# 2025-2026 Adopted Budget

# **Alsea County Service District**

For the Fiscal Period
Beginning July 1, 2025
Ending June 30, 2026



# **Governing Body**

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Citizen Budget Committee Members

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# **Alsea County Service District**

**ADMINISTRATION: Benton County Public Works** 

**DIRECTOR:** Gary Stockhoff **FACILITIES MANAGER:** Paul Wallsinger

**OFFICE LOCATION:** Public Works, 360 SW Avery, Corvallis

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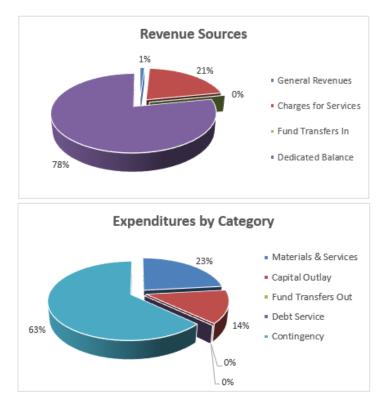
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#### **DISTRICT OVERVIEW:**

To provide water and sewer service to the community of Alsea which is located approximately 30 miles southwest of Corvallis.

The service district is an independent municipal corporation. The Benton County Board of Commissioners sits as the Governing Body. Benton County Public Works Department manages daily operations, customer billing, and staff support. County Financial Services provides treasury, financial management services and coordinates the Budget process. The County is reimbursed for these services by district funds.

The district was organized in 1983 to take over operation of the community system. Water water system improvements and the community sewer system were completed in 1986. Additional water system improvements were completed in 1997. When the District was originally created, an Advisory Committee was formed to make recommendations on initial rates and facilitate feedback from the public on operations. As the statutorily required Budget Committee was created to review the annual budget proposal and make recommendations on operations and rates to the Governing Board, the need for the Advisory Committee diminished. In some instances, the Budget Committee and Advisory Committee combined as the required Service District Budget Committee, and in other situations the Advisory Committee disbanded.



**Budget Summary - All Cost Centers** 

	2022-23	2023-24	2024-25	2025-26	2025-26	2025-26
Category Title	Actual	Actual	Adopted	Proposed Budget	Approved Budget	Adopted Budget
General Revenues	3,092	4,050	3,500	3,000	3,000	3,000
Charges for Service	63,208	75,021	63,192	61,092	61,092	61,092
Fund Transfers In	-	-	-	-	-	-
Current Program Income	66,300	79,071	66,692	64,092	64,092	64,092
Dedicated Beginning Balance	182,455	188,612	206,085	226,577	226,577	226,577
Beginning Balances	182,455	188,612	206,085	226,577	226,577	226,577
Total Resources	248,755	267,683	272,777	290,669	290,669	290,669
Materials & Services	60,143	58,731	67,176	68,203	68,203	68,203
Capital Outlay	-	-	30,000	40,000	40,000	40,000
Other: Fund Transfers Out	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other: Debt Service	-	-	-	-	-	-
Expenditures	60,143	58,731	97,176	108,203	108,203	108,203
Other: Contingency	-	-	175,601	182,466	182,466	182,466
Reserves	-	-	175,601	182,466	182,466	182,466
Total Budget	60,143	58,731	272,777	290,669	290,669	290,669
Surplus / (Deficit) of Fund Resources to Expenditures	188,612	208,952	_	_	_	_
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Full-Time-Equivalent (FTE)						
Regular	-	-	-	-	-	-
Temporary	_	-	-	-		-
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-

#### **District Statement**

This is an annual budget. The fiscal year will begin July 1, 2025, and ends on June 30, 2026.

The budget was built on the assumption of no increase in rates. The District has no personnel. All services and support are provided by County operating departments as discussed above. A rate increase is anticipated for both the water and sewer districts in the 26/27 budget cycle.

The remaining balance of the federal government loan that paid for water system upgrades was paid off and refinanced with a loan from the County General Fund in FY 2016-17. This loan has been paid in full as of June 2022.

The water system improvements facilitated through ARPA funds were completed in late 2024. The primary work associated with this project was the painting and coating of the two water reservoirs.

The sewer system improvements to be facilitated through an EPA grant are currently anticipated to occur in late 2025 or early 2026. These funds are still dependent on approval by the federal government.

The Alsea Sewer Treatment facility's operation permit though the Dept. of Environmental Quality was renewed in early 2025.

Of note, the funds shown in the Capital component of the budget have been shifted to the Operations component of the budget. This was done to address cost allocation charges, and to streamline the overall budget process.

#### **Water Operations**

	2022-23	2023-24	2024-25	2025-26	2025-26	2025-26
Category Title	Actual	Actual	Adopted	Proposed Budget	Approved Budget	Adopted Budget
General Revenues	3,092	4,050	3,500	3,000	3,000	3,000
Charges for Services	28,243	36,969	30,360	33,000	33,000	33,000
Dedicated Beginning Balance	75,654	85,395	98,828	142,577	142,577	142,577
Total Resources	106,990	126,414	132,688	178,577	178,577	178,577
Materials and Services	21,595	25,584	31,136	36,363	36,363	36,363
Capital Outlay				20,000	20,000	20,000
Other: Contingency			101,552	122,214	122,214	122,214
Total Expenditures	21,595	25,584	132,688	178,577	178,577	178,577
Regular	-	-	-	-	-	-
Temporary	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-

#### **Mission & Purpose:**

To provide operation and maintenance of a water system in the community of Alsea; serving approximately 68 residential and 11 commercial customers. Operate a successful and efficient system within the requirements of the Oregon Water Resource Division.

#### **Sewer Operations**

	2022-23	2023-24	2024-25	2025-26	2025-26	2025-26
Category Title	Actual	Actual	Adopted	Proposed Budget	Approved Budget	Adopted Budget
Charges for Services	25,424	30,623	26,244	28,092	28,092	28,092
Dedicated Beginning Balance	44,619	36,983	43,244	84,000	84,000	84,000
Total Resources	70,043	67,606	69,488	112,092	112,092	112,092
Materials and Services	33,060	24,388	27,281	31,840	31,840	31,840
Capital Outlay				20,000	20,000	20,000
Other: Contingency	-	-	42,207	60,252	60,252	60,252
Total Expenditures	33,060	24,388	69,488	112,092	112,092	112,092
Regular	-	-	_	_	-	_
Temporary	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	-	-	_	-	-	-

#### Mission & Purpose:

To operate and maintain a sewer collection and treatment system for the community of Alsea servicing approximately 68 residential and 11 commercial customers. Operate the system in a cost effective and efficient manner in accordance with Department of Environmental Quality permit requirements.

#### **Water Construction Reserve**

	2022-23	2023-24	2024-25	2025-26	2025-26	2025-26
Category Title	Actual	Actual	Adopted	Proposed Budget	Approved Budget	Adopted Budget
Charges for Services	4,340	5,179	4,740			
Dedicated Beginning Balance	27,390	28,940	29,283			
Total Resources	31,730	34,119	34,023	-	-	-
Materials and Services	2,790	4,349	4,349			
Capital Outlay		-	15,000			
Other: Fund Transfers Out		-	-			
Other: Contingency	-	-	14,674			
Total Expenditures	2,790	4,349	34,023	-	-	-
Regular	-	-	-	-	-	-
Temporary	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	-	-	-	-	_	-

#### Mission & Purpose:

These funds have been incorporated into the Operations portion of the budget.

#### **Sewer Construction Reserve**

	2022-23	2023-24	2024-25	2025-26	2025-26	2025-26
Category Title	Actual	Actual	Adopted	Proposed Budget	Approved Budget	Adopted Budget
Charges for Services	5,201	2,250	1,848			
Dedicated Beginning Balance	34,791	37,294	34,730			
Total Resources	39,992	39,544	36,578	-	-	-
Materials and Services	2,698	4,410	4,410			
Capital Outlay	-	-	15,000			
Other: Contingency	-	-	17,168			
Total Expenditures	2,698	4,410	36,578	-	-	-
Regular	-	-	_	-	-	-
Temporary	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	_	_	_	_	_	-

# Mission & Purpose:

These funds have been incorporated into the Operations portion of the budget.

#### **Debt Service**

	2022-23	2023-24	2024-25	2025-26	2025-26	2025-26
Category Title	Actual	Actual	Adopted	Proposed Budget	Approved Budget	Adopted Budget
Fund Transfers In	-	-	-	-	-	
Dedicated Beginning Balance	-	-	-	-	-	
Total Resources	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other: Bond Debt Principal	-	-	-	-	-	
Total Expenditures	-	-	-	-	-	-
Regular	-	-	-	-	-	-
Temporary	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-

#### Mission & Purpose:

Account for resources and payments associated with payment of principle and interest on bonded debt for improvements to the water system.