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Explanation of Water Well 2 maintenance

As I emailed earlier this month, we've been having problems with the production of Well 2 in obtaining the quantity of water per minute that should have been pumped. Peerless Midwest came in to check it out and reviewed records to show that the well hadn't been cleaned for over 7 years and checked thoroughly for that same amount of time. We had the well pump pulled the casing and shaft cleaned. In review we had some shaft parts that needed replaced. Peerless also performed some additional capacity testing to see if we could reset the location of the pump while they were cleaning it. In addition to the pump and shaft, we asked them to look at the motor.

After the cleaning and maintenance they made some recommendations to the pump depth (actually moving it up) and the pump motor to create some efficiencies.

I'm asking the council to formalize the approval of this work.