



## BELLA VISTA WATER DISTRICT

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### LANDSCAPE IRRIGATION EVALUATION



Discover how to improve the look of your landscape while saving water. Reduce water waste with a FREE landscape irrigation evaluation. Bella Vista Water District's Landscape Irrigation Evaluation will provide homeowners with advice on landscape design, plant selection, landscape irrigation system improvements and irrigation scheduling.

When we see broken pipes or water gushing out into the street we do not need an expert to tell us there is a problem with the irrigation system. However, sprinkler systems can waste a tremendous amount of water if they are not working properly, and it is often difficult for someone not trained in this field to detect the problems. That is why Bella Vista Water District offers customers a free Landscape Irrigation Evaluation. These Evaluations feature a visit to your property from a Qualified Water Efficient Landscaper (QWEL), who is specially trained and committed to efficient water use management.



What is involved in an irrigation evaluation? The QWEL specialist will assist customers in learning about their soil profile, plant material, irrigation control clock system, and current irrigation scheduling methods – all critical factors in controlling overall water use. They can also address many other concerns that may exist in one's particular landscape.



The exterior survey will involve a test run of the irrigation system to identify any maintenance issues, and if needed, the evaluator will also spend time explaining how to adjust the irrigation control timer.

Based upon the plants and soil moisture index provided by a quick soil probe sample, an annual irrigation schedule can be created that will meet the property's watering needs while reducing irrigation cycles, potentially saving you water and money.

**Sign up today!**

Landscape Irrigation Evaluations are available to all customers: residential, commercial, multi-family, homeowner associations, schools and any other local institutions. To schedule an appointment contact the District office at [info@bywd.org](mailto:info@bywd.org) or call (530) 241-1085 and a staff member will schedule an appointment for you.

Agricultural customers are eligible for free irrigation assessments provided by the Tehama County Resource Conservation District. For additional information contact the Mobile Irrigation Lab at [tcrcd@tehamacountyrcd.org](mailto:tcrcd@tehamacountyrcd.org) or call (530) 517-3013 x 102.



**Use Broom to Clean  
Outdoor Areas**



**Use Drought Resistant  
Trees & Plants**



**Use Mulch**



**Install Drip Irrigation**



**Set Mower Blades to 3"**



**Adjust sprinkler Heads**