Produce appropriate financial reporting

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

OC San began issuing Certificates of Participation (COPs) in 1990. These COPs were part of the long-term financing plan that included both variable interest rate and traditional fixed rate borrowing.

There remains no variable interest rate COPs at OC San. Following are the current outstanding debt issues of OC San:

Outstanding Debt History

In May 2010, OC San issued \$80 million of fixed rate Build America Bonds (BABs), Series 2010A, at a true interest cost of 3.68 percent for the issue. \$80 Million Outstanding

In December 2010, OC San issued \$157 million of fixed rate BABs, Series 2010C, at a true interest cost of 4.11 percent for the issue. \$157 Million Outstanding

In August 2014, OC San issued \$85 million of fixed rate COPs, Series 2014A, refunding a portion of Series 2007B debt. The true interest cost for the issue is 2.34 percent. \$39 Million Outstanding

In February 2015, OC San issued \$128 million of fixed rate COPs, Series 2015A, refunding \$153 million of the Series 2007B debt. The true interest cost for the issue is 3.30 percent. \$128 Million Outstanding

In March 2016, OC San issued \$146 million of fixed rate certificate anticipation notes (CANs), Series 2016A, refunding \$163 million of the Series 2009A debt. The true interest cost for the issue is 3.02 percent. \$127 Million Outstanding

In February 2017, OC San issued \$66 million of fixed rate COPs, Series 2017A, refunding \$92 million of the Series 2007A debt. The true interest cost for this issue is 2.55 percent. \$66 Million Outstanding

In July 2021, OC San issued \$134 million of fixed rate COPs, Series 2021A, refunding \$62 million of the Series 2011A and \$102 million of the Series 2018A debt. The true interest cost for the issue is 1.06 percent. \$112 Million Outstanding

In February 2022, OC San issued \$82 million of fixed rate COPs, Series 2022A, refunding \$100 million of the Series 2012A and \$7 million of the Series 2012B debt. The true interest cost for the issue is 1.59 percent. \$82 Million Outstanding

ATTACHMENT

The following attachment(s) may be viewed on-line at the OC San website (www.ocsan.gov) with the complete agenda package:

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