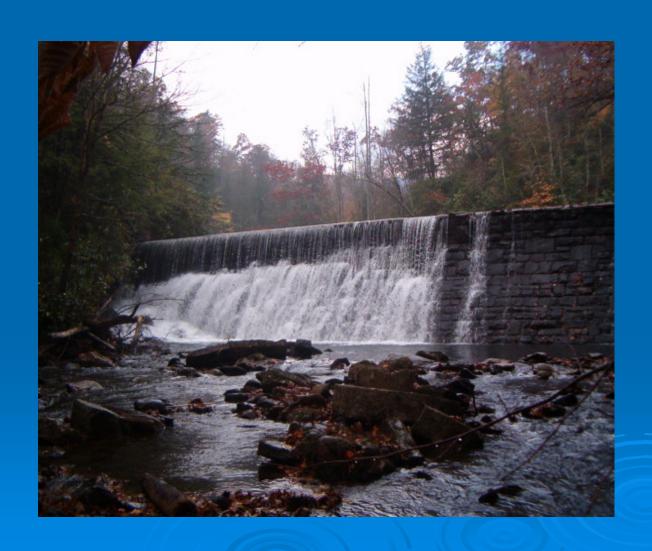
Water – Conserving a Valuable Resource

Lee Smith, Utilities Director Hendersonville Water and Sewer Thursday, October 1, 2015

North Fork Dam



Bradley Creek Dam



Water Treatment

- > Treatment capacity = 12.0 MGD.
- > Operated 24-hours/day, 7-days/week.
- > Class "A" surface WTP.
- Process wastewater treatment plant is operated 24-hours/day, 5-days/week.
- Water treatment plant personnel collect ~60 distribution system samples each month.

WTP Renovations

- Addition of 2-Gravity Filter (without internal components) and 1- Sedimentation Basin;
- Automation of process controls and operations monitoring (SCADA);

FBR Raw Water Pipeline for emergency water supply.

Water Distribution

- Maintain over 3,379,000-feet (640-miles) of water lines ranging in size from 2-in. to 24-in.
- 23-employees in this division including maintenance and meter services.
- Serving approximately 65,000 people throughout Henderson County.

Conservation Efforts

- City installed an automated meter reading system for reading water meters from the Operations Center in 2013.
- System helps to identify customer-side leaks thus reducing water losses.
- Leak detection technician hired to identify and locate leaks in water system.
- Construction crew created to replace old, leaking and undersized water mains.

Conservation Efforts, cont.

Rebate program for qualifying highefficiency toilets and clothes washers.

Questions?

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