



**TOWN OF PARADISE**  
**Council Agenda Summary**  
**Date: May 13, 2025**

**Agenda No. 1**

**ORIGINATED BY:** Marc Mattox, Public Works Director / Town Engineer

**REVIEWED BY:** Jim Goodwin, Town Manager

**SUBJECT:** Paradise Sewer Project Update

**COUNCIL ACTION REQUESTED:**

1. None, written monthly update only.

**Background:**

This report is a monthly effort to provide additional opportunity for public engagement on the status and next steps of the Paradise Sewer Project.

**Analysis:**

Town staff and its consulting teams in conjunction with Town Council, DFA, SWRCB, and HCD continue the analysis of a reduced Sewer Service Area with a localized solution for wastewater treatment. The project's objectives remain unchanged—providing a sustainable wastewater solution for the Paradise community.

**Main Accomplishments**

- Hosted 11 individual meetings with wastewater technology vendors and community members interested in the project.
- Continued to progress the project alternatives analysis by confirming the list of project alternatives for analysis.
- Met with the Town Council Sewer Project Ad Hoc Committee to discuss the project status and key decisions.
- Met with DFA and USACE to discuss grant funding opportunities for the Sewer Project.
- Continued support for finding and evaluating all project funding options.

**Key Activities (One Month Look-Ahead)**

- Meet with the CVWQCB staff to confirm the anticipated requirements for treated wastewater effluent discharge.
- Progress the alternatives analysis and begin developing complete (collection to dispersal) project cost estimates for each alternative.
- Tour similar wastewater collection and treatment facilities in Northern California with Town Staff and members of the Town Council Sewer Project Ad Hoc Committee.