MUD 136 Report

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By Eric Worthington, Asst Secretary

The Harris County Municipal Utility District 136 monthly meeting was held in person at the Deerfield Village Recreation Center Clubhouse. The meeting was held at 6:00 P.M. on Thursday April 14, 2022.

The Board reviewed water and sanitary sewer operations from the previous month with presentations from our consultants, continued our discussions pertaining to the long-term Assessment Management and Replacement Plan being prepared by our District’s Engineer, trash and recycling services, in addition to other agenda items pertinent to our District.

The Board has continues to review our trash and recycling services as provided by Texas Pride. We have continued to bring up service issues as they arise and work with the company to better serve our clients in Deerfield Village. Please visit our website to understand days, times, and what will be collected.

The Board continues its review and consideration of the asset management proposal that our District Engineer has prepared. During our meeting a Contract was signed for in-place maintenance repairs to the MUD 136 main sanitary sewer line extending along Pine Forest Lane leading to the Jackrabbit Road Wastewater Treatment plant. This work is expected to begin shortly. A plan has been set in place to being inspections of all of the closed sanitary lines throughout Deerfield Village as part of ongoing reviews for maintenance planning over the next 5 years.

As mentioned in several previous articles, the West Harris County Regional Water Authority (WHCRWA) has once again raised their water supply rates to Municipal Utility Districts. The rate has risen from $3.85 per 1,000 gallons up to $4.10 per 1,000 gallons beginning January 1, 2022. These charges are a direct pass through to our District customers as we have no control over the increases. We continue to point out that the residents of MUD 136 can only control their costs by implementing water conservation measures.

As a reminder residents can sign up to be included in the MUD’s text alert system by texting “hcmud136” (without quotation marks) to 74121, creating an account using an email address at <https://mobile-text-alerts.com/hcmud136>. Registered residents will receive alerts about interruptions to water, sewer, or trash service.

Our next regular monthly meeting is scheduled for Thursday, May 12th, at 6 P.M. We will continue in-person meetings based on the State of Texas open meeting rules. At this time, our meeting will take place in the Deerfield Village Recreation Center Clubhouse although we suggest that you visit our District website at [WWW.HCMUD136.ORG](http://WWW.HCMUD136.ORG) for confirmation of the location.