RANCHO MURIETA November 2018



COMMUNITY SERVICES DISTRICT

PIPELINE

A Monthly Newsletter

DID YOU KNOW?

A cat has 32 muscles in each ear.



District Meeting Schedule FOR NOVEMBER 2018

November 1, 2018

Security @ 4:00 p.m.

Communications & Technology @ 4:30 p.m.

November 6, 2018

Improvements @ 8:30 a.m.

Finance @ 9:30 a.m.

Personnel @ 10:00 a.m.

Please note the November 21, 2018 Regular Board Meeting is canceled.

November 14, 2018
Special Board Meeting
@ 5:00 p.m.

The public is invited to attend.

All meeting dates and times are subject to change. Be sure to check our website, (www.rmcsd.com) for any changes.

KEEP HOLIDAY FOG OUT OF YOUR KITCHEN SINK

Turkey Day is just around the corner and Rancho Murieta Community Services District encourages you to keep your sink fat-free this holiday season.



Throughout the year, especially during the holidays, people pour the by-products of cooking down the sink

drain. Fats, cooking oils and grease (FOG) can coat and clog pipes which can cause sewer lines to back up into homes. That could mean costly clean-up and repair costs.

FOG can also cause blockages further down sewer lines. And that can result in overflows or sewage back-ups into yards or streets, creating a public health risk.

Oil making its way to wastewater treatment plants can disrupt the treatment process and increase the need for maintenance.

To prevent these problems, the District encourages you to dispose of your leftover FOG properly. Here are some suggestions that many of your neighbors may already be following:

- ♣ Do not put fats, oil, grease or greasy food down the garbage disposal.
- ♣ Place small amounts of fat, oil, and grease in a container with a tight-sealing lid, put the container in a trash bag, tie the bag shut, and dispose of it in a trash receptacle.
- ♣ Mix cooking oils with an absorbent material such as coffee grounds, place in a lidded container, and dispose of in a trash receptacle.
- If you are soaking a greasy pan, first pour off grease into a container. Then pace paper towels over the drain basket to catch grease and food as you pour the soaking water down the drain.
- ◆ Deep fat fryers for turkeys leave a large amount of oil. Solidify the grease by mixing it with an absorbent material such as cat litter. You can also soak up excess oil with newspaper and then place it in the trash.

Daylight Savings Time comes to an end at 2:00 a.m. on Sunday, November 4, 2018. Be sure to set your clocks back one (1) hour.





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REBATES

To assist in conservation, the District is offering several rebates and free conservation handouts; information is available at the District office and our website www.rmcsd.com.



- <u>Toilet Rebate</u>: You can receive a rebate of up to \$100 when you purchase and install a water efficient toilet.
- Water Pressure Reducing Valve: You can receive a rebate of up to \$100 when you purchase and install a water pressure reducing valve.
- Weather-Based Sprinkler Controller: You can receive a rebate of up to \$100 when you purchase and install a weather-based sprinkler controller.
- Rotator Head Sprinkler: You can receive a rebate of up to \$50 when you purchase and install a rotator head sprinkler system.
- <u>Drip System</u>: You can receive a rebate of up to \$50 when you purchase and install a drip system.
- Irrigation Efficiency Program: Including Turf Rebate Programs: You can receive up to \$500 per residential survey for implementing recommended landscape upgrades to your property.

SCHOOL BUS REMINDER

When the **school bus stops** and the flashing **red** lights come on, vehicles must stop and wait behind the bus or facing the bus if the roadway is not divided. Bus drivers are very cautious in seeing that their riders are out of harm's way before moving on.





OCTOBER 2018 BOARD MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

- ✓ Adopted Resolution R2018-09 Declaring Vehicle Surplus
- ✓ Approved Proposal for Main Lift South Stormwater Pump Repairs
- ✓ Approved Proposal for Cantova Pump and Rail Station Installation
- ✓ Approved Proposal for Cantova Sewer Pump Station Bypass
- ✓ Approved Additional Payment for Crane Rental for Water Plant Box Culvert Offloading and Placement
- ✓ Adopted Policy P2018-01 Dress and Uniform Guidelines
- ✓ Adopted Poicy P2018-02 Harassment of Any Nature, Including Sexual Harassment

The District Administration Office will be closed November 22 & 23, 2018 for the Thanksgiving Holiday.

