

WHY YOU NEED A METER MAINTENANCE & CHANGE-OUT PROGRAM

- EVERYTHING IS MULTIPLIED:
 - 1425.8 units times \$2.00/unit = \$2,851.60 revenue for 3 years
 - \$950.54/year
 - 50% of water used is low flow = \$475.27
 - 10% inaccuracy at low flow 1 gpm to ¼ = \$47.53/year
 - Multiplied by 3,000 customers = \$142,590.00 in 1 year
 - In 5 years: \$712,950.00
 - 20% inaccuracy at low flow 1 gpm to ¼ = \$95.06/year
 - Multiplied by 3,000 customers = \$285,180.00 in 1 year
 - In 5 years: \$1,425,900.00

- USING CRITERIA ALREADY BEING GATHERED, SUCH AS:
 - Accounts & location
 - Meter set dates of installation
 - Register readings
 - Types of meters
 - Establish a system or program to analyze & compare meter accuracy or inaccuracy
 - Implement change-out of poor performing meters

- CONSIDER MINIMAL INVESTMENT IN RECLAIMING LOST REVENUE:
 - Testing equipment
 - Tracking forms
 - Technician training; overall educational program regarding the importance of water meters

