State Water Infrastructure Authority

Meeting Date: September 20, 2017 Agenda Item E – Fiscal Year 2016-2017 Annual Report

Division of Water Infrastructure Staff Report

Background

The State Water Infrastructure Authority is required to submit a report each year on its activity and findings, including any recommendations or legislative proposals. The report is to be submitted to the Environmental Review Commission, the Joint Legislative Oversight Committee on Agriculture and Natural and Economic Resources, and the Fiscal Research Division.

The Department is also required to publish a report each year on the accounts in the Water Infrastructure Fund that are administered by the Division of Water Infrastructure. The report will be made available to the public and a copy will be provided to the Environmental Review Commission, the Joint Legislative Oversight Committee on Agriculture and Natural and Economic Resources, and the Fiscal Research Division.

Session Law 2017-10: Consolidate Reports by the Division of Water Infrastructure of the Department of Environmental Quality and the State Water Infrastructure Authority details the two reports mentioned above should be combined and submitted to the Environmental Review Commission, the Joint Legislative Oversight Committee on Agriculture and Natural and Economic Resources, and the Fiscal Research Division no later than November 1, 2017.

Division staff will combine the two completed reports with consistent formatting without changing the content of the document approved by the Authority.

Staff Recommendation

Division staff recommend the Authority approve the content of the State Water Infrastructure Authority Annual Report to submit to the Environmental Review Commission, the Joint Legislative Oversight Committee on Agriculture and Natural and Economic Resources, and the Fiscal Research Division