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To: Board of Directors  
From: Tom Weddle, General Manager  
Date: January 16, 2024  
Subject: Managers Report

**1. Field Maintenance** - The dump truck has arrived at the facility. It is now being outfitted and should arrive mid-February.

The District received a shipment of large boxes for sampling PFA's (Perfluoroalkyl and polyfluoroalkyl substances). This was sent to us by the EPA and instructions on how to sample and send back properly. We are hoping our numbers will be low due to the fact most of our water is groundwater from deep wells.

The District has decided to move forward with the purchase of a new Miox unit, chlorine pump, and telemetry satellite box, for the Pinecrest Vertical well. We have also extended the size of the building to accommodate the extra equipment. We did this ourselves in about two working days. This well is located at the top of our system. This year we have been producing so much water that we are unable to use, all of it at that location. We have been shutting off our well every few days and purchasing CLAWA water instead. This is because we have no way to chlorinate the water at this site. We order 10 gpm from CLAWA solely for chlorination purposes. With this purchase it would allow us to use our own water and chlorinate our water to the legal ppm. We would be able to shut down CLAWA at this site for a good portion of the year, leaving this well on full time. In a few months, this purchase will have paid for itself.

RDO called to notify us that the snow blower has arrived. Unfortunately, it had damage to it, and they were unable to repair it at their facility. In the meantime, a new one has been ordered.

**2. Water Report** – We continue to see our system loss remain under 10% as we find and repair leaks. Our CLAWA purchases were less than 10% of our total production for the month. We are currently evaluating water use per customer per month using know vacation rentals and trying to determine if there is a water use trend that we can use to determine actual full time residential use. We will also evaluate customers that have excessive use and will reach out to these customers to determine the reasoning. We have seen excessive watering of the landscape during winter months. We are hoping that by reaching out we can help them save water during times of unnecessary watering.