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RE: Press Statement for immediate release

The Mendocino City Community Services District is taking some big steps forward towards addressing drought and resiliency in the face of climate change.

In Response to a Request for Qualifications (RFQ) circulated this past summer by MCCSD the Engineering Firm GHD entered into a Master Service Agreement on November 11, 2021. Through this Agreement, GHD will assist MCCSD applying for grants and plan projects to help improve our drought resiliency, ability to provide more recycled water, increase water storage, and wastewater treatment infrastructure upgrades to name a few.

GHD has a very good reputation for planning and designing projects completed within Mendocino County and around the globe. GHD is currently working with the Mendocino Unified School District on upgrades to their water system and recycled water abilities. MCCSD is very excited to have GHD as a partner moving forward.

MCCSD also had a visit from State Senator Mike McGuire and County Supervisor Ted Williams November 9<sup>th</sup>, 2021 both of whom are actively engaged in helping MCCSD find water solutions and to be more drought resilient in the face of climate change.

November 18, MCCSD met with staff from Senator Dianne Feinstein's office to discuss District needs, funding opportunities that might be available as a result of the new infrastructure bill, how to best access that funding, and other ways the Senator's office can assist MCCSD in finding solutions.

Good things are happening and MCCSD is continuing to work hard on behalf of the Mendocino community and beyond.

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