

Getting Things Done in Difficult Times

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Our Background ... Financing (where'd the \$\$\$ go?)

- Special Tax/Operating Levies
- Pay-As-You-Go
- Revenue Bonds
- Insured Revenue Bonds
- Insurer Downgrades or Worse
- Commercial Short-Term Paper
- Full Faith and Credit Bonds
- Pay-As-You-Go???
- Staff Impacts



Design Standards Update



- Director's Authority and Development Bulletins
- A "Land Use" Action
- Administrative Rules (local OARs)
- Enabling Code Authority and Ordinance – Separate Stormwater Chapter
- MS4 Permit Renewal (80% capture/70% removal, LID, Hydromodification, O & M, etc., etc., etc.)
- Don't Pull That Loose Thread!!!
 - Roof Runoff, UICs, "green" houses, etal
 - Zoning Code and Uniform Development Code
 - TMDL and Riparian Action Plan .. Goal 5???

A Stormwater Utility ... Now???

- Overcoming History (user charge \neq "tax")
- Equity ... Not Income Maker ... Water Conservation Doesn't Reduce Stormwater Costs ... Just The \$\$\$
- Extraterritorial Services
- Stormwater "Services" – how broad a definition?
- Financial Market Impacts – Needs vs. Affords
- Outreach! Outreach!! Outreach!!!
- The Road to "xxxx" is Paved With Good Intentions ... But Someone Still Has To Pay For It!

