

SINGLE-FAMILY RESIDENTIAL WEATHER-BASED IRRIGATION CONTROLLER REBATE

Receive **\$100** + tax for installing a WaterSense certified Weather-Based Irrigation Controller!

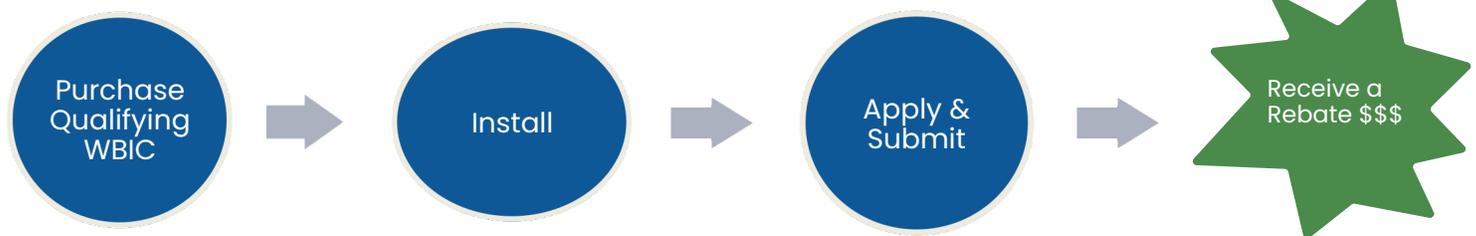
Alameda County Water District (ACWD) is a partner of the Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA's) WaterSense Program and offers single-family residential customers a rebate of \$100 +tax (totaling up to \$110.25 based on Alameda County's 10.25% tax rate) for purchasing and installing a WaterSense certified weather-based irrigation controller (WBIC).

- WaterSense certified WBICs use 20% less water, save energy, and perform as well or better than other conventional controller models.
- WBICs adjust watering automatically based on local weather, plant needs, and soil conditions. This helps prevent over-watering and supports healthier landscapes. Once installed, the controller updates the watering schedule for you, so you don't have to.

PROGRAM QUALIFICATIONS:

- Applicant must be an existing single-family residential ACWD customer or owner of a property in ACWD's service area, and the installation site must be within ACWD's service area (Fremont, Newark, and Union City).
- To realize water savings, the site must have a well-maintained irrigation system compatible with a WaterSense labeled WBIC (e.g., no line breaks, pressure issues, broken spray heads, etc.).

HOW TO PARTICIPATE:



1. **PURCHASE A WATERSENSE CERTIFIED WBIC** - For a list of WaterSense labeled WBICs that qualify for the rebate, please visit the [EPA's WaterSense Product Search](#) page. Please keep a copy of your receipt as proof of purchase for your rebate application.
2. **INSTALL** - Please provide photos of the WBIC (including the WaterSense certification label) installed at the service address listed on the water account.
3. **APPLY & SUBMIT** - Submit all required application materials for ACWD review using the [Water Savings Center](#) online application. Required documents include: 1) a completed online application, 2) a copy of the controller receipt, and 3) photos of the installed WBIC (including the WaterSense certification label). Please contact ACWD's WUE team if you require a physical application form.
4. **REBATE** - If all rebate terms and conditions are met, ACWD will send a rebate check in the mail written to the water account holder within four to six weeks. A W-9 form is required if the check is to be written to someone other than the water account holder.

RESOURCES:

- [ACWD's SFR WBIC Application Form](#)
- [WaterSense Labeled WBICs](#)
- [EPA's WaterSense Program](#)
- [EPA's WaterSense Compliance Criteria for WBICs](#)

PROGRAM TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

- Only WaterSense labeled WBICs are eligible for this rebate
- The WaterSense labeled controller must be installed at the property associated with the ACWD water account on the application.
- The application must be submitted within 90 days of installation date.
- Shipping, delivery, installation, and controller programming and ongoing service costs and other fees are not eligible for a rebate.
- Rebates will be issued on a first-come, first-served basis for qualified customers. Funding is limited and may be depleted without prior notice. Submitting a rebate application does not guarantee you will receive a rebate.
- ACWD reserves the right to deny any application that does not meet program requirements and reserves the right to alter this program at any time.
- ACWD makes no representation or warranty relating to products, including any hazardous substances that may be contained in the products, purchased under this program. The customer/applicant is responsible for addressing any issues (functionality, performance, or otherwise) related to the WBIC directly with the manufacturer and any issues with installation directly with their installer.
- The Customer/Applicant waives, releases and hold harmless ACWD, and their respective board members, agents, officers, contractors, or employees from and against any and all claims asserted or liability established for damages, injuries or liability of any kind to any person or property arising out of or resulting from the acts or omissions of the Customer/Applicant, including conditions on the customer's property, and the purchase, installation, and use of the irrigation controller purchased through this rebate program.
- Customer/Applicant understands that participation in this program is optional. Any activities conducted by the customer/applicant shall be at the sole discretion, risk, and cost of the customer/applicant.
- Customer/Applicant certifies that necessary permissions have been obtained by the property owner if the applicant is not the owner.
- Customer/Applicant agrees to a site inspection if requested by ACWD.
- Customer/Applicant agrees that additional instrumentation and/or special installation requirements (per manufacturer specifications) to meet the minimum smart controller operational requirements may be required at the customer/applicant expense.
- Customer/Applicant agrees to have their current watering schedule altered because of the controller installation.
- Customer/Applicant agrees to monitor the new controller regularly to ensure that it is functioning properly and watering efficiently.
- Customer/Applicant authorizes ACWD to monitor customer water consumption information, both historical and future, for program evaluation purposes.
- Customer/Applicant understands that the installation of a WaterSense certified WBIC does not guarantee a reduction in the site's water bill or water usage.
- Customer/Applicant agrees to have the WaterSense labeled WBIC installed and operating at the site for at least three years. Any controller subscription fees for weather data transmission must also be maintained for that period.
- Customer/Applicant agrees to dispose of any existing controller being replaced per governing regulations and laws.
- By submitting an application the customer/applicant agrees to abide by the program qualifications and these terms and conditions.