

CMWSC Water Connect

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Preparing for the Future

This year marked a major step forward for Creedmoor Maha Water Supply Corporation as we began retiring two of our oldest and most weathered water towers. These structures have served our communities for decades, standing as familiar landmarks across our service area. But with age comes wear, and replacing aging infrastructure is essential to ensuring long-term reliability, safety, and capacity for our growing system. On August 15, 2025, demolition began on the Hwy 1625 Water Tower, one of the oldest towers in our system. Its retirement marked the first stage of a carefully planned upgrade to strengthen our storage and delivery capabilities. Just a few weeks later, on September 9, 2025, crews moved to the Laws Road site, taking down the water tower and the companion standpipe that had supported the community for generations. These towers played a vital role in meeting water demands for many years. However, advancements in engineering, increased system needs, and the natural aging of the structures made it time for something stronger and more efficient. Clearing the Laws Road site now opens the door for our next chapter, a modern composite water tower designed to enhance performance, improve system resiliency, and support future growth within our service area.

As we move forward, Creedmoor Maha Water Supply Corporation remains committed to responsible planning, infrastructure reinvestment, and preparing our system for

the decades ahead. Retiring these old towers is not the end of a story, it is the beginning of a new one, built on progress, reliability, and continued service to our members and communities.

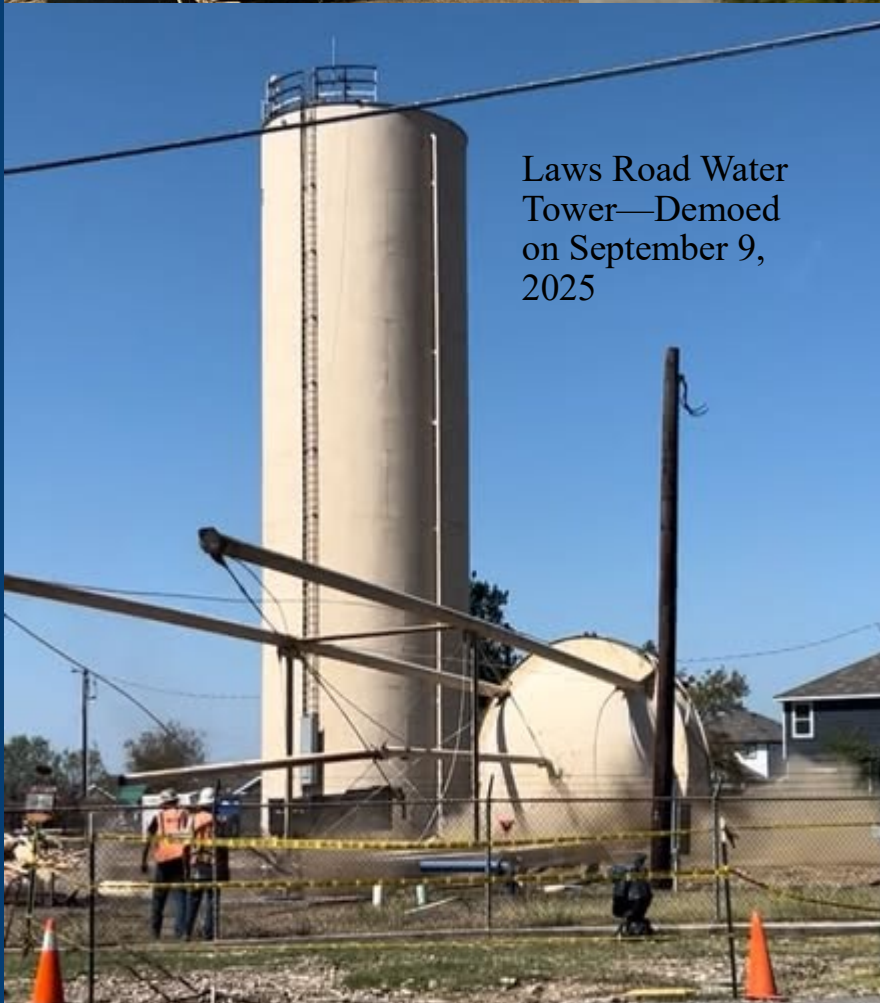
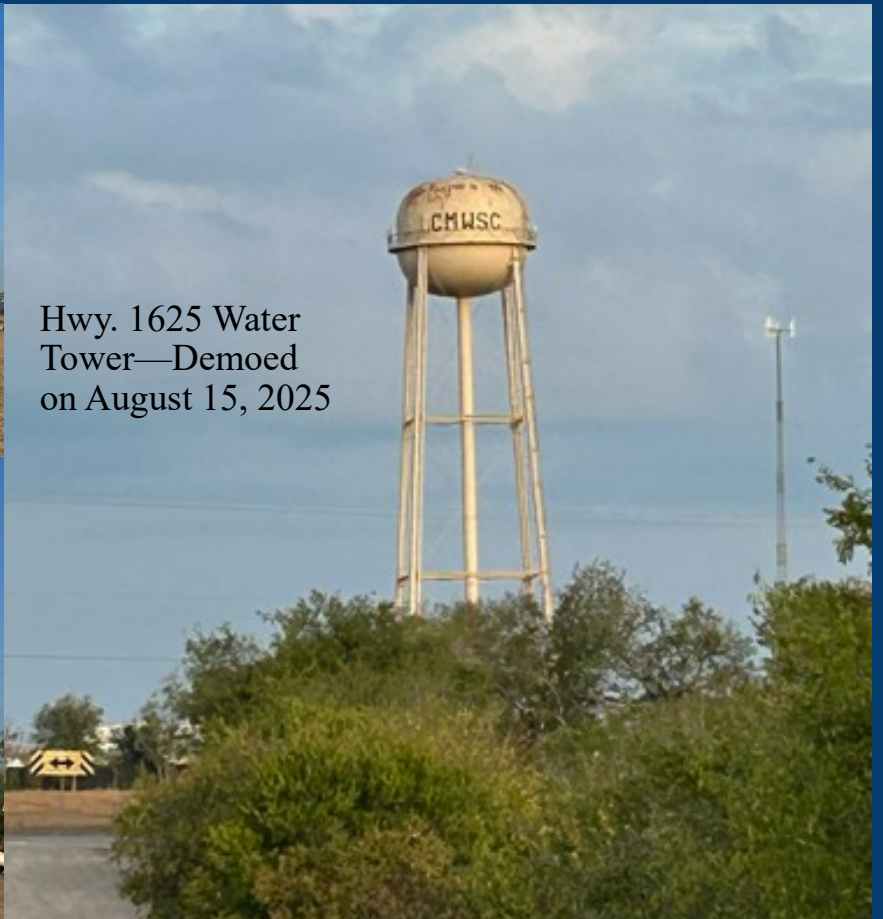
The image below shows a rendition of what our new composite water tower may look like as we begin this next chapter.

Images of the two water tower demolitions can be found on the next page.





Hwy. 1625 Water
Tower—Demoed
on August 15, 2025



Laws Road Water
Tower—Demoed
on September 9,
2025



2026 CMWSC Calendar

January						
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1 New Year's Day
19 Martin Luther King Day
21 Board Meeting

February						
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16 Presidents' Day
18 Annual Meeting
18 Board Meeting

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18 Board Meeting

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3 Good Friday
15 Board Meeting

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20 Board Meeting
25 Memorial Day

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17 Board Meeting
19 Juneteenth

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3 Independence Day (Obs.)
15 Board Meeting

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19 Board Meeting

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7 Labor Day
16 Board Meeting

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12 Columbus Day
21 Board Meeting

November						
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11 Veterans Day (observed)
18 Board Meeting
26-27 Thanksgiving Day Holiday

December						
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16 Board Meeting
24-25 Christmas Holiday



All Things Board-Related

Notable Board Meeting News & Actions

September: The Board approved the BGICO ("BGICO Investments") Desalination Agreement. More details coming.

October: Board approved the 2025-2026 Fiscal Budget and the date of February 18, 2026 for the Annual Meeting & Director Election.

November: The Board appointed Anna Ortiz as the new Secretary/Treasurer. They also approved a Christmas Luncheon in lieu of a December Board meeting.

December: The Board held a Special Board meeting on December 3 to approve the Van Trust Non-Standard Service Agreement (NSSA). They Board also held its annual Christmas Luncheon on December 17.

All board meetings begin at 6:00 PM.
CMWSC board meetings are open to members!



The Annual Meeting & Election
is scheduled for **Wednesday, February 18, 2026** at 6:00 PM.



There are three seats up for election.



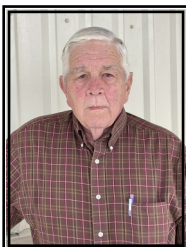
The Creedmoor Maha WSC Board of Directors meets once per month, on the third Wednesday, to review agenda items, discuss system needs, and take action on important matters that guide our community's water system. Board service is not time-consuming and is designed to be manageable for members who want to give back to their community while balancing work and family responsibilities.



Serving on the Board is a rewarding way to stay informed, contribute your voice, and help ensure the continued success of our community's water system.



Meet Your Board of Directors



This could
be
YOU!

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YOU!

Vice-President Yvonne Gil-Vallejo, **Board President** John Gray, **Secretary/Treasurer** Anna Ortiz,
Director Darrell Walenta, Director Bobby Burklund, Director Jay Vaughn, and Director Ben Horton

ACTS OF KINDNESS



Small Acts of Kindness Can Make a Big Difference

In a world that can sometimes feel busy and disconnected, small acts of kindness can have a profound impact. Kindness is contagious, and even the smallest gestures can create a ripple effect that can brighten someone's day, strengthen relationships, and foster a more compassionate and caring community.

Kindness can be practiced in our everyday lives. Below are some ideas that we can all consider in our day-to-day lives.

- ⇒ A **SMILE** and a friendly greeting can brighten someone's day and create a positive interaction.
- ⇒ **EXPRESS GRATITUDE** to those who have helped you or made a positive impact in your life. Send a thank-you note, give a heartfelt compliment, or express appreciation in person to help someone feel valued and appreciated.
- ⇒ **HELPING SOMEONE** with a task, holding the door for someone, or offering to carry groceries, small acts of physical assistance can make a big difference in someone's day and show that you care.
- ⇒ Take the time to truly **LISTEN WITH EMPATHY** without judgment or distraction and offer your support. Sometimes, just being there to listen can make a huge difference in someone's life.
- ⇒ **SHOW KINDNESS** by leaving a kind note for a stranger or do something unexpected and thoughtful for someone. Random acts of kindness can brighten someone's day and create a positive chain-reaction of kindness.

This 2026, let's remember to always be kind.

CMWSC Management & Staff

General Manager:.....Matthew Pickle
Executive Support:.....Darla Damron
Operations Manager.....Scott Rickabaugh
CS Manager:.....Kristi Temple
Business Manager:.....Cassie Taylor
CSR.....Precilla Mancias
CSR.....Sylvia Sandoval
CSR.....Sheryl Mitchell
Field Tech.....Ulises Perez
Field Tech.....Clayton Schmidt

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Important Information

Holiday Schedule

January 1—New Years Day
January 19—MLK Day
February 16—President's Day

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