

IMPORTANT UPDATE

September 14, 2022

Dear Neighbors,

This is an important update regarding our water system. First, on behalf of the Board and our Water Master, Nick Gorshen, we wish to thank all of you for conserving water usage during this unprecedented extreme drought affecting our entire state. Nick has informed the Board that through your diligent conservation, we have decreased our daily water consumption during the hot summer months (mostly the end of the 2nd quarter and through the 3rd quarter) from 40,000 to 50,000 gallons per day to our current average of 25,000 gallons per day.

As much as we have conserved, due to the extended drought, our water system has now been affected. Nick completed sounding tests of our three wells on September 13, 2022, to determine the water levels in each well. With that, of the three wells, one well has dried up. A second well is slightly lower by ten feet, and the third well is replenishing as normal.

Nick has been consulting with Ernie Goff, of CR Water, our engineering partner to develop a plan of action. Ernie Goff has informed us that we are eligible for a grant from the State for emergency water should we be further affected. Additionally, both Nick and Ernie will be meeting next week to research additional contingencies. In our 3rd quarter update, we will provide additional information as they become available.

Based on this, we request that all of us **further reduce water consumption** until further notice. As a reminder, there is to be no water removal from our lake, and please **reconsider your landscaping** to reflect our continued drought conditions.

Thank you for your attention and should you have any questions, please feel free to call on Nick or myself.

Sincerely,

Neill Murchison

President – Woodridge Mutual Water & Property Owners Corporation

cc: Board of Directors
Nick Gorshen