

Summer 2025



Building Strong Vendor Partnerships at WSSC Water July 30, 2025

Caprecia Poole-Williams, Chief Procurement Officer Procurement Office

Recent Developments: New Opportunities



Since we last met, the Procurement Office has been busy focusing on streamlining processes and contract opportunities.

1. Procurement Regulations

- On June 18, 2025, WSSC Water adopted revisions to Chapter 6.15 of the WSSC Code of Regulations, Procurement Regulations.
- Effective Date: August 1, 2025

2. Capital Improvements Program (CIP)

- \$4.9 billion total CIP program over six years
- \$715.5 million in FY 2026 alone immediate contract opportunities

3. OpenGov

- Implementing a procurement and contract management system specifically designed for government agencies
- Set to transform WSSC Water's entire procurement process

Procurement Regulations



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What This Means for Vendors:

1. New Supplier Registration Requirements

- ALL suppliers must register in WSSC's Supplier Portal before contract award
- Prohibits use of multiple registrations one registration per company
- Action Required: Ensure your company is properly registered and avoid duplicate accounts

2. Revised and Clarified Definitions

- Clearer, broader definitions enhance transparency and reduce ambiguity in solicitations and awards documents
- Vendors benefit from consistent terminology across solicitations and contracts
- **Impact**: Minimized risk of misunderstandings during the solicitation process
- 3. Invitation to Negotiate (ITN) added as a formal procurement method
 - A flexible, competitive negotiation process that allows the scope of work, contract terms, and pricing to be refined through discussions before award



Capital Improvements Program (CIP)



WSSC Water's \$4.9 billion, six-year CIP represents the largest infrastructure investment in our history – and your opportunity to be part of it starts now.

What This Means for Vendors:

A multi-billion-dollar opportunity for the vendor community

- Projects include: Water Filtration Plant Upgrades, Aging Pumping Station Upgrades, Meter Infrastructure Modernization and Depot Modernization
- Categories of spend include but are not limited to: Water Main Repair & Rehabilitation, Meters,
 Specialty Equipment, Construction Support Services, and IT equipment
- \$715.5M in FY 2026. Opportunities range from **\$25K** (e.g., traffic control, safety training) up to **\$50M** (e.g., Potomac Water Filtration Plant Upgrade Phase II)

Action Required:

- 1. **Register** in our Supplier Portal and subscribe to our OpenGov portal to receive notifications regarding upcoming contracting opportunities
- 2. Stay Connected: Attend "Tap Into Business" events and Early Engagement Vendor Sessions for upcoming project previews
- 3. Understand **WSSC Water's Strategic Priorities** and tie them into your company's proposal or bid submission



OpenGov



OpenGov is a procurement and contract management platform designed for the public sector. When fully implemented, it will modernize the procurement lifecycle–from purchase requests to solicitations to contract management at WSSC Water.





Simplified Bid Submission

A step-by-step response process that's intuitive and user-friendly

Increased Visibility & Communication

 Suppliers receive automatic updates on addenda, access to public Q&A, and shared procurement calendars

Fairness & Transparency

 All suppliers experience a consistent and fair bidding process, improving access and leveling the playing field

Improved Responsiveness

• The platform reduces delays, making it easier to comply with requirements and meet deadlines

Live Support Access

Suppliers can get help quickly through live chat, email, and phone—minimizing frustration and barriers to participation

OpenGov: Coming Fall 2025



We're committed to utilizing technology to improve efficiency and visibility:

Need to Know Information:

- Registration for OpenGov is free
- Suppliers will need to be registered in both OpenGov and Oracle P2P to submit responses to OpenGov solicitations
 - Purchase orders and payments will remain in Oracle
 P2P
- The Procurement Office has begun piloting solicitations in OpenGov (e.g. Chlorine Solicitation)
- Full deployment coming Fall 2025



Scan to register in OpenGov and subscribe to WSSC Water!







Your Impact Matters

The work you do directly supports our mission to deliver clean, reliable water to 1.9 million residents.

With your expertise and commitment, we are making historic infrastructure investments a reality.

Thank you for being a vital part of our progress.



Tap Into Business Summer 2025

A Rising Tide Lifts ALL Boats

July 30, 2025

Kishia L. Powell, WSSC Water General Manager/CEO



WSSC WATER AT A GLANCE



- ★ 107 years of no drinking water quality violations, ever.
- **★ Peak Performance Awards** for wastewater treatment and resource recovery excellence.



8th

Largest combined water and wastewater utility in the United States by population served



1.9M Residents served



162 MGD

Water provided each day



1000 Sq. Miles

Size of WSSC Water's Service Area



1.700+

Members of Team H₂O deliver on our mission



\$114.9B

WSSC Water supports the economic output of Prince George's and Montgomery counties



\$1.8B

FY2026 Operating & Capital Budget



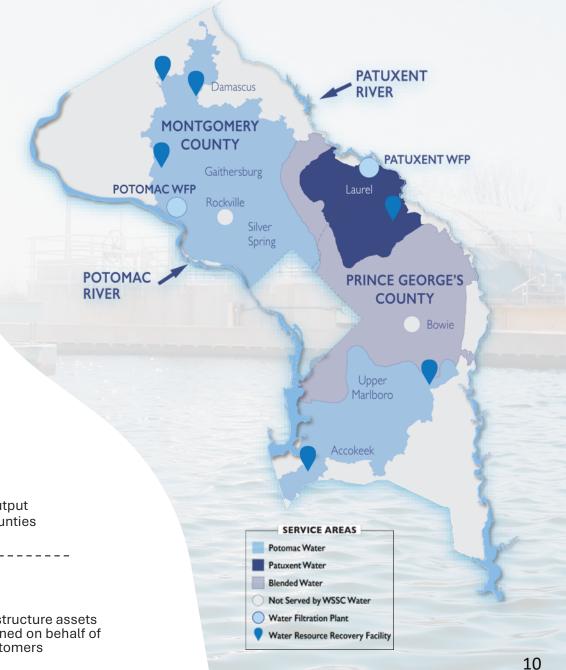
\$4.9B

6-Year Capital Improvements Program



\$9B

In infrastructure assets maintained on behalf of our customers



Strategic Plan for Our Smart One Water Future



Vision

In every home, in every business, we make everything possible by ensuring access to dependable and safe water for everyday life.

Smart One Water Mission

WSSC Water ensures all communities thrive by ethically delivering safe, reliable and sustainable water and wastewater services.

Promise

Continue the legacy of treasuring our water, customers, and employees through dedicated service for current and future generations

Values

Just. Accountable. Caring. Community Focused. Excellent. Trustworthy.



Priorities



Workforce Development & Culture



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Affordability & Financial Viability



Sustainability & Resiliency







Customer Engagement & Partnerships



Digital Transformation **GENERAL MANAGER'S VISION**

SUSTAINED AND TRANSFORMATIVE CHANGE

The Workforce and the Workplace

The Infrastructure

Innovation and Technology

The Service

STRATEGIC PRIORITIES















Optimizing Operations



Customer Engagement & Partnerships



Digital Transformation

- 1. Health and Safety
- 2. Smart One Water Management
- 3. Improving the Customer Experience
- 4. Financial Management, Cost Reduction and Containment
- 5. Increase Non-rate Revenue Sources
- 6. Climate Instability Mitigation
- 7. Maximizing Opportunities to do Business with WSSC Water
- 8. Workforce Development











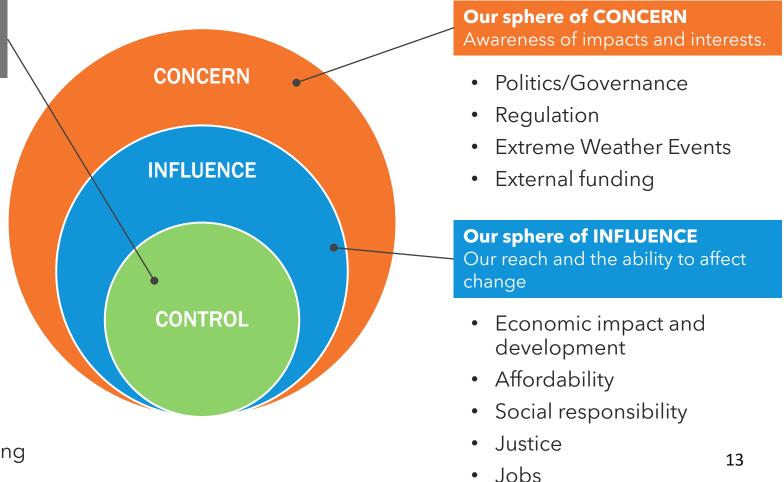
WSSC Water is an Anchor Institution

An anchor institution is a large, place-based entity, that plays a vital role in the economic and social well-being of a local community. These institutions are deeply rooted in their geographic location and leverage their resources – including employment, purchasing power, and expertise – to benefit the surrounding area. – Al Generated Text

Our sphere of CONTROL

Direct control; choices we make about how to manage.

- System (water/wastewater) management
- Permit compliance
- CIP Planning and prioritization
- Service delivery
- Water quality
- Operationalizing equity
- Addressing environmental injustices
- Stakeholder engagement
- Non-Prime Firm Utilization
- Customer Assistance Programming



Sustaining Investments and Removing Barriers





- Increasing contract capacity for design and construction
- Exploring collaborative project delivery methods
- Advance strategy for CIP procurement needs
- Advance goods and services needs
- Master and Facilities Planning
- Revisiting minimum qualifications and barriers to local and regional firm utilization
- Enhancing Small and Local Business Focus
- Increased awareness of registered vendors
- Procurement process changes



FY 2026 Capital Improvements Program

FY26 Budget **\$715.5M** Programmed Projects **326**

Total Six Year
FY26-31 Budget

\$4.9B



\$172.1MWater Distribution

Projects: 120



\$64.8M Water Treatment & Storage Projects: 13



\$139.0M Mixed-Use Projects: 31



\$39.7M Innovation & Investment Priorities **Projects: 6**



\$77.6M Interjurisdiction Projects: 5

\$30.3M

Water Resource Recovery

Projects: 11



\$156.3M Wastewater Collection Projects: 132



\$35.7M General Facilities Projects: 8

FY2026 Opportunities

Contract Name	Туре	Department	Timing	Status
Smart Meter (AMI) Program Management Support	RFP	Utilities Services	FY26 Q3	Pending Commission Approval following Pilot; pre-planning
Smart Meter (AMI) Deployment	RFP	Utilities Services	FY26 Q3	Pending Commission Approval following Pilot; pre-planning
Anacostia Depot Reconfiguration	RFP	General Services	FY26 Q2	Pending release
Anacostia II Wastewater Pumping Station Electrical Upgrades	IFB	Engineering & Construction	FY26 Q2	Pending release
Anacostia 102-inchTrunk Sewer - Phase II	IFB	Engineering & Construction	FY26 Q1	Pending release in August
Commission-Wide Renovations	RFP	General Services	FY26 Q1	Posted; RFP closes on 8/25/2025
Utility Cost of Service Study	RFP	Finance	FY26 Q1	Pending release in August
Environmental Sensitive Areas Indefinite Delivery Indefinite Quantity (IDIQ)	RFP	Engineering & Construction	FY26 Q3	Pre-planning
Financial Advisory Services	RFQ	Finance		RFQ closes 8/4/2025
Operational Efficiency and Benchmarking Assessment	RFP	General Manager's Office	FY26 Q1	Pending release in August
Health and Safety Assessment & Implementation Plan	RFP	Heath & Safety	FY26 Q1	Award decision made
Utility-Side Water Service Line Material Verification and Replacement	RFP	Engineering & Construction	FY26 Q2	Pre-planning

FY2026 Opportunities

Contract Name	Туре	Department	Timing	Status
Online Payment Support (Contract 49280) "Promise Pay"	RFP	Customer Service	FY26 Q2	Pending solicitation
Parkway Electrical Upgrades (Progressive Design Build)	PDB RFP	Engineering & Construction	FY26 Q1	Pending solicitation
Parkway Plant Water Upgrades	RFP	Engineering & Construction	FY26 Q1	Pending solicitation
Potomac Water Filtration Plant Headhouse Power Feed	IFB	Engineering & Construction	FY26 Q1	Pending solicitation in August
Water Main Replacement & Rehabilitation Indefinite Delivery Indefinite Quantity (IDIQ)	RFP	Engineering & Construction	FY26 Q2	Vendor Outreach meeting in August
Amendment to Pre-Qualification for Sewer Rehabilitation, Replacement and/or Relocation	RFQ	Engineering & Construction	FY26 Q2	Pending solicitation in August
Environmental Engineering Services Basic Ordering Agreement for Environmentally Sensitive Areas (ESA)	RFP	Engineering & Construction	FY26 Q1	Posted; Solicitation closes 8/11/2025.
Linear Infrastructure Design Basic Ordering Agreement (BOA)	RFP	Engineering & Construction	FY26 Q2	Pending solicitation
Capital Improvement Plan Implementation Program Management Team	RFP	Engineering & Construction	FY26 Q1	Pending solicitation in August
Commission-Wide Temporary Labor Services	RFP	Human Resources	FY26 Q3	Pre-planning



Fiscal Year 2026 Capital Budget:

Upcoming Opportunities

July 30, 2025

Caville Stanbury-Woolery, Acting Chief Engineer Engineering and Construction Nadir Al-Salam, Division Manager Pipeline Construction Division



FY26 - FY31

Capital Improvements Program (CIP)

Six-year Program cost of \$4.88 billion

- Bond funded \$3.3 billion
- PAYGO \$1.0 billion
- External funding sources \$0.57 billion

Mandated projects \$1.28 billion (26%)

- Blue Plains \$687.5 million
- Sewer Reconstruction \$527.6 million
- Consent Decree \$38.7 million
- Other Regulatory Mandates & Agreements \$31.6 million

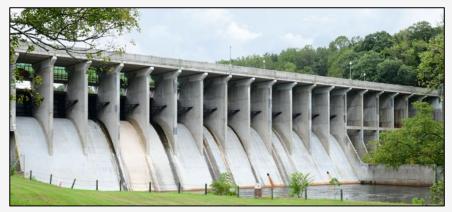
FY26

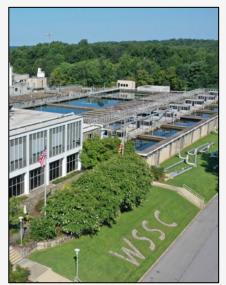
- Capital Budget is \$715.5 million
- Mandated projects \$209.8 million (29%)



FY26 Capital Budget Priorities

- Lead and Copper Reduction regulatory compliance
- Comprehensive PFAS Management Strategy mitigation in drinking water, wastewater effluent and biosolids beginning FY27-FY31
- Upgrades to Water Filtration and Water Resource Recovery Facilities to drive operational cost savings and maintain compliance
- Upgrade aging pumping stations and force mains
- Modernize Meter infrastructure
- Modernize maintenance depots to improve health and safety for Team H₂O members
- Master and Facilities Planning and Infrastructure Investments beginning in FY26 and increasing funding in FY27-FY31
- Be intentional in incorporating our values in the delivery of Priorities
 - o Just, Accountable, Caring, Community Focused, Excellent, Trustworthy







Water & Wastewater System Master Planning Waster

Develop 20-year System-wide Master Plan for Sewer and Water Systems:

- Long-term, higher level planning document incorporating existing and on-going studies
- Encompasses the entire wastewater/ water system and biosolids management, buildings and grounds
- Regional Planning, Regulatory Requirements, workforce and staffing needs, financial and budget planning

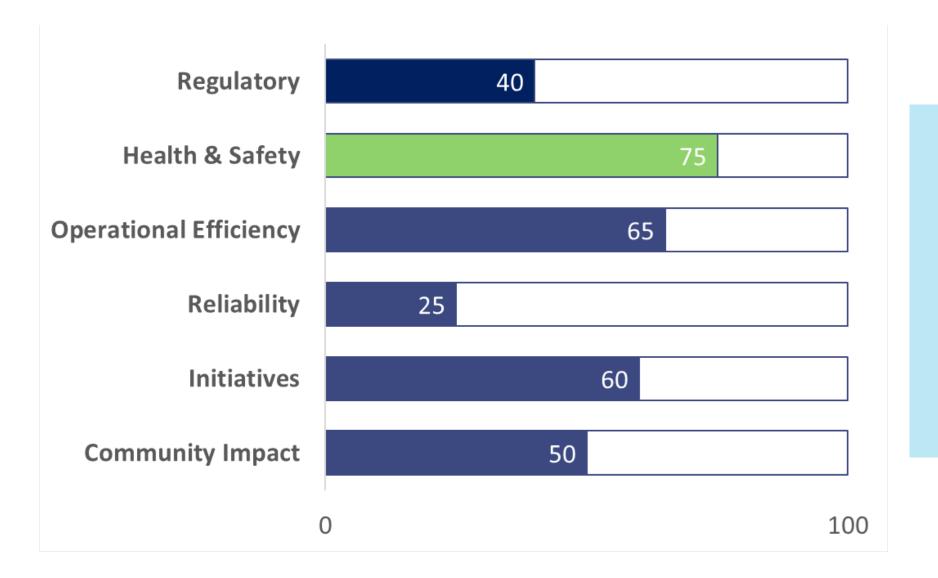
Develop 10-year Elemental Facility Plans

- Treatment and Biosolids Management for all Water Resource Recovery Facilities Parkway, Western Branch, Piscataway, Seneca, Damascus, Hyattstown
- Conveyance System Collection, Pumping, Wet Weather Storage
- Evaluation of Alternative and Recommendations for inclusion in the Capital Improvements Program (CIP)
- Water Supply Systems and Treatment (Potomac River, Patuxent Reservoirs and Dams, Potomac Water Filtration Plant, and Patuxent Water Filtration Plant)
- Finished Water Delivery System (Transmission, Pumping, Storage, Distribution)
- Support Buildings and Grounds (Depots, Lab, Support Center, Fleet Maintenance, Warehouse)
- Evaluation of Alternatives and Recommendations for inclusion in the Capital Improvements Program (CIP)

Implementation of projects based on the Master Plans to commence in FY 2027. Master and Facility Plans will drive CIP decision-making for vertical and horizontal assets for future fiscal years.

CIP Prioritization Scoring - Drivers





Allows us to clearly identify the Project Driver(s)

Capital Improvements Program (CIP)



CIP Categories



1. Water Distribution

(Water Mains and Pump Stations)

2. Wastewater Collection

(Sewer and Pump Stations)

3. Water Treatment and Storage

(WFPs, Reservoirs, Water Tanks)

4. Water Resource Recovery Facilities

(WRRFs)

5. Mixed-Use

(ESP, Other Capital Programs, Land, Beltway)

6. General Facilities

(Support Center, Depots, Laboratory, Buildings)

7. Innovation and Investment Priorities

(Meter Infrastructure Upgrade, Energy Performance Program, Lead Reduction Program, PFAS)

8. Interjurisdictional Programs

(Blue Plains Wastewater Treatment Plant and Mattawoman Wastewater Treatment Plant)

Water Distribution

Water Reconstruction Program (W-1.00)

The purpose of this program is to renew and extend the useful life of water distribution assets. Sub programs include Small Watermains, Cathodic Protection, Large Water service replacement (Meter Vaults), Emergency Contracts at depots.

FY26 Goal: 27 Miles

FY26 Budget: \$79.5 Million

Large Diameter Water Pipe & Large Valve Rehabilitation Program

(W-161.01)

The large diameter water pipe and large valve rehabilitation program manages over 1,000 miles of transmission sized (>16") water mains. It includes the prestressed concrete cylinder pipe (PCCP) inspection and monitoring programs, which include acoustic fiber optic (AFO).

FY26 Goal: 6 Miles

FY26 Budget: **\$54.6 Million**



Wastewater Collection

Sewer Reconstruction Program (W-1.01)

This program provides for comprehensive sewer system rehabilitation in residential areas of sewer less than 5-inches in diameter.

This program includes:

Main and Lateral sewer, Sewer House Connection Renewal, Enhanced Grouting, and Emergency Repairs.

FY26 Goal: 25 Miles

FY26 Budget: \$51.6 Million

Trunk Sewer Reconstruction Program (S-170.09)

The Trunk Sewer Reconstruction Program provides for the inspection, evaluation, planning, design, and construction required for the rehabilitation of sewer mains and their associated manholes in environmentally sensitive areas (ESAs).

This program includes:

Large sewer replacement or lining, Manhole protection or rebuilding, and Structural and alignment correction.

FY26 Goal: 10 Miles

FY26 Budget: \$41.9 Million



Wastewater Collection

Sewer Growth / 5 Projects & 1 Program

This program contributes to development and economic growth within Prince George's and Montgomery Counties and consists of **5 major projects:**

- 1. Forest Heights WWPS & Force Main
- 2. Spring Gardens WWPS & Force Main
- 3. Damascus Town Center WWPS & Force Main
- 4. Horsepen WWPS & Force Main
- 5. Sam Rice Manor WWPS & Force Main

Program:

1. Anacostia #2 WWPS Upgrades



Total FY26 Budget: **\$8.1 Million**

These are funded by System Development Charges (SDC).

Wastewater Collection

Wastewater Pump Stations (WWPS) & Force Mains

This category included rehabilitation to aging infrastructure at **9 Wastewater Pumping Stations including:**

- 1. Horsepen
- 2. Forest Heights
- 3. Arcola
- 4. Carsondale
- 5. Spring Gardens
- 6. Pumpkin Hill
- 7. Colmar Manor
- 8. Damascus Town Center
- 9. Anacostia II

FY26 Total Budget: **\$45.6 Million**

Highlighted Program (#3)

Arcola WWPS & FM

(S-36.01)

Modifications to the Arcola Wastewater pumping Station and replacement of the Arcola Force Main.

FY26 Budget: **\$0.9 Million**



Highlighted Program (#9)

Anacostia II WWPS Upgrades

(S-89.24)

Project for upgrading the Wastewater pumping station including Anacostia Electrical Upgrades, Anacostia Bar Screens.

FY26 Budget: \$31.0 Million



Water Treatment & Storage

Water Storage Facility Rehabilitation Program (W-105.00)

This program rehabilitates aging water storage tanks and standpipes. Facilities being rehabilitated include Andrews, Bradley Hills, Brink, Cedar Heights, Greenbelt, North Woodside, Wall Lane and Pointer Ridge.

FY26 Budget: \$23.0 Million



Water Treatment & Storage

Potomac WFP Consent Decree Program

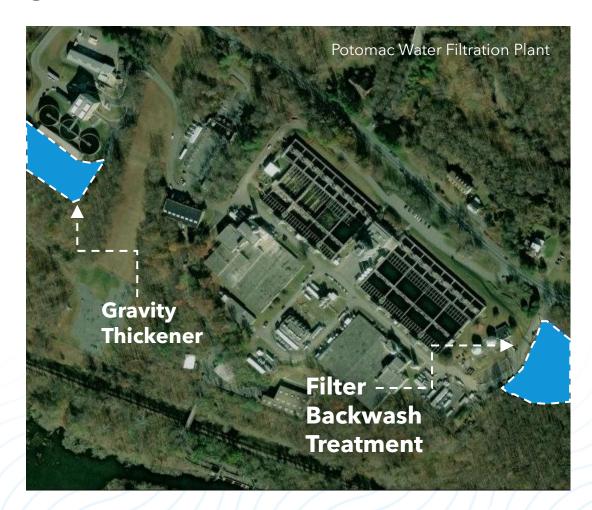
(W-73.33)

This Program includes redundant finished water discharge mains, water pumping stations upgrades, and other process improvements including gravity thickener and filter backwash treatment.

Two additional projects at Potomac:

- Potomac Submerged Channel Intake (W-73.3)
- 2. Main Zone Pipeline (W-72.32)

FY26 Budget: \$41.0 Million



FY26 CIP Category #4 Water Resource Recovery Facility (WRRF)

This Category includes 4 Programs:

- 1. Parkway WRRF
 - Electrical Upgrades, Effluent Channel, and Plant Water Upgrades
- 2. Piscataway Bioenergy Program
- 3. Piscataway WRRF
 - Plant Upgrades, RWPS Upgrades

4. Western Branch WRRF

Process Train Improvements, Main Substation Replacement, Potable Water Upgrades, Raw Influent Building VFD Cooling, SS6 Decommission, Solids Truck Loading Operations



Highlighted Program (#4)

Western Branch WRRF Process Train **Improvements**

(S-157.02)

This Program includes improvements at the Western Branch WRRF to extend the life cycle of existing equipment.

FY26 Budget: **\$17.7M**

Mixed-Use / Engineering Support Program (ESP)

Categories	Total	
1. Water Distribution	\$2,460,000	
(Water Mains and Pump Stations)	(2 Projects)	
2. Wastewater Collection	\$22,129,151	
(Sewer and Pump Stations)	(10 Projects)	
3. Water Treatment and Storage	\$3,401,000	
(WFPs, Reservoirs, Water Tanks)	(4 Projects)	
4. Water Resource Recovery	\$9,771,873	
(WRRFs)	(7 Projects)	
5. Mixed-use	\$500,000	
(ESP, Other Capital Programs, Land, Beltway)	(1 Projects)	
7. General Facilities	\$3,600,000	
(RGH, Depots, Laboratory, Buildings)	(4 Projects)	
	\$41,862,024	
Total	(28 Projects)	

Highlighted ESP Projects:

- Hyattstown WRRF Improvements
- High Voltage Equipment Replacement
- Global Roof Replacement Program
- Hyattsville WWPS upgrade and **Improvements**
- Central Avenue WPS- Electrical **Equipment Replacement**



Central Ave Water **Pumping Station** Electrical Equipment and Switchyard Replacement 38

Innovation and Investment Priorities

Innovation and Investment

This category includes three programs investing in innovation and priorities:

- Energy Performance Program
- Lead Reduction Program
- PFAS Management Program

FY26 Total Budget: \$39.1 Million

Highlighted Program (#2)

Energy Performance Program (A-103.00)

This Program includes projects to replace and upgrade energy consuming equipment and systems to reduce energy consumption. Active projects include Piscataway Water Resource Recovery Facility blowers and mixer FY26 Budget: \$33.6 Million replacement/upgrades.

FY26 Budget: \$5.5 Million



Highlighted Program (#3)

Lead Service Program (A-109.02)

This program invests in the removal of lead service lines as required by Federal and State Regulations



General Facilities

Anacostia Depot Reconfiguration

(A-100.01)

The Reconfiguration at
Anacostia Depot is the first
WSSC Depot that is being
designed using Sustainable
Design methods. The buildings
will feature Solar Power, Sewer
Thermal and a green roof.

FY26 Budget: **\$23.8M**

Support Center Building Upgrades

(A-101.06)

This program provides for the planning, design, and construction to renovate the workspaces and upgrade assets at the Support Center that have reached the end of their useful lives.

Projects will include:

- Switchgear and Generators replacement
- Replacement of failing green roof, and other work.

FY26 Budget: **\$9.5M**



Interjurisdictional Managed Projects

Blue Plains Wastewater Treatment Plant (WWTP)

DC Water Facility with WSSC Water cost share of 46%. Treats approximately 62% of WSSC Water's wastewater.

Funding for Blue Plains WWTP projects is within three main divisions - Liquid Treatment, Biosolid Management, Plantwide projects and one additional division funds projects for all shared pipes and facilities outside of the WWTP - Pipelines and Appurtenances.

FY26 Budget: \$72.96 million

Mattawoman Wastewater Treatment Plant (WWTP)

FY26 Budget: **\$4.6 million**

11% of the FY26 CIP Budget is for Blue Plains & Mattawoman Projects







Anacostia II WWPS Electrical Upgrade



Scope

- Replace 2 Transformers, 13.8kV and 4.16kV Switchgear
- Monitoring Equipment, Metering and Alarm Signals to Parkway WRRF SCADA System
- Battery System, Ducts, Underground Feeders and Cabling
- HVAC Systems

Solicitation

- FY26, 3rd Quarter
- Estimated Construction Cost \$40-50M

Benefits

 Replacing major electrical equipment that has reached the end of its useful life



Parkway WRRF Facility & Electrical Upgrades



Scope

- Electrical & Mechanical
 - 2MW Generator, Transformers, Motor Control Centers, Variable Frequency Drives
 - Pumps, Motors, Turbo Blowers, HVAC, Fire Protection
- Structural & Floodproofing
 - Structurally Reinforce Buildings for Flood Protection
 - Relocate Existing Equipment and Strategic Placement of New Equipment

Solicitation

- FY26, 1st Quarter
- \$50-60M, Progressive Design/Build Delivery

Benefits

Sustainability and Resiliency of the Parkway WRRF



Amendment to Pre-Qualification for Sewer Rehabilitation, Replacement and/or Relocation

Scope

 Modifies the 48551 - Pre-Qualification for bidding of Sanitary Sewer Rehabilitation, Replacement, and/or Relocations Projects. Consolidates the two lists into one, updates the safety qualifications, and establishes an additional enrollment period.

Solicitation

- FY 26, 1st Quarter
- Approximately \$60M to be bid over two years

Benefits

- Reduce Inflow and Infiltration, sanitary sewer overflows, and basement backups
- Protect public health and the environment





Water & Sewer Main Replacements & Emergency Break and/or Leaks Repair



Scope

 Provide all equipment, personnel, materials, tools, etc., to perform water and sewer main replacement and emergency water main repairs (Commission may provide some materials for repairs).

Solicitation

- FY 26, 1st Quarter (est.)
- Approximately \$250M to be bid over five years

Benefits

- Reduce breaks and leaks
- Protect public health and the environment
- Restore service to customers





Warner Circle Water Main Replacement



Scope

- Engineering Design & Permitting
 - 3.97 miles of 4-inch thru 12-inch distribution water mains in Kensington, Montgomery
- Cost Estimating
- Design Services During Construction

Solicitation

- FY26, 4th Quarter
- \$1.2M, RFP

Benefits

 Reduce breaks and leaks and limit disruption to the surrounding community



Henson Creek Environmental Sensitive Area Sewer Rehabilitation



Project Scope

- Engineering Design & Permitting
 - o 2 miles of Trunk Sewer in the Broad Creek Basin
- Cost Estimating
- Design Services During Construction

Solicitation

- FY26, 4th Quarter
- \$1.3M, RFP

Benefits

 Reduce inflow and infiltration and improve water quality in our waterways



Clopper Rd 24" Water Main Replacement - Phase 2



Project Scope

- Construction
 - 1.73 miles of 24-inch and 0.16 miles of 8-inch and 12-inch distribution water mains in Gaithersburg, Montgomery County.

Projected Solicitation

- FY26, 4th Quarter
- \$14.5M, IFB

Project Benefits

 Improve the condition of aging water infrastructure by improving the condition of the water distribution system and to reduce breaks and leaks and limit disruption to the surrounding community.



Oxon Run Environmental Sensitive Area Sewer Rehabilitation



Project Scope

- Construction
 - o 2 miles of Trunk Sewer in the in Oxon Run Basin.

Projected Solicitation

- FY26, 4th Quarter
- \$26M, IFB

Project Benefits

 Improve the condition of aging sewer infrastructure by improving the condition of the wastewater collection system assets and to reduce system overflows, to reduce inflow and infiltration, and for improved water quality in our waterways.



Capital Improvement Program Project Management Team



Project Scope

- Consulting Services
- Program Management Services
- Project Delivery
- Project Controls
- Workforce Development

Projected Solicitation

- FY26, 1st Quarter
- \$15 M, RFP

Project Benefits

• Streamline the prioritization, planning, design, permitting, procurement, and construction processes and procedures across the Commission's various Departments and Divisions to significantly reduce the extensive delivery times the CIP is currently experiencing.



Pipeline Design Basic Ordering Agreement ws



Project Scope

 Provide engineering services to support WSSC Water in the rehabilitation and replacement of water and sewer infrastructure.

Projected Solicitation

- FY26, 2nd Quarter
- \$80M, RFP

Project Benefits

• Support the Commission in its mission to provide safe and reliable water, life's most precious resource, and return clean water to our environment, all in an ethical, sustainable, and financially responsible manner.



Utility-Side Water Service Line



Material Verification and Replacement

Purpose

Support WSSC Water in complying with EPA and MDE's Lead and Copper Rule Improvements (LCRI) by verifying and replacing non-compliant water service lines in public rights-of-way.



Scope

- Service Areas: Prince George's and Montgomery Counties, MD
- Activities include:
 - Service line material verification (field testing, documentation, customer coordination)
 - Full utility-side lead service line replacement
 - Temporary site restoration and hazard mitigation
 - Reporting and data submission for compliance and payment

Compliance & Standards

- Follows WSSC Pipeline Design Manual, General Conditions, and Standard Specifications
- Adheres to federal and state LCRI requirements



Utility-Side Water Service Line



Material Verification and Replacement

Key Responsibilities

- Notify and coordinate with customers
- Perform visual material verification (magnet/scratch tests, site sketches)
- Replace utility-side service lines using approved methods
- Ensure safety, traffic control, and site restoration
- Communicate regularly with WSSC Water and Program Management Team
- Submit all required documentation for verification and payment

Required Deliverables

- Daily Emails: Crew and work status updates
- **Verification Reports:** Material type, method used, site photos
- Replacement Reports: Method, materials, and supporting documentation
- Monthly Summary Reports: Progress, lessons learned, and subcontractor participation
- Invoices: Itemized by address, work order, and units completed





Fiscal Year 2026 Capital Budget: Upcoming Opportunities

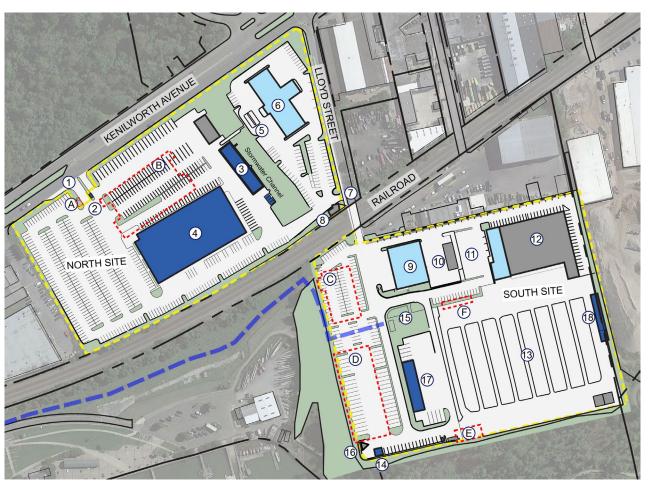
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David McDonough, Deputy General Manager Mission Support

Overall Site

Contract Goals

- Create a more suitable and pleasant work environment for the staff
- Improve safety and security
- Improve operational efficiency
- Reduce long-term maintenance costs
- Improve long-term sustainability and energy efficiency





LEGEND

- New North Site Entry/Exit
- New Security Guard Station
- (3) Jet Shed / Storage Sheds
- Administration Building
- 5 Fuel Pumps/Tanks
- 6 Garage Building
- (7) Secondary North Site Exit
- 8 Security Guard Station
- 9 Heavy Equipment Shop
- 0 Outdoor Vehicle Shelter
- (11) Outdoor Training Area
- 12) Fleet/Warehouse Building
- (13) Warehouse Laydown Area
- (14) Communication Building
- 15) Basketball/Picnic Area
- Antenna Tower
- 17) Aggregate Bins
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- (18) Outdoor Storage
- Exist. Security Guard Station
- B) Exist. Customer Care Building
- C Exist. Meter & Hydrant Building
- Exist. Facilities Maintenance
 Building
- Exist. Building & Ground Shed
- F) Exist Aggregate Bins

--- New Security Fence

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Existing Building to be Renovated

New Building

New Buildi

Existing Building to be Demolished

SCALE





Administration Building



New 2-Story Building Construction

- Project Size: 112,163 sqft
- New building with a mezzanine level
- Concrete deep foundations and steel frame
- Green roof with a combination of solar panels.
- New furniture systems



Warehouse Storage Shed

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Renovation of Existing Building

- Project Size: 13,384 sqft
- Renovation of the two-story office portion
- Redesign to include a new Training Center
- Upgrade and addition of a new HVAC system called the SHARC System
- Upgrade for ADA compliance
- Addition of new furniture



Fleet Garage

Renovation of Existing Building

Project Size: 18,203 sqft

- New customer service, reception, and waiting area
- Addition of an air conditioning system to vehicle maintenance bays
- New vehicle exhaust removal system
- New exterior canopy
- Replacement of existing hose reels for the fluid dispensing system
- New floor coating system for the vehicle

maintenance bays

- New computer workstations for technicians
- Removal of existing paint shop elements and conversion of spaces to maintenance bays
- Paint interior walls and replace interior finishes as required
- Upgrades to restrooms for ADA compliance







Storage Building

New Construction of New Prefabricated Building

- Project Size: 6,702 sqft
- New concrete pad
- New heating system at some of the bays

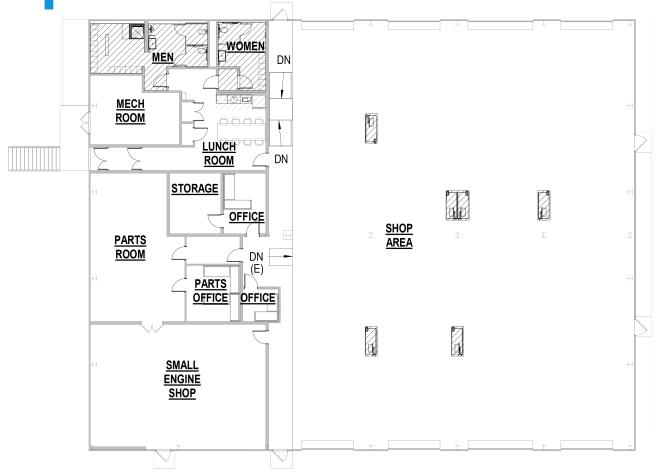
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Heavy Equipment Shop

Renovation of Existing Building

- Project Size: 12,476 sqft
- Replacement of existing boilers
- Addition of a new roof
- Addition of new computer workstations
- Upgrades for ADA compliance





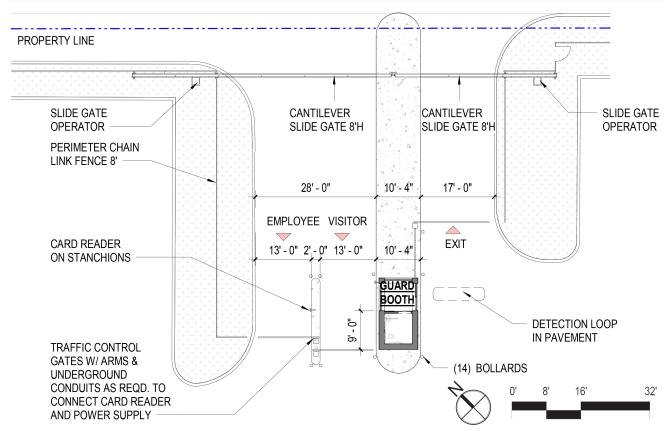


Guard Booth

Renovation of Existing Building

- Project Size: 124 sqft
- Replacement of an existing guard booth
- A new 16'-8" x 9'-0" building with concrete masonry unit load-bearing walls
- A new metal roof

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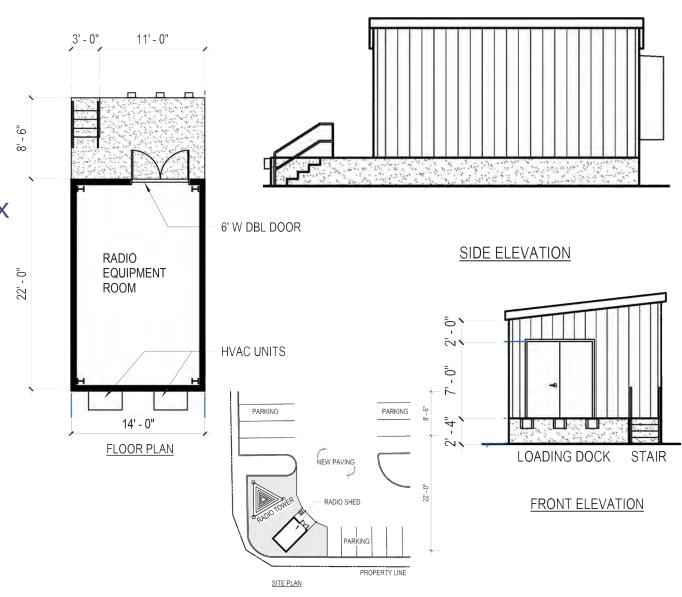




Radio Shed

New Construction of Prefabricated Building

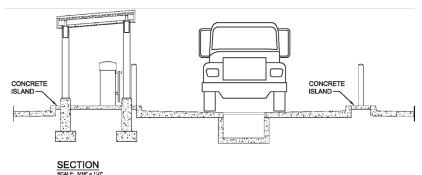
- Project Size: 308 sqft
- New prefabricated concrete 12' x 24' building to house radio equipment on a concrete floor slab.
- Addition of new emergency generator

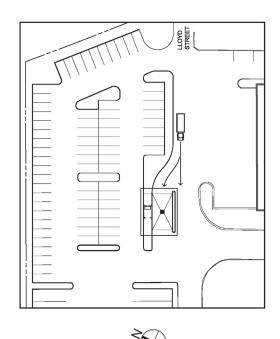


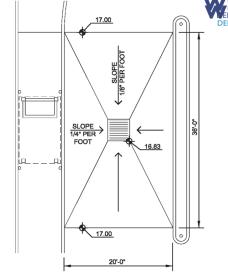
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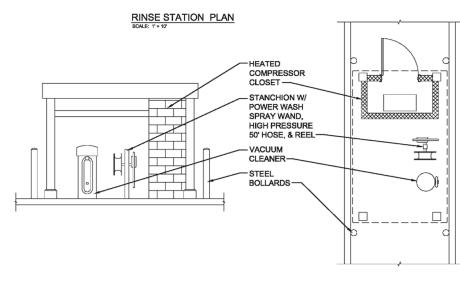
New Construction

- Project Size: 720 sqft
- New concrete pad for vehicle station with 13' x 8' building
- New CMU load-bearing walls with a metal roof that houses power washing and vacuum equipment













Material Bins

New Construction

- Project Size: 4,416 sq ft
- Construction of concrete walls with a slab and metal
- Replacement of the existing 11 aggregate bins
- New aggregate/materials bins consist of 8 bins with concrete walls, concrete floors, and a metal roof



Temple Hills Jet Truck Garage

Construction Contract

New Construction of Pre-Engineered Metal Building Structure and Enclosure

- Project Size: 5,500 sqft
- New concrete and slab-on-grade foundations
- New doors, frames, and hardware
- New fire extinguishers and bollards
- New HVAC equipment and ventilation systems
- New interior/exterior lighting and electrical systems
- New transformer, panels, and electrical services
- Three new outdoor parking spaces with CCTV truck receptacles
- Sitework: utilities, grading, paving, stormwater, landscaping



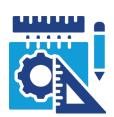


Basic Order Agreement

The BOA includes design and engineering services to support small- to medium-scale projects and supplement larger contracts already in progress.



- Architectural Design
- Mechanical (HVAC) Design
- Electrical Design
- Plumbing Design
- Structural Design
- Civil/Siteworks Design
- IT Security Services and Low Voltage Instrumentation Control Services



















Basic Order Agreement

Architectural Design

- Conduct site assessments, including foundation design, surveys, geotechnical investigations, and landscape design
- Develop architectural concepts and schematic designs aligned with WSSC goals
- Produce construction documents and comprehensive as-built drawings in CADD/PDF format
- Select sustainable finishes, materials, and systems
- Design layouts for office, storage, public, and utility spaces
- Ensure fire/life safety, code compliance, and ADA accessibility per current requirements



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Mechanical (HVAC) Design

- Evaluate and redesign HVAC systems for improved energy efficiency and indoor air quality
- Specify equipment, duct layouts, diffusers, and controls with load calculations and sizing
- Integrate automated energy management system controls
- Ensure compliance with ASHRAE standards and applicable codes



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Electrical Design

- Assess and upgrade electrical distribution, lighting, emergency power, and IT infrastructure
- Design energy-efficient lighting with automated controls and provide power/data layouts with panel schedules
- Ensure adequate system capacity for HVAC and low-voltage systems
- Design fire alarm, security, and communication systems per agency and NFPA standards



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Plumbing Design

- Survey and upgrade domestic water, sanitary, and stormwater systems
- Provide layouts and fixture schedules for restrooms, breakrooms, and equipment rooms
- Address backflow prevention, pressure regulation, and water conservation
- Design for minimal maintenance and improved efficiency



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Structural Design

- Conduct visual inspection of structural elements, including foundation, framing, columns, beams, floors, and roof systems
- Review as-built drawings, renovation plans, and previous structural reports
- Identify structural concerns, damage, settlement, deterioration, or code non-compliance
- Assess load-bearing capacity for proposed renovations and new loads



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Civil/Siteworks Design

- Confirm site boundaries, topography, utilities, drainage, easements, and constraints using updated survey data
- Develop site grading plans for proper drainage, ADA access, and erosion control
- Design utility routing and connections for water, sewer, stormwater, gas, and electrical systems with utility provider coordination
- Design stormwater systems per local codes and LID principles, including detention, bioswales, and green infrastructure
- Design vehicular and pedestrian circulation with driveways, sidewalks, accessible routes, and parking reconfiguration



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IT Security Services and Low Voltage Instrumentation Control Services

- Install structured cabling for network connectivity, including data and voice
- Set up a secure network infrastructure with switches, firewalls, and access points
- Install and integrate physical security systems, including CCTV and access control
- Coordinate with WSSC IT for commissioning, testing, and handover documentation
- Install low-voltage wiring and conduit for building instrumentation and control
- Integrate with HVAC, lighting, and building automation systems
- Install sensors, controllers, and control panels per specifications, with termination and testing
- Provide commissioning support and coordination with the BAS vendor



Anchoring Opportunities for Small and Local Businesses

July 30, 2025



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Momentum: The Bridge Moment





The Seed of Opportunity

The seed of opportunity holds incredible potential—but it needs the right conditions to grow.

WSSC Water provides the water.

Our local economy is the fertile soil.

And you-our small and local businesses-are the vital seed.

Together, we grow impact.





Enhancing Small and Local Business Focus





Small Local Business Enterprise Program:

- Program launched in 2001 to increase opportunities for small and local businesses
- Race and gender-neutral program

Program Requirements:

- Independently-owned and operated for-profit business
- Established for at least one (1) year or the principals have at least three (3) years of relevant experience
- Principal office in Montgomery County or Prince George's County
 OR
- 25% of employees based in those counties

Overview: What is Rising TIDE?



A capacity building initiative for contract readiness & economic success.



Program Components: Your Compass For Growth





Our goal is to make learning accessible, impactful, and tailored to your needs via:

1. Interactive Video Training Series:

 Bite-sized guides to navigate WSSC Water's procurement, available 24/7.

2. Expert-Led Workshops:

 Learn actionable strategies from procurement leaders and industry experts.

3. Customized Tools:

o Practical resources like checklists to streamline processes.

4. Community of Support:

o Build connections with peers and mentors for shared success.

Program Goals: What's In It For You?



Confidence

Gain skills to get bid-ready and compete for contracts

Growth

Expand capabilities and scale your business

Partnership

Collaborate with WSSC Water and other businesses for resilient infrastructure

Legacy

Leave meaningful impact through vital projects









Opportunity begins today. Progress defines tomorrow. Together, we command the future of water.

Next Steps: Join Us On The Journey!





- Opt In Today: Access Rising TIDE resources!
- Seize Opportunities: Explore contracts, programs, and events.
- **Access Exclusive Training:** Use tools and training for our shared success.
- Soin a Thriving Network: Collaborate with innovators and changemakers.

Remember, in the world of water infrastructure, opportunities flow to those who prepare. We're here to help you navigate that journey. 82

Economic Development Beyond Contracts wssc



We're hiring skilled, purpose-driven professionals ready to help us deliver safe and reliable water to nearly 2 million people....real impact, everyday.



WSSC Water is growing – and **you** could be part of it.

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