

# The Rio Linda / Elverta WaterWays

A Publication of the Rio Linda Elverta Community Water District  
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## New Water Service Charges, Effective July 20, 2018

Service Charges / per Ordinance 2016-02

Water Service – Fees for water service from the District Water System shall be as indicated below based upon meter size servicing the premises and includes 600 cu.ft. of water:

	Bi-Monthly Service Meter Size	*Capital Improvement Charge	+	Surcharge	+	Total Surcharge
<b>= Bi-Monthly</b>						
5/8"	\$58.80	\$19.00		\$15.80		\$93.60
3/4"	\$58.80	\$19.00		\$15.80		\$93.60
1"	\$98.00	\$19.00		\$15.80		\$132.80
1-1/2"	\$195.99	\$19.00		\$15.80		\$230.79
2"	\$313.59	\$19.00		\$15.80		\$348.39
3"	\$685.97	\$19.00		\$15.80		\$720.77
4"	\$1234.74	\$19.00		\$15.80		\$1269.54
Inactive	\$52.50	\$19.00		\$15.80		\$87.30

\*California Department of Public Health Compliance Order No. 01-09-07-CO-004

Plus any usage over 600 cu.ft., charges per 100 cubic feet or portion thereof as follows:

Meter Sizes 5/8" – 4"

Cubic Feet Used 601 + Non-Drought Vol. Rate (\$/ccf) \$ .79

## RLECWD in the Community!

Be sure and stop by the Rio Linda / Elverta Community Water District Booth at the 6<sup>th</sup> Annual RLE Country Faire. The District has participated each year at the faire to promote water education information and water saving devices to our customers.

If you do visit the booth give a warm welcome and say "Hi" to the District's newest employee Sara Cater, Conservation Coordinator. We look forward to seeing you there!

**6<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL  
RLE COUNTRY FAIRE**  
DEPOT PARK, 6730 FRONT STREET, RIO LINDA, CA 95673  
**SATURDAY OCTOBER 6<sup>TH</sup> - 8 A.M. TO 4 P.M.**  
 PANCAKE BREAKFAST - 8 A.M. - 9 A.M.      PARADE 9 A.M.

**FUN & GAMES ALL FREE - ALL DAY**

BEER GARDEN  
AT  
RIO PUB

BOUNCE HOUSES  
FACE PAINTING  
BALLOON TWISTERS  
TRAIN RIDES  
CLIMBING WALL  
GIANT BUMPER BALLS  
PONY RIDES  
FARM ANIMALS  
ARTS & CRAFTS  
CARNIVAL GAMES  
DUNK TANK

**LIVE ENTERTAINMENT & MUSIC**  
**DELICIOUS FOOD TRUCKS**

**MORE THAN ONE HUNDRED THIRTY  
VENDORS OF ALL TYPES**

# Conservation

## Top 4 Watering Tricks for a Healthy and Green Landscape

Autumn is right around the corner. Did you know autumn is when people tend to over water the most? Below are 4 tricks to help you maintain your green landscape without over watering:



**Check for soil:** First use a moisture meter. If you do not have one, please come to our office for your own moisture meter. If the meter says it's moist, then you will not need to water your lawn and can skip running the sprinklers.

**Inspect your sprinklers:** Many sprinklers can get clogged or misdirected which can cause you to spray your driveway or your house instead of your grass.

**Water in the morning:** When watering in the morning you will have more water getting to your grass. With low temperatures in the morning you have less evaporation acquiring which means less water loss.

**Mow at the right height:** Taller grass helps shade the soil, which will reduce evaporation and keep your grass hydrated longer. By adjusting your lawn mower, you can get a perfect and healthy height each time. Even though taller grass helps shade the soil, having too long of grass can affect it negatively. Please see below for the guideless for perfect grass height depending of the type of grass:

Grass Type	Mowing Height	Grass Type	Mowing Height
Bahia Grass	2"-3"	Kentucky Bluegrass	1 ½" – 2 ½"
Bentgrass	¼" – ¾"	Ryegrass	1 ½" – 2 ½"
Bermuda	½" – 1 ½"	St. Augustine	2" – 4"
Buffalo Grass	2" – 3"	Tall Fescue	2" – 3"
Centipede	1 ½" – 2 ½"	Zoysia	½" – 1 ½"
Fine Fescue	1 ½" – 2 ½"		



### Rebates are Still Available!

Looking to replace that old toilet, get \$75 max. of two (2) per household.

Want to buy that new high efficiency washing machine, get \$50 towards a new one!

Please visit [www.rlecwd.com](http://www.rlecwd.com) or the District office for rebate qualifications and applications!

