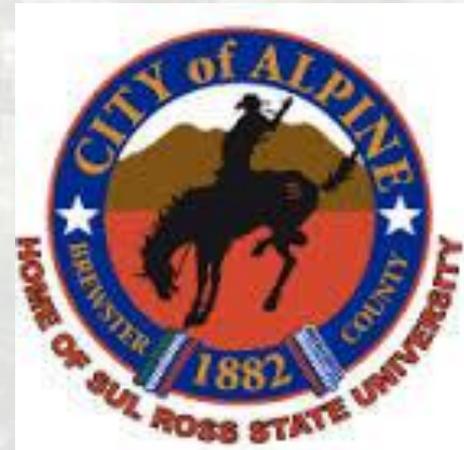


# City Council Meeting October 3, 2016

City Manager Report



# Gas Department Update

- DIMP Results (January through August)
  - Alpine: 2252 feet – service lines replaced; 1380 feet – main lines replaced. 34 Risers removed
  - Ft. Davis: 1207 feet – service lines replaced. 9 Risers removed
- New Service Connections in Alpine and Ft Davis – 9
- Cleaning around meters and risers extensively
- Gas and Water field teams working together

# Water/Wastewater Dept Update

- August Results
  - 81 Locates
  - 16 Leaks
- New Tap Applications pending – 9
- US Water Update
- Sludge Removal – WWTP – 88 tons in August
  - Rain impacts ability to dry
  - Reviewing future modifications

# '16 FALL ELECTRONICS RECYCLING EVENT

recovers valuable materials from old electronics that can be used to make new products. As a result, we save energy, reduce pollution, reduce greenhouse gas emissions, and save resources by extracting fewer raw materials from the earth.



7,715 pounds of old CRT TV's were shipped out this fall for recycling



Cathode Ray Tube (CRT) TV's and computer monitors can contain toxic levels of lead, mercury, cadmium & Krypton 85 that would end up in our landfill if not recycled



**100%**  
ECS Refining recycles 100% of electronics materials at their national state-of-the-art processing facilities



Almost 99% of the components that make up a PC can be recycled



A total of 9 volunteers & 2 employees contributed 99 hours to unloading, stacking, and loading electronics during the event



**245,687**  
Since the 1st event in 2010, Keep Alpine Beautiful has recycled 245,687 pounds of electronics



Keep Alpine Beautiful recycled 10 tons of E-Waste this fall



Recycling just one cell phone saves enough energy to power a laptop for 44 hours



- Information to left is on the Website
- Bulky Pick up is Oct. 10
- Nov. 5:FREE Mulch Day in observance of Texas Arbor Day
- Nov. 15: America Recycles Day
- March 15-18 Spring Electronics Recycling Event
- April 8 Don't Mess With Texas Trash-off, City-wide clean up, and FREE Tire Disposal Day

# Personnel Update

- US Water
- Employee salary treatment and new healthcare program in place
- Personnel Policy Update/Changes sent to Council this past week
  - Review for changes updates by the October 18<sup>th</sup> meeting
- New Employees