



Rosamond Community Services District

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Helping Kern County Improve And Maintain Our Roads

Roads are a vital piece of our community infrastructure that need periodic maintenance to be kept in tip-top shape. While RCSD has no jurisdiction or authority over our community's roads, our public works crew does their very best to keep traffic flowing by supporting Kern County Public Works.

As an unincorporated area in Kern County, Rosamond has no local public works department. Instead, our community relies on Kern County Public works for road construction and maintenance. As much as RCSD would like to fill pot-holes or repair storm damage, we legally cannot since this authority is not granted to RCSD.

What RCSD can and does do is maintain our water and sewer distribution equipment, like manhole covers, and patch the asphalt after pipeline maintenance or repair. For example, RCSD crews were hard at work preparing our utility access, like manholes, before Kern County Public Works began their Rosamond Boulevard project.



This partnership between RCSD and Kern County Public Works is part of what makes Rosamond a great place to live and work. Remember, if you have a water or sewer emergency, reach out to the RCSD team. But for comments or questions about the roads, Kern County Public Works is your best resource. You can learn more and contact them at kernpublicworks.com, or by calling 661-862-5100.



May Is California Water Awareness Month

RCSD is happy to provide stable and secure water supplies to our community. The ability to turn on a tap at any time and receive healthy, clean water is something that many of us take for granted.

The Department of Water Resources has declared that May of each year be celebrated as Water Awareness Month. This is part of the year-round effort to help all Californians appreciate and conserve one of our most valuable natural resources. Ready to celebrate with us? You can learn more about water and water conservation in California at saveourwater.com.



Blood Drive

Rosamond Community Services

District - Board Room

3179 35th Street W
Rosamond, CA 93560

Thursday, June 6, 2024
12:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.



Upcoming Blood Drive

RCSD is proud to announce the continuation of our partnership with the American Red Cross by hosting another community blood drive on Thursday, June 6th, from 12pm to 6pm. Blood Donors will receive a Tetris t-shirt at the drive (while supplies last).

We had a great turnout at our last blood drive and are hoping for even more donations, saving more lives, this time!

Make your appointment to save a life at www.redcrossblood.org and enter sponsor code rcsd.



Household Hazardous Waste Events

Despite being commonly available and used, household chemicals can be dangerous and toxic. That's why it's vital to keep them out of our water supply. Never dump household chemicals down drains, toilets, or in the desert. Instead, drop them off at one of Kern County Public Works' upcoming free household hazardous waste events.

There are upcoming events in Mojave and Tehachapi this month:

Saturday, May 4th, 9am - 12pm

Mojave Special Waste Facility
17035 Finin Street
Mojave, CA 93501

Friday & Saturday

May 3rd & 4th, 9am - 1pm

Tehachapi Landfill
12001 East Tehachapi Blvd
Tehachapi, CA 93561

Remember to label each container and to NEVER MIX CHEMICALS. Leaking containers will not be accepted.

Water Waste Reducing Refresh

Spring is a great time to refresh your yard with new plants and landscaping. Why not use it as an opportunity to beautify your outdoor spaces with water waste reducing plants like palos verdes, red yucca, or fragrant lavender? There are lots of resources for information on drought tolerant plants that will thrive in our desert and great landscaping ideas and examples. One of the best can be found on our website by clicking on the orange flowers link on our homepage, rosamondcsd.com.

