

MARCH 2024

# PINERY PIPELINE



*From your Board of Directors*

## Walker Reservoir Update

The new Walker Rd. Reservoir, northwest of Franktown, is nearing completion. This project is being built with our partners in the Cherry Creek Project Water Authority (CCPWA), Castle Rock Water, Cottonwood Water and Sanitation District, and Inverness Water and Sanitation District. The reservoir will be filled from a combination of alluvial and Denver Basin wells. When needed, the water that is stored in the reservoir will be discharged into Cherry Creek by the project pump station to be picked up downstream by project members. There will be 4 wells filling the reservoir as well as natural precipitation.

The Authority contracted with HPM to complete the reservoir construction in August of 2021 for approximately \$11.6 million with a current project contract of \$12.2 million. Pinery Water and Wastewater District's portion of the project is \$5.9M. The project is now scheduled for partial completion, with the ability to store water, in March, with final completion in May.

## What does this mean for our District?

- Greater resiliency for our water supply.
- Less demand for our deep wells, which are in non-renewable aquifers and expensive to operate.
- More flexibility during peak demand periods.

If you are interested in joining the Water Efficiency Task Force, please contact us at the office (303-841-2797).

As always, any other comments or questions can be directed through the website <https://pinerywater.com/>.



**Jim McGannon, Director,  
Pinery Water and Wastewater District**

Please join us at our District Office for our monthly held Board Meetings at 6:00pm on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of each month.

Upcoming Board Meetings will be held at 6:00pm on

**Wednesday Mar 27, 2024**

Wednesday April 17, 2024



Pinery Board and Efficiency Task Force tour of construction December 2023

