

## **Board Action Item**

MEETING DATE:	09/24/2020
AGENDA ITEM:	6 C
PRESENTER:	Bob Arbuthnot
SUBJECT:	Chairman's Report

- 1. I am happy to report that all our employees are back to work and no further COVID-19 problems have occurred this month.
- 2. Mr. Esquivel is out this week and last so I will be handling his report tonight.
- 3. We have submitted the letter of intent to USDA to pursue the loan funds, Ms. Hillman will be expanding on the USDA issues in her agenda item.
- 4. MGC has completed the SR87 to Milk Ranch pipeline. Apache Underground completed the pipeline from Wagon Wheel Rd to Old Spruce Drive this week and staff has taken ownership of the new line. Mr. Hendrix will be presenting details in his report.
- 5. Mr. Bagshaw has returned to us, escaping the medical folks, Welcome back Larry!
- 6. Mr. Rowe, our operations lead, has passed the Level 1 Treatment exam with ADEQ. Congratulations Ben!
- 7. We made it through the Labor Day holiday without any serious problems. The increased tank capacity at the Canyon Tank site provided us with enough storage in Pine to avoid any disruptions in water delivery due to a lack of water. The district has not needed to implement restrictions this Summer.
- 8. The meter replacement project is nearly completed, the last update I had was that there were 15 or so meters left to be done and some issues that our crew must address to finish up the work. We will be on one billing cycle! This will free up 3 weeks of time for the operations crew and will eliminate the occasional long interval billings that have been a product of the four billing cycles we had to do in the past.
- 9. As of last week, all three of the Milk Ranch wells were online.