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**PRESS RELEASE**

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**Subject: Pipeline Extension Completed – Valley Springs Area**

**Pipeline Extension Completed**

Bill Perley, Director of Utility Services for Calaveras County Water District reports that construction is complete on the water pipeline extension along Highway 26 and Jenny Lind Road in the Rancho Calaveras area near Valley Springs. Mozingo Construction completed the installation of 2,700 feet of 12-inch ductile iron pipe connecting two zones of the Jenny Lind water system. Linking the zones together will assist in managing water distribution system-wide. The pipeline extension is fully operational, with only two more pressure regulating valves to be installed in the most southerly portion of the Jenny Lind water system. These PRVs will help control potentially high pressures at the lower end of the system, Perley explained.

Perley and General Manager David Andres expressed appreciation for Mozingo's diligence in completing the work on time and within budget. Both also extended their appreciation to customers and area residents who experienced traffic controls and water pressure variations during construction. "No one should have low pressure now, but water pressures will continue to be monitored for several months," Perley said. This monitoring program will allow the Water District to ensure the system is operating within design limits and as anticipated by engineering modeling. One fire hydrant remains to be installed. The District is awaiting action by the Jenny Lind Fire Department prior to being able to complete that installation, Andres noted.

Residents are urged not to let up on monitoring and controlling their water use during hot weather. "Irrigating early in the morning every other day helps to keep usage within this system's design limit of 1,500 gallons (approx. 200 cu. ft.) per day per household," Perley said. Customers with particular questions or concerns can contact CCWD Customer Service: (209) 754-3543 weekdays between the hours of 8am and 4pm.