

KPUD Welcomes New Employees

Engineering Adds Assistant

If you recently visited Klickitat PUD's Engineering Department in the Goldendale office, you probably met the new engineering department support assistant, Anita Clever.



Anita Clever

Anita joined the department July 23 and is busy learning the position. With Anita on board, Luann Mata will have more time to meet the challenges of her new position as department administrative assistant.

Anita grew up in Goldendale, moved to The Dalles for about 12 years, then returned to her hometown with her husband, Tim. She is a mother of four: a 21-year old son, an 18-year old daughter and two stepdaughters, ages 14 and 7. Her hobbies include camping, family time, horses, gardening and cross stitching.

The past four years, Anita worked for the Klickitat County Building and Grounds Division as administrative assistant. She previously worked at Craig Office Supply in The Dalles as purchasing and retail manager for 10 years.

Newest Member of Accounting Team

Anita Thompson joined the Klickitat PUD accounting team July 16 as a bookkeeper.

Anita is originally from Maine and has lived in Washington since 1978. She moved to Goldendale in 2005.

Anita and her husband, Gary, say they enjoy the small-town atmos-

phere here.

Anita's hobbies include playing bridge, sewing and reading.

Anita's family includes her son, Doug, and daughter-in-law, Valerie, who are both teachers and live in the Tri-Cities.

Anita attended Washington State University and has a bachelor's degree in accounting, with more than 20 years of experience in public accounting.

LFG Site Supervisor Position Changes Hands

The site supervisor position at the H.W. Hill Landfill Gas Power Plant (LFG plant) is contracted with Energy Northwest in Richland.

After serving as site supervisor for about six years, Rick Burk decided to return to the Tri-Cities area and transferred into a new position with Energy Northwest.

Stan Davison was selected to fill the vacancy, joining the LFG team in July.

Stan has held several positions while working for Energy Northwest, including nuclear plant technical engineering supervisor, lead compliance engineer, quality assurance manager, maintenance work team supervisor and project manager. He holds a senior nuclear opera-



Anita Thompson



Stan Davison

tor's license

Stan grew up in Hammond, a small Southern Louisiana town midway between New Orleans and Baton Rouge.

He says as a child it was the best of both worlds, where he could go south for a mile and hunt opossum and armadillo in the swamps—in addition to crawfish and catfish—and go north for a mile to the pine woods, with small hills and meandering rivers teeming with deer, rabbit and squirrel.

Stan enlisted in the U.S. Navy as a nuclear technician and served at a submarine base in Japan. As a reserve, he was in the nuclear submarine service until 1992.

Stan moved his family to Richland, when his 12-year Navy enlistment tour was finished in 1980.

He accepted a job that year as a test and start-up engineer with Energy Northwest and has worked there since.

Stan retired from the Naval Reserve Force as a master chief electrician's mate in 1994. His last assignment was as a command master chief for Eastern Washington.

Stan's hobbies include reading, investing, fishing and spending time with his grandkids.

He and his wife, Joyce, have three grown children: Natalie, a mortgage company regional manager; Crystal, a pharmaceutical sales representative; and Bill, a Navy special forces team leader.

Stan and Joyce also enjoy their seven grandchildren.

Stan says he loves his new assignment at the LFG plant and looks forward to helping Klickitat PUD move into the next phase of power generation development. ■