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Press Release

Paradise Irrigation District Presents Annual Consumer Confidence Report

TOPIC: Paradise Irrigation District (PID) drinking water continues to meet and exceed state and federal public health standards; clean water results mean that additional testing due to Camp Fire is now completing.

PHOTO OPPORTUNITY: PID Treatment Plant Superintendent Bill Taylor is available for photography at the Treatment Plant and can offer media members a private tour of the facility.

Rigorous and ongoing testing reveals that Paradise Irrigation District's drinking water continues to meet—and exceed—California and federal public health standards. The district's annual water quality report (also known as the Consumer Confidence Report) has just been released and reflects district-wide monitoring and testing in the 2021 calendar year.

Additionally, PID is nearing the end of the district's voluntary additional testing period to make sure the community's water is safe and healthy following the 2018 Camp Fire. Since September 2020, PID processed more than 1,700 water samples, performing in excess of 80,000 additional tests within the distribution system.

Results continues to find nothing but clean water in all this voluntary testing so PID is excited to announce it is closing out our additional testing efforts and resuming only the standardized state testing.

"We take pride in delivering great-quality drinking water to our community," notes Bill Taylor Treatment Plant Superintendent.

In addition to Taylor, the team at the PID Treatment Plant includes six additional state-certified operators. They analyze the district's water flow needs to adjust the production as well as test the chemistry of the water to ensure the right filtration is occurring.

Taylor points out that safe and clean water is often taken for granted. But that safety is vital for the entire community's well-being. "What we do here at the PID Treatment Plant directly affects the health of everyone in town every day. We're more accountable for the health of every single person in this district than our community's doctors are!"

To review the 2021 PID water quality report for yourself, go to: pidccr.com

PID treated and distributed more than 1,338,500,000 gallons of water in 2021. This water originates in district's watershed surrounding Paradise Lake and Magalia Reservoir and is routed to PID's Treatment Plant and then distributed throughout the district's service area.