

FRIDAY LETTER

July 20, 2018

1. **Power outage at Sandy Shores.** When Patsy inspected on Monday morning she found the silos down to 26 feet (should be 36). When she read the meter at the Sandy Shores well she found it had not pumped overnight as expected. She tried to manually start the pump, but it did not respond. Dave found that one leg of our three-phase power was missing. He started the generator and the pump came on fine. Wes from PSE reset a blown breaker on the pole and all was well again. An electrocuted squirrel on the ground at the base of the pole completed the story.
2. **Sanitary Survey report.** DOH has sent us their final report on our recent Sanitary Survey. I have attached a pdf copy. It includes recommendations for improvements in the order of urgency. Some of these things have already been done by Dave, others are in progress. Some, like the need for a backup generator at the booster pump station, will require Capital Improvement Programming and budget actions by the Board. Dave and I will go over the list in detail with the Board at a future meeting.

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