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WV Rural Water Association
Debbie Britt, Executive Director
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Dear Debbie,

The Huttonsville Public Service District Board and I wish to express deep appreciation to the WV Rural Water Association for the recent assistance that was provided to the water customers of the Huttonsville Public Service District by Water Circuit Rider Jack McIntosh and Matt Lamp. Their presence on the ground was so very helpful. The problem was discovered on Wednesday afternoon and by the evening Matt was on the ground assisting the district employees. Early Thursday, Jack was here and by Friday afternoon the leak had been located and plans in place to do the repair. This has been a costly repair, but the cost will be far less due to the expertise provided by Jack and Matt.

Mother Nature dealt the district a pretty hard blow with high winds and heavy rain, which uprooted a tree and pulled apart an 8 inch water line, the water loss, was over 200,000 gallons of water, the break was in the Tygarts Valley River, and so repair was impossible. A new water line was installed and relocated in a new location as to prevent this from happening again.

"This is an Equal Opportunity Program, Discrimination is prohibited by Federal Law. Complaint of discrimination may be filed with the Secretary of Agriculture, USDA, Washington DC, 20250-0700."

It is when people work together good things happen, as a member of WVRWA you do not realize how valuable the assistance provided by the circuit rider programs really are until you need help.

Again, your assistance was deeply appreciated.

Sincerely,



Bonnie Serrett
Executive Secretary
Huttonsville Public Service District

cc: file
Jack McIntosh
Matt Lamp