## Boone County Regional Sewer District Operations and Maintenance Report Virgil Farnen April, 2024

**Line Maintenance** – We had 1 pressure service line repair. We cleaned 7010 ft of gravity sewer main. We CCTV'd 612 ft of sewer main.

Pumps pulled for service – Bonne Femme, and 2 visits to Sturgeon's Burks LS

Basement Back up – Breezewood Estates, 1 blockage, 2 basements flooded.

Pressure Service Calls - 25	Hillcreek -	6	Woodlands -	6
	County Downs	1	Heather Hills -	2
	Richardson -	3	Kinkade -	3
	Lake Capri -	2	Midway Arms -	1
	Shalimar-	1		

Gravity Service Calls - 2 – Public main line blockages.9 - Private problem service calls.

**MO DNR Inspections** – Midway Crossing and Prairie Meadows were inspected. Inspection reports received, facilities "Found in Compliance"

**Contract Service Calls – 2** Sturgeon's, Burks Lift Station

WWTP / LS Alarm Calls – 2 South Route K, power outage. Cedar Gate aerator not running.

MO One Calls - Received 470, Located 155

**Sludge** – 43200 gallons of sludge processed or hauled. We hauled 6.3 dry tons of sludge to the landfill.

**Rocky Fork Flowmeter** – There was a communication error between the flowmeter and the UV unit that was discovered and fixed when time allowed. Because of this the April flows are flat and inaccurate.

Connection Inspections – 14 inspection, all Final inspections

**On Going and Planned Activities** – Line maintenance, sludge processing and disposal.

**New Construction** – Brookfield Estates WWTP – work on punch list items cont.

## **Contract Operations;**

- **Sturgeon** Twice weekly visits to check lagoon and lift stations.
  - 2 Service calls Contract renewal discussions have just begun. A 3.5% increase has been proposed.

Ashland – One full time employee assigned.

2 Year Operating Contract approved by Ashland City Council

Hartsburg – Twice weekly visits to check lift station and lagoon.

## **Operations Staff Update -**

Entry level position, currently we have scheduled 8 interviews with only 3 candidates interviewed. We have offered the position to all three candidates and currently 2 have declined the offer.

Lead Operator position, we have interviewed both current employees that have applied for the position. We have attempted to interview a outside candidate with no response to date.

Wastewater/Equipment Operator was terminated.