



ENTRANOSA WATER NEWS

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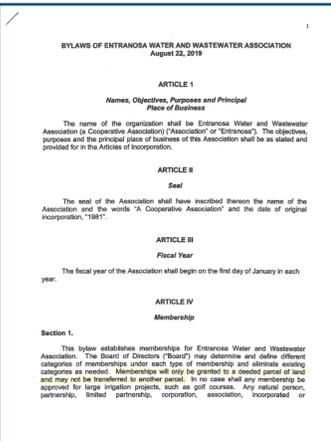
2021

Annual Meeting Coming in September

Please mark your calendars for the annual meeting on September 25th from 11 am to 2 pm. The business portion of the meeting will commence at 1 pm. Once again, Albuquerque's Owl Café will be cooking green chile cheese burgers for members. The meeting will be held at Entranosa's office work yard and board members, staff and our auditor will be available for questions. Two board positions are up for elections. If you are interested, please visit our website for a copy of the Board member questionnaire. Members who are interested in being placed on the ballot need to complete and submit their answers to the questionnaire by August 20th. Annual meeting packets with ballots will be mailed to the membership on August 27th. Ballots can be submitted by mail, dropped off at the main office or brought to the annual meeting prior to the start of the business meeting. Once the business meeting begins, the ballot box will be closed.



By-Law Change on Ballot for Annual Meeting



Text of proposed change

Also on the Annual meeting ballot is a proposed By-law change, contained in Article IV Membership, Section 1. This proposed change is to add flexibility in transferring memberships from one parcel to another. Current language states: "Memberships will only be granted to a deeded parcel of land and may not be transferred to another parcel." The change the Board of Directors would like the membership to consider is to allow the Board to approve transfers pursuant to an

established membership transfer policy. An example would be: A member owns one parcel with a membership and another without a membership. If both parcels are owned by the same owner and are undeveloped without a meter, the Board could approve the transfer. Currently, the Board has no authority to approve such a transfer. A draft of this proposed transfer policy will be included in the package to be sent to members August 27th.

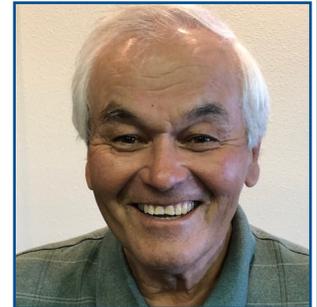
Board Members Running for Re-Election

Two members of the board of directors are currently running for re-election to the board. They are Rik Thompson and Rob Baracker. Rik has served on the board for several years in all positions and also on a planning commission for the Estancia Basin. Robert "Rob" Baracker has long served on the Entranosa board and also serves on other New Mexico water boards. Their willingness to run



Rik Thompson

does not preclude other members from running for the board of Directors.



Rob Baracker

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Monday 9:00 am – 4:30 pm

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- ◇ **Reliably supply quality drinking water at a reasonable price to our membership, such that the Association is self-sustaining**
- ◇ **Promote water conservation**
- ◇ **Provide leadership for our Community concerning water and wastewater issues**
- ◇ **Protect our ground water resources through environmentally responsible business practices**
- ◇ **Pursue water & wastewater service opportunities in the East Mountain and Estancia Basin Regions**

ENTRANOSA'S MISSION STATEMENT



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Water Hardness Reading as of 6/29/21: 14 grains

Average Water Usage: July : 11,037 gallons; June: 7,352 gallons

Changes in the Entranosa Team

The team at Entranosa Water & Wastewater is sad to say goodbye to Anna Lovato and Brian Massey. Anna and her family are moving back home to Las Cruces and Brian purchased a new home in Albuquerque and now works for Smith's Food & Drug. Everyone thanks



Anna Lovato



Brian Massey

them for their years of service and jobs well done! We wish you well in the future.

Welcome Vanessa!

My name is Vanessa Gutierrez and I am originally from McAllen, TX. I moved to Edgewood, NM in 2009 with my parents Anna and Derek Gutierrez. In 2010, I moved to West Yellowstone, MT where I worked for 11 years and became the assistant manager in a log cabin resort. I moved back to New Mexico in March, which led me to Entranosa Water & Wastewater Association. I am enjoying meeting the East Mountain locals. It has been a very pleasant experience and change.



Welcome Finance Manager Daniil Rybalko!

I was born in Russia and in 2002, my family immigrated to the United States. Struggles of life have taught me perseverance and to work hard to accomplish my goals. I learned English as my second language and in 2013, I received a



bachelor's degree in accounting from Sacramento State University. I have worked in various firms as an accountant since then. My beautiful wife and I recently moved to the East Mountains from California and we are excited to start our life journey here. We are raising four little boys: ages 3, 1 and newborn twins. We like to go out with our children and enjoy the outdoors -- parks, lakes and mountains. We also work together on home projects and value our time with our family. Our hope is to raise our children knowing the Lord. We like to be part of the community and contribute to its success.

Costs of Doing Business

In 2020, Santa Fe County passed a new road requirement that has sky rocketed the costs of repairs and connections. This San Pablo Road repair has increased costs from less than \$2,000 to over \$10,000. In October 2020, EMW gas General Manager, Eddie O'Brien, sent notice to customers that the new requirement will add over \$2,000 to future connections. For future road crossing connections, Entranosa will require new customers to pay for a road bore which will cost an additional \$3,000-\$5,000.



Crew repairs a roadway after work

Entranosa's Board of Directors

Chair : Linda Barbour **Vice Chair:** Lee Liggett **Secretary:** Rik Thompson **Treasurer:** Dennis Hodges **Members:** CJ "Skip" Mead, Paul Gorder, Rob Baracker

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