



# Centerville CSD

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## **Board of Director's Meeting July 20, 2016**



### **A LOOK at the BUDGET**

Adoption of Resolution 2016-08, Capital Budget for FY 2016-17: The Board of Directors unanimously adopted Resolution 2016-08, approving a balanced Capital Budget in the amount of \$376,230. This budget includes funds related to the Water Treatment Plant's Backwash Recycle Project, as well as the construction of an ADA Restroom Retrofit at the District Office.

## **Why Conserve Water?**



Although we have more water than last year; let's not forget that the drought conditions remain.

By doing our part to use less water, we help protect this natural resource.

Here are few reminders of how to conserve water during this hot summer...

- 1) Use soaker hoses on your plants. Go even further and place the soaker hoses on timers.
- 2) Clean vegetables in a basin of water with a brush, instead of under running water.
- 3) Filling the washing machine for each load, saves water and energy.
- 4) Use mulch around trees and plants to keep water from evaporating.
- 5) Capture the running water while waiting for the shower to warm up, and use this water in your household plants or garden.
- 6) Limit your outdoor watering to three days per week.

## **Remember Every Drop Counts!**

### **Conservation Update**

Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	April	May	June	July
2015—2016	37.8	37.9	41.4	79.2	110.1	178.7	215.3*
2013	56.3	63.0	81.6	117.3	201.8	240.1	294.0
Conservation	33%	40%	49%	33%	45%	26%	27%*

\* Estimated

**Quotable Quotes:** "A perfect summer day is when the sun is shining, the breeze is blowing, the birds are singing, and the lawn mower is broken."

James Dent

# History Made in August

## Did you know that .....

On **August 1, 1790**, the first U.S. Census was completed. There were four million people in the United States.

Wild Bill Hickock was killed during a poker game on **August 2, 1876**. He was holding a "Dead Man's Hand"... two pair aces and 8's.

Dom Perignon invented Champagne on **August 4, 1693**. The Little Orphan Annie comic strip debuted on **August 5, 1924**.

On **August 6, 1945**, the Atom bomb was dropped on Hiroshima, Japan by the U.S. On **August 8, 1945** the Daughters of the American Revolution organization was created. Japan surrendered, ending World War II on **August 14, 1945**.

Betty Boop made her appearance on **August 9, 1930** in the animated cartoon *Dizzy Dishes*. *Forty-four years later*, President Richard M. Nixon became the first and only president to resign while in office on **August 9, 1974**.



Hawaii was annexed into the United States on **August 12, 1898** and later became the 50th state on **August 21, 1959**.

The Panama Canal was opened on **August 15, 1914**. The Indianapolis Speedway held its first auto race on **August 19, 1909**.

Breakfast would not be the same without waffles. Thank goodness the Waffle Iron was patented by Cornelius Swarthout of Troy, New York on **August 24, 1869**. **August 24<sup>th</sup>** is now National Waffle Day in my book!

Amelia Earhart completed her trans-continental flight on **August 25, 1932**; and Martin Luther King Jr. gave his "I have a Dream" speech on **August 28, 1963**. Walt Disney released *Mary Poppins* on **August 29, 1964**; and *The Late Show with David Letterman* premiered on CBS on **August 30, 1993**.

What will August 2016 bring?



## August 3rd is National Watermelon Day!



## August 10th is National S'mores Day!

## August 26th is National Dog Day!



### Average Water Usage for the month:

Compare the usage on your water bill with the average of the District.

July's Average: 6,500 cubic - feet.

### NEXT REGULAR BOARD MEETING:

The next Board of Director's meeting has been scheduled for Wednesday, August 20th, 2016 at 7:00 pm., at the District Office.

The public is always encouraged to attend.