



H. R. LABOUNTY SAFETY AWARD PROGRAM NOMINATION FORM

Agency: Humboldt Bay Municipal Water District

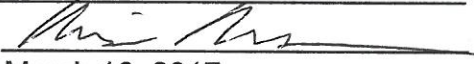
Employee Nominated:

Name: The Maintenance Department

Job Classification: Maintenance

Reason for Nomination:

The maintenance department for our district is responsible for responding to emergency leak repairs out in the field, no matter what time of day. One of the Problems that we have come across in those situations are making sure all of our trenching and shoring equipment make it to the jobsite. The equipment is awkward to place in the back of trucks due to its size and number of components. Members of the maintenance department came up with the idea of fabricating a trailer which could hold all this equipment. Through many lengthy discussions and brainstorming an overall idea was hatched on how to achieve this goal. Then the work started. A basic flat deck trailer was purchased and was prepped for the build. Racks were fabricated for the equipment and anchors/tie-downs were installed. The final result of this hard work is a very valuable, practical, and safe piece of equipment that has all the necessary items to tackle any trenching/shoring situation. This trailer has made us more efficient in responding to emergencies and making repairs. Our maintenance staff is composed of individuals that have a wide range of skills and abilities. The final result of this project displays these traits. We are very lucky to have such a great team.

Nominated by: Chris Merz
Signature: 
Date: March 16, 2017
General Manager: John Friedenbach
Date: March 16, 2017

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