

**MANITOBA** ) **Order No. 97/15**  
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**THE PUBLIC UTILITIES BOARD ACT** ) **October 2, 2015**

BEFORE: Susan Proven, P.H.Ec., Acting Chair  
The Hon. Anita Neville, P.C., B.A. (Hons.), Member

**TOWN OF STONEWALL  
WATER AND WASTEWATER UTILITY  
ACTUAL DEFICITS 2009 and 2013**

WHEREAS the Public Utilities Board issued Order No. 151/08 on November 7, 2008 requiring all water and/or wastewater utilities to report an actual year-end deficit to the Board if the utility:

1. *had not received prior approval for the deficit from the Board and such deficit either exceeds \$10,000 or represents 5% of the utility's operating budget; or*
2. *had received prior approval for the deficit from the Board and the actual deficit:*
  - a. *exceeds the previously approved amount by either \$10,000 or 5% of the utility's operating budget; or*
  - b. *is caused as a result that differs from that upon which said approval was granted;*

AND WHEREAS the Town of Stonewall Water and Wastewater Utility (Utility) incurred an operating deficit of \$94,955 at the end of the 2009 operating year, when calculated for regulatory purposes;

AND WHEREAS it is proposed that the 2009 deficit be recovered by a draw-down of \$94,955 from the Utility Surplus Fund;

AND WHEREAS the Town of Stonewall Water and Wastewater Utility (Utility) incurred an operating deficit of \$62,122 at the end of the 2013 operating year, when calculated for regulatory purposes;

AND WHEREAS it is proposed that the 2013 deficit be recovered by a draw-down of \$62,122 from the Utility Surplus Fund;

Board decisions may be appealed in accordance with the provisions of Section 58 of *The Public Utilities Board Act*, or reviewed in accordance with Section 36 of the Board's Rules of Practice and Procedure (Rules). The Board's Rules may be viewed on the Board's website at [www.pub.gov.mb.ca](http://www.pub.gov.mb.ca).

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:**

1. The actual **2009** operating deficit, when calculated for regulatory purposes, of **\$94,955** incurred in the **Town of Stonewall** Water and Wastewater Utility Operations, is HEREBY APPROVED to be recovered from the Utility Surplus;
2. The actual **2013** operating deficit, when calculated for regulatory purposes, of **\$62,000** incurred in the **Town of Stonewall** Water and Wastewater Utility Operations, is HEREBY APPROVED to be recovered from the Utility Surplus;

Fees payable upon this Order - \$150.00

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES BOARD

"SUSAN PROVEN, P.H.Ec."

Acting Chair

"JENNIFER DUBOIS, CPA, CMA."

Acting Secretary

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Acting Secretary