

Accept Completion: Aeration Basin Diffusers, Instrumentation & Controls Project (CIP 15713)

Napa Sanitation District Board of Directors Meeting May 17, 2017



Project Location





Aeration Basins





Project Goals

- 1. Replace Existing Diffuser Equipment
 - Installed 2000
 - Refurbished 2008
 - End of useful service life
- 2. Activated Sludge Process Improvements
 - Process Improvements, Energy and Chemical Savings
 - A.Flow Balancing via Influent Controls

B.Improved DO Control

C.Ammonia Monitoring/Control



1. Diffuser Equipment: Existing Panels





1. Diffuser Equipment: New Discs





2A. Influent Flow Balancing

- (E) AB influent gates manually controlled
- Diurnal (day/night) fluctuations disrupt process
- Project added (N) automated gate operators and flow meters to balance influent into the Aeration Basins



2A. (E) Manual Influent Gates





2A. Flow Balancing – (N) Automatic Influent Gate Motor Operators





2B. Improved DO Control

- Blowers are one of the largest energy consumers in the plant
- (E) Manual air control valves result in large DO fluctuations
- Desirable to keep DO as low as possible to meet treatment requirements (energy savings)
- Proper DO control required for process efficiency



2B. (E) Manual Air Control Valves





2B. (N) Automated Air Control Valves & Air Flow Meters





2C. Ammonia Monitoring/Control

 Ammonia concentration passing through the ABs is an indicator of process efficiency

- nitrification/denitrification process

- Increased efficiency in ABs results in less chemical addition downstream
 - Chlorine Contact Basins Sodium Hypochlorite
 - Sand Filters Polymer



2C. (N) Ammonia Analyzers





Project Benefits

- Critical treatment equipment replacement
- Increased process efficiency
- Energy savings
- Chemical savings



Construction Cost

- Contractor: Spiess Construction
- Bid Cost \$1,176,000
- Change Orders

\$16,183 (1%)

- Final Contract Amount \$1,191,483
- Diffuser Equipment \$122,000
 Prepurchased by NapaSan



Questions?

Recommendation

 Adopt Resolution accepting completion and authorize General Manager to file Notice of Completion with the County Recorder