

**Save water,
save time
& get a
refund!**



**Smart
Irrigation
Controller
Rebate**



Why Should You Use a Smart Irrigation Controller?

Smart irrigation controllers automatically tailor watering schedules and run times on sprinklers or drip systems to meet specific landscape needs. These systems use weather information and/or site conditions to determine how much water to apply and when to run. Once the smart controller is installed and programmed, little additional monitoring is required.

Approximately two-thirds of residential water use in the Valley occurs outdoors, yet much of that water is wasted due to over-watering landscapes.

How it works

These systems use weather information and site conditions to determine how much water to apply and when to irrigate. Weather-based smart controllers draw upon a variety of climatic conditions. Some controllers utilize historic weather data supplemented with on-site weather data. Other controllers rely on a subscription service to download evapotranspiration values daily. Soil moisture sensor smart controllers measure moisture in the soil with buried probes, to determine irrigation needs.

Once these systems are installed and programmed, they usually require no additional monitoring and will irrigate the landscape at peak efficiency and at appropriate times.

Proven Results

Tests by the Irrigation Association (IA) and the International Center for Water Technology at California State University – Fresno have shown smart irrigation controllers to save up to 25% more water than traditional irrigation controllers.

These results, and the potential they pose for saving water if widely used, recently prompted the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) to select smart irrigation controllers as one of the first technologies endorsed by the EPA's WaterSense program, the water equivalent of the Energy Star program.

Water Is Our Most Precious Resource

In Peoria, water conservation is a way of life. Peoria actively protects and preserves its diverse water supply through aquifer recharge, direct reuse of reclaimed water for landscaping and other non-drinking water demands, as well as planning and building reliable water infrastructure. Our water customers also play an integral part, recognizing the importance of saving water as a key part of living in a desert environment.

Our water conservation program is working. In the past decade alone, Peoria's water customers have reduced their water consumption by an average of 15% - that's 20,400 gallons per household per year!

We hope you take advantage of Peoria's free classes, public outreach at dozens of events annually, and rebate incentives on multiple water-wise home improvement investments to save even more water.

**Learn more about what you
can do to save water at
conserve.peoriaaz.gov**



Peoria has
enough **water** to use,
but **never** enough
to **waste!**™



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Smart Irrigation Controller Rebate Program

Program Requirements

City of Peoria water customer accounts will be credited up to \$250.00 (limit one per account). After installation please submit receipt / invoice with completed application. Remember to keep a copy for yourself!

Required Features

The installed smart irrigation controller must have sensor capability that automatically adjusts watering in response to environmental changes such as temperature, wind, rain and evapotranspiration. Please feel free to contact the City's water conservation team with any questions about this requirement.

Rebate Procedure

1. Check your water bill to verify that you are a City of Peoria water customer.
2. Purchase a smart irrigation controller that possesses all the required features.
3. Verify the receipt / invoice lists the actual cost of the smart controller, excluding taxes and installation fees.
4. Install your new smart controller or have it installed.
5. Submit completed application with receipt / invoice.
6. It may take up to 2 billing cycles for credit to post to your account.



Mail completed application with receipt to:

Smart Irrigation Controller Rebate Program
 City of Peoria Public Works-Utilities Department
 8401 West Monroe Street
 Peoria, AZ 85345
 or Email to: conservation@peoriaaz.gov

Rebate Questions?

Website: peoriaaz.gov/waterconservation
Phone: 623.773.7160

A limited number of rebates are available each fiscal year.

Do not submit your application until the irrigation controller has been installed.

Copy of purchase receipt must accompany application.

1. Peoria Water Account Number _____
2. Name on Utility Account: _____
3. Property owner's name, if different from above: _____
4. Mailing Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
5. Installed Address (if different): _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
6. Phone: (#1) _____ (#2) _____
7. E-mail Address: _____
8. Property Type: (circle one) single-family home condo townhouse multi-family HOA commercial
9. Brand Name / Model # of Controller Installed: _____
10. Date of Irrigation Controller Installation: _____
11. Installed by: (circle one) self contractor
12. I certify that the installed irrigation controller automatically adjusts irrigation run times in response to environmental changes such as temperature, wind, rain and evapotranspiration and that the information provided above is true and correct to the best of my knowledge:

 Print Signature

 Date

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Rebate Application: () Approved () Denied () Hold June 2016

Environmental Resources signature Date Approved Rebate Amount