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### **Nipomo Supplemental Water Project Receives Prestigious Recognition Once Again**

On June 21<sup>st</sup>, the American Society of Civil Engineers (ASCE), San Luis Obispo Branch, presented the Nipomo Community Services District with another prestigious award during its annual award ceremony.

The District received ASCE's Water Project of the Year for the Joshua Road Reservoir, Phase 2 of the District's Supplemental Water Project. The District's Supplemental Water Project Phase 1, a \$17 million project that included installing a water line 140-feet under the Santa Maria River, received ASCE's 2016 Project of the Year award.

The 2018 award recognizes the District's latest project – a \$3.2 million concrete water storage reservoir uniquely designed and constructed to provide 100 years of service to the community of Nipomo. The project is part of an ongoing \$30 million public works project that connects the District's and the City of Santa Maria's water systems. Water passing through this project into the District's water system is part of a long-term solution to help balance water demand with supply and to protect the health of the Nipomo Mesa groundwater basin.

At its July 11 Regular Meeting, the District's Board of Directors commended staff's efforts.

"The District put together an award winning team of design engineers, project managers, and construction professionals to complete the Joshua Road Reservoir. With so many great projects in the County, being recognized by ASCE and receiving their Water Project of the Year Award is satisfying to all those who brought this project into existence," said General Manager, Mario Iglesias.

For more information, please contact the Nipomo Community Services District at 929-1133, [info@ncsd.ca.gov](mailto:info@ncsd.ca.gov) or visit [www.ncsd.ca.gov](http://www.ncsd.ca.gov).

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