Arguments in support or opposition of the proposed laws are the opinion of the authors.

Argument In Favor Of Measure S

Vote YES on Measure S to OVERTURN the City Council's 300% water rate increase!

Your water rate has already gone up 80% last year and 50% this year. AND will go up 20% in 2021 and 7% in 2022. ARE YOU PAYING ENOUGH??

City Hall demands that we pay for a totally new water system because some parts of the system are due for maintenance. That's like demanding that we buy a new car because it needs an oil change.

Measure S will LOWER future water bills to help Dixon's families.

Measure S will restore the PEOPLE'S VOICE at City Hall. City leaders refused to listen to your concerns or responded to inquiries and they raised your water rates – without your consent using questionable practices during the Prop 218 protest process.

Passage of Measure S will hold them accountable.

City leaders did not justify why the three wells need to be replaced, including providing the results of any downhole video inspections and engineering assessments. They did not even explain why well rehabilitation measures, such as swaging, lining, hydraulic and chemical treatment, pump modification, or the use of in-well sand separators cannot be used to extend the service life of the wells in a cost-effective manner.

Properly designed and maintained municipal supply wells can be reasonably expected to last much longer than the three wells identified by the City, not by the hired consultant.

Now, more than ever, with the COVID pandemic and the massive economic strain it has placed on many Dixon families and seniors, the Council should be acting in a compassionate, competent, responsive, and accountable manner. Unfortunately, the Council has chosen not to do their job.

The people of Dixon deserve better – not higher water bills.

Vote YES to Pay Less.

VOTE YES ON MEASURE S.

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