THE MANY USES OF THE DISTRICT’S VACUUM TRUCK

A sewer cleaning and vacuum excavation truck is one of the most important pieces of equipment a water and sewer utility owns. This truck can:

- Clean sewer mains
- Hydro-excavate sewer and water mains for repairs and maintenance
- Suck out and clean debris from wet wells and tanks
- Help us respond to other emergency response needs

IVGID has used our current truck to clean 1,000,000 feet of sewer line in its service life and now it is time to replace it. However, these specialized pieces of equipment are priced at over $400,000 each. We thank the community for continuing to support the water and sewer rates to make sure we can equip our staff with the tools and equipment they need in order to maintain the water and sewer infrastructure in our District.
GRANT FUNDING FOR THE BURNT CEDAR EROSION CONTROL PROJECT

IVGID has been approved to receive up to $81,500 in 319(h) Grant Funding from NDEP for a water quality improvement project. The Burnt Cedar Erosion Control Project arose from years of stormwater-related damage at Burnt Cedar Beach. Currently, the site receives stormwater runoff from Lakeshore Boulevard and higher areas via an 18” metal pipe which drains directly to a grassy picnic area. From there, the stormwater creates a variety of downhill paths, causing damage and collecting additional pollutants as it travels through a parking area, around bathrooms and a playground before reaching Lake Tahoe. The proposed project will design an appropriately-sized treatment system to capture fine sediment and control the water flow rates to protect valuable infrastructure and the lake.

REPLACEMENT OF CRITICAL SEWER INFRASTRUCTURE AT ROCKY POINT

In September we were able to replace critical infrastructure at a sewer pump station in Rocky Point. The pump station was one of the original stations, constructed in 1974 to serve the subdivision. At over 40 years old, it reached the end of its useful life. As it is located within 60 feet of the shore of Lake Tahoe, replacing it was critical to avoid a sewage overflow to the lake.

We were able to take advantage of the lane closures as part of the traffic control during the Bike Path construction. Granite Construction was the low bidder for the project and was able to get this equipment installed in a 2-day period. The only available access to replace this pump station was to use a lane of SR 28 to stage equipment and materials.

REMEMBER TO TURN OFF YOUR WATER EVERY TIME YOU LEAVE!

For information on winterization visit our website: www.yourtahoeplace.com/public-works/water/winterization

IVGID PUBLIC WORKS WILL BE CLOSED
THE FOLLOWING DATES:
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 26
MONDAY, NOVEMBER 12
THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 22
FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 23

IVGID PUBLIC WORKS IS AVAILABLE 24/7 TO RESPOND TO WATER/SEWER EMERGENCIES
CALL 775-832-1203

HHW & E-WASTE DROP-OFF

SITE WILL BE CLOSED:
TUESDAY, NOV. 20 & THURSDAY, NOV. 22
TUESDAY, DEC. 25 & THURSDAY, DEC. 27

STANDARD HOURS
FEB. 1-OCT. 31: TUES & THURS 3-5 PM

WINTER HOURS
NOV. 1-JAN. 31: TUES & THURS 3-4:30 PM

SITE WILL BE CLOSED DURING SEVERE WEATHER
TV’S ARE NO LONGER ABLE TO BE ACCEPTED