

Minden Gardnerville Sanitation District District Manager's Report January 2009

- 1. <u>EDU allocations</u>: No EDU's were allocated during the month of December.
- 2. <u>Digester Expansion Project</u>: The digester project is progressing significantly with no outstanding issues at this time.
- 3. <u>Economic Stimulus Package</u>: Congress is considering an economic stimulus package that will provide significant federal funding for water and wastewater infrastructure with the hope that providing funds for infrastructure will create jobs. (See attached sheet). As MGSD has not received any federal funding since the mid -1980's for any significant projects, it may be advantageous to the District to apply for funding for upcoming projects such as collection system rehabilitation, grease projects, or any other projects that may be viable. We have been working with RCI to determine which projects may qualify for any of the available funding and will have additional information available at the upcoming meeting.
- 4. <u>Grease Program:</u> Paul Cockrell is scheduled on the upcoming agenda to discuss the study he performed on the proposed grease control program and offer his recommendations for the project.
- 5. <u>Granite Claim:</u> MGSD legal counsel is scheduled on the upcoming agenda to discuss the Granite claim and our options.

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