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## UPDATE ON WOOLSEY FIRE FEMA CLAIM

### Summary

At the March 25, 2019 Triunfo Sanitation District (TSD) Board meeting, staff summarized the scope of the claim being filed on TSD's behalf with the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) for reimbursement of costs incurred in connection with the Woolsey Fire that burned in and around TSD's service area from November 8-12, 2018. Staff proceeded to file that claim and has been administering it since then. Following is an update on the claim specifics. Staff continues to pursue reimbursement of the following estimated costs:

Damage No. 242655: Erosion Control, Fencing, and Air Conditioner at Oak Canyon Reservoir (\$55,000)

Damage No. 254110: Emergency Response (\$285,000, which will be allocated among the other damages)

Damage No. 254769: Antennas and Irrigation System at Kilburn Tank (\$35,000)

Damage No. 254787: Capping of Sewer Lines (\$300,000)

Damage No. 256036: Water Used for Firefighting (\$6,500)

Damage No. 256037: Water Credited to Customers in Oak Park (\$85,000)

Damage No. 259924: Fencing at Smoketree Booster Pumping Station (\$5,000)

Note that some of the dollar amounts attached to each of the above damages are "best estimates" at this time in order to comply with the 60-day notification deadline that FEMA imposes on applicants. In accordance with FEMA recommendations, the amounts are

“generous”; that is, some of the actual amounts claimed will likely be less. In all cases, reimbursement is not limited to the initial estimates submitted.

In addition to reimbursement for actual damages, staff is administering a FEMA application for two disaster mitigation projects:


1. Emergency power generators for the Polo Sewer Lift Station and the North Ranch Wastewater Pump Station (\$30,000 each / \$60,000 total).
2. Retaining wall at Kilburn Reservoir (\$65,000).

Staff continues working on the next steps in the FEMA claim process: 1) submitting documentation to support the above damage claims, and 2) responding to questions and requests for information from FEMA representatives. Staff will keep the Board apprised of the progress of the claim and the mitigation project application. If you have questions, please call me at (805) 658-4608 or email [sandywarren@vrsd.com](mailto:sandywarren@vrsd.com).



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