

Greater Augusta Utility District



infrastructure

[ˈin-frə-, strək-chər]

noun

in·fra·struc·ture

1. the system of public works of a country, state, or region also : the resources (such as pipes or equipment) required for an activity
2. the underlying foundation or basic framework (as of a system)

Infra- means “below;” so the infrastructure is the “underlying structure” the fixed installations that it needs in order to function. These include the water wastewater and stormwater systems. These are generally owned by quasi government organizations, like Greater Augusta Utility District and supported by their ratepayers and some grants.





OUR INVESTMENT IN INFRASTRUCTURE GOES ON AND ON!

For the Greater Augusta Utility District (GAUD), infrastructure means a hundreds of miles of water, sewer, and stormwater pipes and connections that none of us can see. Keeping that complex network flowing requires an annual budget of over \$18.5 M each and every year.

The biggest investment we must make is to repair and replace our 350 miles of pipes—some of which are actually older than GAUD itself! Wherever possible we reline existing pipes. This doesn't require digging up the road and can cost about 50% less.

GAUD AT A GLANCE



1887

IS THE OLDEST PIPE
REPAIRED...SO FAR



1903

AUGUSTA WATER
DISTRICT FORMED



1960

AUGUSTA SANITARY
DISTRICT FORMED



2007

GREATER AUGUSTA UTILITY
DISTRICT WAS CREATED



**4,065 FEET OF SEWER
+ STORMWATER PIPE**

REHABILITATED FOR A TOTAL OF \$1.07
MILLION (AVG. COST OF \$262/PER FT)



49 TRUCKS
AND EQUIPMENT



18.5 MILLION
BUDGET



2,827 PAPERLESS

CUSTOMERS (2,254 ON AUTOPAY)



48 EMPLOYEES
AND 9 APPOINTED TRUSTEES

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