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# **IMPROVEMENTS COMMITTEE**

(Directors Randy Jenco and Martin Pohll)

Regular Meeting April 5, 2022 at 8:00 a.m.

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# **AGENDA**

- 1. Call to Order
- Consider Finding That as a Result of the COVID-19 Emergency: (i) Meeting in Person Would Present Imminent Risks to the Health or Safety of Attendees; and (ii) the Meeting is Authorized to be Held by Teleconference Pursuant to Gov. Code, § 54953, subd. (e)(1)(C).
- 3. Comments from the Public
- 4. Monthly Update
- 5. Discuss GIS Contract with CalCAD
- 6. Director and Staff Comments/Suggestions
- 7. Adjournment

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#### **MEMORANDUM**

Date: March 29, 2022

To: Improvements Committee

From: Michael Fritschi, P.E. - Director of Operations

Subject: Monthly Utilities Department Updates

#### **SB 170 PROJECTS**

Water Treatment Facility Sodium Hypochlorite Conversion — The District has contracted with HDR to perform the design of the Chlorine Gas to Sodium Hypochlorite Conversion Project. The project is scheduled to go out to bid for construction by late fall.

**Recycled Water Disinfection Project** - West Yost and Associates presented the draft presentation of the UV verses Hypochlorite analysis for the District recycled water disinfection system. The capital costs for the Hypochlorite System verses and for the UV System was \$1.2 million and \$2.3 million respectively. The 20-year lifecycle costs for the Hypochlorite System verses and for the UV System was \$2.5 million and \$3.9 million respectively.

There was some discussion regarding the creation of disinfection byproducts when using chlorine (sodium hypochlorite) with respect to performance for future indirect potable reuse. It was discussed that due to the remote potential to perform indirect potable reuse and the overall fate of the unstable disinfection byproduct, that at this time it is unlikely worth the additional lifecycle cost associated with the UV disinfection alternative.

West Yost will present the completed technical memorandum summarizing the analysis to the District upon completion. Also, during the meeting staff discussed hiring West Yost to perform an analysis to determine the feasibility of providing recycled water as indirect potable reuse and harvesting rainwater through the wastewater treatment facility for future reuse.

# **Granlees Safety Improvements**

The District met with HDR on the 16<sup>th</sup> of March to review the rehabilitation and safety improvements needed for the Granlees Intake Structure. HDR will be providing the District with a quote to perform a preliminary design analysis which will review the safety improvements and operational rehabilitation and to outline any environmental permitting that would be required.

#### **SEWER**

# Crest Lift Station (end of Bermuda Ct.)

Staff are in the process of determining why the pump control system is not operating properly. Crest lift station has had several control issues over the years. Staff will engage with the District vendor to interface with the station programmable logic controller to determine if the station has a programming issue verses a hardware issue. Staff will also be examining the bubbler system (which indicates water level) to determine if there are defects causing the wrong water level to be displayed.

## Lift 6a (between De La Cruz Dr. and Bass Lake)

Lift station 6a is currently down to one operational pump (out of 2). Staff are going to replace the capacitor pack for the non-operational pump to see if that can bring the pump back to operation. The District may need to procure a replacement pump if the replaced capacitor does not fix the problem. The replacement pump is quoted at \$12,200. Having two pumps in a sewer lift station is considered the minimal level of redundancy and is standard practice.

# **Recycled Water Tertiary Facility**

The Tertiary facility is envisioned to be up and running to provide recycled water the first week of May. The lag in production startup is due to the tertiary pumps needing to be rebuilt and reinstalled. Staff has done everything in their power to facilitate the pump rebuild in a timely basis. The County Club has been notified of the later startup of the recycled water production for this upcoming irrigation season.

#### **WATER**

# **Rio Oso Pump Replacement Update**

The pressure system pumps were scheduled to be replaced in early March, but the supplier did not provide new appurtenances (flex coupler reducers) this prompted staff to temporarily halt the installation. It was also recently learned that at least one of the gate valves is not isolating completely which will make the installation more difficult. During further inspection of the facility, it became apparent that the check valves and gate valves isolating the pumps appear to be closer to the end of their useful life.

It was also noticed that there used to be a hydropneumatic tank that was utilized to regulate pressure. Staff mentioned that it was removed from operation due to degradation and not replaced as at that time as there was no desire (by staff) to replace the hydropneumatic tank. When the hydropneumatic tank was removed from service, the supply pumps were configured to pump directly into the system, which may have caused some resulting leaks that were repaired shortly thereafter.

In discussions with staff it was also learned that the two existing pumps may have been designed to provide emergency fire flow and may be operating "off of the pump curve" even with the variable frequency drive. Staff have mentioned that there were past recommendations to install and utilize a smaller pump to provide a more equal match to the actual water demand and stay "on the pump curve". This would likely provide additional redundancy and a significant increase in efficiency. This would require some engineering to accommodate the additional pump.

The 15-year old VFD's are out for quote and are being replaced as a part of the project due to the relative age and desired continued functionality.

In the next month staff will be investigating the history of the pump station and may initiate a study to determine the best way forward for this important pump station that serves Rancho North. The theory is that to change out valves, the water needs to be shut down to the North for a day so any rehabilitation that is slated for this station should try to be coordinated with the shutdown.

## **Water Treatment Facility**

Water Treatment Facility #1 will be brought back online in April, and the first of the rebuilt backpulse pumps is expected to be installed at that time.

#### **Water Conservation**

The Governor's July 2021 voluntary request to reduce 2020 consumption by 15% (for Urban Water suppliers) does not clarify if the reduction is monthly or annual reduction. The Regional Water Authority (RWA) is measuring cumulative total water reduction. Staff will report on the cumulative water use compared to the 15% less than 2020 at the next Board meeting to determine where Rancho Murieta users stand in alignment with that conservation metric.

# **Calero Stage Storage Curve**

Staff intend to contract a bathymetric survey of Reservoir Calero while it is full to develop an updated survey of the reservoir bottom which will allow an update of the storage capacity (stage-storage curve) of

this important reservoir. The District has received 2 out of 3 quotes so far, with the lowest quote at \$16,200 to complete the survey using a sonar water drone.

# SITE DEVELOPMENT UPDATE & STORMWATER

Laguna Joaquin - The joint CSD/RMA funded midge treatments will begin in Laguna Joaquin in early April.

## **DEVELOPMENT**

Riverview: Phase 1b utility installation has commenced with sewer lines being installed.

**Retreats:** Grading has begun on the north section of the retreats. There is a significant amount of spoils being transported off site which is creating a lot of truck traffic and dirt being deposited on the haul route in Rancho Murieta. The District is working with the Developer to reduce the impact of the truck traffic and resulting soil sloughing on the road. Currently the developer is running 2 street sweepers.

**Taco Bell:** Building construction has continued for the new taco bell which is slated to open in May of this year.

**Circle K/Shell**: Most utilities have been tied in and the developer is working on extending a fire service line to the property.

# **MEMORANDUM**

Date: March 29, 2022

To: Improvements Committee

From: Michael Fritschi, P.E. - Director of Operations

Subject: District Geographical Information System (GIS)

#### RECOMMENDED ACTION

It is recommended that the Improvements Committee move proposed contracts with CalCAD to the Board of Directors to ratify the current expenditure of \$15,000 and approve the proposed contracts with CalCAD in the estimated amount of \$80,050 over the current and the next fiscal year to continue building the District GIS system and update the capabilities of the system as listed below in items #1 - #7. GIS work through CALCAD would be on a time and materials basis.

#### **BACKGROUND**

In 2021 the District contacted CALCAD and initial phases of the GIS platform was constructed beginning with basic sewer and water infrastructure, customer lot information, and account status. This information is located in a data base that is geographically linked and accessed by the system.

The following items have been initially added:

- 1. Water lines
- Sewer lines
- 3. Sewer lift stations
- 4. Major Drainage structures
- 5. Easements
- 6. Property information
- 7. Ratepayer late payments

#### **PROPOSAL**

The District planning team has identified several different components for future GIS use to continue building on the centralized geographical data base:

- 1. **On-call GIS Services Contract** (\$15,000) Provide a block of 100 hours to enrich the GIS database and other tasks requested by CSD to enhance the system, including:
  - a. Condition Assessment Used to geographically track the known and investigated conditions of the infrastructure to utilize for CIP Reserve repair/replacement quantities and used to help facilitate the determination of adequate reserve funding and planning.
  - b. **Overall Database Enrichment** The District plans on hiring a temporary intern to enrich the data base with items like pipe materials, depths, repairs, etc.
- 2. **Global Search Integration** (\$4,950) Provide for Global Search integration with GIS database to access District information from the District server and cross reference with GIS attributes. This will allow any document to be pulled up from the District server with a corresponding search tag through GIS.

- 3. Computerized Maintenance Management System (CMMS) and Integration Provide a computerized maintenance management system (CMMS) for tracking maintenance and repairs and scheduling preventative maintenance tasks (\$18,000 if the staff approve of the CMMS system). Provide a GIS link to the CALCAD (or other) CMMS system for access of preventive maintenance and completed tasks and notes that can accessed geographically on GIS (\$26,000).
- 4. **User Account Tracking** (\$3,600) Required for the ability to view real-time water use data and to allow the for the integration of District financial software.
- 5. **Establish Connection with Azure Cloud** (\$2,400) Enables connection to District Server for Global Search and financial software.
- 6. Add Storm Drain System Layers (\$6,500) Add drainage infrastructure to GIS.
- Add Security Camera Feed Layers (\$3,600) Add live camera feed interfaces with GIS.
- 8. **RMA and RMCC Joint Utility Layers** To have RMA and RMCC add utility information layers at their cost to be visible to CSD and CSD infrastructure visible to RMA RMCC.

# **Proposed Timeline**

**Phase 1** – Create GIS System and begin familiarizing staff – **Complete** 

Phase 2 – Enrich utility data base information and build on the initial platform, set the ground work for condition assessment and CMMS interface. Tie in security cameras. Provide utility staff with ability to record repairs and maintenance activities in the field via tablet. Current FY to FY 22-23

**Phase 3** – Water meters updated and integrate to GIS access on a real-time basis to provide customer use tracking. Financial software integrated with GIS. Joint utility integrated if completed by RMA and/or RMCC. Condition assessment data uploaded. Continue updating data and tightening accuracy. **FY 22-23** – **ongoing.** 

# **SYSTEM FUNDING**

Funding is expected to come from water/sewer/drainage/security materials and services operating budgets.



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Item	Description	Qty	Cost	Total
Item Service	Create Layer in GIS for District Camera Feeds to be published  • Work with District IT or other Tech personnel to get connection to server hosting the video feeds  • Get location and description information for each of the District Cameras  • Create a database of the URL information for each Camera  • Create specific Security group for ability to view Camera feeds  • Get list of "Authorized Viewers" from District  This is a "Not To Exceed Estimate" pending the successful discovery of	24 of	Cost 150.00	Total 3,600.00
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Subtotal	\$3,600.00
Sales Tax (8.0%)	\$0.00
Total	\$3,600.00



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Subtotal	\$2,400.00
Sales Tax (8.0%)	\$0.00
Total	\$2,400.00



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Service  Create Live Connection to Global Search Document Repository  • Work with District IT and Global Search Tech personnel to get connection to the District's Global Search Document Repository  • Determine Unique ID and linking protocol for:  • Easement Documents • Escrow files • Lot Files  • Update Parcel report to give access to Escrow files for users authorized by the District  • Create new link in the parcel report so that field personnel can see the Lot files associated with each parcel to get historic maintenance data  This is a "Not To Exceed Estimate" pending the successful discovery of all above information. District would be billed actual development hours. If more time is needed, District personnel will be contacted for approval prior to hours being encumbered.

Subtotal	\$4,950.00
Sales Tax (8.0%)	\$0.00
Total	\$4,950.00



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# Quote

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Subtotal	\$3,600.00
Sales Tax (8.0%)	\$0.00
Total	\$3,600.00



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DashGIS CMMS	CMMS work order Extension for DashGIS©		1	18,000.00	18,000.00
DashGIS CMMS Set	DashGIS© CMMS Extension Setup and Configuration		1	26,000.00	26,000.00
	Setup and configuration for Water and Sewer systems				
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Subtotal	\$44,000.00
Sales Tax (8.0%)	\$0.00
Total	\$44,000.00