

# **SALEM WATER DEPARTMENT**

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## **May 12<sup>th</sup> Wednesday**

- There are 316 meters in service. I have looked over the meters in service and noticed a couple changes, and still looking over information to make sure it is the correct number.
- Regular upkeep and maintenance was performed.
- Have been working on sand blasting some fire hydrants. Once blasted I will prime them then paint and install new bolts. I am hoping that the 2 hydrants near the school will be painted by the school in Salem Generals colors like other water systems do. Working on 25 hydrants.
- We flushed all the fire hydrants and re-flushed the dead ends. The system is ready for the summer. Flushing went very good with no issues. All fire hydrants are in service
- We did flow test and static lost tests on a couple fire hydrants near the old CB Sports building. We have good flow and pressure. The flow is over 1300 GPM out of a dead end 6" main.
- We did a hand full for Dig Safe mark outs.
- We did our 2<sup>nd</sup> round Iron and Manganese testing.
- We did our 2<sup>nd</sup> PFO round of testing. Hope it comes back like 1<sup>st</sup> round did and hopefully we should be set with that.
- The Highway helped to clean out back of water office area. Removed so old metal pipes and trimmed some tree's.
- We fixed 6 curb stops. 4 needed to be cut and fixed and 2 needed new caps.
- We had a contractor hit a curb stop. Got them a bill for the repairs \$81.15
- 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.
- We need to have the office door at the water barn replaced - will do in spring I hope.
- Washed the outside walls and top of the water tank with a pressure washer to take off 17-18 years of dirt - dust - mold / what ever could grow on the out side.

Thank You,

**Eric Rogers**

Class C Water Plant Operator

