

Water Resource Management Manager's Report

Water Planning and Stewardship Committee Item 7b July 12, 2021

Conservation Update

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Conservation Expenditures

FY 20/21-21/22 (1)

	Paid ⁽²⁾	Committed ⁽³⁾
Regional Devices	\$4.0M	\$1.7M
Member Agency Administered	\$1.4M	\$7.2M
Turf Replacement	\$7.5M	\$7.8M
Advertising	\$0.1M	\$0.0M
Other	\$1.7M	\$1.1M
TOTAL	\$14.7M	\$17.8M

- (1) The Conservation Program biennial expenditure authorization was \$86M and expected expenditures were \$50M. Both figures have subsequently been reduced to reflect a \$2M reduction in conservation advertising expenditures.
- (2) As of 7/1/2020 -5/30/2021.
- (3) Committed dollars as of June 10, 2021.

Conservation Activity

FY 20/21-21/22



Turf Replacement Rebates:

May: 142,459 ft² removed

FY2020/21-FY2021/22: 3,761,051 ft² removed



Clothes Washers:

May: 485 units rebated

FY2020/21-FY2021/22: 15,518 units rebated



Sprinkler Nozzles:

May: 1,606 units rebated

FY2020/21-FY2021/22: 27,775 units rebated

Lifetime Water Savings to be achieved by all rebates in May 2021: 738 AF

FY2020/21-FY2021/22: 36,877 AF lifetime water savings

New Program Updates

(1) Pre-1994 Multi-Family Property Toilet Replacement(2) Flow Monitor/Leak Detection Device Pilot

Pre-1994 Multi-Family Property Toilet Replacement Program

- Launched July 6th with the resumption of indoor inspections
- Promoted to regional contractors via SoCalWater\$mart
- New program fully subscribed in four hours
- Funding from canceled reservations will be recycled and program relaunched



Residential Flow Monitor/Leak Detection Device Pilot Program

- Program will launch Monday, July 19th
- Outreach campaign to begin week of July 12th
- New webpage on both BeWaterWise and SoCal Water\$mart
- Additional social media buzz planned on day of launch



Flow Monitor/Leak Detection: Social Media and Webpage Content

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COMING SOON

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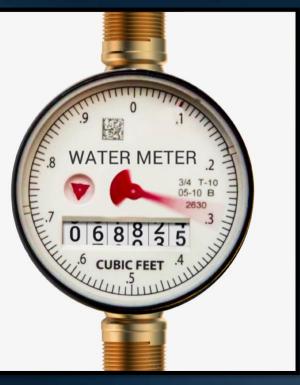
Flow Monitor Rebate Pilot Program

No more surprises

Know your water use in real-time

Get a \$100 rebate on a new Flow Monitor

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Future Supply Actions Program Webinars

- Implementing webinar series for sharing results
 - June 2: webcast on MWD co-funded DPR studies
 - Hosted by Water Research Foundation
 - 350+ participants
 - July 22: groundwater pilot study
 - August 10: stormwater whitepaper
 - Hosted by SoCal Water Coalition



