

**Decoupling Workshop**  
**AW-2015-0282**  
**Thursday, September 17, 2015**  
**10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., GOB 450**

*Purpose of workshop is to supplement written comments and assist Staff in its information gathering for preparation of its November 2, 2015 report.*

**10:00 – 10:10 Jim Busch**, Manager of the Water and Sewer Units, welcome all participants to the decoupling workshop and introductions

**10:10 – 10:20 Chairman Hall**, opening remarks

**10:20 – 11:30 Richard Sedano**, Principal and USA Programs Director of the Regulatory Assistance Project, defines decoupling and describes how it is implemented

**11:30 – 12:30 Lunch**

**12:30 – 1:30 Richard Sedano**, facilitates a discussion on a) Legality of decoupling b) Preferences for any of the aspects related to revenue regulation and decoupling contained in “Revenue Regulation and Decoupling: A Guide to Theory and Application, June 2011, The Regulatory Assistance Project”, and c) Estimate of the change in residential rates and rate impact resulting from preferred mechanism and how the changed rates would be collected.

**1:30 – 2:50 Rich Sedano**, facilitates a Q&A session on decoupling

**2:50 – 3:00 Jim Busch**, closing and next steps