



RESORT IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT No. 1 SHELTER COVE, HUMBOLDT COUNTY, CALIFORNIA

*Electric, Water, Sewer, Fire Protection, Search & Rescue,
Airport, Golf Links, Recreation*

DECEMBER 2017 NEWSLETTER

Employee Honored as 2017 Operator of the Year

The California Water Environmental Association awarded Frank Wilson, Water Senior Utility Operator, their prestigious Operator of the Year Award. Frank is one of only two operators who operates the complicated water and wastewater systems in Shelter Cove. Not only does Frank manage both water and wastewater treatment plants, he also oversees a 23-mile long sewer system with 9 lift stations, over forty miles of water lines with 11 storage tanks, and 16 groundwater well sites. He is responsible for regulatory reporting to the state, budgeting projects and overseeing day-to-day operations and maintenance of not only the water and wastewater systems, but the maintenance of the golf course, and electrical infrastructure as well. He donates what free time he has to the volunteer fire department, where he's always the first and last on scene. He responds at any time of day or night to the SCADA alarm system for both water and wastewater. He goes well above and beyond his described job duties and he's an extremely hard worker who's very dedicated and passionate in what he does.

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COMMENTS: We encourage your comments, so please use your bill stub to provide feedback regarding matters within the District's control.

District staff would like to wish you a joyful holiday season and we hope your holiday travels are safe.

FIRE DEPARTMENT NEWS

It's Official - Fire Department Measure B Special Tax Passes:

The Fire Department would like to thank the community members who took the time to vote in the November election. The result was very close, but the measure passed with just over 2/3rds of voters voting YES on the new proposed tax increase. The money raised will be used to ensure Shelter Cove fire fighters stay well trained and are well equipped to deal with the increasing calls for service and population growth in the district. The new tax will take effect in July 2018.

Fire Extinguisher Recharge Reminder:

The community may bring their fire extinguishers to the Fire House on the morning of Thursday, December 7th, for recharging by Eureka-Humboldt Fire Extinguisher, phone 822-2517. The cost of this service will depend on the unit size.

Roof drains or storm drains improperly connected to the sewer collection system:

The RID's sewer lines are designed for sanitary sewage only and when inflow of rainwater occurs from illegally connected roof downspouts and yard area drains, the wastewater treatment plant has to work harder to clean the larger volume of water. Please disconnect any rainwater catchment systems from the sewer lines to save power and reduce wear and tear on the District's sewer infrastructure.

Holiday Announcements:

The District offices will close on Monday, December 25th and Tuesday, December 26th in observance of Christmas and Monday, January 1st, and Tuesday January 2nd, 2018 in observance of the New Year.

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