

systems and components at each lift station to allow their individual utilization of an emergency generator whenever necessary is underway. The second and third Generators have been ordered and delivered completing this project 1-month ahead of the December 2016 deadline. Additional generators are being acquired to further harden Utility systems.

Within the FY 2019 budget approved by City Council on June 7, 2018 were 6 additional lift station generators as well as an additional lift station emergency diesel bypass pump.

**Additional Work: During this reporting period the City has installed a Diesel Powered Emergency backup Pump at the Lakeland lift station as well as an Emergency backup generator at the Mack Drive lift station. In addition, the City has procured a portable six inch lift station pump to be deployed as required and 10 Emergency Diesel Generators for critical Lift Stations. Delivery and installation of the generators will be accomplished over the next 120 days.**

- **Action Item 5. – Ongoing Repairs to the Existing Withlacoochee WPCP:** Funding has been and will be allocated for ongoing repairs to the existing Withlacoochee WPCP to maintain permit compliance until such time as the new treatment plant is brought online. Present repairs include new bar screens and temporary blower system. The repair work at the Withlacoochee WPCP was completed in May 2014, with the replacement of Primary Clarifier gates. The primary clarifiers are be utilized to offset very high influent flows into the facility during extreme rain events and then gradually reintroduce this stored influent into the treatment process once the peak flows subside. Construction of a covered building over the portable belt press system was completed in July 2014 and was the last of the projects associated with the emergency repairs for this plant. Since completion of these repairs, new protocols implemented and employees trained, this facility has consistently met all major permit requirements with the exception of a pH violation reported at the Withlacoochee Plant following a series of major rain events culminating with a minor flood in April 2014. This project was effectively completed in July 2014, 38-months ahead of the August 2017 deadline. **This task is complete.**

*As projects continue and new areas are targeted, the City is requesting the current Consent Order remain in effect through December of 2019. At this time, the City will provide the result of the extension and deliver the impact of completed and ongoing projects to the Department for review. During this extension, all other provisions of the original consent order will remain. While SSO's within the Lift Station and Collection system related to inflow and infiltrations have been significantly reduced the City continues to deploy additional resources and advanced technology toward the elimination of overflows. We acknowledge that much*