

## **Eric Nykanen**

Eric is a water and wastewater operator working with Entranosa Water & Wastewater for the last 12 years. He is a life-long resident of Edgewood and lives in the area with his wife of almost 20 years, Jayme. (It's a family affair as Jayme also works with Entranosa as finance manager.) The couple have two beautiful daughters – Shelby, 19, serving in the U.S. Army; and Haylee, almost 14, who enters high school this fall. When not working, Eric welds, plays on his tractor and travels with his family in his fifth wheel. Eric recently said, "I am amazed at how much the East Mountains has grown and changed over 40 years. I am really happy to still be a part of it."