

City of Pataskala Utility Department Nathan W. Coey, Utility Director

Director Update

Nothing to report.

Water Department

The staff has developed a plan for in house main revitalization of the water main and services on Mill Street. Phase 1 will include redirecting 5 customers off a two inch line to the 10 inch main on Mill. Phase 2 consists of the elimination of the aged 6 inch main on Mill. Phase 2 will commence in the event of future valve or main repair efforts in the area due to the need of depressurization for some customers in the area. A start date has not been determined.

> Water Reclamation Department

- We have activated the south polishing pond at the WRF in efforts to test the phosphorus removal efficiency. We will continue to monitor results and continue to communicate with the OEPA on this internal study.
 - We plan to utilize duckweed harvesting as a method of phosphorus removal through the pond. The duckweed will be used as a composting additive in our biosolids.
 - We will install aeration units for the pond to ensure healthy oxygen levels during the dry warm months.

Billing Department Update

Nothing to report.

Highest Regards, Nathan W. Coey, Utility Director