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**NEWS RELEASE**  
**Douglas County Receives Best Tasting Water Award for**  
**Cave Rock Water System**

**Minden, Nevada**-Douglas County Utilities has again won the best tasting water in the state of Nevada (for the second time in four years). On March 16, 2017, the Nevada Rural Water Association (NvRWA), at a conference held in Reno, Nevada, announced that the Cave Rock Water Treatment Plant had won 1st place for the State's Best Tasting Water Award. The service area includes Cave Rock, Lakeside and Skyland systems next to beautiful Lake Tahoe.

Another one of Douglas County Utilities Systems "Montaña" was a close second for this year's 2017 prize winning award, as stated by Bob Forester, Executive Director of NvRWA. This system represents a water well servicing homes near Jack's Valley Road north of Genoa.

In 2014 Douglas County Utilities had proudly won 1st place for a well in Genoa. The following year, Glenbrook Water Co. took 1st place for the state. That year the NvRWA was financially able to send Glenbrook's sample to the finals in Washington D.C. in competition with nearly a thousand other samples across the United States of America where it won 1st place in the United States National Finals.

"We have achieved three 1st place winners here in Douglas County for the best tasting water in the state of Nevada in just 4 years," said Tim DeTurk, Douglas County Utilities Superintendent. "I would like to congratulate and thank Douglas County Utilities, their water treatment operators and staff on achieving this prestigious accomplishment."

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