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ORANGE COUNTY WATER DISTRICT
Orange County's Groundwater Authority

May 10, 2018

Dear Neighbor:

The Orange County Water District (OCWD; the District) manages the groundwater basin underlying north and central Orange County that provides 75 percent of the water supply to more than 2.5 million people. The District owns and operates a series of injection wells in Fountain Valley and Huntington Beach to prevent seawater intrusion into the basin. For optimal performance of the seawater barrier, OCWD cleans and maintains its wells on a periodic basis. This routine maintenance does not impact your water supply or quality.

A well located in your neighborhood, located near the intersection of Ellis Avenue and Santa Leonora Circle, is scheduled to undergo cleaning on or about May 15. Cleaning activities will take approximately one week to complete and will occur between the hours of 7 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday. Ellis Avenue will remain open in both directions and access to homes will be available at all times. Please obey all local laws and ordinances.

While we are working to minimize impacts to the community as much as possible, you may notice an increase in traffic, construction equipment and noise. OCWD is complying with all city of Fountain Valley noise ordinances. For your safety, please stay away from all construction areas and equipment. We are committed to completing this project as quickly as possible. However, this timeframe could change due to inclement weather or other unforeseen circumstances. We apologize for this temporary inconvenience and appreciate your patience.

Thank you for your cooperation in helping OCWD maintain the infrastructure needed to maintain the region's water supply. For more information, please call the OCWD Construction Hotline at (714) 378-8244, email info@ocwd.com, or visit <http://www.ocwd.com/news-events/construction-updates>. Si tiene preguntas en Español, favor de llamar a (714) 378-8244.

Sincerely,

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