

SUNLAND WATER DISTRICT

Commissioners Meeting

August 2011

Manager's Report by Mike Langley

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## **Financial Report by Celeste Lilley**

### **Water Reclamation Facility**

- Gray and Osborne Engineers are performing an in-house review of the SunLand WRF Facility Plan Update next week with presentation to SWD shortly thereafter.
- CAC

It has been suggested to invite the Citizen's Advisory Committee to review the completed Facility Plan when available and make comment as to where the community might wish to go with regards to biosolids processing.

- No change with Lake Stevens Sewer District and their filtration equipment. Darwin Smith has recently been selected to sit on the Washington State Public Works Board.
- SWD received confirmation of receipt of our PWTF application. There were 63 applications submitted, with a total request for funding of \$185,000,000. There is currently \$125,000,000 available.
- Regarding the completion of tasks required by the Department of Ecology; SWD personnel have scheduled the activation of a continual chlorine analyzer, as well as the installation of a chlorination system alarm for this month.

- Mike Cays will be attending the Annual Biosolids Management Conference in September.

### **Meter Setters**

- We are installing setters on San Juan Drive, Fawnwood Drive, and in Divisions 15 & 16.

### **Consumption Meters**

- Readings from our water meters on occupied single family residential lots in SunLand are currently averaging 271 gpd. The clubhouse has a daily average of 722 gpd over the last 30 days.

### **Outreach/Funding/Partnerships**

- I attended a Washington Cities & Counties Workshop on Funding Strategies. I will be communicating with our legislators to let them know of our PWTF request. They will be voting on volume and parameters for 2013 allocations in the upcoming session. Even though the amount has already been determined, apparently that number could change significantly depending on the outcome of the legislative session.

### **Franchise Agreement**

- I submitted the franchise agreement, as reviewed and amended by Carl Gay, to Clallam County. It is my understanding that the document is currently under review by the Clallam County prosecutor at this time.
- CAC

It may be prudent to put this before the Citizen's Advisory Committee once a final draft is received from the County.

### **Regarding Other Issues**

- Regarding the City of Sequim and SunLand Biosolids handling;

Paul Haines called me a week or so ago and explained that they could not advance with an agreement until they had the results of biosolids tests from both the SunLand and Sequim plants. This was testing to be conducted by FKC of Port Angeles. I took the

sample from our plant to the FKC facility myself a week and a half ago. To the best of my knowledge this testing has been completed on the SunLand sample only at this time. However, that may well not be the case by now.

- SWD replaced a failing fire hydrant at the intersection of Sunland Drive and Sunset Place. This action following a failed repair attempt. The internal components are no longer available to completely rebuild the failed hydrant. This was a 1964 model.
- The SVE Water Service Agreement is completed, signed by all parties, and filed here.
- Next month I will present a case for which water meter seems the most appropriate for SunLand.