

YLWD'S HELI-HYDRANTS

A GAME CHANGING WAY TO SAFEGUARD LIFE, PROPERTY, AND THE ENVIRONMENT

Yorba Linda Water District (YLWD) serves reliable water and sewer services to residents and businesses of Yorba Linda, portions of Placentia, Brea, Anaheim, and areas of unincorporated Orange County. YLWD is home to two Heli-Hydrants, the Marc Marcantonio Heli-Hydrant and the Wells Fargo Heli-Hydrant. The Heli-Hydrants help local fire authorities save critical time and fight wildfires more efficiently by offering a strategically placed, quick-fill, pilot-operated water source that can fill in just a few minutes. In addition, the Heli-Hydrants allow helicopter pilots to access water independently through remote operation technology. Heli-Hydrants are an invaluable piece of infrastructure that offers Orange County a game-changing way to safeguard life, property, and the environment for the benefit of the community.



MARC MARCANTONIO HELI-HYDRANT

The 1st Permanent Heli-Hydrant



Oct. 7, 2019
Operational



12 Feet
Diameter



3 Feet
Depth



2,700 Gallons
Water Capacity



6 Minute
Fill Time



350-3,000 Gallons
Helicopter Tank
Capacity

WELLS FARGO HELI-HYDRANT

YLWD's 2nd Heli-Hydrant



July 6, 2021
Operational



15 Feet
Diameter



7 Feet
Depth



5,000 Gallons
Water Capacity



850 Gallons
per Minute
Fill Rate



350-3,000 Gallons
Helicopter Tank
Capacity



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