



Snippets 5 – Special Edition

Irrigation Repair – A few years ago, because of the high cost of water, Cascades had a well dug to supply water for irrigation. The system pulls water from the well, and puts that water into our two lakes. Pumps at the other end of the lakes pull water out and send it to the irrigation system. In both lakes, the pumps that pull water for irrigation have stopped working. So, on Tuesday the Miller-Morgan Drilling Company will begin a project to repair the system. The project will consist of up to three stages. In the first stage, they will pull out the white pipes that pull from the lake and examine the motors and pumps contained in those pipes. If they can get the pumps running, they will clean everything and put them back into the lake. If they cannot get them running, they will move to stage 2. In stage 2, they will replace the pumps and motors. If this is necessary, there could be up to a two week wait to obtain the pumps. It is possible that a stage 3 will also be necessary. In that stage the intake parts attached to the pipes would be replaced.

Finally, after the project is complete, we will have a contract with Miller-Morgan for monthly preventative maintenance so we don't have this problem again.