



ENTRANOSA WATER NEWS

Committed to Providing Safe, Clean Water to All Our Members



October

A MONTHLY PUBLICATION
FROM YOUR WATER AND WASTEWATER ASSOCIATION

2019



Meeting to be held at Nature Pointe Clubhouse October 10, 2019, 6:00 P.M.

Dinner at 4:30 p.m. – please RSVP by 10/1/19
Call 281-8700 to RSVP

The annual meeting of the Entranosa Water & Wastewater Association will be at the **Nature Pointe Clubhouse, 30 Nature Pointe Dr. Tijeras, NM 87059 at 6:00 P.M. on Thursday October 10.** We have placed directions on our web site, in this newsletter and have maps at the office. The Owl Café is providing dinner and guitarist Anthony Ortiz will provide entertainment from 4:30 pm to 6:00 pm. (Please RSVP by 10/1/19 if you'd like to attend the dinner). As stated in the Bylaws, the purpose of the meeting is to elect Directors and to act on such other business as may be properly transacted.

There are two open Board positions this year and five candidates running.

Once the meeting starts at 6:00 pm, the Board Chair will close the election and the ballot box will be sealed for counting. Pursuant to the Bylaws, all ballots will count toward a quorum for the meeting. On the day of the meeting, we will continue to accept ballots at the office until 4:30 pm at which time we'll move the ballot box and registration books to the meeting place. The meeting will begin precisely at 6:00 pm and we plan to finish by 7 pm. Call 281-8700 to RSVP.

Please see Page 2 for responses from the five candidates running for the two board positions on the Entranosa Board of Directors.

How to Cast Your Ballot

Cast your Official Ballot in the following ways:

- You may mail the ballot to Entranosa, but it must arrive prior to 4:30 pm on the 10th of October
- You may cast your ballot at the Entranosa office, during business hours or by dropping your ballot through the mail slot in the door, any time prior to 4:30 pm on October 10th
- Or, you may attend the meeting and cast your ballot there.

**Entranosa Water & Wastewater Association
Office: (505) 281-8700**

Emergency: (505) 604-5935 www.entranosawater.com

Office Hours:

Monday 9:00 am – 4:30 pm

Tuesday – Friday 8:00 am – 4:30 pm

Entranosa is an equal-opportunity employer.

In the September issue, first page, we reported that a new County Tax was approved that would “appear to be 3% of your gross income.” That was incorrect. There is no new tax. To be more accurate, a right-of-way use fee may be negotiated and could be less than 3% of your bill. We apologize to Entranosa’s Membership, Bernalillo County and Commissioner Pyskoty for our misrepresentation of the facts and we will keep the membership informed of any potential increases in the future...Jack Crider CEO.

- ◇ 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**



ENTRANOSA WATER NEWS



Committed to Providing Safe, Clean Water to All Our Members

Entranosa Water's 9/26/19 Hardness Reading: 33 grains

Average Water Usage: Sept. 8990 gallons; gallons August: 8,915

Board Questionnaires

There are five candidates running for the Entranosa Water & Wastewater Association's Board of Directors. In the interest of space, we have only run one answer from each candidate from each candidate's seven-question questionnaires. **The question is No. 4: Why are you running for the board?** We have posted each candidate's complete responses on our website under the "Recent News" tab. We urge you to read the complete questionnaires before casting your ballots before or during the Annual Meeting on Oct. 10 at the Nature Pointe Clubhouse.

Loren de Azevedo

I've always been the "Sheep Dog" ... the Good Steward type. A large percentage of New Mexico is still experiencing prolonged drought and official climatic indicators are not favorably optimistic for change. I believe my background and experience (Emergency Preparedness Management/Public Health) will guide me in effectively representing the association and its members in assuring we safeguard and guarantee our sustainability for the future our community.

Linda Barbour

I believe that a governing Board, such as Entranosa's, functions optimally when it is made up of Directors from diverse backgrounds. These last seven years of my service has been challenging but exciting and rewarding. Entranosa faces many challenges in the years ahead and I look forward to contributing my knowledge and background in solving those issues. My deep roots in the East Mountains and my common-sense approach to issues exemplifies my commitment to always give my best to my community.

Paul J. Gorder

Being on the Entranosa Board has provided me the opportunity to contribute to the guidance and growth of this excellent organization while also staying actively involved in East Mountain water issues as a practicing engineer. I hope to continue to assist the organization with my knowledge of water treatment and delivery systems, along with regulatory compliance and water rights requirements, as new infrastructure is planned and constructed in the coming years. I have always considered Board membership to be both a personal and professional privilege.

John A. Panitz

I have seen many changes since Tom Horton created the water system that became Entranosa so I will bring a unique perspective to the board.

Dave M. Smith

I believe that those that have been blessed with contributable skills and knowledge have a responsibility to give back to the community in a meaningful way. I want to apply my abilities in a common-sense approach to the issues affecting Entranosa. I have the desire, the time, and the ability to serve in a meaningful way. Integrating my talents, along with the diverse backgrounds of the other Directors, allows us to all serve in areas that complement and enhance Entranosa's forward direction.

Entranosa's Board of Directors

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

Office 505-281-8700

www.entranosawater.com

Emergency 505-604-5935