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NEWSLETTER & BALLOT

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About BWSC

Bolivar WSC was established and applied for Certificate of Incorporation for Non-Profit on February 24, 1969.

The Corporation was developed near the Bolivar area with ONE well, the Bolivar Well.

After years of area growth and demand for rural development, Bolivar Water applied to the Public Utility Commission of Texas in 1979 for a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity (CCN) in order to provide water utility service to the area. This service area stretches North & South from Valley View to Denton and Krum and East & West from Aubrey to Greenwood, approximately 600 square miles of service area and approximately 400 miles of service line within portions of three (3) counties, Denton, Cooke and Wise. We currently have 18 wells all pumping water from the Trinity aquifer.

Bolivar is required to take 10 Bacteria water samples per month (at various locations throughout the system) and send to the Department of Health for testing. We are also required to take 10 chlorine residual samples per day and report quarterly to TCEQ.

It is and always has been our goal to provide the best and safest drinking water in the area.

TODAY'S TIDBIT:

The Earth is not ours. It is a treasure we hold in trust for our children and their children.

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SYSTEM NEWS

WELCOME



NEW MEMBERS

We added 95 new members this past year, ending the 2003 season with 3152 active connections, and 66 inactive making a total of 3212.

Searching For Groundwater with a Stick

Have you heard of dowsing? Maybe you've heard it called water witching, divining, or doodle bugging? Whatever the term, this practice is the ancient "gift" of finding water, metal, or other objects underground.

Dowsing, common since European medieval times, is still practiced the same as it was 1,000 years ago.

How does dowsing work?

Many use tools such as divining rods and pendulums. Others say the tool is only an "interface" or "communication device" that acts as a link between water and the subconscious. Therefore, the

choice of dowsing tool doesn't really matter, and some dowsers operate totally free of a dowsing rod or other tool.

It is believed that objects, including water, possess a natural magnetic, electromagnetic, or other unknown "energy" that their senses can detect. To a dowser, sensing energy is a natural process that can be developed through practice.

Einstein Was a Believer

Even Albert Einstein believed in dowsing. He also believed that it could be explained. He said, "I know very well that many scientists consider dowsing as they do astrology, as a type of ancient superstition. According to my conviction this is, however, unjustified. The dowsing rod is a simple instrument, which shows the reaction of the human nervous system to certain factors that are unknown to us at this time"

Whether you believe it works or not, dowsing is still practiced. And, like many other beliefs, it probably will be for quite a while.

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