Ridgewood Water Weekly

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Ridgewood Water Director in the Spotlight

Congratulations to Richard Calbi, director of Ridgewood Water, who is featured on the cover of the New Jersey Institute of Technology's Fall 2026 alumni magazine!



The article highlights Calbi's vision and leadership in rebuilding Ridgewood Water's entire treatment system to address PFAS contamination in the water supply serving 61,000 customers. It also explores Ridgewood Water's ongoing efforts to optimize the system and improve efficiency.

Congratulations, Rich, on this well-deserved recognition! Read the full article at **https://magazine.njit.edu/**



Road Work in Ridgewood

Ridgewood Water's contractor will be performing milling and paving work on **East Glen Avenue in Ridgewood** next week as part of the construction of the new Eastside PFAS Treatment Facility. The project includes connecting water lines from the East Saddle River and Salem wells to the new facility.

Work is scheduled for **November 5 and 6**, coinciding with the NJEA Convention, when Ridgewood Public Schools are closed, to minimize disruptions to students and families.

Note: The schedule is weather-dependent and subject to change.

Finishing Touches Are Done!

Thank you to the Ridgewood Art Institute for their patience during construction of Ridgewood Water's new pump station in the public right-of-way in front of their property. The "booster" station, which became operational in June, was built to **improve water pressure and reliability** in higher-elevation areas of Midland Park and Ridgewood. Landscaping around the project is now complete. We look forward to seeing the new plantings grow and fill in!



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