

9/23/26 Merger Website Questions with Responses

Comments and questions are in **blue** and responses are in **red italics**.

1. Will there be an information booth at Mars Applefest?

Yes. We look forward to speaking with you and hope to see you at the next public meeting on October 1st at 6pm at the Adams Township Municipal Building.

2. I believe that I previously ask this question but don't remember seeing a response. I apologize if it was addressed at a meeting that I missed.

I know that The Mars Water treats ground water. This can be expensive if problems arise.

As you are aware, Adams purchases bulk treated water from WVWA.

How would Adams and Mars structure payments. Would Adams residents need to pay increased rates because of increased cost of water treatment and unforeseen issues at Mars Water. Thank you. Hope it passes.

Any needed repairs of the Mars Water System are to be paid only from accounts funded by Mars Water Customers. In the same manner, Mars Water Customers would not fund any repairs to the MWAAT System. We hope to see you at the next public meeting on October 1st at 6pm at the Adams Township Municipal Building.

3. financial projections decrease revenue \$160k but generate \$100k surplus need specific identifiable reductions plus timing ,since no full time head count reduction . significant reductions in works department are one time sales of duplicate equipment a cost reduction address this

Expanded police force also expanded coverage necessary Parks already have access, downtown core yes 1/2 mile of old buildings mostly vacant.

Adams is thriving&growing Mars Not so ADAMS RESIDENTS VOTE NO MERGER

The savings noted in the past presentations are not from the sale of equipment. One-time revenues from any sales were not included in the projection. We hope that you'll join us at the next public meeting on October 1st at 6pm at the Adams Township Municipal Building.