



CITY OF MARSHALL

COMMISSION AGENDA INFORMATION SHEET:

MEETING DATE: January 26, 2017

PROJECT: Consider a report on the number of citizens participating in the Service Line Warranty program as sponsored by the National League of Cities. (Public Services Director)

DESCRIPTION:

The Service Line Warranty program, wherein residents can pay a monthly price for a sewer or water line warranty in the event of private service issues, just completed its 2nd year. According to Service Line Warranty of America, the following is a preliminary summary of accounts and activities from start of the program in mid 2015, through December 2016:

- 217 (down from 257 in 2015) active private sewer line warranties
- 128 (up from 25 in 2015) active private water line warranties
- 17 (up from 9 in 2015) claims were filed and paid in 2015 and 2016
- Approximately \$2,000 (approximately \$1,000 in 2015) will be sent to the City of Marshall as our portion for participation in 2016.

The program covers up to \$4,000 for each private sewer line repair at \$7.75 a month; and/or \$5.75 a month for private water line repairs. The City of Marshall receives \$.50 cents per account, per month. Our program did not start until June of 2015, so all accounting to the City of Marshall is based on eighteen months, not twenty-four.

COST:

No fiscal cost to the City of Marshall.

FUNDING:

Acct. Name & No
N/A

Original Budget

- 0 -

RECOMMENDED CITY COMMISSION ACTION:

No action required - report presentation on the number of citizens participating in the Service Line Warranty program sponsored by the National League of Cities.

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ATTACHMENTS:

- N/A

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