

The Water Faucet

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Check out our website. You can obtain water conservation information and rebate forms!

www.westboroughwater.com

Free dye strips to test for toilet leaks are available at the District Office.



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Water Supply Conditions

California is in the midst of a statewide drought emergency and we need to continue to preserve water supplies in the event that subsequent years of drought condition persist. There was above normal precipitation during February at Hetch Hetchy and within local watersheds. March returned to below normal conditions. Precipitation at Hetch Hetchy for March was just below 77% of normal. As of April 15th Hetch Hetchy was about 50% of average annual total precipitation. Generally we receive about 14% of our annual precipitation from April to June. We would like to commend everyone for their water conservation efforts, though we are continuing to request a 10 percent reduction in your water use. The SFPUC will evaluate the water storage supply on June 15th to determine if the 10% voluntary reduction is sufficient for San Francisco customers and Westborough Water District customers. ☹

Sewer Service Charge on Property Tax Bill

The amount of water you consumed during January and February 2014 will be used to determine your annual sewer service charge, which appears on your property tax bill effective July 1, 2014. Westborough Water District (WWD) customers mistakenly received a notice from the City of South San Francisco concerning the City's sewer service charge rate increase.

Please disregard the City's notice, as it does not pertain to WWD customers. ☹

Automated Meter Reading Technology



Did you know the WWD is completely automated with meter reading equipment that allows us to rapidly read all of the meters in the District within a few days? The automated system prevents human errors when reading the meters or transposing numbers. The District has touch and wireless meter reading equipment. Our wireless meter reading equipment (for commercial meters only) allows us to remotely read the meters efficiently without leaving the vehicle. With this technology we can read meters in inclement weather. ☹



Pay Your Bill with Automatic Debit

The WWD offers automated debit of your water bill to customers who sign up for this free service. The funds can be deducted from your checking, savings, or Visa/MasterCard account automatically each billing period. This will eliminate ever having a late charge and saves you money. Please visit our website and click on the tab "Service and Billing" and then select options for paying your bill. ☹

YOUR DISTRICT:


The Westborough Water District board meetings are held on the second Thursday of every month at the District office. The meeting begins at 7:30 p.m. and the public is encouraged to attend.

The current Board members are:

President:
Tom Chambers

Vice President:
Perry Bautista
Directors:
David Irwin, William Lopez, and Janet Medina.

Rebates

The WWD offers washing machine and toilet rebates. Both programs are administered through the Bay Area Water Supply and Conservation Agency (BAWSCA). They will reimburse customers \$50 to \$125 for qualifying new washing machine purchases depending on the type of machine you purchase. The District offers up to \$100 rebate to customers who replace a toilet that uses 3.5 gallons per flush or more with an EPA WaterSense labeled HET (High-Efficiency Toilet). The HET are modern water-efficient toilets that are designed to use 1.3 GPF or less. Please refer to the District website at www.westboroughwater.com for instructions on how to apply for these rebates. 

Stop by the WWD Office and Pick up Your Free Water Savings Products! **SUPPLIES ARE LIMITED! STOP BY SOON!**

Items we have in stock include (*colors may be different than those shown here*):

- Low-Flow Kitchen and Bathroom Faucet Aerators 
- Low-Flow Showerheads 
- Toilet Dye Strips 
- Shower Timers 
- Garden Spray Nozzles 
- Static Cling "Save water in the bathroom!" and other conservation literature

NOTARY PUBLIC

The District has a Notary Public on duty that can notarize documents you may have for a fee of \$10 per signature. Feel free to take advantage of this service. **Please call in advance to set up an appointment.**



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