

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING  
IRVINE RANCH WATER DISTRICT**

**PUBLIC HEARING ON ESTABLISHING REVISED RULES AND REGULATIONS OF THE IRVINE RANCH  
WATER DISTRICT FOR WATER, SEWER, RECYLED WATER, AND NATURAL TREATMENT SYSTEM  
SERVICE**

NOTICE is hereby given that the IRVINE RANCH WATER DISTRICT (IRWD) will hold a public hearing on establishing revised Rules and Regulations of the Irvine Ranch Water District for Water, Sewer, Recycled Water, and Natural Treatment System Service ("Rules and Regulations") in accordance with Water Code Section 35423. The purpose of the hearing will be to solicit public comment prior to the adoption of the revised Rules and Regulations.

Copies of the Revised Rules and Regulations are available for public inspection at the office of the District Secretary Irvine Ranch Water District, 15600 Sand Canyon Avenue, Irvine, CA and on the IRWD Web site located at [www.irwd.com](http://www.irwd.com). Go to the drop-down menu "Doing Business", then to "Engineering", then scroll down to "Rules and Regulations – Proposed".


Proposed changes include the following:

- Updated procedures for meter testing and an update to the circumstances in which IRWD may charge customers to allow for charges based on historical consumption data or other reasonable calculations;
- Updated IRWD and customer requirements regarding fire hydrants and private firelines, including permitting requirements, customer duties regarding prevention of unauthorized use, and enforcement options for IRWD to prevent unauthorized use;
- Updated backflow prevention protection requirements, including inspection and maintenance requirements, to comply with the State Water Resources Control Board's Cross-Connection Control Policy Handbook;
- Updated recycled water use procedures, responsibilities, and requirements associated with the use of recycled water to fight nonstructural fires;
- Updated temporary service requirements to require metering of temporary service connections;
- An update to the IRWD rate setting process for establishing and adopting changed water, sewer, and recycled water rates and adding a specific procedure for customers to protest and legally object to new or changed rates;
- Updates to the procedure regarding billing errors; and
- Updates related to nonfunctional turf irrigation restrictions to comply with State law.

Additional information on the revisions to said Rules and Regulations and/or public hearing may be obtained by contacting Kristine Swan, District Secretary at 949/453-5316.

The Board of Directors of IRWD will hold the hearing on Monday evening, June 9, 2025 at 5:00 p.m. or as soon thereafter as is reasonably practicable, in the Board Room of the offices of IRWD located at 15600 Sand Canyon Avenue, Irvine.

Dated: May 30, 2025

  
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Kristine Swan, District Secretary,  
IRVINE RANCH WATER DISTRICT  
And the Board of Directors thereof