

Solano County Water Agency Weather Based Irrigation Controller Rebate Terms and Conditions

July 1, 2024 – June 30, 2025

Solano County Water Agency is offering rebates for qualifying WaterSense© labelled smart controllers. This rebate is available to both residential and commercial customers.

I. Eligibility

- a. Be a water customer in Solano County service area, have a water service account that has been active for at least twelve months, and use potable water for irrigation. Properties using recycled water or well water do not qualify.
- b. The existing irrigation system must be well-maintained and in good working order prior to participation.
- c. New construction does not qualify.
- d. Program applies to Weather Based Irrigation Controllers purchased from July 1, 2024, through June 30, 2025. Products purchased prior to July 1, 2024, may qualify for this rebate program contact Solano County Water Agency at solanocash4grass@scwa2.com.
- e. Rebates are available for purchasing qualified WBICs purchased on or after June 30, 2024, or until funds are depleted, whichever comes first.
- f. Proof of purchase is required to process rebate.
- g. Proof of the most recent water bill is required to confirm residency in Solano County. If you live in an HOA and pay your water bill to the HOA, the substitution of an energy bill may be substituted.
- h. All rebate applications must be postmarked no later than 180 days (about 4 months) after the purchase date.



I. Weather Based Irrigation Controller Details (WBIC)

- a. Only Weather Based Irrigation Controllers (WBICs) that are EPA WaterSense© certified qualify for the rebate. For more information about EPA WaterSense© certified smart controllers, visit: WaterSense Product Search Weather-Based Irrigation Controllers (epa.gov)
- b. Each WBIC must replace an existing traditional irrigation timer.
- c. Customers must install and program controller per manufacturer's directions and, if applicable, pay the service fee for a minimum of two years after installation date.
- d. Smart Irrigation Controllers that rely on weather monitor/sensors in order to be EPA WaterSense © labeled must have the weather monitor/sensors installed.
- e. Phone app. must be installed if the application is needed for Smart Irrigation Controller to be WaterSense © labeled.
- f. Customer must agree to release pre- and post-installation water use records for program statistical purposes if requested.

Rebate Offer

- a. **For Residential Sites**: SCWA will rebate 50% of the cost of qualifying WBIC up to a maximum rebate of \$300.
- b. **For Commercial Sites**: SCWA will also rebate each qualifying commercial customer a rebate of 50% of the cost of the WBIC up to:
 - i. \$300 for 4-12 stations
 - ii. \$700 13-24 stations
 - iii. \$1,000 for 25 or more stations.
- c. Rebate will not include taxes, labor, or shipping/delivery costs.
- d. This program is for residential and commercial customers.
- e. Limit to one rebate per address (water account). Multiple controllers per address may be rebated on a case-by-case basis. Pre-approval is required, contact conservation team members at solanocash4grass@scwa2.com or 707-455-1113.
- f. Rebates are one-time-only per site/water account.
- g. To apply, visit our website at <u>Residential Rebates scwa2.com</u>. Applications can also be processed via email (solanocash4grass@scwa2.com) or mailed to:

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