



# Newsletter

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## Board of Directors

Johanna Trenerry, Chairwoman  
Irwin Fust, Vice Chairman  
Doug Evans, Director  
Virginia Bassham, Director  
Mark Engel, Director



## Managers

Kurt Born, General Manager  
Richard Cascarina, Assist. Manager  
James Paul, Superintendent

## **\*\*Minutes from November 14, 2018 ~ CCCSD Board Meeting\*\***

## **\*BOD MEETING FOR DECEMBER 2018 IS CANCELED \***

**Directors In Attendance:** Johanna Trenerry, Irwin Fust, Virginia Bassham, Doug Evans and Mark Engel

**Staff In Attendance:** Kurt Born, Richard Cascarina, Roxanna Sanford & William Palmaymesa

**Audience:** Tammy Cole

**Consent Agenda:** A motion was made and seconded to approve the minutes of the October 17, 2018, BOD Meeting and paid bills from 10/25/18-11/09/18. Motion voted on and unanimously approved.

### **NEW BUSINESS:**

**Filter Plant Priority Repairs:** Manager stated that we received our check from Insurance for the fire and our biggest priority right now is the erosion around the ponds. We will take it one step at a time. Manager stated that the people he has been working with at FEMA have been great and very helpful. The CL2 building door is in the process of being replaced. We have found a local arborist who can assess all the trees (as required). Manager informed the BOD that he speaks with CALOES and FEMA at least once a week to keep them updated.

**Treatment Process Continuing/Jar Testing:** Manager introduced William Palmaymesa to the BOD and advised that he has been doing a great job with the jar testing. William advised the BOD that the ash seems to be just dissolving so far. He advised that we won't know how our filters will handle all of this until it happens but feels that we will be doing a lot more backwashes which means the cost will rise for the treatment chemicals as they will be going through chemicals more frequently.

**WIIN Act:** Assistant Manager stated that the WIIN Act allows for the conversion of the current water service contract the District is under to a repayment contract in perpetuity, which means the contract would automatically renew and would not have to be renegotiated during the renewal periods.

**WIIN Act ~ Ordinance 2018-13:** A motion was made, seconded and unanimously approved to pass Ordinance 2018-13 in regard to assembling a negotiating team to convert our water service contract to a repayment contract with the USBR.

**Regulatory Requirements Increasing:** Manager advised that Regulatory issues just keep piling up. The District really needs to consider adding a Regulatory position.

**USBR Water Management Plan:** Manager stated that the USBR Water Management Plan is due in December. It is done in draft form and ready to submit to the Bureau.

**Solar ~ Information:** Director Engel stated that PG&E has already started scaling back because of the law suits that have already been filed regarding the Camp Fire. Manager stated that he had been in contact with several solar companies and will report back at the next BOD Meeting in regards to his findings.

### **OPERATIONS & ADMINISTRATION:**

**Staff Reports:** Assistant Manager stated that Crop Reports are coming back and we will be working on them. We scheduled 3,658 acre feet of water for October and we used 3,477 acre feet, using 95.1% of the water scheduled. Field crew has been doing routine meter maintenance, reads, replacements and a lot of locates for Cupertino Electric, who is a sub-contractor for PB&E. Cupertino has advised that they are almost finished with their project here in the Valley. There have been five leaks this past month, three main line leaks and two service leaks. Jim and Bill have been working at the million gallon tank located up at the Filter Plant. They have cleared all of the hazard trees near the tank and have replaced the overhead signal line with an underground conduit line which will protect the line in the future from fire and falling limbs or trees. They replaced the old transducer with a new one and it is working great. Jim has been cleaning around the backwash ponds, clearing brush and debris from the fire. We have recently hired a new employee, Roger Ladewig. He was hired as an equipment operator/field crew and he is doing a great job and is a great asset to CCCSD. He advised the BOD that he had missed the EAGSA Meeting this month but was sent the minutes. The Managers Committee has recommended CH2M Hill for The Groundwater Sustainability Plan. There were three other applicants that were technically qualified but CH2M Hill stood out with their local experience and polished presentation. The next EAGSA meeting is December 6, 2018 and Mr. Fust will be attending. The retro billing for Centerville CSD for 2016-2017 is done and they have the bill. The 2017-2018 retro billing is complete but is currently being audited and when done, we will send him the bill. Director Bassham stated that the money spent for Christy's training was definitely money well spent. Manager stated that Christy is all caught up now and doing a great job.





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## HAPPY VALLEY VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT



**\*\*ONE DAY ONLY\*\***

### CHRISTMAS TREE SALE & PANCAKE BREAKFAST

**When:** SATURDAY, DECEMBER 1, 2018

**Where:** 16218 CLOVERDALE ROAD ~  
STATION #2

**Time:** 7:00 AM ~ 12:00 PM

**Cost:** Adults \$6.00 & Children \$4.00

Trees prices start at \$10.00 and go up.

Trees will be available for purchase at Station #1 on Palm Avenue on Monday, December 3, 2018, until sold out!

Call 357-2345 for more information.



We will be doing backflow testing starting in December. If you would like to be there when we test (which isn't needed) please contact the office.

#### HAPPY VALLEY LITTLE LEAGUE SIGN-UPS

##### 2019 SEASON

##### LITTLE LEAGUE SIGN-UPS WILL BE

DATE	TIME	LOCATION
WED. JANUARY 3	5PM-7PM	ALL SIGN UPS WILL BE HELD AT HAPPY VALLEY ELEMENTARY GYM
SAT. JANUARY 5	11AM-1PM	
WED. JANUARY 9	5PM-7PM	
SAT. JANUARY 12	11AM-1PM	
WED. JANUARY 16	5PM-7PM	
SAT. JANUARY 19	11AM-1PM	
WED. JANUARY 23	5PM-7PM	
SAT. JANUARY 26	11AM-1PM	
WED. JANUARY 30	5PM-7PM	

TRY OUTS WILL BE HELD SATURDAY AND SUNDAY FEBRUARY 2&3  
10AM-11AM: MINOR/MAJOR BASEBALL/ 11AM-12PM: MINOR/MAJOR SOFTBALL

PLEASE BRING A COPY OF YOUR CHILD'S BIRTH CERTIFICATE AND 3 PROOFS OF RESIDENCY IF YOUR CHILD DOES NOT ATTEND HAPPY VALLEY OR IGO SCHOOLS

WE ARE ALSO LOOKING FOR COACHES, UMPIRES, AND VOLUNTEERS, IF YOU CHOOSE TO DO SO PLEASE BRINGS ID AND FILL OUT THE VOLUNTEER FORM

##### LEAGUE FEES/DIVISIONS

T-BALL (AGES 4-6) \$70.00



EARM (AGES 6-8) \$70.00

MINOR BASEBALL/SOFTBALL (AGES 8-12) \$80.00

MAJOR BASEBALL/SOFTBALL (AGES 9-12) \$80.00

JUNIOR LEAGUE (AGES 13-14) \$125.00

10 dollar discount is available if you register before January 1st

After February 1st there is a late fee of 10 dollars

We take Visa/Master cards for online registration only.

CONTACT PLAYER AGENT JENNY ROBERTS AT 530-410-8377

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2019 BOARD MEMBER: BRICE ROBERTS, BOB WILSON, WANDA HACKEY, JENNY ROBERTS, DIANA BUCHANAN, PAUL HACKNEY, HOSS DWINDEL, BILL FLOWER, JULIE OSBORN, MATT WILSON,

#### \*REMINDER\*

Clear Creek C.S.D. would like to remind customers to please call the District Office any time water service needs to be turned off or on inside the meter box. This will ensure that District valves will only be operated by District employees, thus protecting the customer from charges incurred if valves are broken or meters are damaged. A field staff member is on-call during the weekends and in the evenings. 530-357-2121

#### \*\*\*CIMIS\*\*\*

The California Irrigation Management Information System (CIMIS) is a program unit in the Water Use and Efficiency Branch, Division of Statewide Integrated Water Management, California Department of Water Resources (DWR) that manages a network of over 145 automated weather stations in California. CIMIS was developed in 1982 by DWR and the University of California, Davis (UC Davis). It was designed to assist irrigators in managing their water resources more efficiently. Efficient use of water resources benefits Californians by saving water, energy, and money. Visit the website @ [www.cimis.water.ca.gov](http://www.cimis.water.ca.gov)

#### Water Usage In Acre Feet March 1, 2018 to February 28, 2019

Month	Previous Year	Current Year	+/-
March	71.3	101.9	+30.6
April	87.0	143.0	+56.0
May	350.2	324.7	-25.5
June	522.8	594.8	+72.0
July	709.6	818.5	+108.9
August	641.5	640.3	-1.20
Sept.	492.0	528.7	+36.7
October	356.2	325.2	-31.0
YTD	3,230.6	3,477.1	+246.5

Figures reflect Meter readings at Whiskeytown Dam, less the water diverted to Centerville CSD.

#### Weather Observations October 2018

Rainfall Totals	2016	2017	2018
MTD	2.55"	.33"	.52"
YTD	31.64"	27.37"	14.11"

#### Monthly High & Low Temperatures

High	92	Low	41
Avg. High	81	Avg. Low	52

#### "Water Wisely Tips"

Save water, money and energy by only boiling as many cups of water as you need.



**Clear  
Creek  
CSD  
Office**

will be closed on Monday, December 24, 2018, & Tuesday, December 25, 2018, in observance of Christmas Eve and Christmas. We will also be closed on January 1, 2019, in observance of the New Year!!

If you have a water emergency, please call 530-357-2121.

