

Exhibit to Agenda Item #4

Discuss authorizing the Chief Executive Officer and General Manager to negotiate and execute a sole source contract with **SAP America, Inc.** for enterprise resource planning software licenses with a term between October 1, 2025, to December 31, 2030, in a not-to-exceed amount of \$27 million.

Board Finance & Audit Committee and Special SMUD Board of Directors Meeting
Tuesday, September 16, 2025, scheduled to begin at 6:00 p.m.

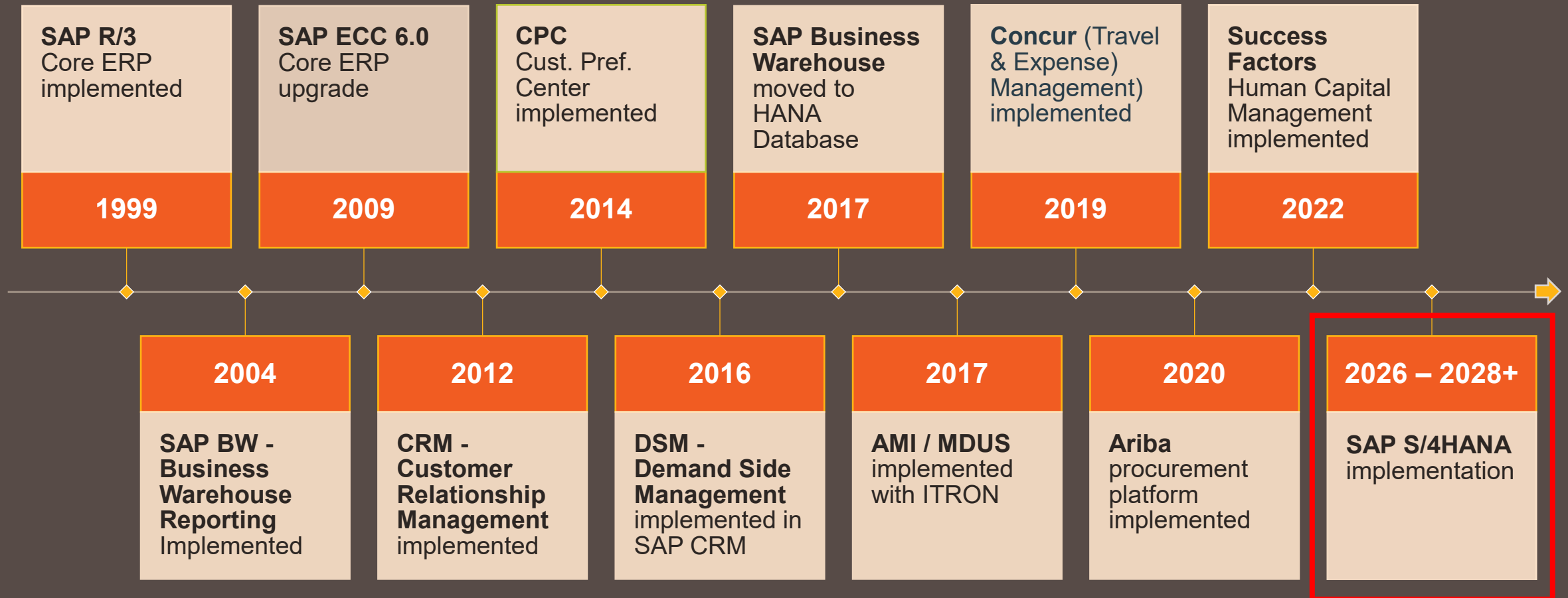
SMUD Headquarters Building, Auditorium

Background

- SMUD's current Enterprise Resource Planning (ERP) SAP Enterprise Core Component (ECC) and Customer Relationship Management (CRM) systems are legacy on-premise platforms nearing end of mainstream support.
- This limits our ability to adopt modern technologies critical for operational excellence and growth.
- SMUD is progressing with an RFP to select a System Integrator (SI) to lead the transformation to SAP S/4HANA.
- We propose a 5-year SAP S/4HANA cloud subscription to support this transformation with continuous innovation and cloud-based flexibility.



SMUD's SAP Journey



The case for change



S/4HANA optimizes and modernizes the way we perform work.



S/4HANA provides the latest innovations and first new functionality since 2016.



SMUD has considerable employee expertise and familiarity with SAP technologies and functional processes.



SAP has announced the end of life and exit of mainstream support by 2027.



SAP S/4HANA has proven out with comparable utilities.

S/4HANA benefits

S/4HANA delivers intelligent cross-functional benefits with improved speed and flexibility rooted in the next generation “HANA” database



Unified data model

- Simplified data model with S/4HANA database



Embedded analytics

- Native analytics embedded in S/4HANA



Improved user experience

- User interface (UI) improvements and enterprise search capability



Embedded AI

- Day-to-day processes include embedded AI functionality



Speed

- Real-time access to the data and information that matters most