



City of Dripping Springs

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Commission Meeting Date:	09/19/2024
Item Wording:	Update on Utilities for the month August 2024
Agenda Item Requestor:	Utility Commission
<p>Projects Under Construction:</p> <p>Heritage Treated effluent line under construction</p> <p>Driftwood effluent line – Construction to start soon</p> <p>Big Sky Package Plant – Construction has Started</p> <p>Upcoming projects:</p> <p>Howard Ranch – Treated Effluent tap</p> <p>Cannon Ranch Regional Lift Station - design</p> <p>Heritage lift station – easements</p> <p>Anarene (Double L) – Water and Wastewater plans under review</p> <p>Wild Ridge (Cynosure) – Water and Wastewater plans under review</p> <p>Village Grove –Construction has started</p> <p>New Growth –Wastewater plans under review</p> <p>South Regional Water Reclamation Expansion Project Update:</p> <p>The Supreme Court has requested to hear oral arguments on October 1st.</p> <p>No new updates on the TLAP Amendment 2 contested case.</p> <p>Dripping Springs Retail Water Update:</p> <p>Stage 2 watering restrictions are in place for all CODS water customers.</p>	

South Regional Water Reclamation Facility Operations Report.

The South Regional Water Reclamation Facility operated within permit parameters for the month of August.

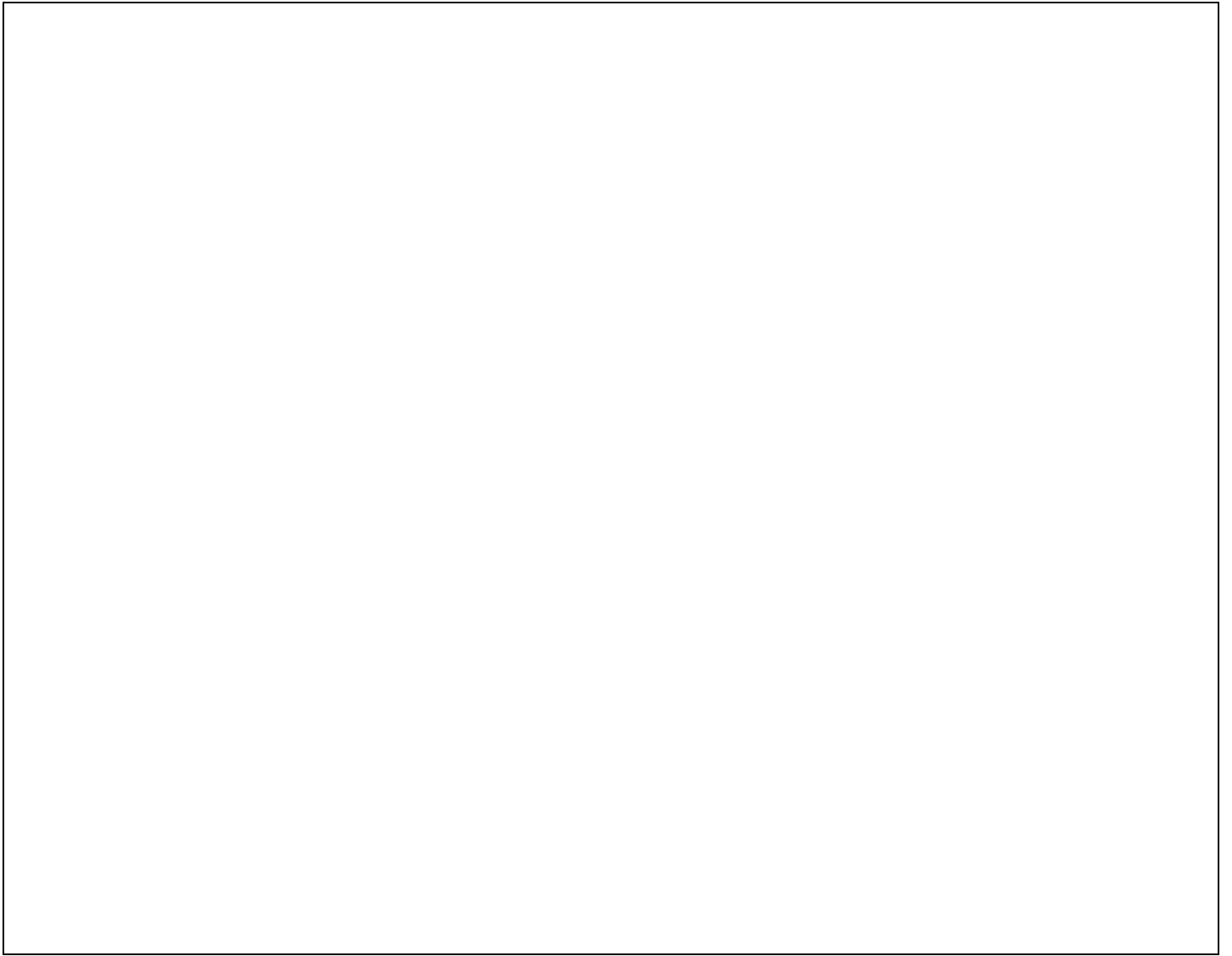
Arrowhead Wastewater Plant Update:

The city has finished working with AUC on the plant expansion. Plant is running both trains. The GST and the drip fields have not gone out for bid yet. We need these to come into compliance, however from an operation standpoint the additional capacity in the plant is what is needed to improve effluent quality.

We had 3 reportable violations for the month of August. We believe these are due to issues with the blowers running properly. Issues have been resolved and effluent quality is within parameters.

Update on Reclaimed Water:

We have started billing for Reclaimed water. Construction of the irrigation amendments to Sports and Rec Park have been completed. The city is currently irrigating Sports and Rec Park with 210 reclaimed water.



Commission Recommendations:	
Actions by Other Jurisdictions/Entities:	
Previous Action:	
Recommended Action:	
Alternatives/Options:	
Budget/Financial Impact:	
Attachments:	
Related Documents at City Hall:	
Public Notice Process:	
Public Comments:	
Enforcement Issues:	
Comprehensive Plan Element:	
Next Step/Schedule:	