



October 2024 Newsletter

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'Who Does What' in the Kirkwood Valley



In a place as remote and dynamic as Kirkwood, it takes the efforts of several agencies to ensure a safe and enjoyable mountain experience for all who live and recreate here.

In response to the 2024 Customer Satisfaction Survey Results, a comprehensive list of responsibilities by agency is included here for your reference.

KIRKWOOD COMMUNITY SERVICES

WHO DOES WHAT?	KMPUD	Homeowner Associations	Kirkwood Community Association (KCA)	Vail Resorts	Alpine, Amador & El Dorado Counties	Volcano Telephone
UTILITIES						
Water	X					
Waste Water	X					
Electricity	X					
Propane	X					
Cable TV						X
Telephone						X
Internet						X
SAFETY						
Fire & Medical Emergencies	X					
Sheriff					X	
SERVICES						
Snow Removal:						
Residential Streets Private Driveways	Contract Service to HOAs	X				
Kirkwood Mtns Dr. & Ski Area Parking				X		
Road and Parking Maintenance	KMPUD Parking Lots and Driveways	Residential Streets	Kirkwood Meadows Drive	Resort Parking lots and walkways		
Street Sweeping				X		
RECREATION						
Ski Shuttle				X		
Parks and Recreation	Playground & Park		Recreation Center	Bike & Meadow Trails, Disc Golf & Tennis Courts		
REGULATORY						
Tree Removal		X			X*	
Design Review-New and Changes	All Applicants-Fire and Utilities Review	Owner/Member Applicants-CC&R Compliance	Commercial and Post-1997 Applicants		All Applicants*	
Land Use Regulations					X*	

*TC-TAC (Tri-County Technical Advisory Committee) comprised of Alpine, Amador and El Dorado County Planners has review authority over changes to 2003 Specific Plan for Kirkwood, certain Hwy. 88 View Corridor lots, and tree removal requests.

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REMINDER: Kirkwood Election Satellite Office

This is a reminder that the KMPUD will host a satellite office for the Alpine County General Election. The Office of the County Clerk stated ballots will be mailed on October 7th to all that have registered before hand. If you need to register to vote or obtain facts provided by the Alpine County Office, click [here](#).

The Kirkwood Election Satellite Office will be open Wednesday, October 23rd from 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM in the Board Room located in the Customer Service Building.

Newsletter Sign-up

Receiving the monthly KMPUD Newsletter is essential to staying informed about various aspects such as events, seasonal reminders, updates from the Board of Directors, and important communications.

To register for the newsletter, you have two straightforward options: either check the newsletter box in your KMPUD user account settings or create a KMPUD user account, then select the newsletter checkbox and press Update.

For KMPUD user account creation:

- 1) Visit the KMPUD website.
- 2) Click on Log-In at the top right and select Register.
- 3) Fill out the registration form and submit.
- 4) Confirm your registration via the email you receive, following the provided instructions.



Scanning this QR code will bring you directly to the Registration page. A confirmation email will be sent to the email you registered with. Follow the directions provided.

Project Status

Water Wastewater Treatment Plant

KG Walters Construction Co., who is handling the \$7 million Wastewater Treatment Plant Repair and Rehabilitation project, is winding down the project for the year. The project continues to go well. New blowers and newer pieces of the smaller equipment were installed since the last month.

Wintergreen Sewer Replacement Project

A project is currently underway to replace 130 feet of sewer pipe within KMPUD's utility easement north of Wintergreen Way. The existing 6" pipe, originally installed before Kirkwood Mountain Resort's first operating season in 1972-1973, needs an upgrade due to insufficient capacity for current flows.

The project is being handled by Norberg General Engineering, LLC. Preservation of vegetation beyond construction boundaries is a priority during the project. Following completion, the construction site will be revitalized and reseeded using a seed mix in line with the current Kirkwood Specific Plan.

Playground

The playground equipment will be removed and stored for the season.



Seasonal Reminders



Snow Stakes

During intense snowstorms, marking your vehicle with orange snow stakes is crucial since they can get entirely covered overnight. For District Snow Removal Customers, stakes are available for \$12.50 each at the District office, while stocks endure. Contact the District office at (209)258-4444 to secure your purchase.



Irrigation

Each year, the irrigation system is activated around June and remains on for four months before being switched off. If your property has irrigation services, remember that the system will be turned off for the season around October.

What is the Board Doing Now?



At the October meeting, the Board discussed the results of the KMPUD 2024 Customer Satisfaction Survey and the KVFD Funding and Divestment Options.

We encourage the community to watch the recent meeting at [kmpud.com](#) and read the [Board packet](#). Look for communications from KMPUD on next steps to address the critical issues around KVFD.

Kirkwood is your District and your input and participation are valuable. Click [here](#) to view the Community Calendar of upcoming Board and Committee meetings. We encourage your participation at our meetings. Click [here](#) to learn about meeting agendas. And click [here](#) to access past Board of Directors meetings.

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