

SALEM WATER DEPARTMENT

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July 11th Wednesday 7pm

- There are 311 meters in service.
- I have been working on cleaning out and operating main line valves. This is a slow process that has been going good. I have found some minor issues that need to be addressed.
- We are signed up for a water class in Lake George for \$20 each. I think it looks like a good class. This class is on the 18th July. Its on Safety for water operators. It will cover Excavations, Confined Space, Traffic Control and PPE.
- Regular upkeep and maintenance was performed.
- We did our 1st 2 sets of dead end flushing. We broke it down to “north” and “south” of White Creek. The flushing went good.
- I did year end meter read.
- We fixed a leaking valve in the water pump room.
- Eye wash and Fire Extinguishers checks have been done.
- We did our monthly water sample required by the D.O.H. MET the bacteriological requirements for a public water supply as set forth in subpart 5-1.5 of the State Sanitary Code under Public Health Law 225.
- All fire hydrants are in service.
- We did our 2nd Quarter Iron and Manganese testing in June. This round of testing came back GOOD. We had all 4 test come back under the MCL. This is the 1st time well 3 has passed in quite a few tests.
- Our up coming water tests this year are
 - Coliform - Monthly
 - Iron + Manganese - Quarterly (March,June,September,December)
 - Nitrate - Lead & Copper - Secondary Inorganic Chemicals - Principle Organic Chemicals. We will be doing these tests around July.
- **The Salem Fire Department will be doing there yearly hose testing on Aug 1st - Aug 3rd They will be using hydrant #39 witch is located near the school.**

Thank You,

Eric Rogers

Class C Water Plant Operator

