

SUNLAND WATER DISTRICT

Commissioners Meeting

May 2017

Manager's Report by Mike Langley

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Financial Report by Karen Shay

Water Reclamation Facility

- The Washington State Department of Ecology has informed us that they have approved the SWD Reclaimed Water Permit Application. However it will probably be a year before we receive a written document regarding that approval.
- The grass is growing quite tall in the spray field and we're hoping for the farmer to show up soon.

Water Meters/Meter Setters

- Scott and Dutch are working in Division 11 as well as wrapping up the remaining undone meters/setters scattered throughout the community.
- All the large water meters are in place.
- Seventeen ¾" water meters have yet to be installed.
- I've been reading a small number of meters as a test sample and we've succeeded in getting a report generated. We'll further refine the process, and then try a blanket read of all meters.

Water Production/Consumption Results

- No measurable change in well water levels.

Other

- I have signed the District up for security patrol service for the new office location as well as all other District facilities.
- Both reservoirs have been drained, cleaned, and refilled as part of an annual process at SWD.
- The new office has been textured and painted inside, and the floor coverings are being installed this week. The concrete walks and handicapped parking area are finished as well.
- The power line to the new office building is in and the barn power supply is scheduled to be brought up to code this week.
- The first bacteria test sample station has been installed on Horizon View Drive and the second station is scheduled for installation this week or next.
- The production meter on well No.1 scheduled for replacement is no longer available. I am exploring the option of using a different type of production meter in that location. Failing this option we are probably looking at building a facility to accommodate a major re-plumb of the water supply from Well No.1.
- We are working with providers to get phone and internet service to the new office.
- We are continuing to see problems with the check valves in the meter setters. This shows up as water volume/pressure complaints from customers. Removing the check valve solves the problem for the customer.
- I removed the lock from the Underwood water service connection on Sunland Drive for the season as per his request.

