



Paradise Irrigation District

POLICY AND PROCEDURES MANUAL

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Terms

Applicant	Any person, as defined herein, applying for water service.
Approved Water Supply	Any water supply whose potability is approved by a state or local health agency.
Auxiliary Supply	Any water supply on or available to the premises other than the approved water supply.
Backflow	A flow condition, caused by a differential in pressure that causes the flow of water or other substances into the distributing pipes of the District's water supply from any source other than an approved water supply source. Back-siphonage is one cause of backflow. Back pressure is the other cause.
Board	The Board of Directors of the Paradise Irrigation District.
Commercial Service	Delivery of water to customers engaged in trade, manufacturing and all other business and processing activities, including lodges, motels, hotels, trailer parks, home businesses, duplexes, triplexes, apartment houses etc., and other social or political organizations. Commercial service shall also include small businesses with living quarters attached thereto or served by the same meter.
Connection Fee	That portion of the installation charges consisting of meter costs, service installation fee, and if applicable, a road crossing fee.
Cost	The total cost of labor, material, transportation, equipment rental, supervision, engineering, legal, and all other necessary overhead expenses.
Customer or Consumer	A water user of record.
Distribution Mains	Installations starting from the turnouts provided in the "Main Conveyance" system extending to individual services throughout the District in the form of main or lateral extensions, to provide the customers with water service.
District	Paradise Irrigation District, the territory of the Paradise Irrigation District, its directors, officers, employees, and facilities.
Domestic or Residential Service	Water for all household purposes, including water for sprinkling lawns, gardens or shrubbery; washing vehicles and

clothes; human consumption, sanitation; and other general and customary purposes.

District Manager	The person employed by the District as its executive officer.
Installation Charges	Includes the Capital Improvement Fee for system improvements, meter cost, service installation fee, and if applicable, a road crossing fee.
Main Conveyance or Transmissions Mains	The major pipeline and the laterals connected thereto, forming the basic system as provided for in the Bureau of Reclamation Contract.
Person	Any individual, firm, company, partnership, association, corporation, Federal, State and County governments, public utility, municipality or institution.
Person	Individual, corporation, company, association, partnership, or other public body or institution.
Premises	A lot, parcel or acreage under single ownership, except that any separate structure shall be deemed a separate premises. Apartment houses, motels, office buildings and structures of like nature, may be classified as a single premise by the District.
Public Water System	The District system.
Reconnection	Means the reconnection of water service by a customer, other person, or by the District after service has been disconnected by Paradise Irrigation District.
Residential Service	Delivery of water to a parcel of land which does not meet agricultural, commercial, or rural service requirements.
Service	The pipeline and appurtenant facilities, such as curb stops, service lines, meter yokes, meter boxes, meter gate valve and fittings, all used to extend water service from a distribution main to the premises. Where services are divided at curbs or property lines to serve several customers, each branch service shall be deemed a separate service.
Service Connection	The point of connection of a user's piping to the water supplier's facilities.
Service Reconnection Charge	Fees levied in cases where the District has previously turned off service for delinquent payment.

Tamper	To rearrange, injure, alter, interfere with, or otherwise prevent a device from performing its normal or customary function.
Water Service	The provision of water by Paradise Irrigation District for compensation.
Water Supplier	The District.
Water System	Improvements installed within a tract of land for the purpose of providing water service to a subdivision.
Water Turn-off Charge	Fees levied in cases where the customer requests to have their service turned off and on for their convenience. This fee does not apply to new customers or move-outs.
Water User	Person(s) using water for residential, commercial, rural, or agricultural purposes.
Waterline Extension	Water main(s) installed for the benefit of existing parcels of land without previous water service.

Measurements

Acre-foot	435.6 units of water (equal to 325851.429 gal)
HCF	Hundred Cubic Feet
Unit of Water	1 HCF of water (equal to 750 gal)