SCC Pump Recommendation

Justification -

We have been experiencing, both this year and last, problems with our Streaming Current Controller (SCC) supply pump clogging due to debris in the water. Depending on the water quality and time of year, this pump will get clogged between 18 and 48 hours. This pump sends water to our SCC analyzer which tells us if our coagulant dose is under or over the desired dose. When water quality is consistent, it doesn't cause too much of an issue, but during or after a rain, and dirt gets carried into the reservoirs and canals that feed our plant, the demand for coagulant goes up. When the pump is clogged, it can't tell us that our demand has gone up and the plant is now under-dosed for polymer (coagulant). This causes huge problems for our finished water product, resulting in higher effluent turbidity (potential for violation) increase DBP (disinfection byproducts) shortened filter runs and more backwashes, and increased OT and hours of operations to remedy the issues.

The only way to fix a sedimentation basin that is under-dosed is to physically cascade polymer around the basin while running the plant (usually at higher effluent turbidity) or run Filter to Waste (FTW) to the lagoons. We only have about two hours of run time before the lagoons are full, then they will overflow into the neighbor's pond.

The project I would like to do would require a new, higher output pump, Y strainer for catching debris, and better piping. We would plumb in a bypass around the Y strainer to allow for continuous flow while cleaning the Y strainer daily. Or every few days as needed. This should allow for consistent flows to the SCC without interruption.

Material cost would be around \$1100-1300. Labor should be under \$500.

We have already spent about 10 hours from the last rains dealing with this, not to mention callouts through the night from false SCC reads due to clogging. I am asking the board to approve this project at this upcoming board meeting so we can hopefully install this before the next major storm.

Regards,

Jason Hoffman Chief Operator American River Backflow







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