

General Manager's Report November 14, 2018

Reminder

I will be on vacation from November 15 through November 25. Mike will be acting General Manager in my absence, but I will be available via e-mail and cell phone if needed. Have a wonderful Thanksgiving.

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Operator Training:

- I have entered into an Intergovernmental Agreement (IGA) with the Plum Creek Water Reclamation Authority (PCWRA) to allow RWSD operators to shadow PCWRA operators to gain on-the-job training at a wastewater treatment plant to meet the experience requirements for certification.

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Dominion/Sterling Ranch:

- Operations going smoothly overall.
- We're hoping to restart negotiations of the Plum Creek Capacity Agreement soon, but we're waiting for updated costs from Dominion. This will likely be delayed until January due Dominion staff commitments.

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Inclusions:

- Jaksch – We provided Ms. Jaksch's attorney with a draft Termination Agreement and accounting of funds spent to date on the engineering and design of the water line.

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Ravenna:

- Redline has mobilized, completed construction stormwater BMPs, and started construction of the Phase 2 water line connections.
- At Ravenna's request, we sent letters to 53 homeowners concerning buried meter pits and curb stops. Most of the responses have been fairly positive, but some property owners have objected. I will be attending the Ravenna Homeowners' Association Annual Meeting on Saturday, November 10, and will provide an update on that meeting at the Board meeting.

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Raw Water Irrigation:

- Met with Castle Rock on September 28, City of Aurora on October 26, Arrowhead Golf Course on October 29, and Roxborough Village Metro District on November 5, to further discussions of alternative water supplies and potential charging structures. All discussions have been positive. Aurora will begin the process of drafting an amendment to our agreement to extend the timeframe for removal of the RWSD facilities from Rampart.
- Meeting with Tom Barenberg and his attorney and engineer on December 5 regarding replacing the dam at Lambert Reservoir, to restore the historic storage capacity of the reservoir, and a cost-sharing agreement with Tom Barenberg.

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Public Outreach:

- Posted a blog update on the 2019 draft budget with links to the budget and the General Manager's budget message. We asked for any questions or comments to be e-mailed directly to me by November 5, but not comments or questions have been submitted.
- Developed a blog post on home water filters.