

To participate in the Olivenhain Municipal Water District Agricultural Water Rate Program, applicants are required to provide information, documentation, and acknowledgement as indicated on this form. Before enrollment in this program can be considered:

- 1) All sections of this form must be completed.
- 2) Documentation regarding the verification of commercial sale or donation must be received.
- 3) If required by OMWD, proof of an approved backflow prevention device must be received.
For backflow prevention requirements, please visit www.olivenhain.com/backflow.

PROGRAM QUALIFICATIONS

- 1) In order to be eligible for participation, program water must be used for the growing or raising – for commercial, trade or industrial purposes – of products of an agricultural, horticultural, or floricultural nature and produced:
 - a) for human consumption or for the market;
 - b) for the feeding of fowl or livestock produced for human consumption or for the market; or
 - c) for the feeding of fowl or livestock for the purposes of obtaining their products for human consumption or for the market.
- 2) Products must be grown or raised on a parcel of land having an area of not less than one acre utilized exclusively for agricultural purposes as outlined above.

APPLICANT QUALIFICATIONS

Billing Information- If you have more than two 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).

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"/> Spinners <input type="checkbox"/> Rotors <input type="checkbox"/> Drip <input type="checkbox"/> Sprays <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____	
Water Sources Other than OMWD	<input type="checkbox"/> None <input type="checkbox"/> Well <input type="checkbox"/> Stream <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____	

- 1) Do you currently use, or plan to use, fertilizer or a chemical injection system? Yes No
- 2) Is there any type of pump, low pressure boiler, or cooling tower installed or planned for your system? Yes No
- 3) Do you currently have an approved backflow prevention assembly installed on your water service? Yes No
- 4) Is there any existing or proposed graywater use on your property? Yes No

VERIFICATION OF COMMERCIAL AGRICULTURAL SALES

To qualify for participation in OMWD’s Agricultural Water Rate Program, applicants must provide proof of commercial sale of agricultural 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"/>	A contract between you and a commercial grove manager for your property that verifies agricultural sales/donation
<input type="checkbox"/>	Receipts acknowledging donation of product
<input type="checkbox"/>	Tax records that verify commercial agricultural sales and/or operation
<input type="checkbox"/>	Similar documentation with detailed explanation

Program participants are subject to a free site inspection to verify acreage , qualify operations, and an initial inspection of backflow prevention devices by OMWD.

Please provide a contact number and best day/time that we may meet with you on site to conduct this inspection.

Contact Phone

Preferred Days/Times for Site Inspection

CERTIFICATION AND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

I hereby decline future participation in OMWD’s Agricultural Water Rate Program.

I wish to apply for participation in OMWD’s Agricultural Water Rate 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 OMWD’s Agricultural Water Rate Program will be utilized in accordance with the rules of the program, and for agricultural purposes as defined in Program Qualifications as outlined on the first page of this form.

I agree to notify OMWD within 30 days of any changes in property use that would cause the property to be ineligible for OMWD’s Agricultural Water Program as defined in Program Qualifications.

I understand that in the interest of public safety, and according to OMWD Cross Connection Ordinance No. 429, all agriculture water meters are required to have an approved backflow prevention device if there is a perceived risk to OMWD’s water supply. Prior to receiving the agricultural water rate, I may be required to have an approved and inspected backflow prevention device installed on the customer side of the water meter.

I understand that in addition to the information I have provided herein, a free field inspection of my property may be conducted by OMWD or its agent 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 OMWD’s Agricultural Water Rate Program rate.

I acknowledge that water to be purchased under OMWD’s Agricultural Water Rate Program, but done so on the basis of incorrect information, or if water purchased under this program is no longer utilized for agricultural purposes as defined by OMWD on the first page of this form, may result in the assessment by OMWD of penalties and/or charges, 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 _____

Please return a signed Application Form along with supporting documentation to:

***1966 Olivenhain Road
Encinitas, CA 92024***

***Or you may email an electronic copy of your completed application to:
watersaver@olivenhain.com***

***Please feel free to contact us if you have questions about the program or require any assistance.
Phone: 760-753-6466 extension 207 FAX: 760-753-1578***