

PUD to consider hookup fees for new community hall

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The Valley Springs Public Utilities District Board once again will discuss hook-up fees for the new Jenny Lind Veterans Memorial District hall that is nearing completion.

The board meets at 6 p.m. Wednesday in the district office, 150 Sequoia Ave.

The Veterans Memorial District reportedly saw their capital improvement fees for the new construction increase from \$17,000 a few years ago to \$31,000. The matter was discussed between the two boards at a July 27 VSPUD meeting. Memorial District Board President Gary Tofanelli agreed to go over plans with the VSPUD engineer to see whether there had been any changes since the plans were first submitted that would have triggered the increase.

That meeting resulted in about a \$1,000 reduction in the fees. The hall is expected to be completed next month.

In other business, the VSPUD board will discuss and take possible action on a wastewater rate increase.