



Rain Sensor Rebate

Stop your irrigation system from turning on while it is raining! Receive a **rebate up to \$50** for the installation of a rain sensor.



A rain sensor, also called a rain shut-off device, is a small device that **turns off an automatic lawn irrigation system when it rains**. Mounted in an open outdoor area and wired or wirelessly-connected to your automatic lawn irrigation system, a rain sensor can significantly reduce your water bill while conserving water.

For this rebate, we require that your rain sensor halt irrigation after a 1/8 inch of rain. The total amount of rain will determine how long your system will stay off. The rain sensor may shut your **system off for one to several days** after a rainfall, depending on a number of factors such as the amount of rain and the sensor's exposure to wind and sun.

A valuable local resource is **Qualified Water Efficient Landscapers (QWEL)**. These local landscape professionals are making a positive impact towards reducing landscape water demand by becoming more water efficient in landscape design, maintenance, and operation. A list QWEL certified professionals can be found at www.qweltraining.com. Utilizing QWEL professionals will simplify the rebate process, allowing your rebate check to process faster. **For more information call the Water Conservation Office at 547-1968.**

Participation is easy! Simply contact a QWEL professional by going to www.qweltraining.com or purchase a rain sensor and install it yourself.

Sonoma Valley Water - It's Worth Saving!

Follow these steps to receive your rain sensor rebate:

1. Site must be an active water customer of City of Sonoma or Valley of the Moon Water District.
2. Purchase rain sensor that allows shut off at 1/8 inch of rain.
3. Hire a QWEL Professional to install your rain sensor or install the sensor yourself. Using a QWEL professional waives the post inspection requirement.
4. Complete the application, including the installer information.
5. Mail in application and original purchase receipt.
6. Allow the Water Smart Home Program to conduct a post inspection.

Mail the completed application and original purchase receipt to:

SV Water Conservation Program
PO Box 11628
Santa Rosa, CA 95406

This rebate application is submitted by:

- City of Sonoma
 VOMWD

(Account Number)

(Name to be printed on check)

(Site Address)

(Phone Number)

(City)

(State)

(Zip Code)

(Rain Sensor Make/ Model)

(Mailing Address, if different)

(Installed By)

(Installation Date)

(QWEL ID #)

If self installed the rebate issued will be the cost of the rain sensor, with a max of \$50. I acknowledge that my property may be subject to an inspection by the City of Sonoma (City), Valley of the Moon Water District (VOMWD) or its agent to verify the information provided herein. The application may be denied if all program requirements are not met. The City and VOMWD does not warranty freedom from defects, quality of workmanship, or suitability of the premises for the landscape and irrigation system installation. The applicant will hold harmless City, VOMWD, its agents, directors, officers, and employees against all loss, damage, expense and liability arising out of or in any way connected to installation of rain sensor or associated products. The City and VOMWD reserves the right to terminate this program at any time.

Signature

Date: