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STOUGHTON UTILITIES RECOGNIZED FOR WATER EFFICIENCY

The Wisconsin Section of the American Water Works Association (WIAWWA) recently recognized Stoughton Utilities for water efficiency in 2021. The WIAWWA Water Efficiency Award is awarded to utilities that demonstrate leadership, innovation, or progress in promoting the wise use of water resources through water efficiency and conservation.

Stoughton Utilities has reduced its non-revenue water loss by 39% in the past year. System improvements began in 2006 with the implementation of an AMR drive-by meter reading system. In 2018 the utility began updating and improving metering and billing records, and testing, repairing, or replacing out of compliance large water meters. In 2021 the utility replaced 703 lead water service lines, repairing numerous water leaks that were discovered during the project.

Throughout 2021, Stoughton Utilities saved approximately 25 million gallons of water that would have otherwise been lost.

“Finding and repairing water leaks is an important part of what we do at Stoughton Utilities as it helps to keep rates low.” said Jill Weiss, Utilities Director. “Anything we can do to conserve water and reduce waste is a benefit to the Stoughton community.”

Water System Supervisor Kent Thompson accepted the award on behalf of Stoughton Utilities at the WIAWWA Annual Conference in Madison.

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Founded in 1886, Stoughton Utilities serves electric customers in Stoughton and the surrounding area; and wastewater and water customers in Stoughton.