



# WATERWISE LANDSCAPE REBATE PROGRAM



## RESIDENTIAL

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
(As you would like it to appear on the check; please print clearly.)

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_  
(Mailing Address)

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
(Mailing Address)

Water Account Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Service Address: \_\_\_\_\_

How Did You Hear About the Rebate? \_\_\_\_\_

The Carpinteria Valley Water District (CVWD) is offering rebates for upgrades to existing irrigation systems and landscaping to increase water efficiency. **Projects must be approved in advance. The program is not retroactive.** Landscapes for new construction are not eligible. Sales receipts and/or contractor invoices dated after the pre-inspection are required for all rebates. Only the retail cost of material will be rebated. **This is a performance-based rebate program; project must result in a net reduction in total landscape water consumption for the site.**

### How Much is the Rebate?

The program covers a portion of the cost of pre-approved irrigation equipment and landscape materials, labor, delivery charges or sales tax are not included.

- **Design:** 50% of the cost of landscape or irrigation design services, up to a maximum of \$250 per site.
- **Irrigation Equipment:** 50% of the cost of drip irrigation parts, sprinkler system efficiency retrofits, sprinkler nozzles (delivering 1"/hour or less with correct pressure), pressure compensating heads, and pressure regulators.
- **Water Wise Plants, Mulch, and Permeable Landscape Material:** 50% of the cost of water wise plants, mulch and permeable landscape to include: gravel, cobbles up to 4", flagstone or similar with a minimum of 4" spacing. Planted areas must be covered with a 3-inch layer of mulch. Decks, and hardscapes including stabilized decomposed granite (D.G.) are **not** eligible.
- **Synthetic Turf:** Existing irrigated lawn area square footage eligible. **Only actual cost of turf material and infill eligible.**

**Any combination of items above may qualify for a one-time, maximum rebate amount of \$500.**

### How Do I Participate?

- Step 1:** Make an appointment for a "Pre-Qualification Inspection" site visit with a Water Conservation Program representative. If your project qualifies, you will receive the pre-qualified list of items eligible for rebate (see reverse).
- Step 2:** The purchase and installation of all equipment denoted by Water Conservation staff under the heading of "Pre-Qualified Equipment" must be installed within **120 days** of the date of the Pre-Qualification Inspection.
- Step 3:** Call for a final "Post-Installation Inspection" appointment within **120 days**. Receipts are required for all rebates. Ask your contractor for a separate invoice for materials only. Be ready to show your finished project and provide receipts. Rebate check will be issued within 30 days of final inspection.

## TERMS AND CONDITIONS

1. The **Applicant** applying for the rebate(s) **must be a CVWD water customer** with authority to make changes to the property.
2. **Only Pre-Qualified Equipment** as determined by a Water Conservation staff member, upon verification of anticipated water savings, shall qualify for a rebate. Rebate available only on items purchased after date of the pre-inspection.
3. All Pre-Qualified Equipment as detailed on this application is **valid for 120 days** from the **Pre-Qualification Inspection** date.
4. The purchase and installation of all equipment denoted by Water Conservation staff under the heading of "Pre-Qualified Equipment" must be installed within 120 days of the date of the **Pre-Qualification Inspection**, unless exception is granted by CVWD Water Conservation representative. For those marked as "Fall Planting" the 120 day limit begins October 1, 2023.
5. The reverse side of this form must be completely filled out and signed.
6. Rebates shall be on a one-time basis per account/property site.
7. A **Post-Installation Inspection** to verify model, type and installation is required. Before and after photos are required.
8. **Filling out this application does not guarantee funding. Funding is granted on a first come first serve basis while funds last. Rebate amounts are subject to change without prior notice.**
9. Applicant must submit legible copies of the valid, dated sales receipts.
10. Customers are responsible for complying with all rules and regulations.

**PRE-QUALIFICATION:** You are pre-qualified for a potential rebate for CVWD-approved irrigation equipment and planting materials as denoted by staff on the table below under the heading "Pre-Qualified Equipment". Once installed, contact the Water Conservation Specialist at (805) 684-2816 ext. 116 within 120 days of the pre-qualification inspection date for a post-installation inspection.

Your **Pre-Qualification Inspection Date** is: \_\_\_\_\_

PRE-QUALIFIED EQUIPMENT	INSTALLED EQUIPMENT VERIFICATION
Official Use Only – Initial Inspection – Completed by Conservation Staff	
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Design Services</b> – up to maximum \$250.	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Design Services</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Square Footage of Lawn Replacement:</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Square Footage of Lawn Replaced:</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Water Wise Plants/Permeable Surface</b> – Only for replacing lawn or high water using plants.	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Water Wise Plants/Permeable Surface</b>
Plants:	Plants:
Permeable Surface:	Permeable Surface:
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Mulch</b> - at least 3" deep *Required for planted areas	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Mulch</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Synthetic Turf</b> - *Only for replacing lawn or high water using plants	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Synthetic Turf</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Pressure Regulator/Pressure compensating sprinkler bodies</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Pressure Regulator Equipment</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Low Precipitation Rate/Rotating Nozzles</b> (rate of 1"/hour or less with correct pressure)	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Low Precipitation Nozzles</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Drip Installation/Conversion</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Drip Installation/Conversion</b>

**Fall Planting Exception: Your 120 period begins October 1, 2022. Project must be completed, and a post-inspection scheduled before February 1, 2023.**

By signing below, you indicate that you agree to the "Terms and Conditions" of the Smart Landscape Rebate Program as detailed on this form. All applicable rebates are only valid for a period of 120 days following the date of the Pre-Qualification Inspection. It is the applicant's responsibility to arrange a Post Installation Inspection within the 120 day period following the Pre-Qualification Inspection. Failure to comply with these terms and conditions are automatic grounds for disqualification from the program. Call (805) 684-2816 ext. 116 to schedule a Post Installation Inspection.

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Signature of Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

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Date of Pre-Qualification Inspection: \_\_\_\_\_ Inspector: \_\_\_\_\_ Total Rebate Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Post Installation Inspection: \_\_\_\_\_ Inspector: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Receipt: \_\_\_\_\_