RANCHO MURIETA August 2016



# **PIPELINE**

#### COMMUNITY SERVICES DISTRICT

A Monthly Newsletter

#### AUGUST IS NATIONAL...

Water Quality Month

Panini Month

**Cataract Awareness Month** 

August is the only month without a U.S. holiday.



## August 1, 2016

Communications & Technology @ 4:00 p.m.

Personnel @ 4:30 p.m.

## August 5, 2016

Security @ 8:30 a.m.

Finance @ 9:00 a.m.

Improvements @ 9:30 a.m.

# August 17, 2016

District Board Meeting @ 5:00 p.m.

The public is invited to attend.

#### **NEW FISCAL YEAR**

The Board adopted the 2016-17 Budget after conducting the annual budget hearing at the District's June Board of Directors meeting. The effect of the proposed rate changes on the average monthly bill for a residential metered lot is a zero change. This 'zero impact' is achieved by off-setting the needed rate increase for Water services by a decrease in rates for Sewer services. Impacts to individual customer bills will vary depending on the monthly amount of water used by each customer. Customers that use more than the monthly average of 1,700 cubic feet will see a slight increase in their monthly bill; those that use less than the monthly average use will see a decrease in their monthly bill. The other service rates are not changing in 2016-17.

Please visit the District's website, <u>www.rmcsd.com</u> for more information.

## **CHANGE IN IRRIGATION SCHEDULE**

Effective August 1, 2016, the District is revising the schedule for outside irrigation to an odd/even address rather than the current North/South schedule. Odd number addresses (Group A) may irrigate on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays. Even number addresses (Group B) may irrigate on Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays. **Outside irrigation is not permitted on Sundays.** Please irrigate only during the hours of 12:00 a.m. (midnight) to 10:00 a.m.

This change is being made to improve and balance the demands of the District's water distribution system.

The District remains on a Stage 1 – Water Alert with a goal of 10% conservation. The community has done an outstanding job in achieving our conservation goals. Thank you for your efforts!

**Reminder:** dividing your irrigation time into two or three cycles is more efficient and effective by allowing water to soak into the soil rather than running into the streets and gutters.

#### SECURITY REMINDER

**CURFEW**. Summertime is conducive to groups of kids wandering around, doorbell ditching, removing solar lights, putting trash cans in the middle of the street, and other mischief. As a reminder, there is a 10:00 p.m. curfew for teens and children. Parents or guardians are responsible for ensuring children are not in violation.



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### CALIFORNIA WASTE RECOVERY SYSTEMS

California Waste Recovery Systems (CWRS) has been providing solid waste collection and disposal services to Rancho Murieta since November of 2005 and has always provided excellent service to our residents.



Services provided by CWRS, include:

- Household battery collection in recycling carts
- Cell phone collection in recycling carts
- Used cooking oil collection at the curb
- Used motor oil collection at the curb

Cal-Waste offers large item collection, up to four (4) times a year per residence with 6 cubic yards (5'x4'x8') per pickup. Large items can include discarded household items such as: furniture, carpets, mattresses, clothing, large green waste, and brown goods. Universal Waste Collection and Electronic Waste collection are also picked up with the large item collection service. Call Cal-Waste at 354-4154 to schedule your pick up.

Another service available is extra green waste collection December 1 through March 30. Yard waste is not limited to the amount in your yard cart — extra plastic bags will be collected curbside. Christmas trees are also collected each year.

Collection days are Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday, depending on your street address. The mid-week collection days avoids having containers left out by residents traveling over the weekend. Green waste and recycles are collected on alternate weeks. Garbage is picked up weekly. Hours of collection are no earlier than 7:00 a.m. and no later than 5:00 p.m., unless otherwise noticed.

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## **JULY BOARD MEETING HIGHLIGHTS**

- ♣ Adopted Resolution 2016-09, In Honor of Chief Remson
- ♣ Introduced the New Security Chief, Paul Wagner
- Adopted Resolution 2016-10, Granting Easement
- Received Update on Midge Fly Ad Hoc Committee
- ♣ Received Update on Parks Committee

Volunteers needed for the VIPS Program (Volunteers in Partnership with Sheriffs). Contact Jackie Villa 354-8509 for more information.