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The Colorado Water Plan

In May of 2013, Governor John Hickenlooper issued Executive Order D 2013-005 directing the CWCB to commence work on Colorado's Water Plan. On November 19, 2015, through the collaborative effort and vision of hundreds of stakeholders, dozens of state agencies, nine Basin Roundtables, thousands of meetings, and more than 30,000 comments from interested persons across the state, the CWCB delivered the 567-page Colorado Water Plan to its Board of Directors and the Colorado Governor's Office.

The goals within Colorado's Water Plan are to meet the water supply and demand gaps; defend Colorado's compact entitlements; improve regulatory processes; and explore financial incentives—all while honoring Colorado's water values and ensuring that the state's most valuable resource is protected and available for generations to come. The state's core water values shape every measurable objective, goal, and action in the plan.

Colorado's water supplies are highly variable, and our demands are growing. Throughout Colorado's history, and increasingly in recent decades, we have experienced severe drought conditions, extreme flooding events, population booms, and economic recessions. These extremes often reflect larger shifts that highlight the importance of resilience in our water supplies and thoughtful, collaborative planning—the heart of the Colorado Water Plan... https://cwcb.colorado.gov/ colorado-water-plan/about-the-water-plan



DON'T FLUSH THE WIPES

Just because you CAN flush it doesn't mean you SHOULD flush it. Here is toilet paper and a wipe from over a year ago. The wipe is still whole after a year! Even wipes labeled as "flushable" can lead to toilet and pipe blockages.





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Stratmoor Hills Water Treatment Plant

It is with great excitement that we inform our District that the planned centralized treatment plant is finally under construction. The new treatment plant will treat and deliver safe reliable drinking water to the District. The District will be able to operate our three groundwater wells free of PFAS contamination. The District has worked with the Colorado Department of Health and Environment (CDPHE) and the United States Airforce to develop and construct a centralized treatment plant to treat our groundwater wells.



BILLING SCHEDULE (est.)

Bills Mailed - June 4, 2021 Payments Due - June 15, 2021 Late Notices Mailed - June 16, 2021 Shut Off Payments Due - June 22, 2021 Shut Off Day - June 23, 2021 Meter Read Date - June 30, 2021

If you believe you may be late making your payment, please call us to make arrangements to avoid the \$30.00 delinquent fee.

STRATMOOR HILLS NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION - http://www.stratmoorhills.org/contact.php

SEWER PROBLEMS

If you have problems with your sewer line, please give us a call first so that we can determine if it is your service line or our main line. If it is in your line, we will notify you promptly. If it is our problem, we will take care of it immediately.

Stratmoor Hills Fire Protection District



This month we want to take a few minutes and let you know our longest serving volunteer is retiring after 37-years of service!

James (Jimmy) Light began his volunteer service on April 12, 1983 as a line Firefighter/EMT, quickly becoming a Lieutenant and then Captain. Jim served on the "line" for twenty-five (25) years before deciding that was enough and he then became a dedicated Dispatcher for the last ten (10) years. For those that do not know but Stratmoor Hills Volunteer Fire Department used to dispatch for the County Fire Agencies and ourselves until 2019. Jim always was willing to lend a hand when needed, he picked up extra shifts when someone had to call off, he would help teach the newest recruits how to pull a hose, hit a hydrant, pop a door-lock etc.

Thru the following activities James Light served his community: Fundraising Concerts, Movie Premiers, Mill Levy Increases, Aztec Raceway, Harrison/Sierra HS Football games, Dispatch Testing, Volunteers meetings, Trainings, Medic 1 & Dispatch shift coverage, El Paso County Wildland and Arson Investigation Teams, Public ceremonies; Fallen Firefighters Memorial, Representation on behalf of the Stratmoor Hills Fire Department at other Fire Department public events, Fire Muster Competitions, Fire Prevention Week activities, Safety Fairs, District Open house, Halloween and Christmas Cruises and numerous other community events.

Jimmy will be greatly missed by all here at the Fire Station and we wish him the best of luck in his future endeavors.





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Board elections are held in May of even-numbered years. Board meetings are held on the third Wednesday of each month beginning at 3:00 p.m. at the Fire Station (2160 "B" Street). Meeting agendas are posted at the Water District office (1811 "B" Street), the Fire Station and at the Stratmoor Elementary School (200 Loomis Avenue). If you would like more information about the Districts, please contact Kevin Niles at the Water and Sanitation Districts at 576-0311 or by e-mail at kevin@stratmoorhillswater.org or Dottie Barrett for the Fire Protection District at 576-1200 or by e-mail at mail@shvfd.com