

Westlands Water District

Expanded Irrigation System Improvement Program

Application

The District's Board of Directors authorized the Expanded Irrigation System Improvement Program (EISIP). The EISIP is a low interest loan program which provides certain irrigation equipment to District water users on a lease-to-purchase basis. Under the program, each water user will be eligible for a low interest loan for the lease-purchase of up to \$130,000 of irrigation equipment for micro-irrigation systems, tailwater reuse systems, linear move and center pivot systems, and portable aluminum irrigation equipment. The equipment will be purchased by the District from the lowest responsive bidder. The lease period will be four years. The first of five equal principal payments will be made at the time the lessee signs the lease, followed by four annual principal payment plus 3.1 percent interest on the outstanding balance. This program is independent of any previous low interest loan program to purchase irrigation equipment. Water users who participated in that program are eligible to participate in this new program.

Leases must be secured by 160 acres of Area I or II land and will be recorded with the county. Please return this application to Russ Freeman, Westlands Water District, P.O. Box 6056, Fresno, CA 93703 or FAX to (559) 241-6277. The application period for irrigation equipment will be continuously open, and all applicants will be added to the priority list in the order received. Applicants will be offered an opportunity to participate as funds are available.

I hereby apply for a lease of the following equipment under the District's Expanded Irrigation System Improvement Program, with an estimated total cost of \$ _____:

1. ___ Portable Aluminum Equipment New ___ Used ___
2. ___ Micro-irrigation or Permanent Sprinkler Equipment
3. ___ Tailwater Reuse Equipment
4. ___ Linear Move or Center Pivot Equipment

_____	_____	_____
Water User Name	Acct. No.	Water User Address
_____	() - _____	() - _____
Water User Signature	Telephone Number	FAX Number

List Assessor's Parcel Numbers (APN) and associated landowner(s) for securing the lease:

1. APN ___ - ___ - ___ 2. APN ___ - ___ - ___ 3. APN ___ - ___ - ___

_____	_____	_____
Landowner(s) Name	Landowner(s) Name	Landowner(s) Name
_____	_____	_____
Landowner Signature(s) Signature(s)	Landowner Signature(s)	Landowner