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City Offers Lawn Rebate to Encourage Water and Money Savings

CUSTOMERS COULD RECEIVE UP TO \$4,250 TO REPLACE GRASS

SAN DIEGO – The City of San Diego is extending a rebate program to encourage more customers to conserve water and save money. The City's residential water customers can receive a rebate of up to \$4,250 to remove their grass lawns and install water-wise material and efficient irrigation systems. Compared to traditional lawns, water-efficient landscaping can save homeowners up to 31,000 gallons per year, for an average 1,000-square-foot area.

“The rebate allows customers an additional way to save money on their water bills,” said Vic Bianes, Director of Public Utilities.

Applications will be accepted through Dec. 15, 2017. Because there are limited funds for this program, applications received within the application submission period will be selected through a lottery type process until funding is exhausted.

To apply, and for more information, visit <https://www.sandiego.gov/water/conservation> or call 619-533-7485.

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