Wholesale Water Sales

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EXISTING WHOLESALE CUSTOMERS

Skokie
• Wholesale customer since 1944
• Current contract runs through February 28, 2017
• Current wholesale water rate is $1.02 per thousand gallons
• Skokie has participated in conversations with Morton Grove and Niles
EXISTING WHOLESALE CUSTOMERS

Northwest Water Commission
• Established agreement with Des Plaines to provide 5 million gallons per day
• NWC and Northwest Suburban Municipal JAWA partnering to evaluate the potential for receiving water from Evanston
• NWC will continue to purchase as much water as possible from Evanston because of low rate
NEW WHOLESALE CUSTOMERS

Lincolnwood
• Evanston gave Lincolnwood “best and final offer” in December 2013
• Evanston has not heard back from Lincolnwood
• Lincolnwood has participated in conversations with Morton Grove, Niles and Skokie
NEW WHOLESALE CUSTOMERS

Morton Grove, Niles, Park Ridge

• Morton Grove and Niles elected officials have directed staff to negotiate with Evanston for the procurement of water
• Morton Grove and Niles continue to persuade Park Ridge to join them on the construction of the transmission main
• Morton Grove and Niles are exploring the feasibility of Evanston water through the Skokie distribution system
• Evanston staff meets monthly with Morton Grove and Niles to discuss water supply agreement terms
QUESTIONS?