

SUNLAND WATER DISTRICT

Commissioners Meeting

September 2023

Managers' Report by Brian Scott

Water Reclamation Facility

- Rich Hauled 9 loads of biosolids to Sequim: 12,600 gallons @ 2.81%.
- The District Manager sent a letter to Spectra Labs regarding late samples causing the SWD to be out of DOE compliance.
- Monthly reports were submitted to the DOE.
- Staff repaired the east gate of the WRF which was apparently hit and damaged by persons unknown.
- Staff repaired the screen on the raptors.
- Staff painted the upper deck of the filter building.
- Brian from TMG Services performed on-site annual maintenance of the WRF's chlorine analysis equipment.
- Staff widened the driveway with gravel and set Eco Blocks by the new blower.

Water Production/Consumption Results

- The next meter read will be the first week in October.
- The water level in both wells is higher. The upper well is up by 1.8 ft. and the lower well is up by 1.5 ft.
- Total water production numbers are down from last month. Staff continue to look for leaks, bad meters, and non-metered water. Total water loss for August was 4% (which is great).
- District Manager is working on the SWDMP. It is going slow, but it is going.
- The Department of Health Sanitary Survey reported a "significant finding" in that the backflow assembly at the SLOA pool was overdue for annual testing. DC Backflow has since tested the BPA and provided a test report. A "significant deficiency" was cited regarding boats and large RVs parked within the 100 ft. wellhead protection area. The DOH has given the District

until October 12th to correct the deficiency. The RV lot has been measured off at 100 ft. from the wellhead to ascertain which spaces should be protected. The District Manager sent a letter to the President of the SunLand Owners' Association Board on August 31st requesting that the vehicles within the protection area be relocated by October 1, 2023.

- SWD has requested bids on recoating the upper reservoir.
- Staff completed monthly lift station maintenance.
- Staff moved four (4) meters installed close to homes on Blakely Blvd. to the yard area to allow monitoring of previously unmetered water that had been connected before the meter.
- Luke Anderson from Star Welding & Wrenching completed annual maintenance on all generators in the system.
- The District Manager passed the Water Distribution Management III test.
- Staff are doing winter-preparation maintenance on all equipment.
- A defibrillator has been ordered for the District Office and should arrive around September 18th.