Renewal Status of Metropolitan's Property and Casualty Insurance Program

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Review the 2012/13 Program

Approve the purchase of the 2013/14 Program

Metropolitan's Self Insurance and Excess / Specialty Coverage Program

Self-Insured Retentions

- Claims Programs to Manage Self-Insured Retentions
 - Liability / Property
 - Workers' Compensation
- Excess and Specialty Coverages

Self-Insured Retention

General Liability

\$25 million

Workers' Compensation

\$ 5 million

Property Damage

100%*

Metropolitan's Property Insurance Program

- Assessed value up to \$25 million
- No deductible
- Policy covers OC-71, SD-7 & SD-11 that sustained fire damage during the fall of 2009.

MWD received financial aid from FEMA for restoration; contingent upon the agreement to purchase and maintain coverage for the facilities.

Metropolitan's Self-Insured Claims Programs

Liability & Property

Risk Management Unit
Third Party Claims Administrator
MWD General Counsel

Workers' Compensation
Workers' Compensation / Medical Unit
Third Party Claims Administrator

Excess Insurance

General Liability

Workers' Compensation

Public Officials, Directors & Officers Liability

Fiduciary & Employee Benefit Liability

\$75 million

\$50 million

\$65 million

\$60 million

Metropolitan's Excess General Liability Coverage Layers and Limits

In Million Dollars

Excess Coverage	SIR	AEGIS 1 st Layer	EIM 2 nd Layer	Coverage Limits
General Liability	25	35	40	100
Fiduciary Liability	25	35	25	85
Directors & Officers Liability	25	25	40	90

Associated Electric & Gas (AEGIS)
Energy Insurance Mutual (EIM)
Self-Insured Retention (SIR)

Specialty Insurance

Aircraft Liability

\$25 million

Aircraft Hull

Assessed Value

Property Damage

Assessed Value up to \$25 million

Crime

\$5 million

Special Contingency

\$5 million

Travel Accident

\$ 250,000

Premiums Outlook 2013/14

- Overall cost to increase about 6.8%
- 3.6% cost increase compared with 2012/13 premiums
 - Renewal of 3-year duration Travel Accident and Special Contingency policies, totaling approximately \$37,000
 - Insurance Market Economics
 - Poor Insurance Industry Investment Returns
 - Catastrophic Property Losses
- Insurance renewal premiums are estimated to increase from

\$1.087 million to

\$1.161 million

Excess Insurance Premiums (in dollars)

Coverage Type	2012/13 Actual	2013/14 June Quotes	% Change
General Liability	402,970	435,262	7%
Excess Liability Umbrella	371,352	375,236	1%
Fiduciary and Employee Benefit Liability	20,650	25,800	20%
Public Officials Directors & Officers Liability	147,131	147,060	0%
Aircraft Hull & Liability	25,876	24,609	(5%)
Crime	12,097	12,893	6%

Human Resources Group

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Excess Insurance Premiums (in dollars)

Coverage Type	2012/13 Actual	2013/14 June Quotes	% Change
Property ¹	8,413	4,000 ²	(52%)
Special Contingency ³	5,959	5,959	0%
Travel Accident ³	27,586	27,586	0%

- 1 Responsibility for the Weymouth ozone equipment was turned over to the construction contractor, Archer Western Contractors LLC. Coverage will continue for: OC-71, SD-7 & SD-11
- 2 Cost estimate
- 3 Three-year coverage last purchased July 2010

Excess Insurance Premiums (in dollars)

Coverage Type	2012/13 Actual	2013/14 June Quotes	% Change
Workers' Compensation, CA – Option #1	96,894	100,811	4%
Workers' Compensation, CA – Option #2	0	0	0%
Workers' Compensation, D.C.	989	882	(12%)
Total Premiums – Option #1	1,086,071	1,160,098	6.8%
Total Premiums – Option #2	1,086,071	1,059,557	(3.6%)

Option #1 Workers' Compensation

Approve up to \$1.161 million

To renew or replace all existing insurance coverages.

Fiscal Impact

An approximate \$75,000 increase compared with the premium costs for fiscal year 2012/13.

Business Analysis

Metropolitan's financial position would remain protected against risk of catastrophic losses.

Costs

\$1,126,553 or 3.6% Renew the existing coverages

\$1,160,098 or 6.8% Renew existing coverages, and renew the Special Contingency and Travel Accident

Option #2 Workers' Compensation Approve up to \$1.060 million

To renew or replace all existing insurance coverages, except Workers' Compensation coverage for California employees.

Fiscal Impact

An approximate \$29,000 decrease compared with the premium costs for fiscal year 2012/13.

Business Analysis

Increased exposure to potential catastrophic losses compared to Option #1.

Costs

\$1,025,742 or (5.9%) Renew the existing coverages

\$1,059,287 or (2.5%) Renew existing coverages, and renew the Special Contingency and Travel Accident

Options Comparison

Option #1:

Maintain catastrophic coverage to protect Metropolitan's financial position against risk of catastrophic losses.

Option #2:

- \$50 million Increased financial exposure to a "Black Swan" catastrophic event.
- Savings of approximately \$100,000 in premiums. \$60,000 would need to be retained annually
- Actual risk adjusted \$40,000 savings available for other uses
- Reputational Risk

Board Recommendation

Option 1

Approve up \$1.161 million to renew excess and specialty insurance coverages

Impact

Within the \$1.375 million budget, resulting in an approximate \$75,000 cost increase compared to FY 2012/13

Premium Comparison by Fiscal Year

Actual 2009/10 Actual 2011/12 Actual 2012/13
\$1,127,241 \$1,124,594* \$1,084,122 \$1,086,071

Quoted 2013/14 \$1,160,368*

^{*} Travel Accident and Special Contingency insurance last purchased 2010/11

