



McKenney-Water Bill-Request for Adjustment

2 messages

I'm hoping the following will make it on to the water board agenda.
\$585 Rebate on water bill invoice 12072

All materials for connection were supplied by the district: 200 ft black poly and appropriate brass connectors. All connections were made by district water manager, Stafford. The leak occurred at the brass connector and black poly interface, with significant deterioration of the black poly in evidence. Manufacturer of the black poly recommends a stainless steel sleeve (supplied with poly) at the point of connection. No sleeve was found. Water manager, Stafford, stated to me that the sleeves were not necessary at this point in the line because the water pressure was relatively low (45 pounds with a full steel tank, less pressure went on the block tank). The break occurred at the interface. Whether the missing sleeve at the junction point is a factor is unknown. Why \$585? There is residential use involved in the total bill (which would be far less than half of the \$1170 invoiced) but, I bare some culpability for not finding the leak sooner. The breakage did occur on my side of the meter, I had no idea there was a problem until I saw Dean walking the line looking for the leak. Thank you for your consideration of my request.
Carl

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Just received this letter. Please add to correspondence on our Agenda. Thanks. 😊

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