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April 30, 2012

Honorable Members of the Sulphur City Council  
Sulphur, Louisiana

Re: Budget Message

In accordance with the requirements of the Sulphur Home Rule Charter, as amended, and the Local Government Budget Act, I submit herein for your consideration, the budget for the General Fund, Public Utility Fund, Debt Service and Capital Projects for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2012.

Sales tax revenues are projected to yield \$680,000 more than the 2011-2012 adopted budget and are used to finance City operations. Also, as provided in the Sales Tax Ordinances, sales tax revenues fund Capital Improvement projects.

The General Fund Budget and Public Utility Fund Budget provide for the two percent (2%) longevity pay raise, as well as a cost of living adjustment for every department (excluding Fire Department which will be addressed upon conclusion of pending litigation).

In the past several fiscal years, the City has not been in a position to purchase new equipment. A prioritization process was conducted and this year's budget provides for the acquisition of numerous pieces of equipment.

For the year 2012-2013, the employer's contribution rates to the various retirement systems that cover the City's employees will be: Municipal Employee's Retirement System, seventeen percent (17.0%); Firefighter's Retirement System, twenty-four percent (24.0%); and the Municipal Police Employee's Retirement System, thirty-one percent (31.0%).

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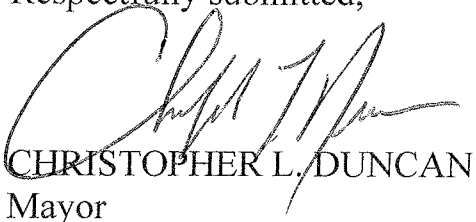
It is anticipated that there will be an increase in garbage/trash collection rates this fiscal year. Funds have been budgeted based upon past year's projections and any increase will be passed on to the customer.

At this time, there is no recommendation for a rate increase in water service and sewer collection and treatment rates. Charges for these services will be evaluated this fiscal year. The Public Utility budget again provides for the continuation of the Utility Assistance Program.

The City is currently conducting a study to review the current fee charged for wastewater treatment for the City of Westlake and the Calcasieu Parish Police Jury (Mossville). Subject to the findings of that review, action may be requested of the City Council.

The budget, as presented, was prepared with the participation and cooperation of Department Heads and staff members.

Respectfully submitted,



CHRISTOPHER L. DUNCAN  
Mayor

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**CITY OF SULPHUR, LOUISIANA**  
**GENERAL FUND - BUDGET FOR YEAR ENDING**  
**June 30, 2013**

| Prior Year<br>FY 2010-2011 |                 | Current Year<br>FY 2011-2012 |                                             |                              | Upcoming Year<br>FY 2012-2013       |                                                                      |
|----------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Audited                    | Original Budget | Last Adopted Budget          | Actual Year-to-Date as of February 29, 2012 | Estimated Remaining for Year | Projected Actual Result at Year End | % Change Last Adopted Budget vs. Projected Actual Result at Year End |

**SUMMARY OF REVENUES - BY SOURCES:**

**Local sources:**

|                                   |              |              |              |              |               |         |               |         |
|-----------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|---------|---------------|---------|
| 2% Sales taxes                    | \$ 9,870,475 | \$ 9,650,000 | \$ 6,540,138 | \$ 3,509,862 | \$ 10,050,000 | 4.15%   | \$ 10,330,000 | 2.79%   |
| Ad Valorem Taxes                  | 1,345,235    | 1,606,500    | 1,525,018    | 81,482       | 1,606,500     | 0.00%   | 1,606,500     | 0.00%   |
| Franchise Taxes                   | 1,446,478    | 1,510,000    | 1,112,827    | 397,173      | 1,510,000     | 0.00%   | 1,505,000     | -0.33%  |
| License, Permits & Fees           | 961,424      | 921,200      | 438,764      | 482,436      | 921,200       | 0.00%   | 937,600       | 1.78%   |
| Charges for services              | 1,427,447    | 1,330,000    | 990,107      | 495,054      | 1,485,161     | 11.67%  | 1,555,000     | 4.70%   |
| Fines and forfeitures             | 224,816      | 202,000      | 89,194       | 44,597       | 133,791       | -33.77% | 223,500       | 67.05%  |
| Gaming                            | 423,886      | 423,500      | 247,026      | 176,474      | 423,500       | 0.00%   | 423,500       | 0.00%   |
| Interest on Investments           | 62,866       | 100,000      | 33,519       | 16,760       | 50,279        | -49.72% | 60,800        | 20.93%  |
| Other Revenue                     | 116,323      | 153,000      | 83,616       | 41,808       | 125,424       | -18.02% | 167,750       | 33.75%  |
| Code Enforcement                  | 25,030       | 25,500       | 19,585       | 9,793        | 29,378        | 15.21%  | 26,000        | -11.50% |
| Total Revenues from Local Sources | 15,903,980   | 15,921,700   | 11,079,794   | 5,255,438    | 16,335,232    | 2.60%   | 16,835,650    | 3.06%   |

**State sources:**

|                                   |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |
|-----------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| State shared revenue              | 562,033 | 516,500 | 236,595 | 279,905 | 516,500 | 0.00%   | 565,000 | 9.39%   |
| Grants                            | 72,537  | 50,000  | 2,745   | 2,500   | 5,245   | -89.51% | 25,000  | 376.64% |
| Total Revenues from State Sources | 634,570 | 566,500 | 239,340 | 282,405 | 521,745 | -7.90%  | 590,000 | 13.08%  |

**Federal sources:**

|                                     |               |               |               |              |               |         |               |        |
|-------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|---------|---------------|--------|
| Grants                              | 229,503       | 50,000        | -             | 17,000       | 17,000        | -66.00% | 25,000        | 47.06% |
| Total Revenues from Federal Sources | 229,503       | 50,000        | -             | 17,000       | 17,000        | -66.00% | 25,000        | 47.06% |
| Total Revenues by Sources           | \$ 16,768,053 | \$ 16,538,200 | \$ 11,319,134 | \$ 5,554,843 | \$ 16,873,977 | 2.03%   | \$ 17,450,650 | 3.42%  |

**SUMMARY OF EXPENDITURES - BY DEPARTMENT:**

**Department**

|                                  |               |               |               |              |               |        |               |        |
|----------------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|--------|---------------|--------|
| Administration                   | \$ 2,700,260  | \$ 2,787,523  | \$ 1,849,549  | \$ 841,068   | \$ 2,690,617  | -3.48% | \$ 2,737,206  | 1.73%  |
| Fire                             | 4,650,215     | 4,651,507     | 2,996,436     | 1,498,074    | 4,494,510     | -3.38% | 4,735,465     | 5.36%  |
| Inspection                       | 472,977       | 424,106       | 290,156       | 118,747      | 408,903       | -3.58% | 405,304       | -0.88% |
| Police                           | 4,606,482     | 4,895,812     | 3,062,193     | 1,673,177    | 4,735,370     | -3.28% | 5,187,174     | 9.54%  |
| Streets                          | 3,391,764     | 3,598,160     | 2,235,396     | 1,245,642    | 3,481,038     | -3.26% | 3,876,194     | 11.35% |
| Animal Control                   | 227,113       | 245,109       | 160,129       | 76,590       | 236,719       | -3.42% | 295,564       | 24.86% |
| Ordinance Enforcement            | 133,116       | 144,188       | 80,907        | 59,042       | 139,949       | -2.94% | 149,915       | 7.12%  |
| Shop                             | 277,117       | 309,481       | 309,481       | 73,729       | 297,744       | -3.79% | 312,909       | 5.09%  |
| Total Expenditures by Department | \$ 16,459,044 | \$ 17,055,886 | \$ 10,898,781 | \$ 5,586,069 | \$ 16,484,850 | -3.35% | \$ 17,699,731 | 7.37%  |

**CITY OF SULPHUR, LOUISIANA**  
**GENERAL FUND - BUDGET FOR YEAR ENDING**  
**June 30, 2013**

| Prior Year<br>FY 2010-2011 | Current Year<br>FY 2011-2012 | Upcoming Year<br>FY 2012-2013 |
|----------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------|
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**SUMMARY OF EXPENDITURES - BY FUNCTION:**

| Function                         | Audited       | Original Budget | Last Adopted Budget | Actual Year-to-Date as of February 29, 2012 | Estimated Remaining for Year | Projected Actual Result at Year End | % Change Last Adopted Budget vs. Projected Actual Result at Year End | Proposed Budget | % Change Last Projected Actual Result at Year End vs. Proposed Budget |
|----------------------------------|---------------|-----------------|---------------------|---------------------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Governmental                     | \$ 7,202,347  | \$ 7,508,567    | \$ 7,508,567        | \$ 4,840,152                                | \$ 2,414,818                 | \$ 7,254,970                        | -3.38%                                                               | \$ 7,777,092    | 7.20%                                                                 |
| Public Safety                    |               |                 |                     |                                             |                              |                                     |                                                                      |                 |                                                                       |
| Fire                             | 4,650,215     | 4,651,507       | 4,651,507           | 2,996,436                                   | 1,498,074                    | 4,494,510                           | -3.38%                                                               | 4,735,465       | 5.36%                                                                 |
| Police                           | 4,606,482     | 4,895,812       | 4,895,812           | 3,062,193                                   | 1,673,177                    | 4,735,370                           | -3.28%                                                               | 5,187,174       | 9.54%                                                                 |
| Total Expenditures by Department | \$ 16,459,044 | \$ 17,055,886   | \$ 17,055,886       | \$ 10,898,781                               | \$ 5,586,069                 | \$ 16,484,850                       | -3.35%                                                               | \$ 17,699,731   | 7.37%                                                                 |

**SUMMARY OF EXPENDITURES - BY CHARACTERS:**

| Characters                                    | Audited       | Original Budget | Last Adopted Budget | Actual Year-to-Date as of February 29, 2012 | Estimated Remaining for Year | Projected Actual Result at Year End | % Change Last Adopted Budget vs. Projected Actual Result at Year End | Proposed Budget | % Change Last Projected Actual Result at Year End vs. Proposed Budget |
|-----------------------------------------------|---------------|-----------------|---------------------|---------------------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Salaries                                      | \$ 8,502,701  | \$ 8,654,699    | \$ 8,654,699        | \$ 5,569,649                                | \$ 2,784,825                 | \$ 8,354,474                        | -3.47%                                                               | \$ 8,622,819    | 3.21%                                                                 |
| Employee benefits                             | 3,405,404     | 3,749,373       | 3,749,373           | 2,264,703                                   | 1,132,352                    | 3,397,055                           | -9.40%                                                               | 3,731,926       | 9.86%                                                                 |
| Travel and training                           | 87,075        | 75,800          | 75,800              | 29,272                                      | 35,000                       | 64,272                              | -15.21%                                                              | 76,375          | 18.83%                                                                |
| Maintenance                                   | 276,714       | 294,200         | 294,200             | 195,552                                     | 97,776                       | 293,328                             | -0.30%                                                               | 292,150         | -0.40%                                                                |
| Utilities                                     | 594,059       | 537,700         | 537,700             | 334,824                                     | 167,412                      | 502,236                             | -6.60%                                                               | 556,000         | 10.70%                                                                |
| Professional and contractual services         | 2,023,168     | 2,032,106       | 2,032,106           | 1,390,296                                   | 695,148                      | 2,085,444                           | 2.62%                                                                | 2,198,406       | 5.42%                                                                 |
| Operating cost                                | 347,046       | 335,900         | 335,900             | 271,828                                     | 135,914                      | 407,742                             | 21.39%                                                               | 366,100         | -10.21%                                                               |
| Insurance                                     | 333,946       | 693,558         | 693,558             | 444,619                                     | 222,310                      | 666,929                             | -3.84%                                                               | 658,605         | -1.25%                                                                |
| Supplies                                      | 303,037       | 251,600         | 251,600             | 181,721                                     | 90,861                       | 272,582                             | 8.34%                                                                | 254,100         | -6.78%                                                                |
| General equipment under \$5,000               | 86,039        | 68,950          | 68,950              | 57,123                                      | 11,827                       | 68,950                              | 0.00%                                                                | 128,050         | 85.71%                                                                |
| Equipment and other acquisitions over \$5,000 | 164,766       | 27,500          | 27,500              | 35,840                                      | 1,500                        | 37,340                              | 35.78%                                                               | 443,700         | 1088.27%                                                              |
| Special and other Activities                  | 335,089       | 334,500         | 334,500             | 123,354                                     | 211,146                      | 334,500                             | 0.00%                                                                | 371,500         | 11.06%                                                                |
| Total Expenditures by Characters              | \$ 16,459,044 | \$ 17,055,886   | \$ 17,055,886       | \$ 10,898,781                               | \$ 5,586,069                 | \$ 16,484,850                       | -3.35%                                                               | \$ 17,699,731   | 7.37%                                                                 |

Excess (deficiency) of revenues over (under) expenditures

(249,081)

**OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES):**

Transfer in:

Debt Service Funds

Transfer (out):

Public Improvement Capital Projects Fund  
Street Improvement Capital Projects Fund  
Public Utility Fund for capital projects  
Public Utility Fund for debt service

Total other financing sources (uses)

Net change in fund balance

Beginning Fund Balance, as restated

Ending Fund Balance

**CITY OF SULPHUR, LOUISIANA**  
**DRUG SEIZURE FUND - BUDGET FOR YEAR ENDING**  
**June 30, 2013**

| Prior Year<br>FY 2010-2011 | Current Year<br>FY 2011-2012 | Upcoming Year<br>FY 2012-2013 |
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|----------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------|

**SUMMARY OF REVENUES - BY SOURCE**

|                                     | Audited   | Original<br>Budget | Last Adopted<br>Budget | Actual<br>Year-to-Date as of<br>February 29, 2012 | Estimated<br>Remaining<br>for Year | Projected<br>Actual Result<br>at Year End | % Change Last<br>Adopted Budget vs.<br>Projected Actual<br>Result at Year End | Proposed<br>Budget | % Change Last<br>Projected Actual<br>Result at Year End<br>vs. Proposed Budget |
|-------------------------------------|-----------|--------------------|------------------------|---------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>Local sources:</b>               |           |                    |                        |                                                   |                                    |                                           |                                                                               |                    |                                                                                |
| Interest on Investments             | \$ 2,603  | \$ 3,500           | \$ 3,500               | \$ 1,568                                          | 784                                | \$ 2,352                                  | -32.80%                                                                       | \$ 2,500           | 6.29%                                                                          |
| Total Revenues from Local Sources   | 2,603     | 3,500              | 3,500                  | 1,568                                             | 784                                | 2,352                                     | -32.80%                                                                       | 2,500              | 6.29%                                                                          |
| <b>State sources:</b>               |           |                    |                        |                                                   |                                    |                                           |                                                                               |                    |                                                                                |
| State Seizure Funds                 | 27,272    | 13,000             | 13,000                 | 1,459                                             | -                                  | 1,459                                     | -88.78%                                                                       | 8,000              | 448.32%                                                                        |
| Total Revenues from State Sources   | 27,272    | 13,000             | 13,000                 | 1,459                                             | -                                  | 1,459                                     | -88.78%                                                                       | 8,000              | 448.32%                                                                        |
| <b>Federal sources:</b>             |           |                    |                        |                                                   |                                    |                                           |                                                                               |                    |                                                                                |
| Federal Seizure Funds               | 4,851     | 5,000              | 5,000                  | 582                                               | -                                  | 582                                       | -88.36%                                                                       | 2,000              | 243.64%                                                                        |
| Other Revenue                       | 140       | -                  | -                      | -                                                 | -                                  | -                                         | -                                                                             | -                  | -                                                                              |
| Total Revenues from Federal Sources | 4,991     | 5,000              | 5,000                  | 582                                               | -                                  | 582                                       | -88.36%                                                                       | 2,000              | 243.64%                                                                        |
| Total Revenues by Sources           | \$ 34,866 | \$ 21,500          | \$ 21,500              | \$ 3,609                                          | \$ 784                             | \$ 4,393                                  | -79.57%                                                                       | \$ 12,500          | 184.54%                                                                        |

**SUMMARY OF EXPENDITURES**

**BY DEPARTMENT AND FUNCTION:**

|                                               |           |           |           |           |           |           |         |            |         |
|-----------------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|---------|------------|---------|
| <b>Department and Function</b>                |           |           |           |           |           |           |         |            |         |
| Public Safety                                 |           |           |           |           |           |           |         |            |         |
| Police                                        | \$ 20,498 | \$ 49,500 | \$ 49,500 | \$ 21,759 | \$ 10,880 | \$ 32,639 | -34.06% | \$ 127,750 | 291.40% |
| Total Expenditures by Department and Function | \$ 20,498 | \$ 49,500 | \$ 49,500 | \$ 21,759 | \$ 10,880 | \$ 32,639 | -34.06% | \$ 127,750 | 291.40% |

**SUMMARY OF EXPENDITURES - BY CHARACTERS:**

|                                                           |           |             |             |             |             |             |         |              |          |
|-----------------------------------------------------------|-----------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|---------|--------------|----------|
| <b>Characters</b>                                         |           |             |             |             |             |             |         |              |          |
| Travel and training                                       | \$ 546    | \$ -        | \$ -        | \$ 2,232    | \$ 1,116    | \$ 3,348    |         | \$ 5,000     | 49.34%   |
| Operating cost                                            | -         | -           | -           | 2,185       | 1,093       | 3,278       |         | 750          | -77.12%  |
| General equipment under \$5,000                           | -         | -           | -           | -           | -           | -           |         | 17,000       |          |
| Equipment and other acquisitions over \$5,000             | 8,366     | -           | -           | 6,022       | 3,011       | 9,033       |         | 105,000      | 1062.40% |
| Special and other Activities                              | 11,586    | 49,500      | 49,500      | 11,320      | 5,660       | 16,980      | -65.70% | -            | -100.00% |
| Total Expenditures by Characters                          | \$ 20,498 | \$ 49,500   | \$ 49,500   | \$ 21,759   | \$ 10,880   | \$ 32,639   | -34.06% | \$ 127,750   | 291.41%  |
| Excess (deficiency) of revenues over (under) expenditures | \$ 14,368 | \$ (28,000) | \$ (28,000) | \$ (18,150) | \$ (10,096) | \$ (28,246) |         | \$ (115,250) |          |

**OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES):**

|                                      |            |            |            |            |          |            |  |            |  |
|--------------------------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|----------|------------|--|------------|--|
| Transfer in (out)                    | -          | -          | -          | -          | -        | -          |  | -          |  |
| Total other financing sources (uses) | -          | -          | -          | -          | -        | -          |  | -          |  |
| Net change in fund balance           | 14,368     | (28,000)   | (28,000)   | (18,150)   | (10,096) | (28,246)   |  | (115,250)  |  |
| Beginning Fund Balance               | 294,664    | 309,032    | 309,032    | 309,032    |          | 309,032    |  | 280,787    |  |
| Ending Fund Balance                  | \$ 309,032 | \$ 281,032 | \$ 281,032 | \$ 290,882 |          | \$ 280,787 |  | \$ 165,537 |  |

| Prior Year<br>FY 2010-2011 | Current Year<br>FY 2011-2012 | Upcoming Year<br>FY 2012-2013 |
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|    |           |    |           |    |           |    |           |    |           |    |           |        |    |           |        |
|----|-----------|----|-----------|----|-----------|----|-----------|----|-----------|----|-----------|--------|----|-----------|--------|
| \$ | 2,110,443 | \$ | 2,180,000 | \$ | 2,180,000 | \$ | 1,464,131 | \$ | 732,066   | \$ | 2,196,197 | 0.74%  | \$ | 2,202,000 | 0.26%  |
|    | 2,703,449 |    | 2,554,000 |    | 2,554,000 |    | 1,691,857 |    | 845,929   |    | 2,537,786 | -0.63% |    | 2,959,000 | 16.60% |
|    | 4,813,892 |    | 4,734,000 |    | 4,734,000 |    | 3,155,988 |    | 1,577,994 |    | 4,733,982 | 0.00%  |    | 5,161,000 | 9.02%  |

| Year | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 | 2004 | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | 2025 | 2026 | 2027 | 2028 | 2029 | 2030 | 2031 | 2032 | 2033 | 2034 | 2035 | 2036 | 2037 | 2038 | 2039 | 2040 | 2041 | 2042 | 2043 | 2044 | 2045 | 2046 | 2047 | 2048 | 2049 | 2050 | 2051 | 2052 | 2053 | 2054 | 2055 | 2056 | 2057 | 2058 | 2059 | 2060 | 2061 | 2062 | 2063 | 2064 | 2065 | 2066 | 2067 | 2068 | 2069 | 2070 | 2071 | 2072 | 2073 | 2074 | 2075 | 2076 | 2077 | 2078 | 2079 | 2080 | 2081 | 2082 | 2083 | 2084 | 2085 | 2086 | 2087 | 2088 | 2089 | 2090 | 2091 | 2092 | 2093 | 2094 | 2095 | 2096 | 2097 | 2098 | 2099 | 2100 | 2101 | 2102 | 2103 | 2104 | 2105 | 2106 | 2107 | 2108 | 2109 | 2110 | 2111 | 2112 | 2113 | 2114 | 2115 | 2116 | 2117 | 2118 | 2119 | 2120 | 2121 | 2122 | 2123 | 2124 | 2125 | 2126 | 2127 | 2128 | 2129 | 2130 | 2131 | 2132 | 2133 | 2134 | 2135 | 2136 | 2137 | 2138 | 2139 | 2140 | 2141 | 2142 | 2143 | 2144 | 2145 | 2146 | 2147 | 2148 | 2149 | 2150 | 2151 | 2152 | 2153 | 2154 | 2155 | 2156 | 2157 | 2158 | 2159 | 2160 | 2161 | 2162 | 2163 | 2164 | 2165 | 2166 | 2167 | 2168 | 2169 | 2170 | 2171 | 2172 | 2173 | 2174 | 2175 | 2176 | 2177 | 2178 | 2179 | 2180 | 2181 | 2182 | 2183 | 2184 | 2185 | 2186 | 2187 | 2188 | 2189 | 2190 | 2191 | 2192 | 2193 | 2194 | 2195 | 2196 | 2197 | 2198 | 2199 | 2200 | 2201 | 2202 | 2203 | 2204 | 2205 | 2206 | 2207 | 2208 | 2209 | 2210 | 2211 | 2212 | 2213 | 2214 | 2215 | 2216 | 2217 | 2218 | 2219 | 2220 | 2221 | 2222 | 2223 | 2224 | 2225 | 2226 | 2227 | 2228 | 2229 | 2230 | 2231 | 2232 | 2233 | 2234 | 2235 | 2236 | 2237 | 2238 | 2239 | 2240 | 2241 | 2242 | 2243 | 2244 | 2245 | 2246 | 2247 | 2248 | 2249 | 2250 | 2251 | 2252 | 2253 | 2254 | 2255 | 2256 | 2257 | 2258 | 2259 | 2260 | 2261 | 2262 | 2263 | 2264 | 2265 | 2266 | 2267 | 2268 | 2269 | 2270 | 2271 | 2272 | 2273 | 2274 | 2275 | 2276 | 2277 | 2278 | 2279 | 2280 | 2281 | 2282 | 2283 | 2284 | 2285 | 2286 | 2287 | 2288 | 2289 | 2290 | 2291 | 2292 | 2293 | 2294 | 2295 | 2296 | 2297 | 2298 | 2299 | 2300 | 2301 | 2302 | 2303 | 2304 | 2305 | 2306 | 2307 | 2308 | 2309 | 2310 | 2311 | 2312 | 2313 | 2314 | 2315 | 2316 | 2317 | 2318 | 2319 | 2320 | 2321 | 2322 | 2323 | 2324 | 2325 | 2326 | 2327 | 2328 | 2329 | 2330 | 2331 | 2332 | 2333 | 2334 | 2335 | 2336 | 2337 | 2338 | 2339 | 2340 | 2341 | 2342 | 2343 | 2344 | 2345 | 2346 | 2347 | 2348 | 2349 | 2350 | 2351 | 2352 | 2353 | 2354 | 2355 | 2356 | 2357 | 2358 | 2359 | 2360 | 2361 | 2362 | 2363 | 2364 | 2365 | 2366 | 2367 | 2368 | 2369 | 2370 | 2371 | 2372 | 2373 | 2374 | 2375 | 2376 | 2377 | 2378 | 2379 | 2380 | 2381 | 2382 | 2383 | 2384 | 2385 | 2386 | 2387 | 2388 | 2389 | 2390 | 2391 | 2392 | 2393 | 2394 | 2395 | 2396 | 2397 | 2398 | 2399 | 2400 | 2401 | 2402 | 2403 | 2404 | 2405 | 2406 | 2407 | 2408 | 2409 | 2410 | 2411 | 2412 | 2413 | 2414 | 2415 | 2416 | 2417 | 2418 | 2419 | 2420 | 2421 | 2422 | 2423 | 2424 | 2425 | 2426 | 2427 | 2428 | 2429 | 2430 | 2431 | 2432 | 2433 | 2434 | 2435 | 2436 | 2437 | 2438 | 2439 | 2440 | 2441 | 2442 | 2443 | 2444 | 2445 | 2446 | 2447 | 2448 | 2449 | 2450 | 2451 | 2452 |
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|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|---------|-----------|--------|
| 1,319,505 | 1,320,588 | 1,320,588 | 864,617   | 432,309   | 1,296,926 | -1.79%  | 1,360,708 | 4.92%  |
| 819,034   | 553,929   | 553,929   | 355,437   | 177,719   | 533,156   | -3.75%  | 577,384   | 8.30%  |
| 6,908     | 15,500    | 15,500    | 5,958     | 5,000     | 10,958    | -29.30% | 16,600    | 51.49% |
| 1,057,118 | 405,000   | 405,000   | 371,472   | 185,736   | 557,208   | 37.58%  | 938,200   | 68.38% |
| 776,350   | 680,500   | 680,500   | 505,611   | 252,806   | 758,417   | 11.45%  | 770,700   | 1.62%  |
| 269,493   | 443,900   | 443,900   | 207,704   | 103,852   | 311,556   | -29.81% | 470,500   | 51.02% |
| 100,739   | 93,150    | 93,150    | 65,854    | 32,927    | 98,781    | 6.05%   | 108,150   | 9.48%  |
| 111,543   | 180,084   | 180,084   | 79,893    | 75,000    | 154,893   | -13.99% | 181,751   | 17.34% |
| 294,710   | 323,300   | 323,300   | 209,313   | 104,657   | 313,970   | -2.89%  | 318,400   | 1.41%  |
| 20,142    | 48,500    | 48,500    | 16,159    | 10,000    | 26,159    | -46.06% | 28,100    | 7.42%  |
| 2,768,451 | 2,754,000 | 2,754,000 | 1,922,656 | 961,328   | 2,883,984 | 4.77%   | 2,799,000 | -2.95% |
| 7,543,993 | 6,818,451 | 6,818,451 | 4,604,674 | 2,341,332 | 6,946,006 | 1.87%   | 7,569,493 | 8.98%  |

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|-------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-------------|-------|-------------|-------|
| (2,730,101) | (2,084,451) | (1,448,686) | (763,338) | (2,212,024) | 6.12% | (2,408,493) | 8.88% |
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**CITY OF SULPHUR, LOUISIANA**  
**PUBLIC UTILITY FUND - BUDGET FOR YEAR ENDING**  
**June 30, 2013**

| Prior Year<br>FY 2010-2011 |                    | Current Year<br>FY 2011-2012 |                                                   |                                    |                                           | Upcoming Year<br>FY 2012-2013                                                 |                                                                                |
|----------------------------|--------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Audited                    | Original<br>Budget | Last Adopted<br>Budget       | Actual<br>Year-to-Date as of<br>February 29, 2012 | Estimated<br>Remaining<br>for Year | Projected<br>Actual Result<br>at Year End | % Change Last<br>Adopted Budget vs.<br>Projected Actual<br>Result at Year End | % Change Last<br>Projected Actual<br>Result at Year End<br>vs. Proposed Budget |
| 150,000                    | 150,000            | 150,000                      | 150,000                                           | -                                  | 150,000                                   | 0.00%                                                                         | 0.00%                                                                          |
| 611,610                    | 1,383,303          | 1,383,303                    | 947,318                                           | 473,659                            | 1,420,977                                 | 2.72%                                                                         | -39.34%                                                                        |
| 978,347                    | 291,368            | 291,368                      | 199,536                                           | 99,768                             | 299,304                                   | 2.72%                                                                         | 107.15%                                                                        |
| 83,928                     | 50,000             | 50,000                       | 43,214                                            | 21,607                             | 64,821                                    | 29.64%                                                                        | 12.62%                                                                         |
| (492,778)                  | (412,636)          | (412,636)                    | (313,953)                                         | (98,683)                           | (412,636)                                 | 0.00%                                                                         | -21.46%                                                                        |
| (8,165)                    | 85,105             | 85,105                       | 154,067                                           | -                                  | 154,067                                   | 81.03%                                                                        | -67.55%                                                                        |
| 1,322,942                  | 1,547,140          | 1,547,140                    | 1,180,182                                         | 496,351                            | 1,676,533                                 | 8.36%                                                                         | -14.65%                                                                        |
| (1,407,159)                | (537,311)          | (537,311)                    | (268,504)                                         | (266,987)                          | (535,491)                                 |                                                                               | (977,583)                                                                      |
| 228,697                    | 711,224            | -                            | 414,881                                           | 177,807                            | 592,688                                   |                                                                               | -                                                                              |
| 128,294                    | -                  | -                            | -                                                 | -                                  | -                                         |                                                                               | -                                                                              |
| 356,991                    | 711,224            | -                            | 414,881                                           | 177,807                            | 592,688                                   |                                                                               | -                                                                              |
| (1,050,168)                | 173,913            | (537,311)                    | 146,377                                           | (89,180)                           | 57,197                                    |                                                                               | (977,583)                                                                      |
| 60,654,837                 | 59,604,669         | 59,604,669                   | 59,604,669                                        |                                    | 59,604,669                                |                                                                               | 59,515,489                                                                     |
| \$ 59,604,669              | \$ 59,778,582      | \$ 59,067,358                | \$ 59,751,046                                     |                                    | \$ 59,515,489                             |                                                                               | \$ 58,537,906                                                                  |

**NON-OPERATING REVENUES (LOSS):**

2% Sales taxes for operating  
1/2% Sales taxes capital projects  
1/2% Sales taxes for debt service  
Interest Earned  
Interest Expense  
Other  
Total non-operating revenues (expenses)

**INCOME (LOSS) BEFORE TRANSFERS:**

**TRANSFERS:**

Transfers in  
General Fund for debt service  
General Fund for capital projects  
Total transfers

Change in net assets

**TOTAL NET ASSETS, BEGINNING:**

**TOTAL NET ASSETS, ENDING:**



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Christopher L. Duncan, Mayor

April 30, 2012

Honorable Members of the Sulphur City Council  
Sulphur, Louisiana

Re: Capital Improvement Budget Message

Council Members:

The proposed Capital Projects Budget is designed to address funded ongoing projects and new proposed projects separately under the common functions of (1) Wastewater Operations, (2) Water Production and Distribution, (3) Streets and (4) Other.

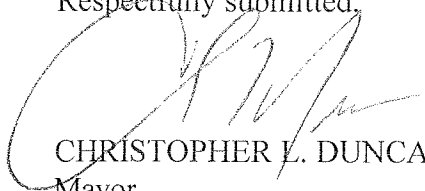
New funding is provided for Wastewater Plant Improvements (\$112,000) and Miscellaneous Projects (\$13,000).

Additional funds have been budgeted for the following on-going projects: Water Distribution (\$395,000), Water Treatment Facilities (\$355,000), Signalization (\$355,000), Parish Road (\$150,000), Safe Routes (\$67,000), Sidewalk Improvement (\$50,000) and Asphalt Concrete Pavement (ACP) Maintenance (\$503,000). **Note: Street Overlay projects are now designated as ACP (asphalt concrete pavement) Maintenance.**

In an effort to combine projects under one heading, several individual projects are now grouped together. **Wastewater Plant Improvement** includes preparatory work for a second belt press unit and improvements for the septage receiving station. **Miscellaneous Projects** includes providing fencing improvements at Roselawn Cemetery and Animal Control. **Water Treatment Facility Improvement** includes improvements for construction of a new ground storage tank and fluoridation facilities. **Water Distribution** includes upgrades in undersized water mains on Truman, Block, Ivy, Carlton, S. Huntington and W. Thomas Streets.

The Capital Projects Budget is based on available funds. Our goal is to continue providing infrastructure improvements throughout the City.

Respectfully submitted,

  
CHRISTOPHER L. DUNCAN  
Mayor

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**CITY OF SULPHUR**  
**2012-2013 CAPITAL PROJECTS BUDGET**  
**ON-GOING PROJECTS - PREVIOUSLY FUNDED**

| On-Going<br>Projects          | Current<br>Project<br>Budget | Expended<br>03/31/12 | Balance<br>2011-2012 |
|-------------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| <b>WASTEWATER:</b>            |                              |                      |                      |
| W/W Coll. Sys. Improv.        | 850,000                      | 307,196              | 542,804              |
| All Lift Station Improvements | 505,697                      | 18,590               | 487,107              |
| WW Plant Inst & Sbr Cleaning  | 449,819                      | 369,441              | 80,378               |
| Ultra Violet Aux. Flow Imp.   | 130,000                      | 1,520                | 128,480              |
| Misc Imp. WW Treatment Fac.   | 75,000                       | 78,598               | -3,598               |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                  | <b>2,010,516</b>             | <b>775,345</b>       | <b>1,235,171</b>     |

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| <b>WATER:</b>                 |                  |                |                  |
| Woodland Terrace Wtrline Imp. | 550,018          | 47,697         | 502,321          |
| Water Distribution            | 302,559          | 0              | 302,559          |
| Water Treatment Facility Imp. | 1,221,000        | 616,185        | 604,815          |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                  | <b>2,073,577</b> | <b>663,882</b> | <b>1,409,695</b> |

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| <b>STREETS:</b>               |                  |                  |                |
| Street Addressing             | 150,000          | 125,308          | 24,692         |
| Safe Routes Sidewalk Projects | 510,693          | 45,045           | 465,648        |
| Spot Drainage Improvements    | 141,147          | 38,127           | 103,020        |
| Eveland Drainage Improvements | 88,000           | 4,555            | 83,445         |
| Upgrade Traffic Signs         | 30,000           | 11,884           | 18,116         |
| Logan St. Project             | 1,238,000        | 3,197,183        | -1,959,183     |
| General Sidewalk Rehab        | 100,000          | 26,282           | 73,718         |
| I-10 North Frontage Rd        | 125,000          | 0                | 125,000        |
| Parish Rd Reconstruction      | 1,279,470        | 472,817          | 806,653        |
| Concrete Rehab                | 650,000          | 34,210           | 615,790        |
| Overlays 2010-2012            | 771,894          | 410,655          | 361,239        |
| Traffic Markings              | 150,000          | 9,009            | 140,991        |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                  | <b>5,234,204</b> | <b>4,375,075</b> | <b>859,129</b> |

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| <b>OTHER PROJECTS:</b>          |                  |                  |                  |
| City Hall Project               | 3,970,000        | 3,923,003        | 46,997           |
| Pavilion                        | 515,000          | 504,976          | 10,024           |
| Misc. Projects (Street & Sewer) | 140,000          | 79,683           | 60,317           |
| All Bridge Replacements         | 2,557,098        | 1,417,878        | 1,139,220        |
| A/C Incinerator                 | 115,000          | 103,901          | 11,099           |
| Ruth Street Enhancement         | 72,000           | 38,220           | 33,780           |
| Police Training Center          | 750,000          | 0                | 750,000          |
| Upgrade PW Maint. Building      | 250,000          | 8,681            | 241,319          |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                    | <b>8,369,098</b> | <b>6,076,342</b> | <b>2,292,756</b> |

**GRAND TOTAL:** 17,687,395 11,890,644 5,796,751

Rmb from LGAP \$23,166 and Wtr. Enr. \$20,960 (Woodland Terrace)

Rmb in the amount of \$2,189,635 from LA DOTD (Logan)

80% Rmb from FHWA/LA DOTD (Parish Rd)

Will rec rmb from LA DOTD in the amount of \$250,000 (Burton St. Sidewalk)

**CITY OF SULPHUR**  
**2012-2013 CAPITAL PROJECTS BUDGET**  
**ON-GOING PROJECTS - ADDITIONAL FUNDING**

| On-Going<br>Projects     | Projected<br>Remaining<br>Funding<br>Thru 2017 | 2013     | 2014           | 2015           | 2016           | 2017           |
|--------------------------|------------------------------------------------|----------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| <b>WASTEWATER:</b>       |                                                |          |                |                |                |                |
| W/W Coll. Sys. Improv.   | 674,000                                        | 0        | 100,000        | 100,000        | 237,000        | 237,000        |
| All Lift Station Improv. | 1,285,000                                      | 0        | 40,000         | 605,000        | 560,000        | 80,000         |
| <b>TOTAL</b>             | <b>1,959,000</b>                               | <b>0</b> | <b>140,000</b> | <b>705,000</b> | <b>797,000</b> | <b>317,000</b> |

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| <b>WATER:</b>            |                  |                |                  |                  |                |                |
| Water Distribution       | 1,866,000        | 395,000        | 75,000           | 335,000          | 389,000        | 672,000        |
| Wtr. Treatment Fac. Imp. | 2,778,000        | 355,000        | 1,150,000        | 873,000          | 400,000        | 0              |
| <b>TOTAL</b>             | <b>4,644,000</b> | <b>750,000</b> | <b>1,225,000</b> | <b>1,208,000</b> | <b>789,000</b> | <b>672,000</b> |

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| <b>STREETS:</b>           |                  |                  |                |                |                |                |
| Signalization             | 487,500          | 355,000          | 132,500        | 0              | 0              | 0              |
| Gen. Sidewalk Rehab       | 250,000          | 50,000           | 50,000         | 50,000         | 50,000         | 50,000         |
| Safe Routes               | 67,000           | 67,000           | 0              | 0              | 0              | 0              |
| Parish Rd. Reconstruction | 150,000          | 150,000          | 0              | 0              | 0              | 0              |
| ACP Maintenance           | 2,253,000        | 503,000          | 300,000        | 300,000        | 400,000        | 750,000        |
| <b>TOTAL</b>              | <b>3,207,500</b> | <b>1,125,000</b> | <b>482,500</b> | <b>350,000</b> | <b>450,000</b> | <b>800,000</b> |

|                        |                  |          |                |                |                |          |
|------------------------|------------------|----------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------|
| <b>OTHER PROJECTS:</b> |                  |          |                |                |                |          |
| Bridge Replacements    | 2,095,000        | 0        | 795,000        | 650,000        | 650,000        | 0        |
| <b>TOTAL</b>           | <b>2,095,000</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>795,000</b> | <b>650,000</b> | <b>650,000</b> | <b>0</b> |

**GRAND TOTAL:**                      **11,905,500    1,875,000    2,642,500    2,913,000    2,686,000    1,789,000**

**CITY OF SULPHUR**  
**2012-2013 CAPITAL PROJECT BUDGET**  
**NEW PROJECTS**

| New<br>Projects        | Projected<br>Cost<br>Thru 2017 | 2013           | 2014           | 2015          | 2016           | 2017           |
|------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|
| <b>WASTEWATER:</b>     |                                |                |                |               |                |                |
| W/W Plant Improvements | 888,000                        | 112,000        | 178,000        | 56,000        | 200,000        | 342,000        |
| <b>TOTAL</b>           | <b>888,000</b>                 | <b>112,000</b> | <b>178,000</b> | <b>56,000</b> | <b>200,000</b> | <b>342,000</b> |
| <b>OTHER:</b>          |                                |                |                |               |                |                |
| Misc. Projects         | 19,500                         | 13,000         | 6,500          | 0             | 0              | 0              |
| <b>TOTAL</b>           | <b>19,500</b>                  | <b>13,000</b>  | <b>6,500</b>   | <b>0</b>      | <b>0</b>       | <b>0</b>       |
| <b>STREETS:</b>        |                                |                |                |               |                |                |
|                        | 0                              | 0              | 0              | 0             | 0              | 0              |
| <b>TOTAL</b>           | <b>0</b>                       | <b>0</b>       | <b>0</b>       | <b>0</b>      | <b>0</b>       | <b>0</b>       |
| <b>GRAND TOTAL:</b>    | <b>907,500</b>                 | <b>125,000</b> | <b>184,500</b> | <b>56,000</b> | <b>200,000</b> | <b>342,000</b> |

**ASPHALT CONCRETE PAVEMENT (ACP)  
MAINTENANCE PROGRAM**

**YEAR 1      2012-2013**

**Concrete Street Rehab**

Bernadette  
N. Claiborne  
Experimental Seal Coat – Gradney St.  
E. End Avenue (Maplewood to Lee)  
N. Huntington (Park to Perkins)

**Asphalt**

N. Stanford (Burton to W. Lyons)  
Invader (Broussard to Starlin)  
Starlin (Lightning to Invader)  
Dubach (east of Beverly)

**YEAR 2      2013-2014**

W. Lincoln (Claiborne to S. Crocker)  
Mackey  
Phillips (Crocker to McArthur)

**YEAR 3      2014-2015**

Drost (Landry to Leland)  
W. Elizabeth (Mackey East)  
Brook  
Weekly  
N. Rose Park

**YEAR 4      2015-2016**

N. Crocker (US 90 to W. Burton)  
N. Crocker (W. Burton to E. Brimstone)  
W. Elizabeth (Mackey West)  
Lauren  
Vine (Fairview to Maplewood)

**YEAR 5      2016-2017**

N. Crocker (E. Brimstone to Corp. limits North)  
Brandi  
Invader (East of Broussard)  
Vine (Weil to Fairview)