



Financial Services Audit Committee Communication

Date: November 21, 2025

To: Great Lakes Water Authority Audit Committee

From: Lisa L. Mancini, Financial Services Chief of Staff

Re: Public Hearing on Proposed FY 2027 & FY 2028 Biennial Budget Request

Background/Analysis: See attached draft Board letter.

Proposed Action: The GLWA Audit Committee recommends that the Board of Directors authorizes staff to schedule a Public Hearing on the FY 2027 & FY 2028 Biennial Budget Request to be held at a meeting of the Great Lakes Water Authority Board on February 25, 2026, at 2 pm, directs that the notice of this Public Hearing be published in a daily newspaper of general circulation, and directs that notice of this Public Hearing be mailed to GLWA member partner communities on or before January 26, 2026.

** It should be noted that the Board meeting on February 25, 2026 has previously been scheduled to start at 2 pm. To provide additional time for public input, the Audit Committee discussed a preference for the meeting to start at 1 pm to be coordinated by GLWA Administration.*