

## Prepare for rain with these incentives!

These simple devices help you save water and money.

- Rainwater tanks and cisterns can be placed outside your home to store water collected from roof downspouts. The water collected can be reused for irrigation or other non-potable options.
- Rain shut-off switches and soil moisture sensors automatically turn off your irrigation system during periods of rain or when there is adequate soil moisture. Once the weather clears, or when your soil dries out, your programmed watering events will resume.

These low cost devices save tremendous amounts of water and have a fast return on investment. Installation is relatively easy and most often can be done without professional help.

Before starting their projects or buying any materials, it is required that our customers sign up for these incentives. Please contact the Conservation staff at (831) 384-6131 or conservation@mcwd.org.

#### **Rainwater Catchment**

Install a rain barrel or larger rainwater storage tank to collect rainwater from your rooftop. The District provides \$1.00 for each gallon of rainwater storage purchased, up to 250 gallons. For any rainwater storage over 250 gallons and not to exceed 2,500 gallons, the applicant will receive an additional \$0.50 per gallon (Maximum incentive per customer, \$1,375 for 2,500 gallons).



Click here for more information.

#### **Soil Moisture Sensors**

Prevent over-watering, water mold, and shallow root growth by installing a soil moisture sensor. These devices save you money every time they prevent an unnecessary irrigation event. The District provides a rebate equal to the net purchase price of the device, up to \$100.00.



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#### **Rain Shut-Off Switches**

Rain Shut-Off Switches are set up in an open area, exposed to rainfall, and wired to the irrigation system controller. Some companies even offer wireless options. The District provides a rebate equal to the net purchase price of the device, up to \$100.00.



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### Other MCWD Landscape Incentives:

- Evapotranspiration-based Irrigation Controller Rebates
- Lawn & Sprinkler Replacement Incentives
- Master Shut-off Valve Rebate
- Flow Sensor Rebate

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- Clothes Washers
- High-Efficiency Toilets & Water-Free Urinals
- Hot Water Recirculation Pumps



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