Draft Agenda

What Are Your Financial Statements Trying to Tell You? Noon – 3:30 pm ET

All times below are Eastern

Tuesday, March 11

Noon Introduction

Course overview, agenda, and learning outcomes

12:15 p.m. Section 1

Core Financial Statements and Metrics

The Balance Sheet

Days Cash on Hand

Debt: Net Book Value

Age of System

The Income Statement

Operating Income

Transfer to the City

Power Cost AdjustmentThe Statement of Cash Flows

Reinvestment

1:30 pm Break

1:45 pm Section 2

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Financial Policies

o Financial Planning/Projection

o Rate Adjustments Assessment

3:15 pm Wrap Up, Q&A, and Evaluation

3:30 pm Course Adjourns

LearningOutcomes

Upon completion of this course, participants will be able to successfully:

- Discuss how to leverage historical financial statements for financial planning
- Review key financial metrics using the financial statements
- Review trend lines using graphing to evaluate financial health
- Identify and review key financial targets that help determine rate changes
- Recognize the objectives of financial policies
- Define and understand power cost adjustments
- Develop best practices for rate adjustments
- Explain a rate increase to customers and governing body members