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# Revised Long-Term Financial Plan (LTFP) January 2022

This updated Long Term Financial Plan 2021-2032 was adopted by Council at its Ordinary Meeting held 20<sup>th</sup> January 2022, following consideration of comments or submissions received from public exhibition and consultation with the community.

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# Updated Long-Term Financial Plan

Council's current Long-Term Financial Plan (LTFP) has been reviewed to inform the community engagement around the potential introduction of a Special Rate Variation (SRV) from 2022/23. The LTFP was updated following public exhibition during November 2021 to assist the community in their understanding of matters relevant to long-term financial sustainability.

The Integrated Planning & Reporting (IP&R) documents were adopted by Council in June 2021. Council is currently preparing its new Community Strategic Plan, Resourcing Strategy, Delivery Program and Operational Plan for adoption by the newly elected Council for the next IP&R cycle beginning 2022/23. Specifically, Council's Delivery Program expired at the end of 2020/21, but due to the delayed Council election is currently being relied on for service delivery. The Delivery Plan is not being updated at this stage as it needs to be informed by the Community Strategic Plan. The Long-Term Financial Plan forms part of the Resourcing Strategy and is required to be updated prior to a possible application for a Special Rate Variation (SRV) to IPART.

Note – this LTFP varies from that presented for public exhibition in October/November 2021 due to the following events after public exhibition period closure:

- Both forecast scenarios now include a rate peg of 0.7% for the financial year 2022/23 as advised by IPART on 13 December 2021. The rate pegs for the financial years 2023/24 to 2031/32 remain at 2.5%.
- The 10-year forecast period has been adjusted to include 2031/32 as required by IPART as part of the SRV application process. The 10-year forecast period is 2021/22 to 2031/32. The 2031/32 year is a continuation of previous years' modelling assumptions.
- The baseline LTFP has been adjusted with the inclusion of 2020/21 actuals.

# Introduction

The Long-Term Financial Plan (LTFP) is a planning and decision-making tool that shows the long-term financial impacts of Council's decisions based on a set of assumptions. It is a requirement under the Integrated Planning and Reporting (IP&R) framework for NSW Local Government. Snowy Valleys Council's LTFP is an important and central part of Council's strategic planning process that spans a rolling 10-year period and is a document that is intended to remain flexible. The LTFP is reviewed and updated at least annually.

The three key elements of the LTFP correspond to Council's primary financial reporting documents, namely the income statement, the statement of financial position and the statement of cash flows. The income statement (or profit and loss statement) details Council's operating revenue and expenditure associated with ongoing activities with a focus on the operating result which shows whether Council is spending more or less than it earns. The statement of financial position (or balance sheet) details changes in Council's assets and liabilities. The statement of cash flows details where Council plans to generate and spend its cash in operating (ongoing) activities and capital programs (renewals, upgrades and new assets).

The key focus of this updated LTFP is Council's general fund which includes all activities except for water supply and wastewater businesses, which are accounted for separately under National Competition Policy requirements. The LTFP has been updated in October 2021 specifically to address the consequences of a potential introduction of an SRV. A baseline scenario is provided and an SRV scenario outlines the changes that will be achieved from the baseline scenario if an SRV is introduced.

Council's Water Supply and Wastewater Funds are included for information, but these have not been updated from the previously adopted LTFP (Council 17 June 2021).

# 1. Key Financial Sustainability Objectives

Council recognises that the principles of sound financial management in the NSW Local Government Act (chapter 3, section 8B) emphasise two key elements:

- Responsible and sustainable spending (aligning general revenue and expenses and achieving a small operating surplus); and
- Responsible and sustainable infrastructure investment (adequate provision in maintenance and renewal).

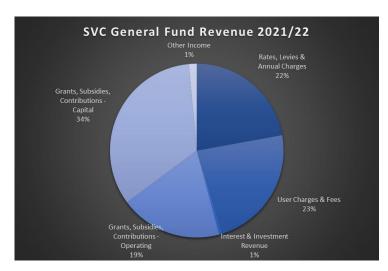
Assumptions informing the SRV scenario for the general fund have been developed with the primary aim of achieving an operating surplus in the long-term.

Council also ensures it provides sufficient funding for renewal of existing assets based on an analysis of renewal requirements as set out in its Service Management Plans. Because its assets are in good condition, Council proposes to keep its renewal program stable, but may revise this forecast following a needs analysis in consultation with users.

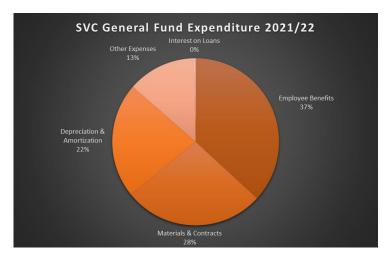
In addition to the above, Council aims to maintain sufficient cash, manage its debtors, maintain its debt within acceptable limits and to keep the typical residential bill for water and wastewater services as low as possible and stable over the long term. Initial modelling has been undertaken to assess the need for changes.

**2. Key Items of Operating Revenue and Expenditure** This section is unchanged from the previously adopted LTFP. The annual budget 2021/22 will be reviewed quarterly and presented to Council in the Quarterly Budget Reviews.

The following charts summarise the key areas of revenue and expenditure associated with operational programs in Council's 2021/22 budget for the **General Fund**:



Council expects to receive 45% of its revenue from rates, levies, annual charges and user charges and fees. 53% of revenue is expected to result from operational and capital grants, which for 2021/22 includes \$9.9M grant from Softwoods and \$9.5 in bushfire recovery / economic stimulus funding. The remaining 2% of revenue are from investment returns and other income streams.



Council expenditure on employee benefits is expected to comprise 37% of total expenditure. Materials, contracts, and other expenses that are used in direct inputs to operations will

make up 41% and depreciation 22%. Interest payments on outstanding loans are below 1% of total expenditure.

# 3. Rates Harmonisation

Council approved the structure of its harmonised rates across its local government area after extensive community consultation. From the financial year 2021/22 Council levies general rates within four rating categories, residential, business, farmland, and mining. Details are available in the Revenue Policy and on Council's website.

# 4. Special Rate Variation

A Special Rate Variation (SRV) applied to residential and business land in the former Tumut Shire and expired on 30 June 2020. To date no additional SRV has been imposed. However, it is evident that Council is unable to continue to provide services at current levels, maintain and renew its infrastructure and continue to replace ageing community assets within the currently available revenues without posting ongoing operational deficits.

The SRV scenario (second below) includes a proposed new and permanent SRV from 2022/23 onwards to allow Council to:

- maintain current service levels,
- fund ongoing maintenance,
- fund renewal of infrastructure assets,
- increase capacity to renew deteriorating assets,
- · ensure and improve financial sustainability,
- deliver key priorities in the Community Strategic Plan and Delivery Program, and
- reduce reliance on external grant funding for asset renewals.

The SRV scenario includes a compounded SRV of 35.95% including the IPART rate peg introduced in two steps of 15% over two years. Each step is made up of the IPART prescribed rate peg (0.7% in 2022/23, 2.5% in 2023/24) plus 15% additional increase in the financial years 2022/23 and 2023/24. The baseline scenario has been forecast without an SRV. Council believes that an SRV is unavoidable unless service levels are considerably reduced across the Council area.

Between July and September 2021 Council undertook extensive community engagement around a potential SRV to establish community understanding and willingness to accept an SRV to allow Council to return to a sustainable operating model. A report outlining this engagement and the feedback received is presented to Council at its ordinary meeting on 21 October 2021. A further phase of community engagement was undertaken during November 2021 to allow Council to make an informed decision prior to Council's submission to the Independent Pricing & Regulatory Tribunal (IPART).

# 5. Baseline Scenario

The assumptions that inform the baseline scenario are detailed below. The baseline scenario extrapolates from the 2021/22 operational budget. The primary financial reports for the scenario follow the discussion of assumptions. It is important to remember that the LTFP is subject to uncertainties and change including changes due to uncontrollable events such as legislative changes, natural disasters, and economic shocks.

#### Rates and User Fees & Charges

Rates, Fees and Charges increase in line with assumed CPI. However, in the future Council utilities charges may change at a different rate depending on service level plans and infrastructure needs.

Commercial works revenue is included in fees & charges revenue, albeit at a reduced level from year 3 due to ongoing uncertainty over commercial works contracts.

## Grants and other External Funding

Operational grant funding is assumed to remain at current levels. Council will pursue funding with a preference for operational funding. Any new and upgrade proposals to service levels and asset infrastructure are reviewed prior to funding submission and recommendations are based on whole-of-life costing, community benefit and affordability in the long-term. Financially unsustainable projects will not be pursued.

#### Employee Costs and Organisational Structure

Council's organisational structure budget reflects all current positions. It is based on the restructured administration that was put in place in November 2019. Further organisational structure reviews are expected and will have an impact on future planning.

Employee costs make up 37% of consolidated Council ongoing expenses. The overall salaries and wages budget is \$17.9M for the financial year 2021/22. Cost decreases resulted from a recent restructure and from a shift in accounting for some employees (primarily those working in the Infrastructure Works division) from operational activities to capital activities, particularly grant-funded construction projects. Cost increases result from mandated wage increases under the Local Government Award and staff moving through the Award structure. Historically, award increases have been higher than CPI and the allowable increase in rates revenue under the rating peg. Statutory increase in superannuation contributions come into effect during the next 5 years.

#### Materials & Contracts and Other Inputs

Materials and contracts make up 28% and other operational inputs 12% of Council ongoing expenses. These costs are assumed to increase in line with CPI.

## **Population Growth Projections**

Overall population growth is forecast to be less than 1%. Due to the minor forecast, the LTFP has been prepared based on a no-net population change basis.

#### Indexation

Base indexation of assumed CPI of 2% has been used except for employee expenses to which an assumed index of 2.5% has been applied.

## Asset Ownership, Management and Renewal

Council is seeking to maximise the useful life of all assets and aims to achieve this by adequately funding maintenance and renewals. Council continues to manage assets in accordance with its adopted Asset Management Plans within budget constraints. Council owned/controlled assets receive priority spending and Council will continue to review circumstances that have an impact on strategy, including condition assessment protocols, determining remaining asset lives and service levels.

The forecast expenditure is insufficient to meet the cost of predicted asset renewals risking declining levels of asset conditions leading to more costly replacements, reductions in service levels and a backlog of renewals. Council is fully utilising the revenue from Roads to Recovery and other State and Commonwealth grants to fund renewals and maintenance activities. A key assumption in the LTFP is that capital works are at least partially linked to

external grant funding. Council may need to identify additional income sources and/or reduce the service levels provided should the level of grant funding decrease in future years,

#### Depreciation

Depreciation makes up 22% of consolidated Council operating expenses. By the end of the 10-year forecast period, depreciation is expected to rise to 24%. The forecast assumes no significant valuation movements that would affect the current charges and the method for applying useful lives. There is potential to reduce depreciation by disposing of underutilised assets, and such a move will need to be considered in consultation with users.

Council's stormwater drainage assets were being revalued in the financial year 2020/21. This did not result in a change to depreciation expenses.

#### Service Levels

Council is currently undertaking a comprehensive service level review and preparing new and updated Service Management Plans (SMP). Corporate overhead costs and, where applicable, identified direct costs will be recovered from all services, capital projects and commercial works to avoid cross-subsidisation of services.

All services are being evaluated for community benefit, delivery costs, full-cost recovery, community service obligations and alternative delivery options. In engagement with the community, Council will identify services the private sector may be better placed to efficiently deliver and low-value services for reduction, divesting and rationalisation. Services that promise highest value to the community and are financially sustainable will be prioritised and those services that draw excessively on Council resources will be considered for reduction. Maintenance management systems and plans are aligned with preferred service levels and funding opportunities.

#### **Natural Disasters**

The LTFP assumes that Natural Disaster impacts on public infrastructure will be funded from State / Commonwealth natural disaster arrangements. However, the recent bushfire crisis has shown that in the case of a major disaster, these funding arrangements are inadequate to cover all costs to Council and result in cash flow management issues. No allowance has been made for future disaster events, however, if Council achieves its financial sustainability goals, it will be much better placed to respond should a major disaster affect the area. The baseline scenario leaves no room for this. Disaster funding is not received for Water and Wastewater Infrastructure, Public Open Space and Recreational Facilities, damage to which must be funded from available reserves or be covered under insurance arrangements.

## **External Factors**

In the past few years financial assistance grants have been partially prepaid. While this has a negative effect (reduction in income) on the operating budget of the following year, the fact that it has occurred on a regular basis has resulted in minimal impact against forecast income. All scenarios assume that all grant funding will be received during the financial year it has been allocated.

#### Interest Rates

Due to the ongoing economic uncertainty a conservative approach has been taken for the initial two years. For the following years, a slightly higher return has been assumed.

## **External Borrowings**

Council currently holds several external loans against water, wastewater, caravan park and building assets. At this stage only one future loan is forecast within the LTFP (Water Fund). Loans will be considered in future where required and beneficial to Council's cash flow management.

#### Implications

The baseline scenario shows an operating deficit after capital grants for all 10 years. The importance of the implications of an ongoing operating deficit forecast in this scenario cannot be overstated. Over the next 10 years the general fund cumulative deficit \$34 million and the consolidated cumulative deficit reaches \$27 million. General fund cash holdings reduce by \$18 million, to well below the level of cash required for ongoing operations. It will also result in deteriorating infrastructure assets due to the inability to fund required renewals. This scenario fails to meet the key principle of financial sustainability to achieve a balanced result.

Council's sustainability cannot be maintained if grant funding reduces. Over the longer term, as assets which are currently in good condition deteriorate, Council will need to increase its investment in replacements and to do so, it will need to draw on its operating income and its reserves unless additional grant funding can be sourced. The baseline scenario shows no room to achieve this.

Without taking measures to increase revenue and decrease expenditure, Council will not be able to afford the provision of the level of services and infrastructure it currently provides to the community. Such a course of action will also fail to meet the key principle of financial sustainability regarding intergenerational equity where Council is unable to maintain its infrastructure assets as required.

Baseline Scenario – Primary Financial Reports

Following are the reports for Council's General Fund, Water Supply Fund and Wastewater Fund and a consolidated model incorporating all three.

ase Case	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030	2031	2032
come from continuing operations												
tates and annual charges	9,581	9,905	9,987	10,235	10,442	10,653	10,869	11,089	11,313	11,542	11,776	12,014
Jser charges and fees	13,205	12,927	13,186	13,450	13,719	13,993	14,273	14,558	14,849	15,146	15,449	15,758
nterest and investment revenue	289	350	760	758	474	466	459	453	449	446	445	443
Other revenues	4,368	747	770	785	801	817	833	850	867	884	902	920
Grants and contributions - Operating	25,335	10,740	10,955	11,174	11,398	11,625	11,858	12,095	12,337	12,584	12,835	13,092
Grants and contributions - Capital	10,343	17,875	7,710	1,744	1,779	1,814	1,851	1,888	1,926	1,964	2,003	2,043
Net gain from the disposal of assets	(6)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Share of interest in joint ventures		-	-	-	-	-	-		-		-	-
fotal Income	63,115	52,544	43,367	38,146	38,611	39,369	40,142	40,932	41,741	42,567	43,411	44,271
Expenses from continuing operations												
Employee benefits and oncosts	18,582	13,987	14,337	14,695	15,063	15,439	15,825	16,221	16,627	17,042	17,468	17,905
Borrowing costs	155	94	88	81	73	66	60	53	48	42	36	29
Materials and contracts	28,723	9,174	9,357	9,544	9,735	9,930	10,129	10,331	10,538	10,748	10,963	11,183
Depreciation and amortisation	8,151	8,789	9,724	10,184	10,388	10,596	10,808	11,024	11,244	11,469	11,699	11,933
mpairment Other expenses	165	4.219	4.303	4.389	4.477	4.566	4.658	4.751	4.846	4.943	5.041	5.142
Net loss from the disposal of assets	2.284	4,219	4,303	4,389	4,477	4,566	4,658	4,/51	4,846	4,943	5,041	5,142
	2,204											
otal Expenses	58,060	36,263	37,809	38,894	39,736	40,597	41,479	42,380	43,302	44,244	45,207	46,192
let Operating Result	5,055	16,282	5,558	(748)	(1,124)	(1,229)	(1,337)	(1,448)	(1,561)	(1,677)	(1,797)	(1,920)
Net operating result before grants and			6	6		()		<i>(</i> )	42.000	6		
contributions provided for capital purposes	(5,289)	(1,593)	(2,152)	(2,492)	(2,903)	(3,043)	(3,188)	(3,336)	(3,486)	(3,641)	(3,800)	(3,964)
Statement of Financial Position - G												
Base Case	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030	2031	2032
Current assets Eash and investments	12,651	32,980	32,920	18,683	18,275	17,926	17,633	17,462	17,320	17,243	17,171	16,595
Receivables	11,598	7,697	7,811	7,984	8,144	8,308	8,475	8,645	8,819	8,997	9,177	9,362
nventories	92	136	139	141	144	147	150	153	156	159	162	166
Other	344	344	344	344	344	344	344	344	344	344	344	344
Fotal current assets	24,685	41,157	41,214	27,152	26,908	26,725	26,602	26,604	26,639	26,743	26,855	26,466
Non-current assets nvestments	5 000	E 000	E 000	E 000	E 000	E 000	E 000	E 000	E 000	E 000	E 000	E 000
Receivables	5,000 11	5,000 12	5,000 13	5,000 13	5,000 13	5,000 13	5,000 14	5,000 14	5,000 14	5,000 14	5,000 15	5,000 15
nventories	147	111	114	116	118	121	123	126	128	131	133	136
nfrastructure, property, plant and equipment nvestment property	542,516 340	575,295 340	594,957 340	622,835 340	637,104 340	651,597 340	666,232 340	681,000 340	695,999 340	711,143	726,493	742,562 340
ntangible assets	448	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
oint venture investments	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total non-current assets Total Assets	548,462	580,759	600,423	628,303	642,575	657,071	671,708	686,479	701,482	716,628	731,981	748,053
	573,147	621,916	641,637	655,456	669,483	683,796	698,310	713,083	728,121	743,370	758,836	774,519
Current liabilities Payables	3 764	1.732	1.771	1.811	1.852	1 894	1.936	1,980	2.025	2.070	2 117	2.165
ncome received in advance	8,629	8,629	8,629	8,629	8,629	8,629	8,629	8,629	8,629	8,629	8,629	8,629
Sorrowings	339	273	279	273	191	197	149	100	106	112	118	125
Provisions	5,030	3,916	4,014	4,115	4,218	4,323	4,431	4,542	4,655	4,772	4,891	5,013
otal current liabilities	17,762	14,550	14,693	14,827	14,889	15,043	15,145	15,251	15,415	15,583	15,756	15,933
Non-current liabilities Pavables												
Borrowings	2,292	2,158	1,961	1,695	1,497	1,219	1,076	928	773	667	555	437
Provisions	2,158	2,158	2,158	2,158	2,158	2,158	2,158	2,158	2,158	2,158	2,158	2,158
Fotal non-current liabilities	4,450	4,316	4,119	3,853	3,655	3,377	3,234	3,086	2,931	2,825	2,713	2,595
fotal Liabilities	22,212	18,866	18,813	18,680	18,545	18,419	18,379	18,337	18,346	18,409	18,469	18,527
NET ASSETS	550,934	603,050	622,824	636,776	650,938	665,377	679,931	694,747	709,775	724,962	740,367	755,992
quity												
Accumulated surplus Revaluation reserves	476,242 74,693	492,524 110.526	498,081 124,743	497,334 139,442	496,209 154,729	494,980 170,396	493,643 186.288	492,195 202.551	490,635 219,140	488,957 236.005	487,160 253.206	485,240 270,752
TOTAL EQUITY	550,934	603,050	622,824	636,776	650,938	665,377	186,288 679,931	694,747	709,775	724,962	740,367	755,992
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Statement of Cash Flows - General		2005	2000	2000				2022		2022		2022
lase Case	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030	2031	2032
Receipts:				47.1								
Rates and annual charges Jser charges and fees	9,505 8,353	9,872 16,861	9,978 13,079	10,210 13,302	10,421 13,579	10,632 13,850	10,847 14,127	11,066 14,410	11,290 14,698	11,519 14,992	11,752 15,292	11,990 15,598
investment revenue and interest	289	350	13,079	758	474	466	459	453	14,698	446	445	443
Frants and contributions	35,678	28,615	18,665	12,918	13,176	13,440	13,709	13,983	14,263	14,548	14,839	15,136
Other Payments:	4,368	748	770	786	801	817	834	850	867	885	902	920
Employee benefits and on-costs	(18,989)	(12,873)	(14,435)	(14,796)	(15,166)	(15,545)	(15,933)	(16,332)	(16,740)	(17,159)	(17,588)	(18,027)
Materials and contracts Borrowing costs	(27,207) (155)	(11,214) (94)	(9,323) (88)	(9,509) (81)	(9,700) (73)	(9,893) (66)	(10,091) (60)	(10,293) (53)	(10,499) (48)	(10,708) (42)	(10,922) (36)	(11,141) (29)
orrowing costs Other	(155)	(94)	(88)	(4,389)	(73)	(4,566)	(60)	(53)	(48)	(42)	(36)	(29)
Net cash provided (or used) in operating activities	11,343	28,047	15,103	9,199	9,036	9,135	9,233	9,334	9,436	9,539	9,643	9,748
ash flows from investing activities												
Receipts:												
ale of investments ale of real estate assets	13,503		-	-								
ale of infrastructure, property, plant and equipment	(2,290)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other layments:	158	448			-	-	-		-		-	-
Purchase of investments Purchase of real estate assets	(5,003)		-	-	:	-	-	-	:	-	-	-
urchase of infrastructure, property, plant and equipment	(8,672)	(28,074)	(15,086)	(23,357)	(9,377)	(9,503)	(9,545)	(9,577)	(9,704)	(9,742)	(9,841)	(10,450)
Other Net cash provided (or used) in investing activities	- (2,305)	(27,626)	- (15,086)	- (23,357)	(9,377)	- (9,503)	- (9,545)	- (9,577)	(9,704)	- (9,742)	- (9,841)	- (10,450)
ash flows from financing activities	(2,305)	(27,020)	(13,000)	(100,007)	(3,377)	(3,303)	(3,343)	(3,377)	(3,704)	(3,742)	(3,041)	(10,430)
					-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
lew loans layments:	-											
leceipts: New loans Jayments: .oan repayments	(105)	(190)	(273)	(279)	(273)	(191)	(197)	(149)	(100)	(106)	(112)	(118)
Vew loans Payments:	(105)	(190)	(273) (273)	(279)	(273)	(191)	(197)	(149) (149)	(100)	(106) (106)	(112) (112)	(118)

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Base Case	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030	2031	2032
ncome from continuing operations	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2020	2027	2028	2025	2030	2031	2032
lates and annual charges	955	1,602	1,634	1,667	1,700	1,734	1,769	1,804	1,840	1,877	1,915	1,95
lser charges and fees	2,999	3,000	3,060	3,121	3,184	3,247	3,312	3,378	3,446	3,515	3,585	3,65
terest and investment revenue	55	30	100	82	56	61	77	88	88	104	120	12
other revenues irants and contributions - Operating	569	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
irants and contributions - Operating	365	66	1,995	5,004	-	-	-	793	-	-	242	
let gain from the disposal of assets	6	-	-	- 3,004				-			-	
hare of interest in joint ventures	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		-	-	
otal Income	4,949	4,698	6,789	9,874	4,940	5,042	5,158	6,063	5,374	5,496	5,862	5,73
xpenses from continuing operations												
mployee benefits and oncosts	675	1,491	1,528	1,566	1,606	1,646	1,687	1,729	1,772	1,817	1,862	1,90
orrowing costs	170	138	34	-		-		-	-	-	-	
laterials and contracts	2,148	1,274	1,299	1,325 1,388	1,352 1,419	1,379 1,448	1,407	1,435 1,515	1,463 1,547	1,493 1,578	1,523	1,55
epreciation and amortisation	1,516	1,167	1,555	1,300	1,419	1,440	1,478	1,515	1,547	1,578	1,614	1,04
ther expenses	320	357	364	371	379	386	394	402	410	418	427	43
et loss from the disposal of assets	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		-	-	
otal Expenses	4,631	4,427	4,559	4,651	4,755	4,859	4,966	5,081	5,192	5,306	5,426	5,54
et Operating Result	318	271	2,230	5,223	184	183	192	982	182	191	436	19
et operating result before grants and												
ontributions provided for capital purposes	(47)	205	235	219	184	183	192	189	182	191	194	19
tatement of Financial Position - V												
ase Case	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030	2031	2032
urrent assets ash and investments	7,255	4,975	4,121	2,793	3,043	3,850	4,388	4,392	5,223	6,004	6,253	6,98
eceivables	241	269	4,121	2,795	286	292	4,388	4,392	309	316	322	32
wentories ther	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
otal current assets	7,496	5,245	4,396	3,073	3,329	4,142	4,685	4,696	5,532	6,320	6,575	7,31
on-current assets	7,430	3,243	4,350	3,073	3,323	4,142	4,083	4,050	3,332	0,320	0,373	7,33
westments	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
eceivables wentories	-	•	-	-	-	-	•	-	-	-	-	
frastructure, property, plant and equipment	49,212	51,012	55,170	63,397	65,077	66,236	67,711	70,548	71,804	73,158	75,331	76,81
vestment property tangible assets	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
bint venture investments	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
otal non-current assets otal Assets	49,212 56,708	51,012 56,257	55,170 59,566	63,397 66,471	65,077 68,406	66,236 70,379	67,711 72,396	70,548 75,243	71,804 77,337	73,158 79,478	75,331 81,905	76,8
urrent liabilities					,		,	., .		., .	. ,	.,
ayables	91	53	52	54	55	56	57	59	60	61	63	e
come received in advance orrowings	624	471	554	-	-	-		-	-	-	-	
rovisions	-	417	428	439	450	461	472	484	496	509	521	53
otal current liabilities	715	942	1,034	492	504	517	530	543	556	570	584	59
on-current liabilities ayables												
orrowings	1,649	554	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	
rovisions	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
otal non-current liabilities otal Liabilities	1,649 2,364	554 1,495	(0) 1.034	(0) 492	(0) 504	(0) 517	(0) 529	(0) 542	(0) 556	(0) 570	(0) 584	59
ET ASSETS	54,344	54,761	58,532	65,979	67,901	69,862	71,867	74,701	76,781	78,909	81,321	83,53
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quity ccumulated surplus	52,436	53,823	55,551	60,828	61,053	61,236	61,428	62,410	62,592	62,783	63,219	63,41
evaluation reserves	1,908	938	2,980	5,150	6,849	8,626	10,439	12,291	14,189	16,126	18,102	20,12
OTAL EQUITY	54,344	54,761	58,532	65,979	67,901	69,862	71,867	74,701	76,781	78,909	81,321	83,53
statement of Cash Flows - Water F	und											
ase Case	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030	2031	2032
ash flows from operating activities eceipts:												
ates and annual charges ser charges and fees	955 2.977	1,602	1,634	1,667 3.116	1,700 3,178	1,734 3,242	1,769 3,306	1,804 3.373	1,840 3,440	1,877 3,509	1,915 3,579	1,95
westment revenue and interest	55	30	100	82	56	61	77	88	88	104	120	5,0.
rants and contributions ther	365 569	66	1,995	5,004	-	-	-	793		-	242	
ayments:					41			41				
mployee benefits and on-costs laterials and contracts	(675) (2,120)	(1,908) (1,312)	(1,539) (1,300)	(1,577) (1,324)	(1,617) (1,351)	(1,657) (1,378)	(1,698) (1,405)	(1,741) (1,433)	(1,784) (1,462)	(1,829) (1,491)	(1,875) (1,521)	(1,9)
orrowing costs	(170)	(138)	(34)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
ther et cash provided (or used) in operating activities	(320)	(357) 954	(364)	(371)	(379)	(386)	(394)	(402) 2,481	(410)	(418)	(427)	(4)
et cash provided (or used) in operating activities ash flows from investing activities	1,636	54	3,547	6,596	1,588	1,615	1,054	2,481	1,/11	1,752	2,033	1,8
ceipts:												
le of investments le of real estate assets		-	-		-	-	-	-		-		
le of infrastructure, property, plant and equipment	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			-	
ther ayments:	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	•	-	-	
urchase of investments urchase of real estate assets	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
irchase of infrastructure, property, plant and equipment	(600)	(2,635)	(3,868)	(7,945)	(1,360)	(830)	(1,140)	(2,500)	(905)	(995)	(1,810)	(1,1
ther et cash provided (or used) in investing activities	(594)	(2,635)	(3,868)	(7,945)	(1,360)	(830)	(1,140)	(2,500)	(905)	(995)	(1,810)	(1,1
ash flows from financing activities												
eceipts: ew loans	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
ayments:	(624)	(471)	(554)			-		-			-	
an repayments			'									
an repayments et cash provided (or used) in financing activities	(624)	(471)	(554)	•		-	•	-	•	-	-	

Income Statement - Sewer Fund

Base Case

Base Case	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030	2031	2032
Income from continuing operations												
Rates and annual charges	4,090	4,408	4,496	4,586	4,678	4,771	4,867	4,964	5,063	5,165	5,268	5,373
User charges and fees	575	585	597	609	621	633	646	659	672	685	699	713
Interest and investment revenue	81	30	184	190	208	226	243	270	275	266	276	307
Other revenues	191	-	-		-	-		-	-	-	-	-
Grants and contributions - Operating	15	-	-		-	-	-	-			-	-
Grants and contributions - Capital	400		3,569	-	789	15	1,100	-	2,363	2,729	-	-
Net gain from the disposal of assets					-			-		-		
Share of interest in joint ventures												
share of interest in joint ventures												
Tatal lanana		F 033		5 005	6 905		6.056	E 000	0.070		6.040	6 000
Total Income	5,352	5,023	8,846	5,385	6,295	5,645	6,856	5,893	8,373	8,845	6,243	6,393
Expenses from continuing operations												
Employee benefits and oncosts	633	1,746	1,790	1,834	1,880	1,927	1,975	2,025	2,075	2,127	2,181	2,235
Borrowing costs	136	123	159	152	145	136	128	118	109	99	88	76
Materials and contracts	2,547	1,431	1,460	1,489	1,519	1,549	1,580	1,612	1,644	1,677	1,710	1,744
Depreciation and amortisation	1,643	1,460	1,546	1,583	1,615	1,653	1,687	1,736	1,789	1,824	1,861	1,898
Impairment												
Other expenses	192	207	211	215	220	224	229	233	238	243	247	252
Net loss from the disposal of assets	21	207		215	220	22.4	22.5	233	2.50	245	247	2.52
Net loss from the disposal of assets	21	-			-		-	-		-	-	
Total Expenses	5,172	4,967	5,166	5,274	5,379	5,490	5,599	5,724	5,855	5,970	6,087	6,206
Net Operating Result	180	56	3,680	111	917	155	1,257	169	2,519	2,875	156	187
Net operating result before grants and												
contributions provided for capital purposes	(220)	56	111	111	128	140	157	169	156	146	156	187
Statement of Financial Position - S	ewer Fun	d										
statement of Finalitial Position - S	Cwer run	•										
Base Case	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030	2031	2032
Current assets												
Cash and investments	10,410	9,217	9,496	10,385	11,286	12,156	13,479	13,744	13,289	13,791	15,348	16,352
Receivables	290	382	389	397	405	413	421	430	438	447	456	465
Inventories	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other	•	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total current assets	10,700	9,599	9,885	10,782	11,691	12,569	13,901	14,174	13,727	14,238	15,804	16,817
Non-current assets	-,		.,	.,	,	,,	,,	,,	.,	.,	.,	.,
Non-current assets Investments												
Receivables												
Inventories	-	-		-	-	-	-	-		-	-	
Infrastructure, property, plant and equipment	65,974	68,698	74,043	75,243	77,280	78,622	80,655	82,695	87,862	92,492	93,383	94,898
Investment property	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Intangible assets	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Joint venture investments	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total non-current assets	65,974	68,698	74,043	75,243	77,280	78,622	80,655	82,695	87,862	92,492	93,383	94,898
Total Assets	76,674	78,297	83,929	86,025	88,971	91,191	94,555	96,869	101,590	106,729	109,188	111,715
Current liabilities												
Payables	22	30	30	31	32	32	33	34	35	35	36	37
Income received in advance						-		-				
Borrowings	322	145	153	161	170	179	189	199	210	221	233	246
Provisions	-	489	501	514	526	540	553	567	581	596	611	626
Total current liabilities	344	664	684	705	728	751	775	800	825	852	880	909
	344	004	004	703	720	/31	//3	800	823	632	000	303
Non-current liabilities												
Payables	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Borrowings Provisions	2,343	1,876	1,730	1,577	1,416	1,246	1,066	877	678	468	246	12
		-			-	-	-	-		-		
Total non-current liabilities	2,343	1,876	1,730	1,577	1,416	1,246	1,066	877	678	468	246	12
Total Liabilities	2,687	2,540	2,414	2,282	2,143	1,996	1,841	1,677	1,503	1,320	1,126	921
NET ASSETS	73,987	75,758	81,514	83,743	86,827	89,194	92,714	95,192	100,086	105,409	108,062	110,795
Equity												
Accumulated surplus	67,841	67,897	71,577	71,688	72,605	72,760	74,017	74,186	76,704	79,580	79,736	79,923
Revaluation reserves	6,146	7,861	9,937	12,055	14,223	16,434	18,697	21,006	23,382	25,830	28,326	30,872
TOTAL EQUITY	73,987	75,758	81,514	83,743	86,827	89,194	92,714	95,192	100,086	105,409	108,062	110,795
Statement of Cash Flows - Sewer F	und											
contraction cash nows - sewer r												
Base Case	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030	2031	2032
Cash flows from operating activities												
Receipts:												
Rates and annual charges	4,090	4,408	4,496	4,586	4,678	4,771	4,867	4,964	5,063	5,165	5,268	5,373
User charges and fees	623	493	589	601	613	625	638	650	663	677	690	704
Investment revenue and interest	81	30	184	190	208	226	243	270	275	266	276	307
Grants and contributions	415	-	3,569	-	789	15	1,100	-	2,363	2,729	-	-
Other Payments:	191	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Payments: Employee benefits and on-costs	(633)	(2,235)	(1,802)	(1,847)	(1,893)	(1,940)	(1,989)	(2,039)	(2,090)	(2,142)	(2,195)	(2,250)
Materials and contracts	(2,552)	(1,423)	(1,459)	(1,488)	(1,518)	(1,548)	(1,579)	(1,611)	(1,643)	(1,676)	(1,709)	(1,744)
Borrowing costs	(136)	(1,423)	(1,459)	(1,466)	(1,518)	(1,548)	(1,373)	(1,011) (118)	(1,043)	(1,070)	(1,703) (88)	(1,744) (76)
Other	(192)	(207)	(211)	(215)	(220)	(224)	(229)	(233)	(238)	(243)	(247)	(252)
Net cash provided (or used) in operating activities	1,887	943	5,207	1,674	2,512	1,788	2,923	1,883	4,285	4,677	1,994	2,062
	-,/	2.5	.,		,	.,	.,	,	,	.,	,	.,
Cash flows from investing activities Receipts:												
Sale of investments		-			-	-		-		-		
Sale of real estate assets	-	-		-	-	-	-	-		-		
sale of infrastructure, property, plant and equipment	(21)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
sale of intrastructure, property, plant and equipment		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other	-											
Other Payments:	-		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other Payments: Purchase of investments	-			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other Payments: Purchase of investments	-	-	-			(775)	19	11	14 535	12 005	10.00	1000
Other Payments: Purchase of investments Purchase of real estate assets	-	-	-			(775)	(1,448)	(1,458)	(4,570)	(3,995)	(245)	(855)
Other Payments: Purchase of investments Purchase of real estate assets Purchase of infrastructure, property, plant and equipment	(465)	- - (2,559)	- (4,808)	(658)	(1,476)	(,				-		-
Other Poyments: Purchase of investments Purchase of real estate assets Purchase of infrastructure, property, plant and equipment Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		_			
Other Poyments: Purchase of investments Purchase of real estate assets Purchase of infrastructure, property, plant and equipment Other	- - (465) - (486)	- - (2,559) - (2,559)	- (4,808) - (4,808)	(658) - (658)	(1,476)	(775)	- (1,448)	(1,458)	(4,570)	(3,995)	(245)	(855)
Other Poynents: Purchase of investments Purchase of real estate assets Purchase of infrastructure, property, plant and equipment Other Net cash provided (or used) in investing activities	-	-	-	-	-	-	- (1,448)	(1,458)	(4,570)	(3,995)	(245)	(855)
Other Payments: Purchase of relate tassets Purchase of relate tassets Purchase of infrastructure, property, plant and rejulpment Other Net cah provided (or used) in Investing activities Cash flows from financing activities Receptor:	-	-	-	(658)	- (1,476)	- (775)		(1,458)	(4,570)	(3,995)	(245)	(855)
Other Payments: Purchase of read states assets Purchase of infastincture, property, plant and equipment Other Net cash provided (or used) in investing activities Cash flows from financing activities Receptor: New Joans	-	-	-	-	-	-	- (1,448) -	(1,458)	(4,570)	(3,995)	(245)	(855)
Other Payments: Purchase of releases Purchase of releases Purchase of releases Nuchase of lenkastructure, property, plant and rejulyment Other Net cash provided (or used) in Investing activities Receipts: New Joans Poyments:	(486)	(2,559)	(4,808)	- (658)	(1,476)	(775)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other Psynchists Purchase of of investments Purchase of infastucture, property, plant and equipment Other Net cash provided (or used) in investing activities Cash flows from inancing activities Receiptis: New Joans Deriver in the second second second second second second Psynchists Can repayments	-	-	-	(658)	- (1,476)	- (775)		(1,458) - (189)	(4,570) - (199)	(3,995)	(245) - (221)	(855) - (233)
Other Payments: Purchase of real estate assets Purchase of real estate assets Purchase of Infrastructure, property, plant and equipment Other Net cash provided (or used) in investing activities Receipter: Purchase of Infrancing activities Purchase of Infrancing activities	(486)	(2,559)	(4,808)	- (658)	(1,476)	(775)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other Psynchists Purchase of of investments Purchase of infastucture, property, plant and equipment Other Net cash provided (or used) in investing activities Cash flows from inancing activities Receiptis: New Joans Deriver in the second second second second second second Psynchists Can repayments	(486)	(2,559)	(4,808)	- (658) - (153)	(1,476) - (161)	(775)	. (179)	- (189)	(199)	(210)	. (221)	(233)

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2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2026 2027 2028 2029 2030 2031 2032

SNOWY VALLEYS COUNCIL – UPDATED LONG TERM FINANCIAL PLAN 2021 – 2032
(January 2022)

Income Statement - Consolidated												
lase Case	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030	2031	2032
ncome from continuing operations	17.051											
ates and annual charges Iser charges and fees	16,905	19,292 16.581	19,561 16.913	20,001 17.251	20,403 17.596	20,814 17.948	21,232	21,660 18,673	22,095 19.046	22,540 19.427	22,994 19,816	23,456
nterest and investment revenue	435	410	1,056	1,061	785	817	860	899	921	943	989	1,047
Other revenues	5,218	827	852	869	886	904	922	940	959	978	998	1,018
Grants and contributions - Operating	25,350	10,740	10,955	11,174	11,398	11,625	11,858	12,095	12,337	12,584	12,835	13,092
Brants and contributions - Capital	11,740	19,053	14,408	7,905	3,748	3,033	4,178	3,933	5,566	5,996	3,574	3,399
Net gain from the disposal of assets Share of interest in joint ventures	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Income	76,699	66,903	63,745	58,260	54,815	55,140	57,358	58,200	60,924	62,468	61,206	62,225
expenses from continuing operations												
mployee benefits and oncosts	20,246	17,850	18,296	18,754	19,222	19,703	20,196	20,701	21,218	21,748	22,292	22,850
Borrowing costs	473	367	281	233	218	202	188	172	157	140	123	105
Materials and contracts Depreciation and amortisation	34,453 11,172	13,555 11,476	13,826 12,603	14,103 13,155	14,385 13,422	14,672 13,697	14,966 13,973	15,265 14,275	15,570 14,580	15,882 14,872	16,199 15,174	16,523 15,477
mpairment		- 11,470	12,005	15,155	13,422	15,097	15,975	14,275	14,560	14,672	15,174	15,477
Other expenses	1,290	5,844	5,961	6,080	6,202	6,326	6,452	6,581	6,713	6,847	6,984	7,124
let loss from the disposal of assets	2,305	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
otal Expenses	69,939	49,092	50,968	52,325	53,449	54,600	55,775	56,994	58,238	59,490	60,773	62,079
let Operating Result	6,760	17,811	12,777	5,935	1,366	540	1,583	1,206	2,687	2,979	433	145
Net operating result before grants and												
contributions provided for capital purposes	(4,980)	(1,242)	(1,631)	(1,970)	(2,382)	(2,493)	(2,596)	(2,727)	(2,879)	(3,017)	(3,141)	(3,254)
Statement of Financial Position - Co	onsolidate	d										
Base Case	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030	2031	2032
Current assets												
Tash and investments Receivables	33,017 12,129	47,814 8,348	48,027 8,475	34,225 8,661	35,837 8,835	38,015 9,013	39,949 9,194	41,030 9,379	42,151 9,567	44,457 9,759	47,369 9,955	50,225 10,156
nventories	92	136	139	141	144	147	150	153	156	159	162	166
Other	344	344	344	344	344	344	344	344	344	344	344	344
Total current assets	45,582	56,642	56,985	43,372	45,160	47,519	49,637	50,906	52,218	54,720	57,831	60,890
Non-current assets nvestments	5,000	5,000	5.000	5.000	5,000	5.000	5,000	5.000	5.000	5,000	5,000	5,000
Receivables	11	12	13	13	13	13	14	14	14	14	15	15
nventories nfrastructure, property, plant and equipment	147 657,702	111 698,343	114 728,029	116 765,871	118 784,440	121 802,080	123 821,394	126 841,627	128 863,779	131 885,467	133 904,412	136 923,550
nvestment property	340	340	340	340	340	340	340	340	340	340	340	323,330
ntangible assets oint venture investments	448	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Total non-current assets	663,648	703,807	733,495	771.340	789.912	807,554	826.870	847,106	869.262	890.952	909.900	929,041
Total Assets	709,230	760,449	790,480	814,712	835,072	855,073	876,507	898,012	921,480	945,671	967,732	989,932
urrent liabilities												
Payables ncome received in advance	3,877 8,629	1,814 8,629	1,854 8,629	1,895 8,629	1,938 8,629	1,982 8,629	2,027 8,629	2,072 8,629	2,119 8,629	2,167 8,629	2,216 8,629	2,266 8,629
Borrowings Provisions	1,285	889	986	433	361	376	337	298	315	333	352	371
	5,130	4,998	5,123 16.592	5,251 16.209	5,382	5,517 16.503	5,655 16.648	5,796 16.796	5,941 17.005	6,090 17.219	6,242 17.439	6,398 17.664
otal current liabilities	18,921	16,331	16,592	16,209	16,310	16,503	16,648	16,796	17,005	17,219	17,439	17,664
Payables	-	-	-	-		-	-	-	-	-	-	
Borrowings Provisions	6,284	4,588	3,691 2,158	3,272	2,913 2,158	2,464 2,158	2,142	1,805 2,158	1,451	1,135 2,158	801	448 2,158
Total non-current liabilities	2,158 8.442	2,158 6.746	5,849	2,158	5.071	4.622	2,158	3,963	2,158 3.609	3,293	2,158 2.959	2,156
Total Liabilities	27,363	23,076	22,441	21,639	21,381	21,126	20,948	20,759	20,614	20,512	2,333	2,000
NET ASSETS	681,867	737,372	768,040	793,073	813,691	833,948	855,560	877,253	900,866	925,160	947,334	969,661
quity	500.407	610 434	620.605	626 684	628.000	638 630	640.313	641.410	644.106	647.005	647 547	647.662
Accumulated surplus Revaluation reserves	599,497 82,370	618,424 118,949	630,695 137,345	636,684 156,389	638,090 175,601	638,630 195,317	640,213 215,346	641,419 235,834	644,106 256,760	647,085 278,075	647,517 299,817	647,663 321,998
TOTAL EQUITY	681,867	737,372	768,040	793,073	813,691	833,948	855,560	877,253	900,866	925,160	947,334	969,661
Statement of Cash Flows - Consolid	ated											
lase Case	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030	2031	2032
ash flows from operating activities teceipts:												
lates and annual charges Jser charges and fees	16,975 12,079	19,259 20,395	19,553 16,793	19,976 17,090	20,382 17,443	20,792 17,792	21,211 18,147	21,638 18,510	22,073 18,881	22,517 19,258	22,970 19,643	23,432 20,036
nvestment revenue and interest	435	410	1,056	1,061	785	817	860	899	921	943	989	1,047
Frants and contributions Other	37,090 5,218	29,793 828	25,363 852	19,079 869	15,145 886	14,659 904	16,036 922	16,028 940	17,903 959	18,580 978	16,410 998	16,491 1,018
Payments:												
imployee benefits and on-costs Materials and contracts	(20,752) (32,914)	(17,718) (15,626)	(18,421) (13,792)	(18,882) (14,066)	(19,354) (14,347)	(19,838) (14,634)	(20,334) (14,926)	(20,842) (15,225)	(21,363) (15,529)	(21,897) (15,840)	(22,444) (16,156)	(23,006) (16,479)
Borrowing costs	(473)	(367)	(281)	(233)	(218)	(202)	(188)	(172)	(157) (6,713)	(140)	(123) (6,984)	(105
Other Net cash provided (or used) in operating activities	(1,625)	(5,844)	(5,961) 25,162	(6,080) 18,814	(6,202) 14,521	(6,326) 13,964	(6,452)	(6,581) 15,196	(6,713) 16,975	(6,847) 17,552	(6,984) 15,302	(7,124
ash flows from investing activities	10,035	51,151	23,102	10,014	14,321	13,504	13,217	13,150	10,575	17,332	13,302	15,511
leceipts: ale of investments	12 502											
ale of real estate assets	13,503		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
ale of infrastructure, property, plant and equipment Other	(2,305) 158	- 448	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
layments: hurchase of investments	(5,003)	-				-	-		-	-		
Purchase of real estate assets	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
urchase of infrastructure, property, plant and equipment Other	(10,837)	(36,665)	(24,227)	(32,439)	(12,739)	(11,693)	(13,242)	(14,059)	(15,844)	(15,227)	(12,361)	(12,415
Net cash provided (or used) in investing activities	(4,484)	(36,217)	(24,227)	(32,439)	(12,739)	(11,693)	(13,242)	(14,059)	(15,844)	(15,227)	(12,361)	(12,415
leceipts:												
		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
New loans												
New loans Payments: .oan repayments	(1,051)	(800)	(972)	(432)	(433)	(361)	(376)	(337)	(298)	(315)	(333)	(352
Vew loans Payments:	(1,051)	(800)	(972) (972)	(432) (432)	(433) (433)	(361) (361)	(376) (376)	(337) (337)	(298) (298)	(315) (315)	(333) (333)	(352)

# 6. SRV Scenario

Based on feedback received from the community as part of the Service Level Review and Rates Harmonisation and further feedback during the initial engagement around a potential SRV, Council does not believe that the community is willing to accept vastly reduced service levels or declining infrastructure.

The SRV scenario shows a path that allows Council to increase its revenues via increased rates and reduce its expenditure through efficiency gains and cost savings with moderate adjustments to service levels. It assumes that these shifts can be sustained in the long-term. Council's Road to Sustainability Plan outlines several actions Council is taking to achieve its objective of delivering sustainable best value to the community.

The SRV scenario represents Council's preferred long-term path to financial sustainability.

## Assumptions

The key assumptions contrasting to the baseline scenario are:

- Introduction of a permanent SRV under S508A of the *Local Government Act* of 35.95% (compounded and including the IPART rate peg of 0.7% for 2022/23 and 2.5% for 2023/24) over two years
- Efficiency savings through staff savings of \$600K annually from 2022/23 with some savings effected during 2021/22

Council may consider other saving options over the longer term, such as:

- Selling, disposing, or repurposing buildings, structures or land that could be suitable for alternative management, are underutilised or no longer needed.
- Ceasing of services or transition of services to someone else to provide
- · Review of frequency, quality and quantity of services provided to the community
- Transfer of a larger portion of the cost of services and facilities to the direct users/beneficiaries rather than the general ratepayer

## Implications

The SRV scenario shows a return to operating profits for the general fund from year 2023/24. It allows Council to increase its asset replacement reserves to make sure services can be delivered into the future. The SRV scenario meets the key principles of sound financial management. It returns operations to a surplus in the long-term, invests responsibly in infrastructure and avoids burdening future generations with excessive costs or extensive reductions to services.

However, while this scenario shows reduced reliance on external grant funding, Council continues to rely on external funding for infrastructure renewals. External funding will still be required to fully fund required renewals in the general fund. Council considers the ongoing level of additional funding achievable.

SRV Scenario – Primary Financial Reports

Following are the reports for Council's General Fund and the consolidated model. Note that the Water Supply Fund and Wastewater Fund do not change under this scenario.

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Income Statement - General Fund	- SKV											
SRV Scenario	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030	2031	2032
ncome from continuing operations												
Rates and annual charges	9,581	9,905	11,357	13,224	13,488	13,758	14,033	14,314	14,600	14,892	15,190	15,493
User charges and fees	13,205	12,927	13,186	13,450	13,719	13,993	14,273	14,558	14,849	15,146	15,449	15,758
Interest and investment revenue	289	350	768	797	572	635	702	773	849	929	1,012	1,099
Other revenues	4,368	747	770	785	801	817	833	850	867	884	902	920
Grants and contributions - Operating	25,335	10,740	10,955	11,174	11,398	11,625	11,858	12,095	12,337	12,584	12,835	13,092
Grants and contributions - Capital	10,343	17,875	7,710	1,744	1,779	1,814	1,851	1,888	1,926	1,964	2,003	2,043
Net gain from the disposal of assets	(6)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Share of interest in joint ventures	-	-		-		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Income	63,115	52,544	44,746	41,174	41,756	42,643	43,550	44,478	45,428	46,399	47,392	48,406
Expenses from continuing operations												
Employee benefits and oncosts	18,582	13,987	14,337	14,695	15,063	15,439	15,825	16,221	16,627	17,042	17,468	17,905
Borrowing costs	155	94	88	81	73	66	60	53	48	42	36	29
Materials and contracts	28,723	9,074	8,757	9,084	9,278	9,476	9,677	9,883	10,092	10,306	10,524	10,747
Depreciation and amortisation	8,151	8,789	9,724	10,184	10,388	10,596	10,808	11,024	11,244	11,469	11,699	11,933
Impairment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Other expenses Net loss from the disposal of assets	165 2,284	4,219	4,303	4,389	4,477	4,566	4,658	4,751	4,846	4,943	5,041	5,142
Total Expenses	58,060	36,163	37,209	38,434	39,279	40,143	41,028	41,932	42,857	43,802	44,768	45,756
Net Operating Result	5,055	16,382	7,537	2,740	2,477	2,500	2,522	2,546	2,572	2,597	2,624	2,651
Net operating result before grants and												
contributions provided for capital purposes	(5,289)	(1,493)	(173)	996	698	685	672	658	646	633	621	607
Statement of Financial Position - O	General Fi	und										
SRV Scenario	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030	2031	2032
Current assets	12 (51	33.415	34.872	23.582	26.755	30.115	22.00	37.464	41.434	45.610	49.938	53.910
Cash and investments Receivables	12,651 7.681	33,415	34,872 8.273	23,582 8.991	26,755	30,115	33,662 9,542	37,464	41,434	45,610 10.126	49,938 10.328	53,910
Inventories	426	136	139	143	146	149	152	155	158	10,120	165	10,555
Other	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9
Total current assets	20,766	41,257	43,293	32,725	36,082	39,628	43,365	47,361	51,529	55,907	60,440	64,622
Non-current assets												
Investments	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000
Receivables Inventories	12 349	12	13 114	14 118	15 120	15 122	15 125	16 127	16 130	16 133	17 135	17
Infrastructure, property, plant and equipment	541,297	573,761	593,423	621,300	635,570	650,063	664,697	679,466	694,465	709,609	724,958	741,028
Investment property	340	340	340	340	340	340	340	340	340	340	340	340
Intangible assets Joint venture investments	448	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		579.225		-					-	715.097		-
Total non-current assets Total Assets	547,446 568,212	579,225 620,482	598,890 642,182	626,773 659,498	641,045 677,127	655,540 695,168	670,178 713,542	684,949 732,310	699,951 751.480	715,097 771,004	730,450 790,890	746,523 811,145
Current liabilities	500,212	020,402	042,102	033,450	0,7,12,	055,100	113,342	752,510	731,400	772,004	130,030	011,145
Payables	3.003	1.732	1.771	1.820	1.861	1.903	1.946	1.990	2.034	2.080	2.127	2.176
Income received in advance	8,629	8,629	8,629	8,629	8,629	8,629	8,629	8,629	8,629	8,629	8,629	8,629
Borrowings	190	273	279	273	191	197	149	100	106	112	118	125
Provisions	5,203	3,916	4,014	4,115	4,218	4,323	4,431	4,542	4,655	4,772	4,891	5,013
Total current liabilities	17,025	14,550	14,693	14,836	14,898	15,052	15,155	15,260	15,425	15,593	15,766	15,943
Non-current liabilities												
Payables Borrowings	2,292	2,158	1,961	1,695	1,497	1,219	1,076	928	- 773	- 667	- 555	437
Provisions	2,158	2,158	2,158	2,158	2,158	2,158	2,158	2,158	2,158	2,158	2,158	2,158
Total non-current liabilities	4,450	4,316	4,119	3,853	3,655	3,377	3,234	3,086	2,931	2,825	2,713	2,595
Total Liabilities	21,475	18,866	18,813	18,689	18,554	18,429	18,389	18,346	18,356	18,419	18,479	18,538
NET ASSETS	546,737	601,616	623,370	640,809	658,573	676,740	695,154	713,964	733,124	752,585	772,411	792,607
Equity												
Accumulated surplus Revaluation reserves	475,915 70,823	492,297 109,319	499,834 123,536	502,574 138,235	505,051 153,522	507,551 169,189	510,073 185,080	512,619 201,344	515,191 217,933	517,788 234,797	520,412 251,999	523,062 269,545
TOTAL EQUITY	546,737	601,616	623,370	640,809	658,573	676,740	695,154	713,964	733,124	752,585	772,411	792,607
	340,737	001,010	023,370	040,803	038,373	070,740	033,134	713,504	733,124	732,383	772,411	792,007
Statement of Cash Flows - Genera	l Fund											
SRV Scenario Cash flows from operating activities	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030	2031	2032
Receipts:												
Rates and annual charges	9,505	9,872	11,211	13,036	13,461	13,731	14,005	14,285	14,571	14,862	15,160	15,463
User charges and fees Investment revenue and interest	12,270 289	12,944 350	12,755 768	12,920 797	13,565 572	13,837 635	14,113 702	14,396 773	14,684 849	14,977 929	15,277 1,012	15,582 1,099
Grants and contributions	35,678	28,615	18,665	12,918	13,176	13,440	13,709	13,983	14,263	14,548	14,839	15,136
Other	4,369	747	771	786	801	817	834	850	867	885	902	920
Payments: Employee benefits and on-costs	(19.161)	(12,701)	(14,435)	(14,796)	(15,166)	(15,545)	(15,933)	(16.332)	(16,740)	(17.159)	(17.588)	(18,027
Materials and contracts	(19,161) (28,504)	(12,701) (9,817)	(14,435) (8,723)	(14,796) (9,044)	(15,166) (9,242)	(15,545) (9,439)	(15,933) (9,640)	(16,332) (9,844)	(16,740) (10,053)	(17,159) (10,266)	(17,588) (10,483)	(18,02)
Borrowing costs	(155)	(94)	(88)	(81)	(73)	(66)	(60)	(53)	(48)	(42)	(36)	(29
Other	(165)	(4,219)	(4,303)	(4,389)	(4,477)	(4,566)	(4,658)	(4,751)	(4,846)	(4,943)	(5,041)	(5,142
Net cash provided (or used) in operating activities	14,126	25,698	16,621	12,147	12,619	12,844	13,073	13,307	13,547	13,792	14,042	14,297
Cash flows from investing activities Receipts:												
Sale of investments	13,503	-	-		-	-	-	-			-	
Sale of real estate assets	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sale of infrastructure, property, plant and equipment Other	(2,290)	- 448	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Payments:	(5,003)	440		-					-	-		
Purchase of investments Purchase of real estate assets	(5,003)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Purchase of infrastructure, property, plant and equipment	(8,672)	(28,074)	(15,086)	(23,357)	(9,377)	(9,503)	(9,545)	(9,577)	(9,704)	(9,742)	(9,841)	(10,450
Other Net cash provided (or used) in investing activities	(2,305)	- (27,626)	- (15,086)	- (23,357)	- (9,377)	- (9,503)	- (9,545)	- (9,577)	- (9,704)	- (9,742)	- (9,841)	(10,450
Cash flows from financing activities	(_,,,,,,)	,	,500)		(-,-,-)	(2,503)	(2,242)	(-,-,-)	(-,, -,)	(-,)	()	,,
Receipts:												
New loans		-	-	-		-	-	-	-	-	-	
Payments:												
Loan repayments	(105)	(190)	(273)	(279)	(273)	(191)	(197)	(149)	(100)	(106)	(112)	
Payments: Loan repayments Net cash provided (or used) in financing activities	(105)	(190) (190)	(273)	(279) (279)	(273)	(191)	(197)	(149) (149)	(100)	(106)	(112)	(118

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Income Statement - Consolidated	SR V											
Consolidated SRV	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030	2031	2032
ncome from continuing operations												
Rates and annual charges Jser charges and fees	17,051 16,905	19,292 16,581	19,561 16,913	21,403 17,251	23,449 17,596	23,918 17,948	24,397 18,307	24,885 18,673	25,382 19,046	25,890 19,427	26,408 19,816	26,936
interest and investment revenue	435	410	1,065	1,108	891	995	1,129	1,239	19,048	19,427	19,818	1,668
Other revenues	5,218	827	852	869	886	904	922	940	959	978	998	1,018
Grants and contributions - Operating	25,350	10,740	10,955	11,174	11,398	11,625	11,858	12,095	12,337	12,584	12,835	13,092
Grants and contributions - Capital	11,740	19,053	14,408	7,905	3,748	3,823	3,899	3,977	4,057	4,138	4,221	4,305
Net gain from the disposal of assets Share of interest in joint ventures	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Total Income	76,699	66,903	63,753	59,710	57,968	59,213	60,511	61,809	63,123	64,434	65,788	67,232
Expenses from continuing operations												
Employee benefits and oncosts	20,246	17,850	18,296	18,754	19,222	19,703	20,196	20,701	21,218	21,748	22,292	22,850
Borrowing costs	473	367	281	233	218	202	188	172	157	140	123	105
Materials and contracts	34,453	13,455	13,226	13,643	13,927	14,218	14,514	14,817	15,125	15,440	15,760	16,088
Depreciation and amortisation	11,172	11,476	12,603	13,155	13,422	13,697	13,973	14,275	14,580	14,872	15,174	15,477
Impairment Other expenses	1,290	5,844	5,961	6,080	6,202	6,326	6,452	6,581	6,713	6,847	6,984	7,124
Net loss from the disposal of assets	2,305	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Expenses	69,939	48,992	50,368	51,865	52,992	54,146	55,323	56,545	57,792	59,047	60,334	61,643
Net Operating Result	6,760	17,911	13,386	7,845	4,976	5,067	5,188	5,264	5,331	5,386	5,454	5,588
Net operating result before grants and												
contributions provided for capital purposes	(4,980)	(1,142)	(1,023)	(60)	1,228	1,244	1,289	1,287	1,274	1,248	1,233	1,283
Statement of Financial Position - C	onsolidate	ed										
Consolidated SRV	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030	2031	2032
Current assets	22.045	48.245	50.205	20 5 40	44 754	F4 427	56.055	(2.07)	65.040	70 544	70 400	00.707
Cash and investments Receivables	33,017 8,212	48,249 8,348	50,396 8,938	39,549 9,669	44,751 9,862	51,437 10,059	56,956 10,261	62,074 10,466	65,819 10,675	70,511 10,889	78,423 11,106	86,700 11,328
Inventories	426	136	139	143	146	149	152	155	158	162	165	168
Other Total current assets	9 41,664	9 56,742	9 59,481	9 49,370	9 54,768	9 61,654	9 67,378	9 72,704	9 76,661	9 81,570	9 89,703	98,205
Total current assets	41,664	56,742	59,481	49,370	54,768	61,654	67,378	72,704	76,661	81,570	89,703	98,205
Investments	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000
Receivables Inventories	12 349	12 111	13 114	14 118	15 120	15 122	15 125	16 127	16 130	16 133	17 135	17 138
Inventories Infrastructure, property, plant and equipment	656,483	696,809	726,495	764,337	782,906	800,546	819,860	840,093	862,245	883,932	902,878	922,016
Investment property	340	340	340	340	340	340	340	340	340	340	340	340
Intangible assets Joint venture investments	448	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Total non-current assets	662,632	702,273	731,962	769,809	788,381	806,024	825,340	845,576	867,731	889,421	908,370	927,511
Total Assets	704,296	759,015	791,443	819,179	843,149	867,678	892,717	918,280	944,392	970,992	998,073	1,025,716
Current liabilities Payables	3,116	1,814	1,854	1,904	1,947	1,991	2,036	2,082	2,129	2,177	2,226	2,277
Income received in advance	8,629	8,629	8,629	8,629	8,629	8,629	8,629	8,629	8,629	8,629	8,629	8,629
Borrowings Provisions	1,136 5,303	972	432	433	361 5,382	376 5,517	337 5,655	298	315 5,941	333	352	371
Total current liabilities	18,184	4,998 16,414	5,123 16,038	5,251 16,218	16,319	16,513	16,657	5,796 16,806	5,941 17,014	6,090 17,229	6,242 17,449	6,398
Non-current liabilities	10,104	10,414	10,050	10,210	10,515	10,515	10,037	10,000	17,014	17,225	1,445	17,075
Payables	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Borrowings Provisions	6,284 2,158	4,505 2,158	4,245 2,158	3,272 2,158	2,913 2,158	2,464 2,158	2,142 2,158	1,805 2,158	1,451 2,158	1,135 2,158	801 2,158	448 2,158
Total non-current liabilities	8,442	6,663	6.403	5,430	5.071	4,622	4,300	3,963	3,609	3,293	2,959	2,606
Total Liabilities	26,626	23,076	22,441	21,647	21,390	21,135	20,957	20,769	20,623	20,521	20,408	20,281
NET ASSETS	677,670	735,938	769,002	797,532	821,760	846,543	871,760	897,511	923,769	950,470	977,665	1,005,435
Equity Accumulated surplus	480,220	498,131	512,887	522,319	527,295	532,362	537,550	542,814	548,145	553,531	558,985	564,573
Revaluation reserves	197,450	237,808	256,115	275,213	294,465	314,182	334,210	354,697	375,624	396,939	418,681	440,862
TOTAL EQUITY	677,670	735,938	769,002	797,532	821,760	846,544	871,760	897,511	923,769	950,470	977,665	1,005,435
Statement of Cash Flows - Consoli	dated											
Consolidated SRV	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030	2031	2032
Cash flows from operating activities Receipts:		40	40									
Rates and annual charges User charges and fees	16,975 15,996	19,259 16,478	19,415 16.469	21,215 16,708	23,423 17.429	23,891 17.778	24,369 18.133	24,856 18,496	25,353 18.866	25,861 19,243	26,378 19,628	26,905
Investment revenue and interest	435	410	1,065	1,108	891	995	1,129	1,239	1,341	1,416	1,510	1,668
Srants and contributions Other	37,090 5,219	29,793 827	25,363 852	19,079 870	15,145 886	15,448 904	15,757 922	16,073 940	16,394 959	16,722 978	17,056 998	17,397
Payments:												
Employee benefits and on-costs Materials and contracts	(20,925) (34,211)	(17,545) (14,229)	(18,421) (13,192)	(18,882) (13,601)	(19,354) (13,890)	(19,838) (14,179)	(20,334) (14,475)	(20,842) (14,776)	(21,363) (15,084)	(21,897) (15,397)	(22,444) (15,717)	(23,006) (16,043)
Borrowing costs	(473)	(367)	(281)	(233)	(218)	(202)	(188)	(172)	(157)	(140)	(123)	(105
Other Net cash provided (or used) in operating activities	(1,290)	(5,844)	(5,961)	(6,080) 20.184	(6,202)	(6,326)	(6,452)	(6,581)	(6,713) 19,598	(6,847)	(6,984) 20.301	(7,124
Cash flows from investing activities	10,017	20,782	23,310	20,184	10,112	10,471	10,002	13,233	15,358	13,333	20,301	20,732
Receipts: Sale of investments	13,503		-			-	-					
Sale of real estate assets	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
ale of infrastructure, property, plant and equipment Dther	(2,305)	- 448	-	-		-	-	-		-		
Payments: Purchase of investments	(5,003)	-		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Purchase of real estate assets	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Purchase of infrastructure, property, plant and equipment Other	(10,837)	(36,665)	(24,227)	(32,439)	(12,739)	(11,693)	(13,242)	(14,059)	(15,844)	(15,227)	(12,361)	(12,415
Net cash provided (or used) in investing activities	(4,484)	(36,217)	(24,227)	(32,439)	(12,739)	(11,693)	(13,242)	(14,059)	(15,844)	(15,227)	(12,361)	(12,415
Cash flows from financing activities Receipts:												
New loans Payments:	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
oan repayments	(1,051)	(800)	(972)	(432)	(433)	(361)	(376)	(337)	(298)	(315)	(333)	(352
Net cash provided (or used) in financing activities	(1,051)	(800)	(972)	(432)	(433)	(361)	(376)	(337)	(298)	(315)	(333)	(352

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# 7. Sensitivity Analysis

Both the baseline and SRV scenario have been evaluated in relation to their sensitivity to changes in the assumptions.

## Employee Costs

Council's ability to contain rises in employee costs has a major impact on future performance. A key issue is the level of capitalisation (allocating employees to capital works programs rather than operational) and the level of resourcing required for civil contracting activities.

Future increases (indexation) of employee costs due to award increases and progression of staff through the salary system are critical components of the modelling. Employee costs increasing by an average of 1% higher than the assumed rate results in an additional \$9 million and \$8 million respectively to employee costs by the end of the 10-year period for the baseline and SRV scenario respectively.

#### **Interest Rates**

Council has very low levels of borrowings and the existing loans are at fixed rates with interest payments decreasing over time. However, the interest received on investments has an impact on operating results. Further, utilising reserves for major capital investments decreases the available investment assets from which interest is received.

# **Capital Works Programs**

A significant increase in Council's capital works programs over what is proposed in the updated LTFP will reduce reserves and cash holdings. If Council embarked on adding new capital projects resulting in additional assets, not only will the reserves decrease, but operational costs will increase both for maintenance and depreciation.

## Grant Programs

Council relies heavily on external funding for its operations and capital works renewal program. If such grants are reduced or discontinued, Council will have to generate considerably more revenues from other sources. It has been assumed that Government funding remains stable, however, should such funding decrease because of current economic stimulus spending, Council's operating result would significantly worsen.

## Rates Income

Rates Income is restricted to rate pegging as set each financial year by the Independent Pricing & Regulatory Tribunal (IPART). If rate pegging was abolished, Council would have greater flexibility to achieve financial sustainability.

## Cost Shifting

Over the years other levels of government have shifted costs associated, among other, with emergency services, weed management, food safety regulation, road safety programs and fire and emergency services to local government without funding. It is likely that this trend will continue and negatively affect Council's operating results.

## **Energy Costs**

Increased energy costs are occurring with Council continually looking at ways to minimise future costs. Solar panels and geothermal heating/cooling for Council buildings have resulted in savings with further projects being investigated.

#### Insurance and Workers Compensation

Forecasting insurance premiums is difficult. Considerable increases in insurance premiums are possible, influenced by several issues, particularly the occurrence of natural disasters, economic uncertainty and climate change.

Workers' compensation premiums can increase at any time following a rise in claims or with major open cases. Council's safety, risk & quality committee is committed to reducing premiums and claims through increased risk mitigation, awareness and workplace safety programs.

#### Superannuation

Council is responsible to fund investment shortfalls in the defined benefits member scheme until all staff in the scheme have retired. Council has been advised to expect to be called upon to fund investment shortfalls in this scheme due to the current economic environment. However, no additional allowance has been made in the financial forecast at this stage as the extend of the funding requirement is unclear.

# 8. Indicators

Council's key objectives include the achievement of an operating surplus over the planning cycle and adequate funding of asset renewals. This is achieved under the SRV Scenario. Other considerations include the achievement of industry benchmarks that Council must report on as part of its annual report.

The following ratios are anticipated to occur under the SRV scenario (comment included where divergent for the baseline scenario):

# Operating Performance Ratio – Benchmark > 0%

This ratio measures financial sustainability and indicates Council's capacity to meet its ongoing expenditure by comparing revenues with operating expenses (excluding capital grants and contributions). In the SRV scenario, Council reaches the benchmark by 2023/24. Under the baseline scenario, Council is unable to reach this benchmark.

## Own Source Revenue – Benchmark > 60%

This ratio indicates Council's ability to control its own operating performance and financial sustainability. It compares operating revenues gained from sources other than grants and contributions to its total operating revenues. Council meets this benchmark in 9 out of 10 years.

# Unrestricted Current Ratio - Benchmark >1.5

This ratio indicates Council's ability to meet short term obligations as they fall due. Council meets this ratio throughout the period of the LTFP. However, in the baseline scenario, Council assets quickly deplete, and Council is unable to meet this ratio from about 2023/24.

# Debt Service Cover Ratio – Benchmark >2

This ratio indicates the proportion of operating revenues being utilised for interest and principal repayments on loans. Council is well within the benchmark over the entire period of the LTFP.

## Rates and Annual Charges Outstanding – Benchmark <10%

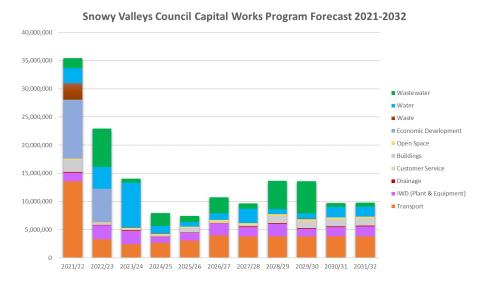
This ratio assesses the impact of uncollected rates and charges on liquidity and the adequacy of recovery efforts. It is expected to be achieved over the entire period of the LTFP. However, economic factors may influence rates and charges collection in the earlier years of the forecast.

## Cash Expenses Cover Ratio – Benchmark >3 months

This ratio indicates Council's liquidity. It determines the number of months a Council can continue paying for its immediate expenses without additional cash flow. The ratio is expected to be achieved over the period of the LTFP.

# 9. Capital Works Program

The capital works program for 2021/22 is included in the operational plan and budget paper. The chart below shows the planned capital expenditure over the next ten years, however, this is forecast requires regular updating due to changes to the works program and available funding opportunities.



Council's Strategic Asset Management Plan contains further information on Council's asset portfolio.

	APPLICATION FOR SPECIAL VARIA	ATION TO GENERAL INCO	DME	2022-23
	WORKSHEET 1			
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Step 4: Fill out propose	ed special variation amounts			l
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#### B. Proposed special variations (SVs)

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