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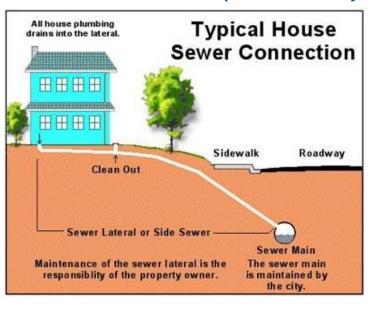
Contract Work Continues at the Wastewater Treatment Plant

Our project is about half way completed, and is moving on schedule and on budget. WM Lyles Construction, KASL Construction Managers, and Stantec Consulting Engineers are working together to implement much needed improvements, and we expect project completion in April 2020. Our Board of Directors, pictured to right, have established a policy to actively seek grant funding and low interest loans for all infrastructure projects. Recently, our District received funding of close to \$7M in grants from the State Revolving Fund and the USDA Rural Development Program. We have applied for an additional \$3M in grants and loans for the next phase of projects, that includes the replacement of a major sewer trunkline running along the along the San Andreas Creek.



Board of Directors at Groundbreaking on May 1st (Left to Right): Todd Fischer, Mike Walker, Michelle Turner, Terral Strange, and Erie Young

Repairs for Privately Owned Sewer Pipes



- The District's Ordinance requires individual property owners to maintain the private sewer pipe and cleanouts in good functioning order. No leaks out of the pipe, no infiltration into the pipe, and no illicit connections from gutters or RVs.
- Smoke Testing is underway to help identify sewer defects and illicit connections.
- Follow the District's specifications for pipe, cleanouts, and methods when repairing your sewer line. A licensed plumber is required to make repairs. Give us a call and we can help point you in the right direction when planning your work. A permit may be required, depending on the type of work, and an inspection is required before finishing the job.

Online Bill Pay Helps Customers Save Time and Avoid Late Fees

Did you know that the Sanitary District can accept payments from individual customer's banking institutions? Bill Pay is an easy way to set-up recurring payments to pay utility bills allowing customers to avoid postage and minimize late payments. Visit http://sasanitary.org and click Set Up Online Bill Pay under the How Can We Help You tab for detailed instructions.

*Due to significant fees, the District has decided against customers using a credit or debit card to pay their utility bills. Online Bill Pay through a bank or credit union is a free option that provides a similar convenience.



