

To participate in the Olivenhain Municipal Water District (OMWD) Agricultural Water Program, applicants are required to provide information, certification, and acknowledgement as indicated on this form. **All sections must be completed, and documentation requested under Section 3 of this form must be provided to be considered for the Program.**

SECTION 1 – PROGRAM QUALIFICATIONS

In accordance with the OMWD Agricultural Water Program, water use by OMWD Agricultural Water Program participants shall be limited to:

“the growing or raising, in conformity with recognized practices of husbandry, for the purposes of commerce, trade or industry, or agricultural, horticultural, or floricultural products and produced (1) for human consumption or for the market or (2) for the feeding of fowl or livestock produced for human consumption or for the market, or (3) for the feeding of fowl or livestock for the purposes of obtaining their products for human consumption or for the market, such products to be grown or raised on a parcel of land having an area of not less than one acre utilized exclusively therefore.”

Participants are subject to a site audit to verify acreage and qualifying operations (See Section 3: Verification of Commercial Agricultural Sales).

SECTION 2 – APPLICANT QUALIFICATIONS

Billing Information*

Account Number (1): _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Single Meter – Agricultural Use Only
Name on Account: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Single Meter – Agricultural/Residential (mixed)
Account Number (2): _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Single Meter – Agricultural Use Only
Name on Account: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Single Meter – Agricultural/Residential (mixed)
Service Address: _____	

Site Information: Please provide best estimate.

Assessor's Parcel Number	_____	
Total Acreage	_____	
Acreage Committed Exclusively to Agricultural Use	_____	
Acreage Committed to Other Uses:	Ornamental Landscaping _____	Bldgs/Hardscape _____
Home(s) on Property?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
	If yes, how many? _____	
Qualifying Agricultural Use of Property (Type of Crop, Livestock or Operation)	_____	
Primary Type of Irrigation System	<input type="checkbox"/> Sprays <input type="checkbox"/> Rotors <input type="checkbox"/> Drip <input type="checkbox"/> Spinners <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____	
Water Sources other than OMWD?:	<input type="checkbox"/> Well <input type="checkbox"/> Stream <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> None	

* If you have more than 2 meters in this program, please attach a separate page outlining account number, account name and type of meter (Single Agricultural Use or Single Agricultural/Residential mixed)

SECTION 3 – VERIFICATION OF COMMERCIAL AGRICULTURAL SALES

To qualify for participation in the OMWD Agricultural Water Program, applicants must provide proof of commercial agricultural sale of products grown on applicant's property. One or more of the following must be provided at the time this application is submitted. Please check the type of documentation you are attaching:

<input type="checkbox"/>	Current bills of sale or invoices for the agricultural commodity produced on your property
<input type="checkbox"/>	Current registration number for organic farming, and proof of sales/donation of non-organic harvest
<input type="checkbox"/>	A contract between you and a commercial grove manager for your property which delineates that grove manager shall be responsible for sales/donation of agricultural product, including phone number for grove manager.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Tax records that verify commercial agricultural sales
<input type="checkbox"/>	Similar documentation: <i>(please specify)</i>

Program participants are subject to a site audit to verify acreage and qualifying operations. Please provide a contact number and best day/time that we may meet with you on site to conduct this audit.

Contact Phone

Preferred Days/Times for Site Inspection

SECTION 4 – CERTIFICATION AND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

I wish to apply for participation in the OMWD Agricultural Program and I agree to the following terms and conditions:

I hereby certify that I am the owner, or authorized agent of the owner, of the above referenced property and that the information provided herein is true and correct. I further certify that water purchased under the OMWD's Agricultural Water Program will be utilized in accordance with the rules of OMWD's Agricultural Water Program, and for agricultural purposes as defined in Program Qualifications outlined on page 1 of this application form.

I agree to notify the Olivenhain Municipal Water District within 30 days of any changes in property use that would cause the property to be ineligible for the OMWD Agricultural Water Program as defined in Program Qualifications outlined on page 1 of this application form.

I understand that in addition to the information I have provided herein, a field audit of my property may be conducted by Olivenhain Municipal Water District to verify the agricultural use described. In the event my property is found to be ineligible for continued participation in the program, I understand that I will no longer receive the OMWD Agricultural Water Program rate.

I further acknowledge that water to be purchased under the OMWD Agricultural Water Program, but done so on the basis of incorrect information supplied by the applicant in Section 2 of this form, or if water purchased under this program is no longer utilized for agricultural purposes as defined by OMWD in Section 1, may result in the assessment by Olivenhain Municipal Water District of penalties and charges as required by OMWD, which I hereby agree to pay. I further understand that a mixed-use meter will be billed at residential/domestic rates for the first 26 units.

Name _____ Title _____ Phone No. _____
(Please Print) (Owner/Authorized Agent)

Mailing Address _____

Signature _____ Date _____

Returned signed and completed Application Form, along with Verification of Commercial Agricultural Sales documentation to:

**Agriculture Program
OLIVENHAIN MUNICIPAL WATER DISTRICT
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Encinitas, CA 92024
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