

City of Cheyenne
Board of Public Utilities
2416 Snyder Ave.
Cheyenne, WY 82001
307-637-6460
www.cheyennebopu.org



News Release

Media Contact: Dena Egenhoff
(307) 637-6415
Degenhoff@cheyennebopu.org

**For Immediate Release
March 5, 2018**

40 years of excellence financial reporting for the Board of Public Utilities

CHEYENNE, WY – Cheyenne’s Board of Public Utilities (Board) received the Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting from the Government Finance Officers Association of the United States and Canada (GFOA). This year marks 40 consecutive years that the Board has received the highest form of recognition in governmental accounting and financial reporting and its attainment represents a significant accomplishment by a government organization and its management.

The GFOA awarded the certificate for meeting high standards in the Board’s Fiscal Year 2017 Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (CAFR) and for demonstrating a constructive “spirit of full disclosure” to clearly communicate the financial status of Cheyenne’s water and sewer funds.

The CAFR summarizes how the Board invested revenues from water and sewer bills back into Cheyenne’s water and sewer systems. The report includes brief descriptions of major projects, a history of Cheyenne’s water development, a discussion and analysis of financial statements, a report from an independent auditor and a statistical section summarizing Cheyenne’s water and sewer systems and finances. In short, the report describes the strength of Cheyenne’s water and sewer enterprise funds. The report is available online at www.cheyennecity.org/1021/Financial-Reports.

Jack Lyman and Marci Smith of the Board’s accounting department also received Awards of Financial Reporting Achievement. The award is given to persons responsible for maintaining financial records and for preparing the award-winning financial report.

###