SALEM WATER DEPARTMENT

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- There are 316 meters in service. I have looked over the meters in service some more and still looking over information to make sure it is the correct number.
- Regular upkeep and maintenance was performed.
- Had a hand full of dig safe mark outs
- There was a hand full of meter freeze ups. I have mailed bills to the owners. A meter freeze up and run about \$30 if your luck on timing and parts or could be over \$400 just for the water department side.
- Please close off your basement windows and if you have a cold basement insulate your pipes so your not next freeze up! We had a hand full of freeze ups.
- All fire hydrants have been winterized
- 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 Heath Law 225.
- We need to have the office door at the water barn replaced
- I would like to thank everyone that cleans out around fire hydrants!
- One backflow device at water office passed the yearly inspection and one failed. The one that failed has been replaced and everything is back up and going a it was before.
- Worked on getting some paperwork together. I would to have the Salem web page under the water line updated and add some new information and update some old. I gave my info to Laura to get to the web person. I hope this will get more info out there and be easy to get if wanted or needed.

If a hydrant has to be used <u>PLEASE</u> notify the water department as soon as possible so we can pump it out when done so it will not freeze

PLEASE NOTE

We will be flushing fire hydrants the week school is out in April. This will be the week of the 18th - 22th of April.

Thank You,

Eric Rogers

Class C Water Plant Operator