

GOLDEN STATE WATER COMPANY TOILET REBATE APPLICATION



Golden State
Water Company
A Subsidiary of American States Water Company



Important: Please read the application materials carefully and keep a copy for your records. Please type or print clearly in ink, then mail completed application and original cash register receipt and/or plumber's invoice to the water provider listed below. Use one application per property location. Residential, commercial, industrial institutional and multi-family applicants are eligible. The number of rebates is dependent upon the availability of program funds. All information on this application form is considered confidential. Applications are processed in the order received. Funding is limited, therefore, rebates are not guaranteed.

WATER ACCOUNT NUMBER		ASSESSOR'S PARCEL NUMBER
APPLICANT NAME (REBATE CHECK PAYABLE TO)		SSN / FED. TAX IDENTIFICATION (ID) (only necessary if the rebate amount s sum exceeds \$600)
COMPANY NAME (BUSINESSES ONLY)		APPLICATION DATE
PHONE	PHONE (EVE)	BEST TIME TO CALL
MAILING ADDRESS		YEAR BUILT
City	STATE	Zip

Name and address of property where toilets will be installed:

PROPERTY / SITE NAME (IF APPLICABLE)		
ADDRESS	CITY	ZIP
NUMBER OF TOILETS ON PROPERTY	NUMBER OF TOILETS FOR REBATE	
MAKE(S) AND MODEL(S) REMOVED	FLUSH VOLUME	QUANTITY
	GPF (gallons per flush)	
MAKE(S) AND MODEL(S) INSTALLED	FLUSH VOLUME	QUANTITY
	GPF (gallons per flush)	
TYPE OF PROPERTY:		
<input type="checkbox"/> House	<input type="checkbox"/> Apartments (No. of units _____)	<input type="checkbox"/> Mobile Home
<input type="checkbox"/> Townhouse / Condominium	<input type="checkbox"/> Business / Commercial	<input type="checkbox"/> Schools and Institutions

Are you the water bill recipient for the account number listed above? Yes No

If NO, please provide the name and phone number of the water bill recipient.

WATER BILL RECIPIENT NAME	PHONE NUMBER
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AGREEMENT

I have read and understand the program information as stated in the attached application materials. I certify that I have installed said toilet(s) at the subject property. I also understand that by signing here I agree to have an official of my water provider verify the installation of the ultra-low flush toilet(s) at said property. I agree to hold _____ Golden State Water Company, Sacramento Regional County Sanitation District, and the Regional Water Authority harmless from any and all liability or claims for damage resulting from or alleged to result from the installation of the ULFT, the inspection of the premises to verify proper installation, and any other activity related to this program.

AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE	TITLE (IF APPLICANT IS A BUSINESS)	DATE
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Mail the application and **original** cash register receipt and/or plumber's invoice to the address listed below. For more information, call Golden State Water Company at the number below.

Send application to:

Golden State Water Company at:
Water Conservation Coordinator
3035 Prospect Park Drive, Ste 60
Rancho Cordova, CA 95670
1 800 999-4033

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APPLICATION ID (For internal use only): _____

Application received by _____ Date received _____

Approved Denied Reason for denial _____

Toilets _____ Rebate amount _____ SRCSD amount _____ Original receipt _____

INSPECTION — Required Waived Performed by _____ Date inspected _____

Approved Denied Reason for denial _____

Rebate request sent to RWA by: _____ Date: _____

How to get your high efficiency toilet (HET) rebate.

1. You must first call *Golden State Water Company* @ 1 800 999-4033 to see if rebates are available.
2. To obtain a rebate, customers must agree to a Water- Wise House Call. This service is at no direct cost to the customer.
3. Purchase and install the new toilet(s). You must be replacing a toilet using 3.5 gallons per flush or greater to be eligible.
4. You may install the toilet(s) yourself or you may also hire a licensed contractor.
5. Return the original dated receipt and/or plumber's invoice with the price, model and brand of each toilet listed individually, and the completed application. Keep a copy for your records.
6. Submitting a signed application represents agreement to have *Golden State Water Company* verify installation of the toilet, with your accompaniment. *Golden State Water Company* will schedule an inspection.
7. Rebates are up to **\$175** for an **HET** (High Efficiency Toilet). Call *Golden State Water Company* to verify the amount you are eligible for. Total rebate amount will not exceed money spent.
Eligible expenses include 1.28 gallon per flush tank, bowl, seat, supply line, wax ring, caulking, bolts, bolt covers, and tax.
8. *Golden State Water Company* will issue rebate checks within eight to ten weeks of receipt of your completed application materials.
9. *Golden State Water Company* is required to send IRS form 1099 to the customer and the IRS when rebates total \$600 or more.

Qualifications

1. Purchase of material must occur within the program period of **January 1, 2010 to December 31, 2010**. The number of rebates is dependent upon the availability of program funds. Call *Golden State Water Company* to see if funds are available.
2. The location of installation must be served by Golden State Water Company.
3. Residential, commercial, industrial, institutional and multi-family applicants are eligible.
4. Replacement of a ULFT with an HET is not eligible for rebate under this program.
5. New construction is not eligible for rebate under this program.

Permitting

Building permits are not required when a residential customer simply removes and installs a toilet on existing plumbing. A permit is required when a plumbing fixture will be relocated or you are a business customer.

Disclaimer

Golden State Water Company, the Regional Water Authority (RWA), and the Sacramento Regional County Sanitation District (SRCS) reserve the right to deny an application of any participant who does not meet all requirements as outlined. The RWA, *Golden State Water Company*, and the SRCS reserve the right to change the terms of this program at their discretion.

The RWA, *Golden State Water Company* and the SRCS are not responsible for receipts or paperwork lost in the U.S. mail. The RWA, *Golden State Water Company* and SRCS cannot guarantee that the installation of the HET's will result in lower water utility costs. The number of rebates is dependent upon the availability of program funds. Applications will be processed, when all required information is provided by the applicant; on a first-come, first-served basis.

Customer Survey

This rebate program is partially funded through a grant from the California Department of Water Resources. As part of that program, we are surveying customers to understand why they are making their choices regarding the replacement of toilet fixtures. In order for your rebate to be processed in a timely manner, please complete the following questions:

1. Toilets are being installed in a:
 Home
 Business
2. How many toilets do you have in your home or business? If a business, please specify number of urinals also.
3. How many toilets are being replaced?
4. For efficient toilets already installed in the home, how would you rate their performance?
 Better than expected
 About what expected
 Below what expected
 Don't yet know
5. Primary reason for replacing existing toilet with a more efficient toilet (please check only one).
 Bathroom remodel
 Toilet broken or not performing well
 Heard about the rebate program
 Concerned about saving water
 Other _____
6. If there are toilets in the home/business that are not being replaced, (please check all reasons that apply below).
 Toilet is already 1.6 gallons per flush or less
 Existing toilet is working well
 New toilet too expensive
Other _____
7. Would you consider replacing any toilets that are not efficient (greater than 1.6 gallons per flush) in the next 2 years if additional rebates are available?
 Yes
 No
8. For those purchasing a 1.6 gallons per flush toilet, please check all reasons that apply for not choosing a higher efficiency 1.28 gallon per flush or less toilet.
 Didn't know about them
 Didn't like the selection available
 Concerned about their performance (too new to market)
 Too expensive compared to the 1.6 gallons per flush models
Other _____
9. How did you find out about the program? (Please check all that apply):
 Utility billing/Newsletter
 Newspaper/Publication
 Radio/TV
 Billboard
 At an event
 Friend/Neighbor
 Other