

CAPE CARANCAHUA WSC SPLASH NEWSLETTER

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IMPORTANT NOTES

Congratulations to Jacob Bell he is now a licensed water operator.

Turbidity: Material that causes water to be turbid include clay, silt, very tiny inorganic and organic matter, algae, dissolved colored organic compounds, and plankton and other microscopic organisms. Turbidity **makes water cloudy**

For more detailed information, please go to our website:
<http://caprancahuawatersupplycorps.com>



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CCWSC WATER DEPARTMENT HIGHLIGHTS

What's happening this month

- Gonzalez Contracting, Inc. poured the concrete foundation and the piping for the 120k gallon ground water tank.
- Forge-Global Industries delivered and finished the 120k gallon ground water storage tank this week. We have included pictures of the construction. The tank is being disinfected and then will be filled with water early next week. The tank should be operational once we take water samples in and get the results.
- TCEQ approved our plan for the 5k gallon pressure tank.
- Gonzales Contracting, Inc. was awarded the bid for the foundation work and piping for the 5k gallon pressure tank and the foundation work is now complete.
- Bull Dog Steel was awarded the bid for fabrication of 5k gallon pressure tank.
- We are planning to schedule a tour of the plant so anyone that wants to see the new tanks, come by sign the tank and get a bite to eat thanks to the Capers and Lowe's Market for providing the food.
- Annual Meeting is scheduled for April 23, 2023 at 2pm. We will be going over the rate increase that was discussed last year that would be implemented in 2023.
- We placed an organization chart of our employees and board members on our website.
- There has been a lot of discussion on next door about brown and cloudy water. When CCWSC work on leaks they have to flush the lines at the blowdowns. This forces water through the main pipes to clear the water. However, it also causes sediment to get stirred up. The water in the pipes have already been treated so the water is safe to drink. It takes a little time for the sediment to settle. Also, we have a lot of customers that do not live in the Cape full time, so the movement of water in some areas is not as great as in others. This is no different than any other water company. You can never 100% get rid of sediment. The water is safe because it has gone through the treatment process with chlorine gas. We take daily residuals and monitor our water for safety we also take water samples to Victoria County Public Health Department Laboratory for testing twice a month. TCEQ heavily monitors and regulates water systems. We have transparent policies anyone that wants to see our water quality reports are encouraged to come and make a request to the main office. We also have yearly testing from the state for all chemicals and Lead and Copper every three years and Asbestos every 7 years. We have every test on file in our main office. If you have questions about the safety of our water system, please contact our office and we will go over the test results. Also, you can always go out to TCEQ's website and review our water quality reports they are open to the public. If you go out to our website there is a TCEQ link and CCWSC regulatory number.



"We would like to thank Phil Taylor for his contribution over the last few years to CCWSC as an Operator. Phil has retired from CCWSC, and we want to wish him well in his future endeavors."

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