



# 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](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 City of Lakeland Water Utilities (WU) using drinking 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 14,000 gallons of water used each month (will be verified by WU)
- 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 WU 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. WU 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 WU 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 **WU will rebate a maximum of \$300.**

### 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 Lakeland 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 City 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) 834-6193.

**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 #LK-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. \_\_\_\_\_**