

# **2021 Annual Report**



I would like to thank everyone, members and staff, for their patience in getting through 2021. It was another year of COVID with the false promise that it was ending about mid-year. But it didn't end. I just wanted to write a short letter to all of you saying

let's review our accomplishments but then we should put this year in the rearview mirror as soon as we can.

There were several significant hurdles that our organization faced in 2021, and we have gotten through all of them. We succeeded in changing over our accounting system—moving from an arcane, hard-to-use system to the more accepted and ubiquitous Quickbooks. We have changed our accounting operation from an internal staff member to an outside firm that will be more reliable and sustainable. We continued offering training and technical assistance in spite of ongoing COVID issues. 2021 was like a stress test, and I am glad to say that we passed. In the end, we are still financially strong, we still have a resourceful and dedicated staff, and our membership is still supportive of the organization. We have met all of our goals and more.

This year we really should be thankful for our Vermont Rural Water staff. Everyone performed incredibly well. They took all of

these challenges head-on and never stopped.
This year also took quite the effort from all the
Board Members too, but we couldn't have
slacked off knowing how hard everyone else was
working. We are very proud to be a part of this
organization, as you should be too!

Sincerely,
Rod Lamothe
Board President





#### **Technical Assistance**

Over 2200 hours



### **Apprenticeship**

17 apprentices

## **Financial Report**

The 2021 audit resulted in an unqualified opinion and a clean report for the association.

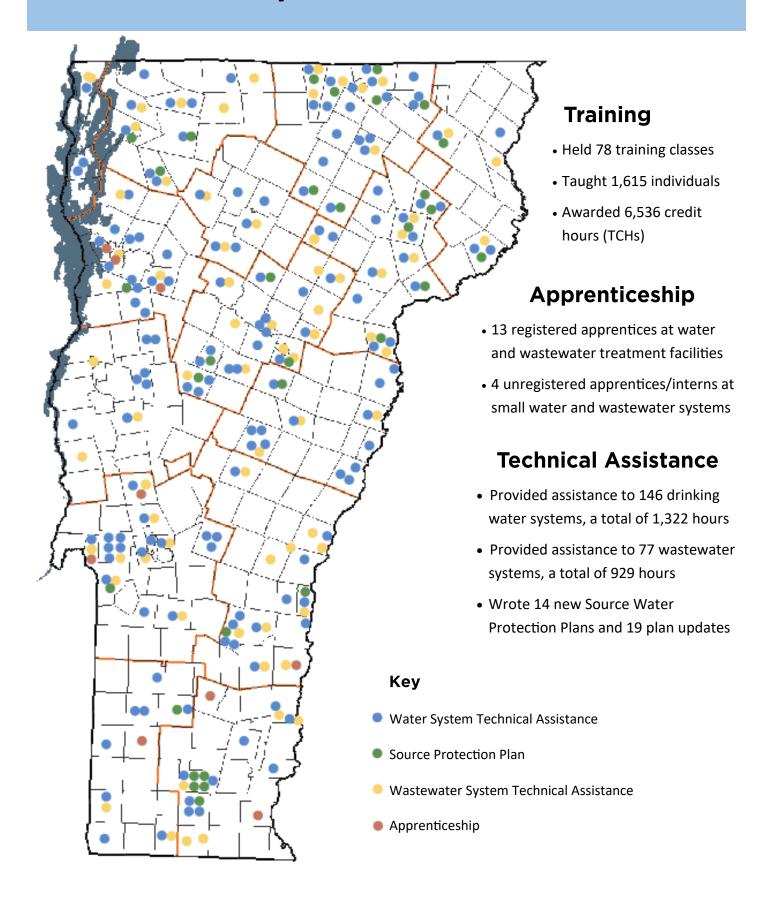
#### **Balance Sheet**

Total Assets	\$644,276
Total Liabilities and net assets	\$644,276
Net assets, end of year	\$584,463

#### **Annual Revenue and Expenses**

Total Revenue and support	\$1,029,637
Total Expenditures	\$1,005,285

# **2021 Accomplishments**



# **Water & Wastewater System Members**

Addison County Community Trust

Agri-Mark Inc.

**AHA Water Cooperative** Albany Community School

Albany Village Water Supply Co.

Alburgh

Alburgh Fire District #1 Alburgh Fire District #2 **Apple Island Resort** Arlington Water Dept. Ascutney Fire District #2 Bakersfield Fire District #1

Barnet Fire District #2 Barnet School **Barre City Barre Town** 

Barton

**Basin Harbor Club Battleground Condos** 

**Bears Crossing Water System** 

**Bellows Falls** Bennington

**Bennington College** 

Berkshire Elementary School

Berlin and RMC MHP

Rethel

**Bloomfield Water System** Blue Mountain Union School

Bow and Arrow Park

**Bradford Brandon** 

Brandon Fire District #1

Brattleboro **Bridges HOA Brighton** 

**Bromley Water Company Bull Run Water System** Burke Fire District #1 **Burke Mountain Burke Town School** 

Burlington

**Butternut Hill Condominiums** 

Cabot

Cambridge Village Water Camping on the Battenkill

Canaan

Carlos Otis Health Care Center

**Castleton Meadows** 

Cavendish

**Champlain Housing Trust** Champlain Water District

Chelsea Chester

Chimney Hill Owners Assoc. Cobb Hill Co-Housing, Inc. Colchester Fire District #2 Cold Brook Fire District #1

Coventry Fire District #1 Craftsbury Fire District #2

Crystal Springs Water System **Dairy Center** 

Danby Mount Tabor Fire District #1

**Daniels Construction** 

Danville

Danville Fire District #1 Deerfield Valley Health Center

**Derby Center** Derby Line

**Dorset Elementary School** Dorset Fire District #1 **Drumleys Condominiums** East Berkshire Fire District #1 East Calais Fire District #1 East Dorset Fire District #1 East Hardwick Fire District #1

East Middlebury Fire District #1 East Montpelier Elementary

East Thetford Water Co.

East Wind MHP Eastridge Acres HOA **Eden Central School Edgemont Condos Edlund Company** 

**Edward Farrar Utility District** 

**Enosburg Falls** 

**Essex Junction** Fair Haven Fairbanks Scales

Fairfax

Fairfax Fire District #1 Fairfax Heights Water Cooperative

Fairfield Fire District #2

Fairlee

Farm & Wilderness **Fayston Elementary School** 

Ferrisburg Jolley

Fiddlehead Condo Association

Fletcher Elementary School Flood Brook School Fort Warren MHP Franklin Foods

Georgia Elementary & Middle

Georgia Industrial Development

Corp. GlobalFoundries

Glover

**Grafton Elementary School** 

Grand Isle

Grand Isle Fire District #4 **Grand Summit Hotel** 

**Grandview Acres Water System** Graniteville Fire District #4

Green Mountain Valley School Greensboro Fire District #1

**Greenwood School Guilford Central School** 

Hardwick Hartford

Hartland Elementary School Hartland Town Activity Center Harwood Union High School

Hideaway Campground Assoc. Hiland Hall School

Hinesburg

Holbrook Bay HOA

Hyde Park

Hyde Park Fire District #1 Intervale at Stratton Irasburg Fire District #1 Jay Peak Water System Jay/Westfield Elementary

Jeffersonville

Jericho East Homeowners Assoc. Jericho Underhill Water

Johnson

Killington Elementary School

Killington Resort **Kurn Hattin Homes** Lake Region School District Lakehurst Campground Lamoille Union USD 18

Little School

Long Trail Brewing Co.

Ludlow

Lunenburg Fire District #1 Lunenburg Fire District #2 Lyn Haven Fire District #1

Lvndon Lyndonville Manchester Marlboro College

Marlboro Elementary School

Marshfield

McIndoe Falls Fire District 3

Middlebury

Middletown Springs School Mill River High School

Milton Montgomery Montpelier

Morristown Corners Water Corp.

Morrisville

Morgan

Mountain Green Condominium

Mountain View MHP

Mountain View Water Assoc. Mountain Water Company

Newburv

**Newmont Slate Company** 

**Newport Center** 

Newport City North Bennington

North Branch Fire District #1 North Country Land Lab North Country Engineering North Hartland Water Co-op

North Hero North Troy

Orleans

Northeast Kingdom Airport

Northfield Northside Condo Norwich Fire District #1 Notchbrook Condominium Okemo Mountain Resort

Peacham Fire District #1 Pine Ridge Water Corp

Piper Ridge Homeowners Assoc.

Pittsford Plainfield Point Bay Marina Poker Hill School Poultney

Pownal Proctor Putnev Randolph Readsboro Red Cedar School

Richford Richmond

Richmond Fire District #1

Riverside MHP Rochester Royalton

Royalton Fire District #1 Runamok Maple

Rutland

Rutland Town Fire District #1 Rutland Town Fire District #5 Rutland Town Fire District #6

Saxtons River Schlotterbeck & Foss Seasons on Mount Snow

Ryegate Fire District #2

Shaftsbury Sharon Academy Shelburne Shelburne House Sheldon

Sherburne Fire District #1

Smugglers' Notch Sonnenberg Water System

South Burlington

South Burlington Fire District #1 South Georgia Fire District South Hero Fire District #4

South Wallingford Water Co.

# **System Members (continued)**

Southface Owner's Association

Spring Lake Ranch Springfield St. Albans

St. Johnsbury

St. Johnsbury Center Fire District #1 Starksboro Village Water Co-Op Starlake Village Leaseholders Assoc.

Sterling View MHP

Stowe

Stowe Fire District #4

Sunny Acres Water Association

Sunrise HOA Sutton

Swan Valley Cheese of VT

Swant valley Cheese of V1 Swanton Village Thetford Water Coop Timber Creek Condominium Trail Creek Condominium Tri-Town Water District #1 Troy

Twin Farms

Vergennes-Panton Water District

Vermont Academy
Vermont State Parks
Vernon Elementary School
Vernon Green Nursing Home
Village At Sawmill Farms

Waitsfield & Champlain Valley Telecom

Waitsfield Water Supply
Wallingford Fire District #1
Washington Fire District #1
Waterford Elementary School
Wells River Water System
West Burke Housing
West Rutland

West Wind Water System West Windsor Water System Westford Fire District #1 Westminster Aqueduct Society Westminster Center School Wheelock Fire District #1 White Birches MHP Whitingham Wildwood West Williamstown

Williston Fire District #1
Williston Water Dept

Wilmington

Wilmington Water District

Windsor

Winhall-Stratton Fire District #1

Winooski

Winterplace at Okemo Woodbury Elementary School Woodland Apartments

Woodstock

Woodstock Aqueduct Co. Worcester Fire District #1

### **Associate Members**

ABTEC, Inc.

Aldrich + Elliott

Allen Engineering & Chemical Corp

Aquafix, Inc.

ATC Group Services LLC

Atlantic Pump & Engineering, Inc.

**CAI Technologies** 

Champlin Associates
Chevalier Drilling Co., Inc.
Clear Water Filtration

Core & Main

Coyne Chemical Environmental Services

Culligan Water
DN Tanks
DuBois & King

Dufresne Group **E.J. Prescott, Inc.**Eastern Analytical, Inc.

Endyne, Inc.

EOS Research, Ltd.

F.R. Mahony & Associates

Ferguson Waterworks

Forcier Consulting Engineers
Ford Meter Box Company, Inc.

FW Webb Co.

**Green Mountain Engineering** 

Holland Company, Inc.

Laramie Water Resources LLC Lincoln Applied Geology, Inc. Marble Valley Engineering

Mueller Systems N.A. Manosh Corp.

New England Backflow, Inc.

**Otter Creek Engineering** 

P2 Environmental Perrigo Nutritionals

Pittsburg Tank & Tower Co., Inc.

PurposeEnergy, Inc. Reeves Consulting LLC

**Ruggles Engineering Services** 

Slack Chemical Co. **Statewide Aquastore** 

**SUEZ Advanced Solutions** 

**Sullivan Associates** 

Tata & Howard

Ti-SALES Inc. USA BlueBook

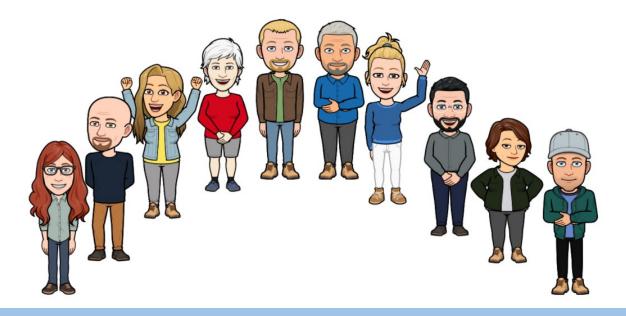
**Vermont Utility Management Services** 

Water Industries, LLC

**Watershed Consulting Associates** 

**Weston & Sampson Engineers** 

**Bold** = Sustaining Associate Member



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#### **Vice President**

**Richard Desautels** 

Colchester Fire District #2

#### Secretary/Treasurer, National Representative

Jon Thornton

**Bradford Water & Sewer** 

#### **Board Members**

Margaret Dwyer

Winhall-Stratton Fire District

John Lazelle

**Town of Wilmington** 

#### **Board Liaison**

**Eric Blatt** 

VT DEC Water Investment Division