

4 WAYS TO PAY YOUR BILL



**FOUNTAIN HILLS
SANITARY DISTRICT**
Recycles Every Drop

- 1. Auto-Pay:**
Have your payment automatically deducted from your bank account and never miss a payment again. Call our office at **480-837-9444** or go to our website to download the form.
- 2. Online Bill Payment:**
You can securely pay your bill online with a credit/debit card or an E-Check at www.az-fhsd.gov. There is a \$1.00 third-party charge for this service.
- 3. Mail Payment:**
To ensure your payment is correctly applied to your account, please include the top portion of your billing statement. Make check payable to **Fountain Hills Sanitary District** or **FHSD** and mail to **16941 E. Pepperwood Circle, Fountain Hills, AZ 85268**.
- 4. Pay in Person:**
Deliver your payment to our Billing Department located at **16941 E. Pepperwood Circle Fountain Hills, Monday – Friday 8:00 AM -5:00 PM**. After hours, deposit your payment in the drop box located out front.

Prescription Drugs

April 27, 2019, was the National Prescription Drug Take Back Day. The Fountain Hills Maricopa County Sheriff's Office (MCSO) collected 92.2 lbs of prescription pills in that single day. **Thank you,** Fountain Hills residents, for keeping the pills out of the sewer and protecting our environment.

Here are some reminders of how to dispose of prescription drugs:

DO NOT: Flush liquids or pills down the toilet or drain.

DO: Place pills in a plastic bag and drop off at the MCSO drop box (in Town Hall Lobby).

DO: Tape needles and bottles of liquids, then dispose of them in the trash.

It's Been an Honor to Handle Your Business For 50 Years.



The Fountain Hills Sanitary District will be celebrating 50 years of successful operation since its founding on July 21, 1969. The Sanitary District will host an Open House for all to come and celebrate with us.

Date: Monday, July 22, 2019,
Time: 3:00 – 6:00 PM
Location: Advanced Water Treatment Facility
16910 E. Kiwanis Drive

Take a tour of the sophisticated membrane treatment system and learn how the Sanitary District is unique in that it treats and recycles all

used water in Town. The Sanitary District takes pride in its community efforts to be good stewards of the environment and help protect the desert's limited water sources. Join us and see how far we've come in the last 50 years!

Fee Schedule No Increase!

Our new Fiscal Year begins on July 1, 2019. The Fee Schedule is reviewed annually, and we are happy to announce there will be no Sewer User Fee increase at this time.

Interest at an annual rate of 10% (.0833% per month) will now be applied to delinquent balances on the 20th of each month.

For more information, see the Fee Schedule on our website under the Customer Service Tab.

Well Vault Replacement & Public Restroom Project At Fountain Park

Recharge wells are a critical piece of infrastructure needed for the seasonal storage of recycled water. Each of the wells have their own pump and control equipment, located in underground metal vaults adjacent to their corresponding wells.

The metal vaults located near the wells in Fountain Park were built almost 20 years ago, and are continually exposed to water seeping in from the park's sprinkler system. Rust and corrosion are damaging the vaults beyond repair. The solution is to replace the deteriorating underground vaults with above ground buildings. The Sanitary District has started construction to replace two of its three buried well vaults located in Fountain Park.

Working with the Town, which owns and maintains the Lake and Park, the Sanitary District will construct the needed above-ground buildings to serve a dual purpose. One side will have the well control equipment room; the other side will have much-needed public restrooms. The goals of the project are to:

- (1) Improve the safety of the facilities for both workers and surrounding park users.** Bringing the electrical control panels above grade and out of the buried, wet conditions improves safety for everyone.
- (2) Save money and eliminate future costs.** With the controls above ground, operations and maintenance costs will go down. Also, the new buildings will last longer than the current metal vaults, which need to be replaced after only 18 years.
- (3) Provide much-needed restrooms on the north and east sides of the 64-acre park.** The park currently only has one restroom near the south parking lot.

Adding much-needed public restrooms to critical Sanitary District facilities demonstrates how the public benefits when two government entities work together. Construction is scheduled to be completed by the end of the year.