

# Prepare for Metered Water Billing!

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The City will switch from flat rate water billing to metered rates for actual water use beginning in 2013, as required by State law. To help you prepare, the City is providing comparative billing information on this month's utility bill, and on every bill you will receive this calendar year.

- ◆ Please pay total amount due (shown on the bottom right-hand side of the bill).
- ◆ Take a close look at the additional information provided – the actual volume of water your household used last month, and the amount that you would be charged for that water next year under metered rates.
- ◆ Begin reducing your water use TODAY!

Conservation questions? Call (916) 355-7252.

Billing questions? Email [billingwebmail@folsom.ca.us](mailto:billingwebmail@folsom.ca.us) or call (916) 355-7295.

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# Water Conservation Tips



- Water with the weather – only water landscaping during extended dry periods
- Cycle and soak – water your lawn in short intervals rather than one long interval to avoid run-off
- Adjust your sprinklers – keep water on landscape rather than sidewalks or driveways
- Use a broom – sweep sidewalks and driveways rather than using a hose
- Use automatic shut-off nozzles – don't let your hose run when not in use
- Cover swimming pools – reduces water lost through evaporation
- Fix leaky faucets
- Full loads only – only run dishwashers and clothes washing machines when you have a full load
- Be efficient – consider upgrading to energy efficient washing machines and high-efficiency toilets
- Install low-flow showerheads