# Human Resources Updates

JANUARY 2018

# Hiring Efforts January - December 2017

<u>Hires</u>	As of November 30 <sup>th</sup>	As of December 31st
internal hires:	162.5	166.5
external hires:	158.5	172.5
(additional due to blanket hires)	13	15
total hires:	334	354
net hires:	98.5	100.5
separations:	62	74

#### Vacancy Report

- Vacancies: 199 (16.2%)
  - Decrease from last month's 17.2% (22.7% as of July 2017)
  - Experienced relatively higher separation rate as expected (12)
  - 48 positions are in the final stages of hiring
  - We anticipate several additional positions to be filled at conclusion of January 2018.
    - Making adjustments to tracking data to track internal/external hires before hires becomes effective to give better visuals and anticipation for backfilling vacancies created resulting from internal hires.

## **Ongoing/Upcoming Efforts**

- Statewide Initiatives
  - ▶ Workforce Plan (expected to complete 2/2018) –no change
  - Succession Plan (commenced 11/2017) –no change
  - ECOS online examination system (ongoing) –no change
  - Classification consolidation (ongoing)
    - Information Technology classifications consolidating from 36 classifications to 9
    - Public Utility Regulatory Analyst Series

## Ongoing/Upcoming Efforts (cont.)

- Position Reconciliation
  - Compare position allocation to tenure type of employees in effort to eliminate use of blanket and have more transparent accounting of position/incumbent resources
- Process Reengineering!!
  - Seek clarification and authority to maximize flexibility
  - Eliminate duplicative process and redistribute roles
- Hiring Manual
  - Continue to track, revise, and document procedures to streamline and build accountability measures
- Policies (revising/creating/administering)
  - Working with News and Outreach to develop internal marketing materials communication strategy
- Learning Program
  - Rolling out governance structure for training plan and allocation of resources