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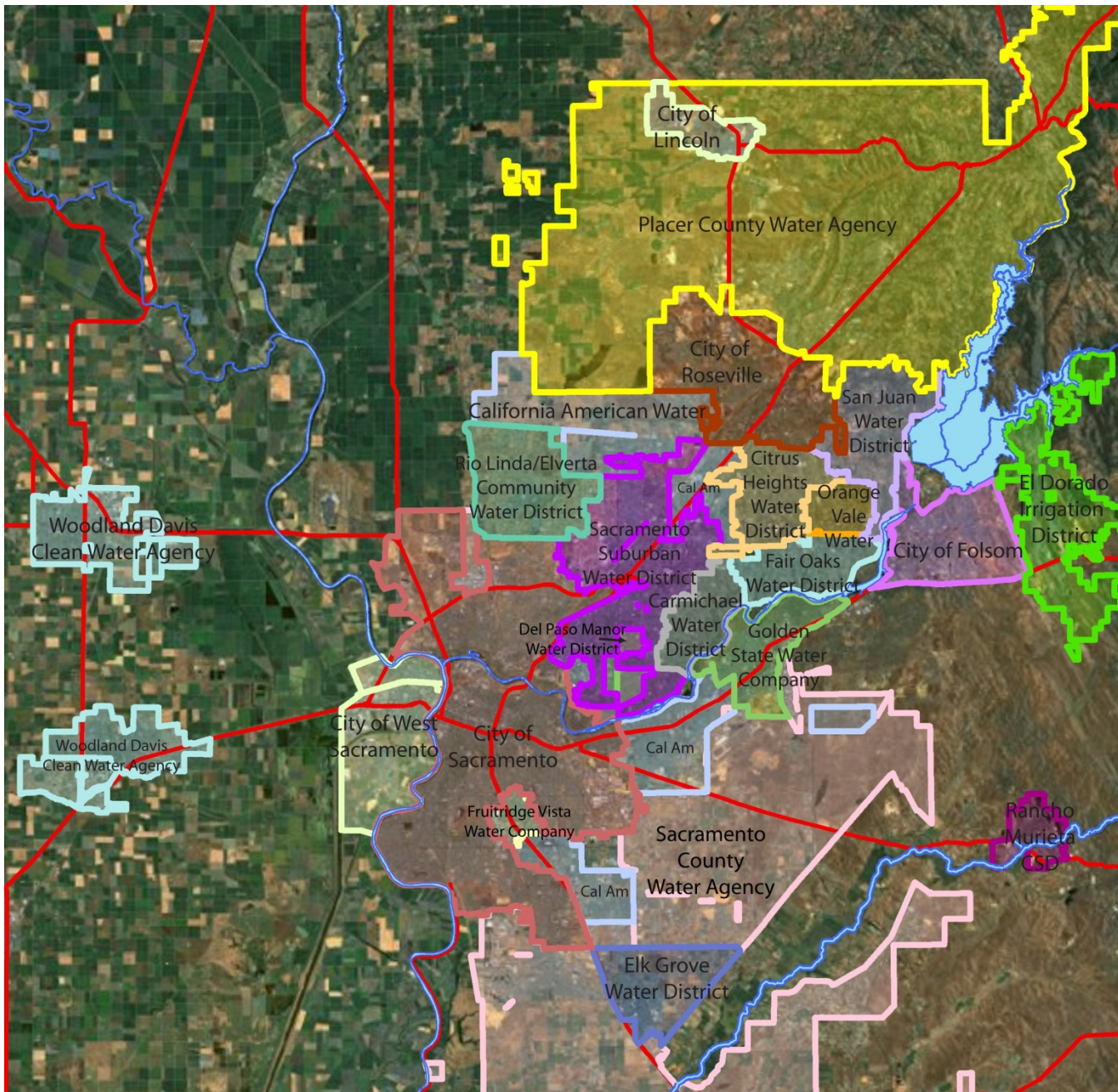


# Get Ahead or Get Parched

## *Resources*

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- 21 water providers
- 2 million people

***“To serve and represent regional water supply interests and assist RWA members with protecting and enhancing the reliability, availability, affordability, and quality of water resources”***



## HOW LOW CAN YOU GO TO CONSERVE WATER?

## We All Need to Do Our Part

The Governor has declared a drought emergency, and we all need to do our part to conserve water. Learn about your water provider's drought status and watering requirements, and how you can take action today. Read our [fact sheet](#) on how water providers have been planning for a dry year.



## Click Here for Your Water Provider's Drought Status



## Take the Be Water Smart Pledge

Take the pledge to conserve water to earn great prizes—like ticket vouchers to a 2014 River Cats game!

[Take the Pledge Now](#)

## Vote for your favorite Water Spots Video

Local high school students showed off their creativity in 30-second videos. Now it's your turn to [vote for your favorite](#).

## Water Efficiency for Kids

Be Water Smart is a fun and interactive educational program for students in grades K-8 that makes learning about water fun. [Learn more](#).

## Find Rebates

Many local water providers offer rebates to replace older fixtures and appliances, such as toilets and clothes washers, with high-efficiency models; along with Smart Irrigation Controllers for your landscape.

[Find Incentives by Water Agency »](#)

[Find Rebates for Residents »](#)

[Find Rebates for Businesses »](#)

## Find Your Water Provider

Want to contact your water provider about great rebates and programs?

[Search now »](#)

## Announcements

March 25, 2014

[Drought Busters out in force - City conducted water use crackdown, issued more than 350 notices of violation in 48-hours of increased enforcement](#)

March 24, 2014

[High School Videos Showcase Creativity, Humor - Water Spots Videos Need Your Vote!](#)

March 24, 2014

[Roseville announces mandatory 20 percent water use reduction due to persistent drought conditions](#)



[California American Water](#)



[Carmichael Water District](#)



[Citrus Heights Water District](#)



[City of Folsom](#)



[City of Lincoln](#)



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[Del Paso Manor Water District](#)



[El Dorado Irrigation District](#)



[Elk Grove Water District](#)



[Fair Oaks Water District](#)



[Golden State Water Company](#)



[Orange Vale Water Company](#)



[Placer County Water Agency](#)



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[Sacramento County Water Agency](#)



[Sacramento Suburban Water District](#)



[San Juan Water District](#)





Map

## Elk Grove Water District

**Status:** 20% Reduction, with Voluntary Guidelines.

**Water Source:** Groundwater

### Landscape Guidelines:

- Odd/even watering schedule, no irrigation between noon and 6 pm.

### Other General Guidelines:

- Use shut off nozzles.
- No runoff. No washing driveways or other paved areas.
- Fix leaks promptly.
- Restaurants to serve water only on request.
- All swimming pools, fountains and ponds must be on recirculating pumps.

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Not sure which district is your water provider?

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## Landscape Professionals

### Together We'll Create Beautiful, Water-Wise Landscapes

The Regional Water Authority and [local water providers](#) local water providers offer a variety of resources and services that can benefit you—the landscape professional—and your clients. By making it easy and cost effective for landscape professionals to practice efficient water use in the landscape, everyone benefits.

### Saving Water Saves Money

- Water efficient landscaping can lower your clients' water bills, especially as more pay metered rates
- Proper irrigation scheduling delivers only the amount of water plants need to stay healthy and beautiful

### Saving Water Grows Your Business

- Your efficient landscape water management practices are an added value for clients
- You create sustainable landscapes that are beautiful, healthy, and water efficient
- You help protect our rivers, lakes and streams by preventing erosion and irrigation run-off
- You provide a valuable public service by conserving our most precious and limited resource

### Saving Water Means Healthy Gardens

- Wise watering nurtures healthy landscaping
- Healthy landscaping can reduce unnecessary maintenance costs



### Tap Into Our Expertise!

For more information about free resources for landscape professionals, contact your local water provider or the Regional Water Authority at (916) 967-7692 or [BeWaterSmart@rwah2o.org](mailto:BeWaterSmart@rwah2o.org).

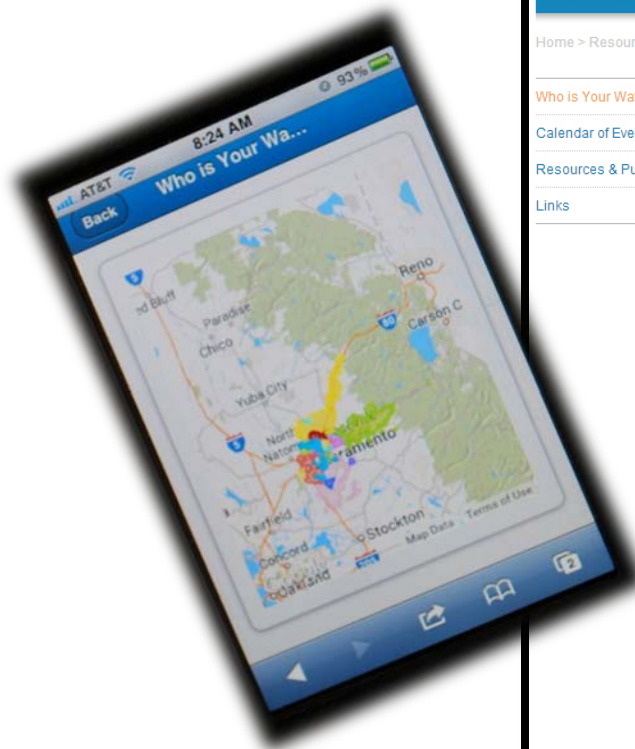
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### Get Ahead or Get Parched: Resources


- [Dry Year Map](#)
- [Regional Incentive Overview](#)
- [Calendar of Events](#)
- [Resources Handout](#)
- [Caring for Trees in a Drought](#)
- [Caring for Trees in a Drought - Spanish](#)

# Who Is Your Water Provider?



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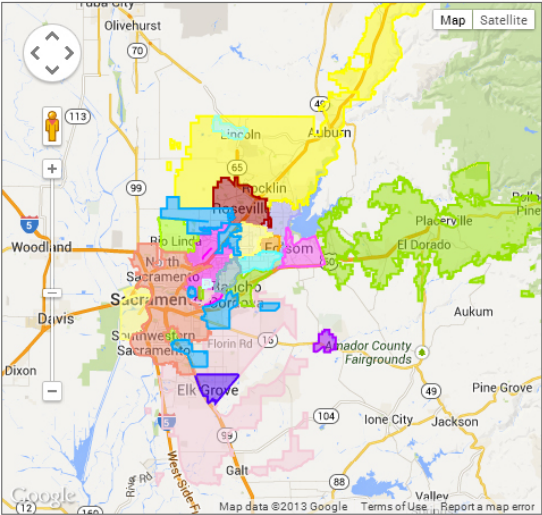
The water provider areas are shown by the colored regions on the map. Click directly on the map to view water provider contact information or click on the name of the provider on the menu to the right. You may also search by your address. Enter the address into the search box in the upper right corner of the map. Once the map shows your location, click in the colored region to view your provider's information.

### Locate Your Water Provider

Find out who your water provider is by entering your address and zip code.

Or you may click on a water provider name below to view their contact information.

- [CALIFORNIA AMERICAN WATER](#)
- [CARMICHAEL WATER DISTRICT](#)
- [CITRUS HEIGHTS WATER DISTRICT](#)
- [CITY OF FOLSOM](#)
- [CITY OF LINCOLN](#)
- [CITY OF ROSEVILLE](#)
- [CITY OF SACRAMENTO](#)
- [CITY OF WEST SACRAMENTO W.S.A.](#)
- [DEL PASO MANOR WATER DISTRICT](#)
- [EL DORADO IRRIGATION DISTRICT](#)
- [ELK GROVE WATER DISTRICT](#)
- [FAIR OAKS WATER DISTRICT](#)
- [FRUITRIDGE VISTA WATER COMPANY](#)
- [GOLDEN STATE WATER COMPANY](#)
- [GRANDE VALE WATER COMPANY](#)



# Workshops

- Irrigation Auditor workshop and exam – May 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> 2014
- Greywater workshop – June 21, 2014
- Green Gardener for Professionals Training – August
- Green Gardener at Home – 4 different locations



# Incentives Available

- Smart Controllers
- Turf Replacement
- Irrigation Equipment Upgrades
- Rain Sensors
- Rotary Nozzles



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## HOW LOW CAN YOU GO TO CONSERVE WATER?

The infographic features a vertical thermometer with a blue liquid level. Four purple boxes with arrows point to the thermometer scale, indicating a progression from 'LOW' at the top to 'LOWEST' at the bottom. The tips are: 'Fix leaky toilets, faucets and sprinklers' (pointing to 'LOW'), 'Adjust sprinklers to reduce overspray and runoff' (pointing to 'LOWER'), 'Limit landscape watering to two days a week or less' (pointing to 'LOWEST'), and 'Skip laundry and go naked' (pointing to the bottom of the scale). To the right of the thermometer, a man in a wooden barrel is shown with the text 'WHOOOPS... TOO LOW!'.

- Fix leaky toilets, faucets and sprinklers
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WHOOOPS... TOO LOW!

Learn about your water provider's watering guidelines, water-smart tips and resources at:  
**BeWaterSmart.info**

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