

President's Update March, 2024

A lot has happened with the KMWC water system since the last update was posted. The one thing that stands out above all is the passing of Pat Slaight last July 4, 2023. Please see the special tribute to her as she was a dear friend of the Kyburz community for many years as well as a key component to the production of water here at KMWC.

A quick bullet point listing of significant items worked on include:

- Many hours by CFO Kennan Sievers keeping track of income and expenditures and supplying monthly status reports.
- Repair of the pipeline connection to the American River
- Shoring up the trail/pipe to the East Dam
- Repair of a leak on Larch Lane
- Inspection and Cleaning of #1 Filter Train Clarifier and Filter in preparation for the replacement of filtering media
- Removal of trees that threatened the Water Plant structure by Riley Slaight.
- Visitation of the Clear Lake Water Treatment plant and associated RCAC class on treating water with high turbidity by Jeff Thompson and John Marrs
- Passing of the T-3 exam and obtaining the T-2 Water Treatment Certification by John Marrs
- Participation in the Firewise Community organizational meeting held by Bethany Hannah
- Many hours of clean-up and organization of the plant and yard by Tom Walker
- Continued day in and day out maintenance and servicing of equipment by Robert Eliot, often in the worst of conditions and the untimeliest of times

Please note that the Board approved \$60 rebates for replacement of pre-1986 kitchen faucets and \$25 rebates for replacement of pre-1986 bathroom faucets as part of our concern for the potential of higher lead levels in faucets earlier than 1986. To receive your rebate please submit receipts for faucets you replace.

The upcoming Spring board meeting is scheduled for 4/6/24. Among Agenda items will be the Lead and Copper Connection Survey mandated by the revised Lead and Copper Rule. This requires a report to be filed by 10/16/24 of all customer and water company connections regarding the composition of all pipes and connections to guarantee there are no lead pipes or connections in the system. This will take some concerted efforts and cooperation to get completed.

As always, please don't hesitate to contact me either by email or by phone if you have any questions, comments, suggestions, or observations.

Best Regards,

John Marrs