



# SMART LANDSCAPE REBATE PROGRAM



## RECYCLED WATER

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 City of Santa Barbara (City of SB) is offering rebates for upgrades to 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 are required for all rebates. Only the retail cost of material will be rebated.**

### How Much Is The Rebate?

*The program covers a portion of the cost of approved irrigation equipment and landscape materials.*

- **Irrigation Equipment:** 50% of the cost of drip irrigation parts, sprinkler system efficiency retrofits, sprinkler nozzles (delivering 1”/hour or less with proper pressure), pressure compensating heads, pressure regulators.
- **Water Wise Plants, Mulch, and Permeable landscape material:** 50% of the cost of water wise plants, mulch. Permeable landscape to include synthetic turf, 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. Hardscapes and pathways, including decomposed granite, are not eligible.
- **Smart Irrigation Controller:** 50% of cost of a smart irrigation controller. Smart irrigation controllers work on a simple principle: automatically adjust for weather changes, and irrigate based on the needs of your plants.

**Performance based rebate program. Project must result in a net reduction in total landscape water consumption for the site.**

**Any combination of items above may qualify for a maximum rebate amount of \$2,000 per account serving irrigated area and \$4,000 per site for accounts classified as commercial and multi-family, including homeowner associations served with recycled water. The project must be completed by December 1, 2014.**

### 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.
- 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 4:** 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 stating: **“Labor billed separately.”**
- Step 5:** Be ready to show your finished project. Rebate check will be issued within 30 days of final inspection.

### TERMS & CONDITIONS

1. The **Applicant** applying for the rebate(s) **must be a City of Santa Barbara water customer.**
2. **Only Pre-Qualified Equipment** as determined by a Water Conservation staff member, upon verification of anticipated water savings, shall qualify for a rebate after installed.
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.**
5. The reverse side of this form must be completely filled out.
6. Applicant must attach a legible copy of the valid, dated sales receipts for materials only to this application to qualify.
7. Rebates shall be on a one-time basis per address or customer.
8. A **Post-Installation Inspection** of the property to verify model, type and installation within 120 days of the date of the Pre-Qualification Inspection is required.
9. Before and After photographs are required.

Note: **Rebate amounts are subject to change without prior notice and based upon availability of funds**

**PRE-QUALIFICATION:** You are pre-qualified for a potential rebate for City-approved irrigation equipment and planting materials as denoted by staff on the table below under heading "Pre-Qualified Equipment". Once installed, (1) Complete the section under the heading "Installed Equipment," then (2) Contact the Water Conservation Office at (805) 564-5460 for a post-inspection within 120 days of the "pre-qualification inspection" date. Project must be completed by December 1, 2014.

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

<b>PRE-QUALIFIED EQUIPMENT</b>					<b>INSTALLED EQUIPMENT</b>		
<i>(Official Use Only – Initial Inspection)</i>					<i>(Customer Use Only)</i>		
	Station(s)	Quantity	Type		Date Installed	Quantity	
<b>Smart Irrigation Controller(s)</b>					<b>Smart Irrigation Controller(s)</b>		
	<input type="checkbox"/>						
<b>Pressure Regulator / Pressure compensating sprinkler bodies</b>					<b>Pressure Regulator Equipment</b>		
Pressure Regulator	<input type="checkbox"/>						
<b>Rain Sensors</b>					<b>Rain Sensors</b>		
	<input type="checkbox"/>						
<b>Water Wise Plants/Permeable landscape</b> *Only for replacing lawn or high water using plants					<b>Water Wise Plants / Permeable</b>		
	<input type="checkbox"/>						
<b>Mulch</b> * mulching 3"					<b>Mulch</b>		
	<input type="checkbox"/>						
<b>Sprinklers</b> *Only for replacing existing 2" or inefficient, old pop-up heads					<b>Sprinklers</b>		
4" or 6" Pop-Up Heads	<input type="checkbox"/>						
4" or 6" Pop-Up's w/ Check Valves	<input type="checkbox"/>						
<b>Low Precipitation Rate Nozzles (precipitation rate of 1" / hour or less with proper pressure)</b>					<b>Low Precipitation Nozzles</b>		
	<input type="checkbox"/>						
	<input type="checkbox"/>						
<b>Drip Conversion</b>	<b>Quantity</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Area</b>	<b>Drip Conversion</b>			
Recommended Equipment	<input type="checkbox"/>						
Recommended Equipment	<input type="checkbox"/>						

By signing below, you indicate that you agree to the "**Terms and Conditions**" of the Smart Landscape Rebate Program as detailed on this form. Please, note that any and 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) 564-5460 to schedule a Post Installation Inspection prior to December 1, 2014.

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

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

<b>OFFICIAL USE ONLY</b>			
<b>Date of Pre-Qualification Inspection:</b> _____	Inspector: _____	Estimated Rebate: Amount \$ _____	
<b>POST-INSTALLATION INSPECTION:</b>			
Date of Post-inspection: _____	Inspector: _____	Recommended Total Rebate: Amount \$ _____	
Date of Receipt: _____	Approved By: _____	Total Rebate Amount: \$ _____	
Rejected By: _____	Reason: _____		