

Staff Recognition

Brittany Rossi Worthen and
William Crain

COUNCIL MEETING

MARCH 11, 2024





Congratulations!

2023 California Water Environment Association (CWEA) Redwood Empire Section Award Winners!

Brittany Rossi Worthen – Supervisor of the Year

William Crain – Mechanical Technician Person of the Year

Brittany Rossi Worthen

- CWEA Redwood Empire Section Supervisor of the Year (2023)
- Laboratory Supervisor at Ellis Creek WRF
- 8 Years as City employee
- CWEA Certification – Laboratory Analyst Grade 4
- Current President of CWEA Redwood Empire Section and City of Petaluma's Professional and Mid-Managers Association
- Organizes CWEA events, including plant tours and golf tournaments
- Accomplishments – updated lab to be compliant with rigorous QA standards, develops and conducts training for City staff across PW&U, keeps the City compliant with changing regulatory requirements
- Brittany values excellence, takes initiative, volunteers for the betterment of the wastewater industry, and has created a thriving lab at Ellis Creek



William Crain

- CWEA Redwood Empire Section Mechanical Technician Person of the Year (2023)
- Senior Plant Mechanic at Ellis Creek WRF
- 10.5 Years as City employee
- CWEA Certification – Electrical and Instrumentation Grade 1 and Mechanical Technologist Grade 3
- Extensive knowledge and experience in pumps, water conveyance, motors, controls, and heavy equipment operation.
- Accomplishments – provides daily leadership to 3 plant mechanics, streamlined maintenance workflow and created paperless work orders, continually improving maintenance management systems at Ellis Creek,
- Will is hardworking, a strong leader, and dedicated to a positive and safe working environment. He demonstrates ingenuity and creativity in his approach to challenging projects and goes above and beyond when opportunity arises.





We are proud of you, Brittany and Will!

Thank you for your dedication and passion you demonstrate while helping to maintain our critical Ellis Creek WRF.

