



# Monthly Newsletter

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## Board of Directors

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Director

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## General Manager

Paul Kelley

**\*\*Board Meetings**

are the 3<sup>rd</sup>

Wednesday of each  
month at 6pm.

## **Current Usage**

### **Rates:**

Domestic-  
\$0.56/HCF

Ag- \$0.54/HCF

\* No restrictions on  
water usage! \*

## What's New:

The District is in the process of updating its 2010 Water Shortage/Drought Plan to reflect changes in state law, updates to the USBR water shortage policy, and the impact of multiple drought years since 2010. The Planning and Steering Committee will hold multiple meetings for drafts – check the website in the coming month and provide input!

Reminder: The District will re-institute charges to customers for non-emergency service calls to a customer site. All service calls (like shut off and turn on) during regular business hours will not be charged.

### Community events reminder:

The **Happy Valley Farmers Market**– 8am-11am - 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday of the month at the lot next to Bonney's Burgers.

### **General Manager Note:**

We mentioned staff turnover in the past few months and are pleased to announce we have added a new Account Clerk. In addition to our new Administrative Assistant and new Distribution Supervisor. Please be patient as all are learning the District and their duties.

The Backwash ponds rehabilitation project located at the Treatment plant is proceeding – this is a State and Federal (FEMA) grant project that is fully funded. The District will expend financing and other costs that will be less than a percent of the \$6 million project. The rebuilding and concrete lining of the Treatment's backwash ponds will increase their effectiveness and improve maintenance.

The District acknowledges the need to address its aging infrastructure and equipment. The Planning and Steering Committee has initiated the process of documenting all District assets, including the treatment plant building, administrative building, pipelines, booster stations, vehicles, and more. This documentation will be formatted to quantify major maintenance and replacement needs and costs over a 20-year period, allowing for strategic planning and funding. Please stay tuned for further updates in the coming months. ~ Paul Kelley

Clear Creek Community Services District is committed to our mission to provide Clean and Safe water to you our Customers and Community

**Community Awareness:**

**Happy Valley School News**

Primary School has openings for Transitional Kindergarten students. TK students must turn 5 years old between 9/2/2024-6/2/25. Call 357-2131

Happy Valley State Preschool has openings – Call 357-2139

**Firewise:**

Get involved and attend the meetings. Contact Dennis Possehn at 530-524-1217 for any questions.

Firewise meeting September 26<sup>th</sup> 6pm at the Community Center.

**Happy Valley Citizen Patrol:**

Many thanks for The HV Citizen Patrol as the “eyes and ears” for the Shasta County Sheriff, reporting on suspicious incidents, doing welfare and vacation checks of residents and property and being available to help when needed. Thank you to the community volunteers who give their time to help make Happy Valley a safe place. - Happy Valley Citizen Patrol

**Happy Valley Community Pride:**

**Happy Valley Roadside Clean Up: Saturday, October 12**

Starting at 8am – Happy Valley Community Center – 5400 Happy Valley Road. Trash Bags & Grabbers Supplied – Bring Gloves

Call Dave Bartle 530-351-4618

**Full Water Allocation – Rates Report:**

**Reminder: The Base rate is \$58.20** plus water usage and fees. Make sure to pay on time - A **Late Fee** of **1.5%** will be applied to accounts who have not paid their bill by **the 20th of each month**. The District sent hundreds of delinquents and shut off notices (60 days plus late in payments) – with hundreds making payments or getting payment assistance. **If you need payment assistance** – we can offer payment plans. Call or email the office to find out more information.

**Reminder:** Our website has a lot of information - Scan the QR Code and go to our website to sign up for alerts (rectangle to the middle right).

**Meter Reading Dates**

Here are some future meter reading dates:

**\*\* 2024 \*\***

- Sep 16-20
- Oct 21-25
- Nov 18-20

Scan this Code to access the District website -



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**Sign up for Alerts.**

Please help us improve our communication Alerts and sign up with your cell phone and/or email on our website.

Check the website for news, updates, and ways to support the local community – like the groups mentioned in this newsletter.

**Office business** hours: M – F: 8am to 5pm; Closed for lunch 12pm – 1pm. Closed weekends and Holidays. For afterhours emergency – call 530-357-2121. For non-emergency calls, call during office hours.