

CAPE CARANCAHUA WSC SPLASH NEWSLETTER

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NEWS ALERT

Reminder to the community when there are leaks and flushing going on in the community there is turbidity that happens with the water. We send out communication and have education on turbidity and brown water that happens when sediment is stirred up in the system and what to do to prepare. The water is treated with chlorine gas, tested daily and by the state monthly. Please go out to our website under education for more information. Website:

<http://caprancahuawatersupplycorps.com>



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CCWSC WATER DEPARTMENT HIGHLIGHTS

What's happening this month

- **We are completely done with the upgrades in the plant!** New 120k gallon groundwater storage tank, new 5k gallon pressure tank and have 95% piping replaced in plant, new valves and master meter, new distribution loop under Carancahua Boulevard, pump house refurbished, replaced fencing, new portable building for storage, refurbished chlorinator building and all electrical upgrades are complete.
- **All of this was paid for by the assessment that was levied in June of 2022. The total cost of these projects is approximately \$568,996.12. We have taken out two seven-year loans to allow us to collect the assessment monies over a period of five years to be able to pay for these projects.**
- We are having our Annual Member Meeting on April 7, 2024 at 2pm in the Community Center. We will have a breakdown of financials and statistics displayed for your viewing. We will also be discussing Capital Planning and conservation efforts.
- We are hosting this week our first Basic Water Class for the local water utility companies. The benefit of bringing an instructor here to the community is to cut down expenses on education and travel. City of Palacios, City of Port Lavaca, City of Port O'Connor, City of Point Comfort and CCWSC have joined together to train employees. Thank you to the CCPOA for providing the use of the community center to conduct this 3-day class. We planned to hold trainings in the future.

What's next

- Two of the older pressure tanks will go through maintenance and will be refurbishment to keep them in good shape for the future.
- The board will continue working on Capital Planning and a Five-Year Plan. This will include isolation valves and main line replacements. This will take time as there is 13.1 miles of main line and the pipes were put in originally in the 70's. The board will strategically plan out replacements as we have the money and resources available to do the work.

Maintenance worker Chris McLane is working on his Class D Operator License. Jacob Bell, Operator and Ken Anderson, VP are working on their Class C Operator License".

CAPE CARANCAHUA WATER SUPPLY CORPORATION



Basic Water Class



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New Piping & 120k GST



New Plant Valves



New 5k Gallon Pressure Tank



New Portable Building



Refurb Chlorinator Bldg.



Refurbished Pump House



New Piping and Master Meter



Upgraded Electrical Wiring



Refurbished Pump House