CITY OF KITCHENER GAS UTILITY VARIANCE REPORT

for the nine months ended September 30, 2023

GAS DELIVERY	2023 Approved Budget	Budget		2023 Variance as at September	2023 % Variance as at September	2023 Projected Year End Surplus/(Deficit)
Core Revenue	44,772,769	31,913,588	31,756,539	(157,049)	-0.5%	801,000
Other Revenue	184,706	146,019	236,349	90,330	61.9%	95,000
REVENUE	44,957,475	32,059,607	31,992,888	(66,719)	-0.2%	896,000
Operating Expense	19,606,458	14,437,156	14,018,155	419,001	2.9%	(111,000)
Transfer to Capital Dividend Transfer to City	13,704,000 15,846,926	10,278,000 11,885,195	10,277,543 11,885,195	457 -	0.0%	1,000
EXPENSE	49,157,384	36,600,351	36,180,893	419,458	1.1%	(110,000)
Net Revenue (Expense)* *Net Revenue (Expense) amour	(4,199,909)	(4,540,744)	(4,188,005)	352,739	7.8%	786,000
Net Revenue (Expense) amour	it will be transferre	to the Gas Deliver	y stabilization reserv	re at the end of the y	/ear.	

OTHER PROGRAMS (Rental Water Heaters and KU Dispatch)	2023 Approved	2023 Budget	2023 Actual	2023 Variance	2023 % Variance	2023 Projected Year End
	Budget	as at September	as at September	as at September	as at September	Surplus/(Deficit)
Core Revenue	13,431,951	10,003,420	10,768,663	765,243	7.6%	923,000
REVENUE	13,431,951	10,003,420	10,768,663	765,243	7.6%	923,000
Operating Expense	9,639,005	7,063,399	7,913,963	(850,565)	-12.0%	(2,215,000)
EXPENSE	9,639,005	7,063,399	7,913,963	(850,565)	-12.0%	(2,215,000)
Net Revenue (Expense)*	3,792,946	2,940,022	2,854,699	(85,322)	-2.9%	(1,292,000)

^{*}Net Revenue (Expense) amount will be transferred to the Gas Delivery stabilization reserve at the end of the year.

GAS SUPPLY Core Revenue	2023 Approved Budget 45,084,183	2023 Budget as at September 30,574,501	2023 Actual as at September 30,522,618	2023 Variance as at September (51,883)	2023 % Variance as at September -0.2%	2023 Projected Year End Surplus/(Deficit) (2,338,000)
REVENUE	45,084,183	30,574,501	30,522,618	(51,883)	-0.2%	(2,338,000)
Operating Expense	44,943,715	30,711,037	28,703,405	2,007,632	6.5%	4,204,000
EXPENSE	44,943,715	30,711,037	28,703,405	2,007,632	6.5%	4,204,000
Net Revenue (Expense)*	140,468	(136,536)	1,819,213	1,955,749	1432.4%	1,866,000

^{*}Net Revenue (Expense) amount will be transferred to the Gas Supply stabilization reserve at the end of the year.

Comments

Current and projected deficit due to warmer than expected winter thereby reducing volume of gas sold. Projected year end surplus due to rate increase as of September.

Current surplus due to staff vacancies. Projected year end deficit due to additional locator costs expected to be incurred this year.

Current and projected year end surplus due to increased rental and warranty recovery revenues than anticipated.

Current and projected deficit due to higher deprecition costs and provision for write-down of assets.

Year end projected deficit due to warmer than expected winter thereby reducing volume of gas sold, in addition to a reduction in the rate as of September.

Current and year end projected surplus due to lower volumes of gas sold in addition to favourable hedging strategies.