



NORTH KOOTENAI WATER DISTRICT

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Board Meetings ~ Meetings are held at our office on the 1st and 3rd Thursday of each month at 12:30 p.m.



Revenue Bond Update

The new bonds will go to the bond market in October. The District was fortunate in securing the backing of the Idaho Bond Bank for this issue; providing the bonds with a double A2 rating on the market. Seattle NW Securities, out of Boise, is handling the sale of the bonds for the District. Proceeds will be used to fund Capital Improvement projects that will benefit our existing constituents.

Don't forget ~ the amount you are charged for Bond payment will increase on your October statement from \$3.82 to \$6.94 per unit.

Other Items

Snow Birds ~ If you head South for the winter, and wish to have your water service shut off "at the meter", please notify the office at **772-3619** to schedule a service call. It is important to remember that you must notify us 48 hours in advance (Monday - Friday) to schedule the turn on in the Spring. There is no charge for this service provided you call in advance.

Meter Insulation ~ It's getting cold! District staff will be installing foam insulation in your meter boxes to hold ground heat in and prevent your water meter from freezing. Conventional fiberglass insulation batts get wet in this environment and are not recommended.

Meter Reading ~ Usually October is the last month for reading meters but if the snow holds off we'll read again in November. The word 'Estimate' will appear on your statement when estimating begins. Estimated readings are reconciled in the Spring with the first actual meter reading of the new year.

Bill Payments ~ For fast, convenient bill payment processing log on to www.nkwsd.com to make your payment!

Construction



- ◆ **Hayden Well #2** ~ Work is now underway for the installation of the new well house and related mechanical and electrical components for Hayden Well #2. When completed, the new well and pump will provide approximately 1,600 gallons of water per minute to the Hillside and Grouse Meadows service areas. TML Construction of Hayden is the General Contractor for this project.
- ◆ **Point Hayden Water Line Replacement** ~ Steel water mains in the Point Hayden area are planned to be replaced in the summer of 2010.
- ◆ **Springrock Booster Station Upgrades** ~ To increase system pressure in the northern Avondale Additions, new pumps and 3 phase power will be added to the existing Springrock Booster Station.
- ◆ **Echo Beach Pump Station Improvements** ~ This pump station is in need of replacement.
- ◆ **Planned Projects** ~ The District is currently doing the survey work in Avondale for the water main project scheduled for Spring of 2010. The District is working with Lakes Highway District on a cooperative effort for street repaving in conjunction with this project.

Conservation Measures



When you add or replace a flower or shrub, choose a low water use plant for year-round landscape color and save up to 550 gallons each year.

Digging



You must call **811** before digging for any reason, at any depth, at least **48 hours** prior to digging. **Locates Are Free, Repairs Are Not!**