OLIVEHURST PUBLIC UTILITY DISTRICT
MEMORANDUM

DATE : October 29, 2026

TO : John Tillotson, General Manager

FROM : Nicholas Pomeroy, Chief Plant Operator

RE: **Monthly Report of Activities for Board meeting on 11/19/2026**

- For the month of September, the OPUD Wastewater Treatment Facility had no exceedances of its N.P.D.E.S. permit.
- Plant Staff cleaned the filters and the UV system to keep both systems running efficiently.
- The longer power cable for the third pump at Lift Station 14 was delivered on 09/17/26. Unfortunately, the sensor cable wasn't ordered so we are awaiting a quote to get a longer sensor cable to get the pump installed correctly. Landscaping & general housekeeping work around the lift stations is being completed.
- The Gold Village wastewater plant has been running smoothly. Staff are gearing up to switch from the Spray Fields to the Creek for the winter season.
- The repaired Anoxic mixer at the Hard Rock casino wastewater plant was installed on 09/23/26. The SCADA computer that Telstar set up was installed on October 22nd/23rd. Staff has a formal training scheduled for 11/2/26 and both the new SCADA and old SCADA are running side by side for a few weeks to make sure everything is running properly.
- The OPUD Wastewater Plant processed during the month of September 54.50 million gallons, which is an average of 1.82 MGD flow.
- Collection Staff will be gearing up to start the annual FOG inspections for the year.
- The Drying Beds are at the end of the drying season. H&H is scheduled for the week of November 2nd to haul off all the dried sludge to Recology.
- Collection and Operations staff cleaned out the West Oxidation Ditch and removed all the grit on the North end as well as all the accumulated rags on the pumps/mixers. The West Oxidation Ditch is back online. We are awaiting a quote for a new VFD for one of the aerator motors on the West Oxidation ditch.
- One of our long-time Wastewater Operators retired on 10/29/26 and another operator's last day will be Friday, November 6th. We are in the process of rewriting the position descriptions and looking to hire new Wastewater operators as soon as possible.

Lift Station Status

Lift Station 1 – 3 Vaughan Pumps (10 Horsepower); 2 in service; 1 needing to be inspected for possible plug on suction line.

Lift Station 2 – 1 Vaughan Pump (10 Horsepower) and 1 Grundfos Pump has been installed; The Grundfos Pump that was installed 9-17-25 got something lodged in the impeller and broke it. The new impeller is installed and as of 2/23/26 the Pump is back in the Lift Station and ready to be used.

Lift Station 3 – 2 Vaughan Pumps (5 Horsepower); All in service

Lift Station 4 – Out of Service

Lift Station 5 – 2 Vaughan Pumps (5 Horsepower); All in service

Lift Station 6 – 2 Vaughan Pumps (10 Horsepower); 1 Pump is out of service

Lift Station 7 – 2 Pumps normal operation. Currently 1 Vaughan (10 Horsepower) is in service & we are in the process of installing a Grundfos (2 Horsepower) pump as the second pump.

Lift Station 8 – 2 Vaughan Pumps (10 Horsepower); 1 Pump is out of service; need to order a new pump

Lift Station 9 – 1 Flygt Pump (3 Horsepower); All in service

Lift Station 10 – 1 Vaughan Pump (5 Horsepower); All in service

Lift Station 11 – 2 Vaughan Pumps (10 Horsepower); All in service

Lift Station 12 – 2 Vaughan Pumps (40 Horsepower); All in service

Lift Station 13 – 2 Vaughan Pumps (7.5 Horsepower); All in service

Lift Station 14 – 3 Vaughan Pumps (75 Horsepower); 2 in service. The 1 Grundfos pump was delivered on 2/19/26 and we are working with our electrician to get it installed. See first page for update on Grundfos Pump.

Lift Station 15 – 2 Vaughan Pumps (40 Horsepower); All in service

Lift Station 16 – 2 Vaughan Pumps (50 Horsepower); 1 in service. The second pump that was down has been repaired. We are working with our electrician to get all new electrical panels installed so we can get the second pump up and running.

Lift Station 17 – 2 Vaughan Pumps (5 Horsepower); All in service

Lift Station 18 – 2 Vaughan Pumps (5 Horsepower); All in service

Lift Station 19 – 2 Vaughan Pumps (5 Horsepower); All in service

Lift Station 20 – 2 Vaughan Pumps (5 Horsepower); All in service

Lift Station 27 – 2 Vaughan Pumps (50 Horsepower); All in service

If you have any questions my contact info is below.

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