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PRESS RELEASE

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Water Conservancy District offers presentations to local organizations

In December 2021, more than 400 people attended a community meeting put on by the Central Iron County Water Conservancy District (District) to learn more about water challenges and proposed solutions in the Cedar Valley.

Paul Monroe, District General Manager, said he is glad to see community members being involved in important water issues. Many have submitted questions and comments to the District about water, and staff and local experts have been working to answer all those questions through the District website, newspaper articles, social media posts and more. Answers to questions submitted for the meeting in December can be found on the District website, cicwcd.org.

During a Cedar City Rotary Club meeting on Feb. 1, District staff gave a presentation outlining the specific challenges the Cedar Valley is facing, as well as the range of projects that are planned or have been taking place. Projects focus on conservation, recharge, reuse, and importing water. Those present were then able to ask questions and have them answered during the meeting.

“It was a great opportunity to connect with community members at the Cedar City Rotary Club meeting,” said Jessica Staheli, District Public Relations Manager. “They had great questions and suggestions regarding local water projects.”

To help reach as many community members as possible, District employees are inviting other local organizations to schedule presentations by calling (435) 865-9901.

Several special interest groups have recently moved their focus to water in Cedar Valley and have been spreading misinformation. The District was created by the vote of local residents more than two decades ago. The District’s efforts utilize scientists, experts, and professionals to understand the valley’s underground aquifer and to determine responsible solutions for the community as it strives to meet local water challenges.

Residents are encouraged to learn more about the Pine Valley Water Supply Project specifically and the District's efforts in general by visiting the District's website. Questions and suggestions from the community are always welcomed.

The Central Iron County Water Conservancy District (CICWCD) is charged with conserving, developing and stabilizing the Cedar Valley water supply for the benefit of all current and future water users/consumers in the region. The Water District educates residents about conservation, reuse and water import strategies as it strives to meet the challenges of an overdrawn aquifer, climate changes, community growth and residential development. Efforts include sustaining and bolstering the declining aquifer with recharge projects, designing personalized home water use plans and managing the Pine Valley Water Supply Project for meeting Cedar Valley's water needs into the future.

To Get to Know Your H2O and learn more about how to conserve water, visit www.cicwcd.org.

Photo Captions:

1: Paul Monroe, Central Iron County Water Conservancy District General Manager, spoke at a community meeting in December. The District is offering presentations to community groups on the valley's water situation and solutions.

2: More than 400 people attended a community meeting in December put on by the Central Iron County Water Conservancy District. The District is offering presentations to community groups on the valley's water situation and solutions.

3: District staff presented at Cedar City Rotary Club meeting February 1st . L-R: Josh Nowell, Curtis Nielson, Jessica Staheli, Miriam Keener

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