

OILDALE MUTUAL WATER COMPANY

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Oildale Mutual Water Company (OMWC) has been a private, not-for-profit corporation since 1919!

A century later, OMWC is still committed to providing the best quality water

available at the least cost to you.

Please join us in celebrating this milestone throughout 2019!

Use #OMWC100 on social media to share your memories of OMWC/Oildale with us!

OMWC Board Welcomes JASON C. WATTENBARGER

Born and raised in Oildale, Calif., Jason C. Wattenbarger is always looking for ways to give back to the Oildale community and joined the Oildale Mutual Water Company (OMWC) board as a director earlier this year.

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“Oildale means a lot to me. I was born and raised here and am excited to get involved in the community,” Wattenbarger said. “I have some great ideas for OMWC.”

Wattenbarger has been friends with several board members for years, including OMWC General Manager Doug Nunneley who encouraged Wattenbarger to join the board.

“The Wattenbarger family has been an integral part of the successful operations of OMWC for several generations,” Nunneley said. “Jason’s great uncle, Jess Wattenbarger, was on the board of directors beginning May 1922. Jason’s great grandfather, J.C. Wattenbarger, was hired as the first superintendent of OMWC in 1928 and Jason’s father, Don Wattenbarger, has been a director since 1969.”

Jason said he is looking forward to learning a lot



from Doug and the other board members.

“They have many years of experience,” Jason said.

Jason has been a building contractor for 36 years and has knowledge in subdivisions, underground water systems and new developments.

“I hope my knowledge of infrastructure on new developments will benefit the board,” Jason said.

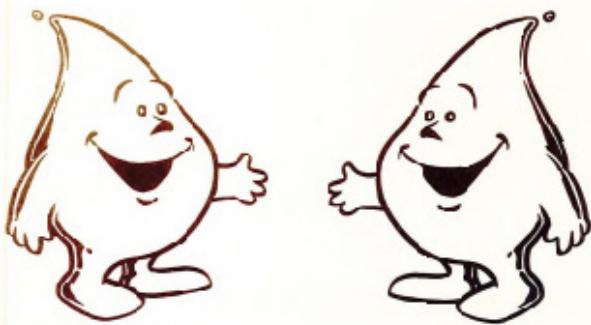
Currently, Jason resides in Oildale with his wife, Jayme. Together, they have three kids.

On his time off, Wattenbarger enjoys boating and fishing.

WATER DROP NAME

You've seen him grow and have gotten to know him.

Well, now it's time to name him!



This summer, help us name our beloved mascot for the opportunity to be a part of Oildale history!

SUBMISSION GUIDELINES:

- Submit your ideas to us via Facebook Messenger.
- Inappropriate names submitted will not be eligible.
- Submissions will be open until Monday, September 30th.

The water drop's name will be revealed on our 100th birthday, October 19th!



BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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Director

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General Manager

ACH and Reoccurring Credit Card PAYMENT WITHDRAWAL DATE CHANGE

Effective July 1st, our process for withdrawing Automated Clearing House (ACH) and Reoccurring Credit Card (RCC) payments will change. Balances due will now be **deducted automatically on the 20th** of each month. If the 20th falls on a holiday or weekend, the payment will be processed the next business day prior to any late fees being assessed.

NEW ACCOUNT NUMBERS

When making payments through your bank via check or direct pay, **please make sure you have updated your account number with the new account numbers** issued July 2018 to properly credit your account when payment is received. This account number can be found on the top right corner of your monthly bill.

FOLLOW US *on FB & Twitter*

Follow us on Facebook and Twitter for updates on OMWC, Oildale and, of course, WATER! You will also have the opportunity to join us in the occasional game of "Find The Drop," a favorite of all our current followers!

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Summer Water CONSERVATION TIPS

DIVE INTO SUMMER with these 5 tips on conserving water:

1. Water landscapes early in the morning, when the air is still and evaporation loss is minimal.
2. Trim a few minutes off your shower! Trimming just two minutes off your shower can save up to 1,750 gallons of water per person in your household each year.
3. Water dry spots with a cup or watering can instead of running the whole sprinkler system.
4. Use a broom instead of a hose to clean patios, sidewalks and driveways.
5. Choose low-water-use plants such as succulents to save up to 550 gallons of water each year.

