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## **LVMWD Hosts November 14 Community “Open House” for Completed 5-Million Gallon Tank Project in Westlake Village**

(Calabasas, CA – October 29, 2015) – Las Virgenes Municipal Water District (LVMWD) will host a community “Open House” to mark completion of the 5-Million Gallon “Torchwood” storage tank project at Las Virgenes Reservoir in Westlake Village on Saturday, November 14 from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. The event is open to the public and complimentary refreshments and hot dogs will be served.

“We invite the public to come see the finished project,” said David W. Pedersen, LVMWD’s General Manager. “The new Torchwood tank is an investment in water service reliability that will benefit the community far into the future.”

During the open house, visitors will be able to walk to the new tank and take photos of the reservoir site, speak with engineers about the project and take a guided tour of LVMWD’s Westlake Filtration Plant. To access the facility, visitors may park on Three Springs Drive or on Torchwood Place and ride a free shuttle to the reservoir site.

The Torchwood tank is part of the District’s multi-year “Backbone Improvement Program” intended to provide better flows across the LVMWD service area, additional water reserves during times of peak demand and added operational flexibility in emergencies. Projects under the Backbone Improvement Program have been built on a “pay as you go” basis, using financial reserves set aside for this purpose, while avoiding the added costs of borrowing. Construction of the tank project was completed for \$10,751,497.

Las Virgenes Municipal Water District provides potable water, wastewater treatment, biosolids composting and recycled water services to the cities of Agoura Hills, Calabasas, Hidden Hills, Westlake Village and surrounding unincorporated areas of Los Angeles County.

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