

*Water Supply 1970-79*

# Water district approves 2 hookups

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Service to two subdivisions was approved Monday night by directors of the Soquel Creek County Water District.

The directors voted to serve water to the Aptos Seascape Unit No. 6 and the Brookvale Terrace Mobile Home Development at Noble Gulch in Capitola.

Acting on an application for water service from Aptos Seascape Unit No. 6, the board voted to serve the 39-lot subdivision in accordance with its standard rules and regulations.

It required location of a 10-inch line in one of the future streets, to accommodate a future reservoir to be built in five to 10 years. The subdivision will be given credit for oversizing the line against the regular storage and transmission fees.

The subdivision consists of five cul-de-sacs off Dolphin Drive.

Several conditions were attached to the board's agreement to serve the Brookvale Terrace Mobile Homes, being developed at Noble Gulch by John Minges.

These included: an eight-inch

main crossing the property, with interconnections at Monterey and Rosedale Avenues for fire-flow demand, credit for oversizing for the difference between a six-inch and eight-inch main, and a requirement that a professional engineer design the water system.

The water district directors went into a closed study session on salaries to study a salary survey presented by Manager Robert Thompson.

Although the board has adopted a 1971-72 fiscal year budget without any salary increases, the employees are still hoping for more money and the board hasn't shut the door entirely yet.

Board members indicated that if any salary boost is granted for the district's 17 employees, it

would be retroactive to July 1. The employees have asked for a six per cent cost-of-living raise, but board members have been negative.

No decisions were made, partly because of the absence of director, Eddy Peretto.

Directors also indicated that an annexation to the district proposed by the staff of the Local Agency Formation Commission might be a little too much for the district to swallow.

The board spelled out its intention to annex the following areas: Park Wilshire, Thousand Oaks, Aptos Terrace, the old town of Aptos, Rio del Mar, Sealcliff, and La Selva Beach.

Annexations to the district were to be considered by LAFCO Wednesday.

Directors also:

—Accepted the low bid of the Byron Jackson Pump Division of Fresno of \$9,698 to provide well pumps for the Seascape Blvd. and Maplethorpe Lane wells.

—Accepted the \$44,629 water system improvements on Soquel Drive from Daubenbiss St. to Main St. installed by Ecklund Construction Co. of Salinas. A 12-inch main was installed prior to the County Public Works Department street improvement project there.