

Westlands Water District

Expanded Irrigation System Improvement or Recharge Program Application

The District’s Board of Directors authorized the Expanded Irrigation System or Recharge Project Improvement Program (EISIRP). The EISIRP 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 \$200,000 of irrigation equipment or recharge project equipment, including micro irrigation systems, tailwater reuse systems, linear move, center pivot systems, portable aluminum irrigation equipment, filtration systems, monitoring devices, sublateral recharge and drywells. 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 payments 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 by email to Kori Frauenheim at kfrauenheim@wwd.ca.gov, by mail to Westlands Water District, P.O. Box 5199, Fresno, CA 93755 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 or Recharge 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
5. ___ Recharge Project Filtration System and Monitoring Devices
6. ___ Sublateral Recharge and Dry wells

Water User Account Name (Print) Acct. No. Water User Address

Water User Name (Print) Water User Signature (____) _____ - _____
Telephone Number

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

1. APN _____ 2. APN _____ 3. APN _____

Landowner(s) Name (Print) Landowner(s) Name (Print) Landowner(s) Name (Print)

Landowner Signature(s) Landowner Signature(s) Landowner Signature(s)