

CALENDAR 2011

June

- 8 Finance Committee Meeting – 9:00 a.m.
- 9 Engineering Committee Meeting – 8:00 a.m.
- 9 Management Advisory Committee Meeting – 9:00 a.m.
- 12-16 AWWA Annual Conference & Exposition
- 16 SCPUAB Meeting – 7:00 a.m.
- 20 Executive Committee Meeting – 3:00 p.m.
- 20 MWDSLS Work Session – 3:30 p.m.
- 20 MWDSLS Board Meeting – 4:30 p.m.
- 23 SLCPUAC Meeting – 7:00 a.m.
- 23 PRWUA Board Meeting – 10:00 a.m.

July

- 6 Engineering Committee Meeting – 8:30 a.m.
- 18 MWDSLS Work Session 3:30 p.m.
- 18 MWDSLS Board Meeting 4:30 p.m.
- 21 SCPUAB Meeting – 7:00 a.m.
- 21 PRWUA Board Meeting - 10:00 a.m.
- 28 SLCPUAC Meeting – 7:00 a.m.

August

- 3 Engineering Committee Meeting – 8:00 a.m.
- 4 Finance Committee Meeting – 9:00 a.m. (proposed)
- 15 Conservation Committee Meeting – 2:30 p.m.
- 15 MWDSLS Work Session - 3:30 p.m.
- 15 MWDSLS Board Meeting - 4:30 p.m.
- 18 SCPUAB Meeting – 7:00 a.m.
- 25 SLCPUAC Meeting – 7:00 a.m.
- 25 PRWUA Board Meeting -10:00 a.m. (Annual Project Tour)

MWDSLS – Metropolitan Water District of Salt Lake & Sandy
PRWUA – Provo River Water Users Association
SLCPUAC – Salt Lake City Public Utilities Advisory Committee
SCPUAB – Sandy City Public Utilities Advisory Board

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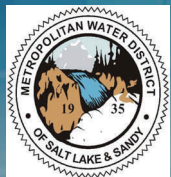
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MWDSLS Board of Trustees	
EVENT	TIME/DATE
Conservation Committee	2:30 PM
Work Session	3:30 PM
Board Meeting	4:30 PM
Engineering Committee	8:00 AM
Finance Committee	TBD
Management Advisory Committee	TBD
Executive Committee	TBD
Holidays	
Utah Water Users Association	Mar 14-16
AWWA National	June 12-16
Intermountain Section AWWA	Sept 14-16
Utah Association of Special Districts	Nov 3-4
NWRA Convention	Nov 16-18
CRWUA	Dec 14-16



The Metro Update

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CLEANING THE FINISHED WATER RESERVOIRS

The finished water reservoirs at the Point of the Mountain Water Treatment Plant were cleaned for the first time since the plant was placed into service in August of 2007. As much of the water that could be used was fed into the system. The reservoirs were then drained through the effluent pipe, into a sump, and then pumped out into the storm drain system. Once the reservoirs were drained, the Maintenance Department was able to begin the cleaning process. Safety steps were taken to ensure compliance with confined space regulations. The reservoirs were washed with fire hoses and in some cases brooms were used to remove the material deposits from the floor of the reservoir. Disinfection was then done by using the District's water wagon which is set-up with a pump system, spray wands, and nozzles that allow the staff to spray the reservoir surfaces that may come in contact with the finished water. Once this is complete, the reservoir is filled to the point of overflow and takes a sample which is read 24 hours later. This same process was followed on both of the finished water reservoirs.



HVAC UPGRADE IN THE ADMINISTRATION BUILDING

The District's Information Technology group has recently managed the upgrade of the heating, ventilation, and air conditioning (HVAC) system controller in the Administration Building. The IT group also oversaw the upgrade of the human machine interface (HMI) control software that interfaces with the new controller. These two upgrades have given the Administration Building's HVAC system more reliability and greater control over the HVAC environment. Additionally, this upgrade has provided the District with more tuning tools in the HMI, allowing technical staff to more effectively control the staging of the compressor system. This will result in the system running more efficiently, saving the District money on heating and cooling costs associated with this building.

HUMAN RESOURCES

Service Anniversary

Ken Fritz	30 years
Jerry Kimball	30 years
Bret Goodwin	10 years

New Employee

Spencer Martell	Grounds worker
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SAFEGUARDING THE CORRIDOR

A home expansion at 94 Lone Hollow, Pepperwood Development, had plans to construct several footings and basement walls onto the Salt Lake Aqueduct easement. Despite the argument that the encroachment was "only a few inches" (14-inches at the outset) staff were successful in persuading the homeowner, contractor and architect to saw cut the facilities back and modify the plans so that all encroachments were eliminated. Timely inspections by the Aqueduct Inspectors and diligent defense of the District's Policy and Procedures with the contractor, homeowner, and architect were key in stopping further encroachments.

ENGINEERING NEWSLETTER

The Engineering and Administration departments recently teamed up to produce and mail a newsletter to more than 1400 landowners along the Salt Lake Aqueduct and Point of the Mountain Aqueduct corridors. The 4-page newsletter provides information on District policy, rights-of-way, and the recent surveys and aqueduct inspections. Through this and future mailers, the District is endeavoring to keep neighboring property owners and communities informed of the District's land interests, aqueducts, and activities. The newsletter has drummed up interest in the aqueducts and generated many questions from neighboring homeowners.

