



## Mid-Peninsula Water District Fall 2011 Newsletter

### Current Projects

The City of Belmont's Public Works department is currently doing maintenance in front of City Hall as part of their beautification project. To accommodate this new improvement project, Mid-Peninsula Water District (MPWD) is replacing the existing water main and all the service connections on Sixth Ave. between

O'Neill Ave. and Waltermire St. Our maintenance crew has been diligently working with the Public Works Department to complete this project in a timely manner. We appreciate your patience during this project and please remember to be careful and obey all traffic signs when driving around construction areas.



*Pictured: Chris Michaelis (operating backhoe), Rick Bisio*

### Future Projects

Mid-Peninsula Water District is proud to announce that we will be moving forward



*Sensus meter*

with a new Automated Meter Reading System. After months of research we have found the metering system best suited for our District. Over the course of the next few years, MPWD will be taking the steps necessary to successfully implement a fully automated me-

tering system. This brings an array of benefits for both the District and you, our customers. We will be able to get more accurate meter readings, while you will be able to track your water usage more closely. We will receive alarms when there are signs of a

possible leak, which will allow you to address any leak with diligence. These are just a few examples of the many advantages we will receive from this new automated metering system. So be on the look out as more details will be revealed in the near future.

★ Congratulations to Maintenance Worker- Tava Mataele! Tava celebrated his 5th anniversary with Mid-Peninsula Water District this Fall. We'd like to thank Tava for his dedication and all his hard work. ★

Mid-Peninsula Water District (MPWD) is here to serve you. Our Waterline is designed, produced and edited by District staff. It is sent out quarterly in an effort to keep you informed on the happenings of the District as well as topics in the world of water. We would like to hear from you and get feedback regarding any of our featured stories and perhaps receive some suggestions of what you would like to read. Email your suggestions to [mpwd@midpeninsulawater.org](mailto:mpwd@midpeninsulawater.org) or call us at 650-591-8941.

## Are you tired of mailing a check every month?

There are many alternative methods for paying your water bill. We offer recurring payments through a checking or savings account, VISA or Mastercard. It's as simple as completing an authorization form and sending the information to 3 Dairy Lane in Belmont or you may email the authorization form to [billing@midpeninsulawater.org](mailto:billing@midpeninsulawater.org). You can also make a payment through our

website at [www.midpeninsulawater.org/go/payments](http://www.midpeninsulawater.org/go/payments). If you haven't already, you must first register your water account, or simply pick up the phone and call our District office during normal business hours, Monday through Friday from 8:00am to 4:30pm and one of our friendly customer service representatives will gladly take a VISA or Mastercard payment over the phone at no additional charge.

If you have not heard MPWD has gone paperless. If you wish to receive electronic bills instead of paper statements every month visit our website at [www.midpeninsulawater.org/go/ebilling](http://www.midpeninsulawater.org/go/ebilling) and follow the instructions. You can also contact the District office and someone can assist you with going paperless. Saving water doesn't have to be our only concern, why not save a few trees along the way.

## Water Use Efficiency

Using water efficiently is one of the keys to balancing current and future water needs. As the hot summer days fade and we move into the cooler autumn months, we would like to take this opportunity to urge all of our customers to continue their efforts in smart water use. If you have yet to commit to practicing one method of water savings into your daily life- it is never too late. Don't be afraid to share tips or ideas amongst your network of colleagues, friends, family and especially your neighbors. Working together will help everyone be informed and better educated on the need to preserve one of nature's precious resources.

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### Board of Directors:

Betty L. Linvill- *President*

David Altscher- *Vice-President*

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Matthew P. Zucca

Board meetings are held every 4th Thursday of the month at 6:30pm at 3 Dairy Lane in Belmont.

*\*For November and December board meeting dates call the District office or check our website Calendar.*



**Mid-Peninsula Water District**

**A Green Business**

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