

NARUC ANNUAL MEETING

The State of Our Infrastructure

How Water & Energy Utilities are Providing Solutions & How Wall St. is Responding

- ❑ Utilities should do a Needs Assessment- Inventory of Existing System – Highlighting what needs to be done and why.
- ❑ Develop a System to Prioritize / Rank Infrastructure Projects.
- ❑ Non-traditional Ratemaking Mechanisms need to be done in a controlled manner. A Pre-approved Set of Projects /Initiatives Work Best.
- ❑ Non-Traditional Mechanisms should translate into less frequent general rate cases.
- ❑ Companies should be looking for alternative sources of financing (when possible, use low or no cost funds / state & federal grants.
- ❑ Make Sure You Do It Right! Do the projects you say you will, on time and at a reasonable cost!