

## **Water Plant**

The water plant is running smooth, flows are currently hovering around 0.730 MGD on a 30 day average. We have begun to notice some flows coming up on the weekends as there begins to be more outdoor activity and the weather gets nicer. Garney continues to clean up the site and haul off their construction trailers and conex storage containers. Seeding around the site has occurred, programming for the Dominion waterline is underway and Xcel is supposed to set the electric meter by the end of the week of 3/12. HVAC issues continue to be resolved by Garney as well, the list has been addressed by Sturgeon, Kuck and Setpoint. We will continue to monitor as needed. We are addressing some clear well turbidity issues which we believe is construction debris.

In the month of February RWSD treated 16.1 million gallons, of treated 263 thousand gallons went to Dominion. Sterling Ranch has begun the earthwork process on their next phase and is supplying construction water from their potable system in attempt to keep the water fresh and minimize flushing in the neighborhoods. We have manipulated some valves to help force the water to travel throughout the system. We expect the consumption in March to be a couple million gallons due to this construction.

## **Lift Stations**

The lift stations are running smooth. The leak in the wet well that reported on last month has been repaired.

Dominion is beginning their performance and structural evaluation of the old WWTP. I have provided them a thorough list of operational repairs and additions that would be needed prior to starting that facility back up. They have hired Tetra Tech to evaluate that list on their behalf.

In February RWSD pumped 16.7 million gallons to Littleton Englewood WWTP.

## **Field**

The field remains busy again this month, the Cougar Run sewer line replacement project is all wrapped up, all remaining punch list items are complete and we are waiting on a few lien waivers from the contractor before executing the final change order. RWSD field staff also completed the drainage improvements that were negotiated in the easement process from Dr. Himmel. If you recall the contractor wanted to issue a Change Order in the amount of \$7600 for the work, RWSD field staff worked with the foundation and procured the material and performed the work resulting in a huge cost savings for the district.

RWSD has selected a contractor for the 2018 Westside Circle waterline replacement, Redline Pipeline was the low bidder. We have chosen to select the base bid + the alternate for the project. Attached to this report is the bid tabulation, we only received 2 bids.

We have 18/20 Lead & Copper results through our RNWDC requirement for this spring and will begin to collect Roxborough samples in April. If we are successful in turning in satisfactory results for the second time in a row, RNWDC will be relieved of semi-annual testing requirements and go to annual.

Backflow preventers on Ravenna commercial sites have been included to be in conformance with RWSD and CDPHE standards. We continue to bring the rest of their system to our standards daily.

Annual valve maintenance and fire hydrant maintenance are scoped to start in April as well as Spring rolls in.

We are currently in the interview process to hire the operator for the Sterling Ranch district, we currently have 3 interested applicants. We are hoping for an April 1<sup>st</sup> start so we can begin to fulfill our annual and monthly requirements of the recently executed operations agreement.

Annual meter installations are getting ready to start, we will use our on hand inventory to install in the Village as we are waiting for the new style to come out in early summer that is supposed to address some of the issues we are having installing in the park. We have had to install about half a dozen of the old style back into the houses where the cellular signals were not transmitting. Badger assures us this technology will address the issues.