



# 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter, 2022

## Quarterly Progress Report

The start of fall was definitely kind to us and allowed us to complete a wide variety of work. We repaired 37 main failures, which included installing several new sections of pipe and new valves along with repairing or replacing 10 fire hydrants. We were also able to complete our tie-in from our new PRV on Marshall Rd to the 6" main across the street. Distribution uses the slower months to get "caught up" on work that we were not able to get to and perform temporary repairs during our busy months. This includes things such as large yard restorations, valve and pipe replacement and hydrant painting, just to name a few. Support Services had a record year for taps that totaled 102 and averaged 50 service calls per month for October, November and December.

### Did You Know?

Did you know that the Water Department has 2 water storage tanks and 2 water towers? The storage tanks each hold about 2.5 million gallons of water. The Rose Hill tower stands at 125' and holds 600,000 gallons while the Dougherty Ferry tower stands at 148' holding 250,000 gallons.



*Valve Install on Lockett*

main replacement on Geyer between Nirk and Adams.

### Upcoming Projects

The main replacement on Grand Ave is wrapping up, just some minor details left such as the street restoration. The Water department wants to thank all of the residents and businesses in this area for all of your patience and cooperation during this project. We are also inching closer and getting excited to start the water

### Spotlight



This is the **Support Services** crew and together they have a combined 91 years with the city. With all of that time and knowledge, you can rest assure they can handle any issue that arises. The crew consists of 1 supervisor and 4 mechanic technicians. They are responsible for some of the daily operations as well as maintaining the water towers and water storage tanks, along with interconnect stations, which supply water to the city. A few examples of the work they perform include monitoring the SCADA system that operates part of the water system, collect monthly water samples required by the state to ensure water quality standards are met, and run service calls to help troubleshoot issues with residents.



*Hydrant Replacement on Woodgate*