



Polk Regional Water Cooperative

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Outdoor Water Conservation Programs: Smart Irrigation Controller Rebate

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Smart Irrigation Controller: A WaterSense™ Smart irrigation controller will adapt to the local weather and water with precision. Watering schedules will be set up to water your landscape. For more information on Smart Irrigation technologies, a series of publications can be found at: http://edis.ifas.ufl.edu/TOPIC_SERIES_Smart_Irrigation_Controllers

The homeowner will be responsible for 25% of the total cost of the controller; the utility will rebate a maximum of \$300

Program Qualifications

- ___ You must be a customer of Davenport Utilities using drinking water or reclaimed water for irrigation.
 - ___ Account holder will be replacing a standard irrigation controller with a WaterSense™ labeled Smart Irrigation Controller.
 - ___ Homeowner has a 3 month average of at least 15,000 gallons of water used each month (will be verified by PCU)
 - ___ Controller will be installed, working, and in a proper location along with an operating rain sensor at the time of inspection.
- Check to see if there are other funding opportunities to meet this requirement.

Steps to Apply

1. Contact Jacqueline Hollister at (863)298-4236 to verify funding is available.
2. Homeowner/property manager will purchase and install a WaterSense™ Certified Smart Irrigation Controller.
3. Applicant will return this application with the receipt of the WaterSense™ Smart Irrigation Controller.
4. Jacqueline Hollister at (863)298-4236 will contact the applicant once the application has been received to set up an inspection time. Inspection will include: time clock, rain sensor, sprinkler settings.
5. After the inspection has been completed and Jacqueline Hollister verifies all Program qualifications have been met, a rebate will be issued. The homeowner will be responsible for 25% of the total cost of the Smart Irrigation Controller, and **Davenport Utilities will rebate a maximum of \$300.**
6. A signed IRS form W-9 (page 1 attached) will be required before rebate check can be issued. DO NOT email this form to our office.

Applicant Information: Please print clearly

Utility Billing Account Number _____ Relationship to property (owner, tenant, etc.) _____

Last Name _____ First _____ M.I. _____

Location Street Address _____ Unit # _____ City _____, FL. Zip **338** _____

U.S. Phone (_____) _____ Email _____

Mailing Address (if different from above) _____

Unit # _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Building/Property Information: Please select

- ___ Single Family: in an HOA? Yes / No
- ___ Commercial Business
- ___ Multi-Family/Apt (# of Units _____)
- ___ HOA Common Area
- ___ Other (Explain): _____

Does the property currently have Wi-Fi? (Please indicate) Yes No

Does the property currently have a programmable irrigation system? (Please indicate) Yes No

How many days per week is the property currently irrigated? _____

Estimated square footage of irrigated area _____

Agreement of Term and Conditions

The City of Davenport will deny application that does not meet all program requirements. The undersigned expressly agrees that the City may inspect all items submitted for the Smart Irrigation Controller Rebate Program and that the undersigned has replaced an old controller with a new WaterSense™ certified controller. The undersigned further agrees to hold harmless the City of Davenport and/or Polk Regional Water Cooperative against all loss, damage, expense, and liability resulting from the loss, destruction or damage to property arising out of or in any way connected with the Smart Irrigation Controller. The City reserves the right to alter or discontinue this program at any time. Funding for the rebate program is limited to available resources. Rebates are processed based on the date fully completed applications are received. The City's acceptance of a submitted application does not evidence funds are then available for the rebate program. For further questions, please call (863) 298-4236.

I have read, understand, and agree to the terms and conditions of this rebate program.

Signature of Applicant _____ Date _____

Complete, sign, and date this page. Incomplete applications will be denied and returned

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Reservation #D-SC-_____

Application: Approved ___ Denied ___ Reviewed by _____

Reason for Denial _____

Date Controller was Installed _____ Date of inspection _____

Type of controller installed _____

Is the new controller WaterSense labeled? ___ Yes ___ No

Customer was educated on controller with a focus on conservation features ___ Yes ___ No

Controller works at the time of inspection ___ Yes ___ No

Irrigation is free of leaks and broken heads ___ Yes ___ No

Verified that the controller's automatic shut off is working ___ Yes ___ No

Total cost \$ _____ Customer cost \$ _____ Utility cost \$ _____ District cost \$ _____

Date to Accounting _____ Amount of Rebate \$ _____

Date rebate check sent: _____ Check No. _____

**For your security, please do not email the following W-9 form.
Please mail or deliver in-person**

Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification

^a Go to www.irs.gov/FormW9 for instructions and the latest information.

**Give Form to the
 requester. Do not
 send to the IRS.**

Print or type.
 See Specific Instructions on page 3.

1 Name (as shown on your income tax return). Name is required on this line; do not leave this line blank.

2 Business name/disregarded entity name, if different from above

3 Check appropriate box for federal tax classification of the person whose name is entered on line 1. Check only **one** of the following seven boxes.

Individual/sole proprietor or single-member LLC
 C Corporation
 S Corporation
 Partnership
 Trust/estate

Limited liability company. Enter the tax classification (C=C corporation, S=S corporation, P=Partnership)^a _____

Note: Check the appropriate box in the line above for the tax classification of the single-member owner. Do not check LLC if the LLC is classified as a single-member LLC that is disregarded from the owner unless the owner of the LLC is another LLC that is **not** disregarded from the owner for U.S. federal tax purposes. Otherwise, a single-member LLC that is disregarded from the owner should check the appropriate box for the tax classification of its owner.

Other (see instructions)^a _____

4 Exemptions (codes apply only to certain entities, not individuals; see instructions on page 3): _____

Exempt payee code (if any) _____

Exemption from FATCA reporting code (if any) _____

(Applies to accounts maintained outside the U.S.)

5 Address (number, street, and apt. or suite no.) See instructions. Requester's name and address (optional)

6 City, state, and ZIP code

7 List account number(s) here (optional)

Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)

Enter your TIN in the appropriate box. The TIN provided must match the name given on line 1 to avoid backup withholding. For individuals, this is generally your social security number (SSN). However, for a resident alien, sole proprietor, or disregarded entity, see the instructions for Part I, later. For other entities, it is your employer identification number (EIN). If you do not have a number, see *How to get a TIN*, later.

Note: If the account is in more than one name, see the instructions for line 1. Also see *What Name and Number To Give the Requester* for guidelines on whose number to enter.

Social security number							
- -							
or							
Employer identification number							

Part II Certification

Under penalties of perjury, I certify that:

1. The number shown on this form is my correct taxpayer identification number (or I am waiting for a number to be issued to me); and
2. I am not subject to backup withholding because: (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest or dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding; and
3. I am a U.S. citizen or other U.S. person (defined below); and
4. The FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that I am exempt from FATCA reporting is correct.

Certification instructions. You must cross out item 2 above if you have been notified by the IRS that you are currently subject to backup withholding because you have failed to report all interest and dividends on your tax return. For real estate transactions, item 2 does not apply. For mortgage interest paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, contributions to an individual retirement arrangement (IRA), and generally, payments other than interest and dividends, you are not required to sign the certification, but you must provide your correct TIN. See the instructions for Part II, later.

Sign Here	Signature of U.S. person ^a	Date ^a
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General Instructions

Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code unless otherwise noted.

Future developments. For the latest information about developments related to Form W-9 and its instructions, such as legislation enacted after they were published, go to www.irs.gov/FormW9.

Purpose of Form

An individual or entity (Form W-9 requester) who is required to file an information return with the IRS must obtain your correct taxpayer identification number (TIN) which may be your social security number (SSN), individual taxpayer identification number (ITIN), adoption taxpayer identification number (ATIN), or employer identification number (EIN), to report on an information return the amount paid to you, or other amount reportable on an information return. Examples of information returns include, but are not limited to, the following.

• Form 1099-INT (interest earned or paid)

- Form 1099-DIV (dividends, including those from stocks or mutual funds)
- Form 1099-MISC (various types of income, prizes, awards, or gross proceeds)
- Form 1099-B (stock or mutual fund sales and certain other transactions by brokers)
- Form 1099-S (proceeds from real estate transactions)
- Form 1099-K (merchant card and third party network transactions)
- Form 1098 (home mortgage interest), 1098-E (student

loan interest), 1098-T (tuition)

- Form 1099-C (canceled debt)
- Form 1099-A (acquisition or abandonment of secured property)

Use Form W-9 only if you are a U.S. person (including a resident alien), to provide your correct TIN.

If you do not return Form W-9 to the requester with a TIN, you might be subject to backup withholding. See What is backup withholding, later.