Water Utility Board Policy			
Title:	Financial Planning/Budgeting		
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The General Manager shall not cause or allow financial planning to deviate materially from the board's Outcomes priorities, risk financial jeopardy, or fail to be derived from a multiyear plan.

Accordingly, the General Manager shall not cause or allow conditions, procedures, or decisions that:

- 1. Allow budgeting which would risk incurring those situations or conditions described as unacceptable in the Financial Condition and Activities policy (<u>EL 2D</u>).
- 2. Fail to provide to the utility the full amount established by the board for any given activity.
- 3. Fail to provide the board with an opportunity for one month's deliberation prior to approval of cost increases in excess of 15% of the established budget for a project.
- 4. Fail to provide the board with an estimated impact on the rate increase for capital projects with the annual presentation of the capital budget.