



**GET BASE REBATES
UP TO \$75,000***
SAVE WATER AND MONEY!

PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

REBATES/INCENTIVES

\$3.00 per square foot for living grass removed
Optional Native Plant Bonus of an additional \$0.25 per square foot

PROJECT SIZE

Projects must be between 100 and 25,000 square feet of living grass to be removed, per meter, per year

DESIGN REQUIREMENTS

PLANT COVERAGE

- Commercial designs must have at least 25% plant coverage at maturity (within 2 years)
- You may be able to use existing trees for plant coverage
- Remaining project area must be permeable material (e.g., mulch, decomposed granite, rock)

PLANT TYPE

- A Native Plant Bonus is available for projects that use a majority native plants (12.5% of the total project area)
- Artificial turf may be used for commercial projects

IRRIGATION

New landscape should use drip or point irrigation, can be hand watered, or can use HE overhead spray nozzles if you have pressure regulation and a calibrated smart controller. Drip conversion, smart controller, and pressure regulation rebates are available.

For details, visit [conserve.yourSCVwater.com](https://www.conserve.yourscvwater.com)

* Application, pre-inspection before living grass is removed, and post-inspection required. Restrictions apply. Customers have 120 days to complete their project once the application is approved. Extensions are available. Email conservation@scvwa.org or call (661) 513-1206.

Pre-inspections
are required
BEFORE
living grass is removed
and
post-inspections
are required upon
completion of your
project.

Project larger than
2,500 square feet?

SCV Water will consider
these projects on a
case-by-case basis.
Pre-authorization
required.



REBATES

INCENTIVE	VALUE
Lawn Replacement	\$3 per SF
Drip Irrigation	\$0.75 per SF
High Efficiency (HE) Nozzle	100% cost of device
Native Plant Bonus Incentive (Optional)	\$0.25 per SF

REQUIREMENTS

PARAMETER	REQUIREMENT
Living grass in-place at the time of pre-inspection	Yes
Pre and Post Inspections Required	Yes
SCV Water Authorization to Proceed Required Before Start	Yes
Partial Lawn Removal Allowed (can keep some grass)	Yes; must be separate zone(s)
Project area must be full zone(s)	Yes; 50% area or more must be living grass
Minimum Project Area	100 SF
Maximum Project Area Per Phase	2,500 SF*
Maximum SF Per Account Per Year	25,000 SF**
Plant Coverage at Maturity	25% of project area
Artificial Turf Funded	Yes (ex: sports fields)
Irrigation Type†	Drip Irrigation or Qualified HE Nozzles (with Controller Calibration & Pressure Regulation (rebates available))
Maintenance Requirement	Must maintain landscape & not convert back to grass for a minimum of 10 years
Rebate Transfer Request to Contractor (Optional)	Yes
Progress Payments by Milestone/Phase (Optional)	Yes; For projects larger than 10,000 SF

*Projects larger than 2,500 SF, up to 25,000 SF require pre-authorization from SCV Water. The customer is responsible for all City/MWELO permitting requirements.

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† Only high-efficiency nozzles from our Qualified Products List or with a precipitation rate of 1" per hour or less are eligible.

SUSTAINABILITY BONUS INCENTIVES (PILOT PROGRAMS) (OPTIONAL)

INCENTIVE	VALUE
Water Retention Feature (Rain Garden/Bioswale, Terracing hillsides)	\$0.50 per SF of Feature
Sheet Mulching	\$0.50 per SF of Feature
Bee Hotel	Up to \$50 (limit 1 per meter)
Owl Box	Up to \$50 (limit 1 per meter)
Rain Barrel	Up to \$75 each (limit 2 per meter)

SUPPORTING MATERIALS & RESOURCES

- Gardening Classes
- Homeowner & Professional Landscaper Sustainable Landscape Care Guides
- WaterSmart Workshop
- Online plant selection tool
- santaclaritagardens.com
- Example Gardens & Testimonials
- Top 100 SCV-Friendly Plant Guide
- Garden Design Templates



Qualified Products List
<https://bit.ly/HELPproductList>

