

# Sonoma County Sanitation Commercial Water Efficiency Rebate Program

Serving:

Airport / Larkfield / Wikiup Sanitation Zone  
Geyserville Sanitation Zone  
Occidental County Sanitation District  
Penngrove Sanitation Zone  
Russian River County Sanitation District  
South Park County Sanitation District

Rebates available on a first come, first served basis through June 30, 2010 while funding lasts.

## Save Water. Save Money.

The Sonoma County Sanitation Water Efficiency Rebate Program was established to help your business save water, lower operating costs, and reduce wastewater flows to your local wastewater treatment plant.

Upgrade your existing water using fixtures, equipment, and infrastructure and get cash rebates that will shorten the return on investment. Using less water often saves energy as well, making improvements more cost effective by lowering your energy costs.

## High-Efficiency Clothes Washers

Get up to **\$125\*** back on the purchase and installation of a new, qualifying high-efficiency clothes washer (HEW). A new washer can use 40 to 60% less water and energy than older, top loading clothes washers.

For listings of qualifying consumer and commercial clothes washers, visit the Consortium for Energy Efficiency (CEE)



Web site at [www.cee1.org/resid/seha/rwsh/rwsh-prod.pdf](http://www.cee1.org/resid/seha/rwsh/rwsh-prod.pdf) and [www.cee1.org/com/cwsh/cwsh-main.php3](http://www.cee1.org/com/cwsh/cwsh-main.php3) or call (707) 547-1918. Rebates are available for all “Tier 3” listed clothes washers except those containing silver ion technology (models shaded in grey on the list).

## Water Efficient Ice Machines

Rebates of up to **\$600\*** are available for upgrading ice machines to new, water efficient models. Install a water-cooled ice machine that use 20 gallons per 100 pounds of ice produced or less to qualify.

## High-Efficiency Toilets and Urinals

Get up to **\$300\*** back on the purchase and installation of each new, qualifying high-efficiency toilet (HET) or urinal (HEU).

An **HET** uses, on average, 1.28 gallons per flush (gpf) or less – a minimum of 20% less than the standard 1.6 gpf toilets. Replacing your older toilet saves water and reduces wastewater without sacrificing performance.



An **HEU** uses 0.125 gallons per flush (gpf). Replace a 1.0 gallon per flush urinal and reduce water use by 87%.

For the **List of Qualifying Models**, please visit [www.sonomacountywater.org/scsrebates](http://www.sonomacountywater.org/scsrebates) or call (707) 547-1918.

## More Water Efficient Equipment Rebates

Contact the Water Efficiency Rebate Program for more information on the following rebates:

Connectionless Food Steamers - up to **\$200**

Medical Equipment Steam Sterilizers - up to **\$700**

Dry Vacuum Pumps - up to **\$250**

Pressurized Water Brooms - up to **\$700**

Cooling Tower pH Controllers - up to **\$1,500**

Cooling Tower Conductivity Controllers - up to **\$5,000**

Sustained Reduction - Rebate based on water savings through permanent equipment upgrades.

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**Sonoma County Sanitation  
Water Efficiency Rebate Program  
APPLICATION FORM**

**How to Participate**

1. Read and understand the Program Eligibility and Rules.
2. Determine if your commercial property is connected to a participating sanitation system – look on your property tax bill for a line item stating the sanitation district or zone you are connected to or call (707) 547-1918.
3. Contact the Water Efficiency Rebate Program at (707) 547-1918 to get pre-approval for your project.
4. Purchases and install your qualifying high-efficiency fixtures and equipment.
5. For toilets and clothes washers, complete and sign the application form below and mail along with **original** purchase receipts/plumbers invoices to:

**Sonoma County Sanitation  
Water Efficiency Rebate Program  
PO Box 11628  
Santa Rosa, CA 95406**

6. For other equipment, call for a post-inspection.
  7. Please allow 6 to 8 weeks to process your rebate requests. Checks will be mailed to the address provided below.
- \* Rebate amount can not exceed the cost of the new fixtures and/or equipment excluding sales tax, delivery, installation or other fees, costs or accessories.

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Assessors Parcel Number (APN)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Sanitation Zone/District

\_\_\_\_\_  
Address (where installed)

\_\_\_\_\_  
City State Zip Code

**Rebate Check Mailing Information:**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Address  Same as above

\_\_\_\_\_  
City State Zip Code

\_\_\_\_\_  
Phone

**Program Eligibility and Rules**

1. Rebates are available April 1, 2009 through June 30, 2010 while funding lasts.
2. Your commercial property is connected to a participating sanitation system.
3. Your new fixtures and equipent have been installed and your rebate application is received or postmarked within 90 days of purchase or delivery. All purchases must be made between April 1, 2009 and June 30, 2010 to be eligible.
4. Incomplete applications and those without original purchase receipts will be returned.
5. For High-Efficiency Toilets:
  - Your commercial property was built before 1992.
  - The toilets you are replacing are designed to flush at more than 1.6 gallons per flush (generally, toilets manufactured before 1992).
  - Your new toilets are on the *List of Qualifying Models*.
  - Your old toilets were properly recycled or disposed of.
6. For High-Efficiency Clothes Washers:
  - Your new clothes washer is a “Tier 3” model as listed on the *CEE Clothes Washer Qualifying Product List*.
  - Your old clothes washer was properly recycled or disposed of.

**High-Efficiency Toilets/Clothes Washer**

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Make/Model Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Model Number(s)

**Water Efficient Equipment**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Make/Model Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Model Number(s)



\_\_\_\_\_  
**Signature of Property Owner**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date