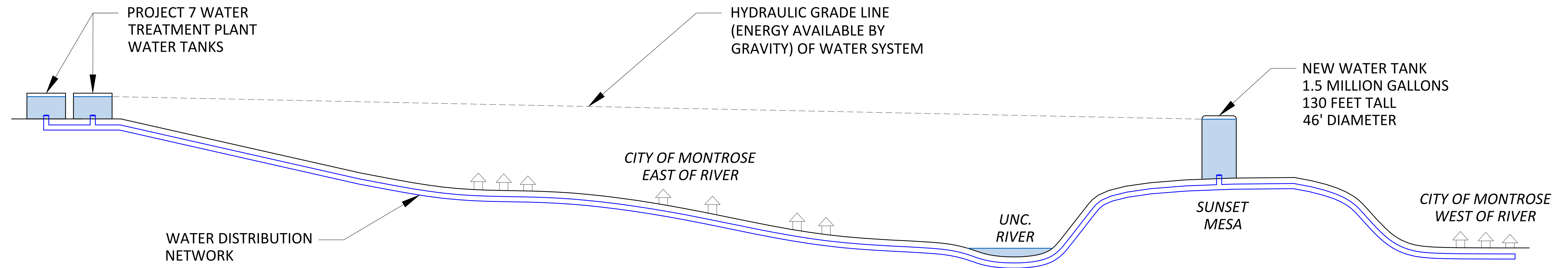


SUNSET MESA TANK REPLACEMENT



CROSS SECTION OF WATER DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM

PROJECT TIMELINE

- Project Award: September 2020
- Estimated Completion Date: November 2021 (Supply chain willing!)

PROJECT TEAM

- Designer: Farnsworth Group (Fort Collins, CO)
- Surveyor: Buckhorn Engineering (Montrose, CO)
- Construction Contractor: Ridgway Valley Enterprises (Montrose, CO)

PROJECT COSTS

- Design: \$260k
- Construction: \$4.75M

WHAT IS GOING ON HERE? WHY IS THIS TANK SO TALL?

The tank under construction at this site is a critical part of the City's water distribution system. Water tanks help to maintain consistent pressures within the pipe network and are important to provide emergency water storage to help fight fires or to maintain supply if there is a disruption in the system. This tank's height is built to match the available energy of the water system which allows it to fill and drain under gravity without the need for pumping. This improves reliability of the water system, saves millions of dollars in pumping costs, improves water circulation, and helps to maintain excellent water quality. This tank is one of three new tanks built over the past 15 years to help keep up with growing water demands and regulatory requirements. Tanks and other water infrastructure projects are funded by users of the water utility.

WHERE CAN I GET MORE INFORMATION?

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