

Controller: Rules and Guidelines



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General

- You must be a City of Big Bear Lake Department of Water and Power (BBLDWP) account holder to receive irrigation controller rebates or a irrigation controller at no charge.
- Irrigation controllers must be programmed to abide by BBLDWP irrigation guidelines or rebates may be revoked.
- Irrigation controllers may only be installed on a BBLDWP service address. Irrigation Controllers may not be moved to other properties outside the service area.
- The customer owns and is solely responsible for the safe use, handling, installation, and maintenance of the irrigation controller.
- The BBLDWP is not responsible for any damage to the irrigation controller, property or any other liability or injury after the customer accepts the irrigation controller or rebate.
- The BBLDWP will not issue additional or replacement products to the customer, even if they are viewed as broken or defective. BBLDWP makes no warranty that a controller will function as advertised.
- BBLDWP may conduct a pre-inspection or consult to ensure that the property meets all requirements for the program prior to the customer taking possession of any complimentary products.
- Within 60 days of installation, the BBLDWP must be able to conduct a site visit to ensure the system is programmed to meet all requirements and is functioning properly.

Installation and Use

- Manufacturer's installation and maintenance instructions must be followed.
- All irrigation must be turned off and winterized from November 1- April 1.

FREE CONTROLLERS (limited): Information from the Manufacturer

The Blossom Smart Watering controller uses up to the minute satellite-based weather data so sprinklers water only when they need to. On the sunniest, hottest days, Blossom will apply extra water to replenish dry soil. On cooler, less sunny days, Blossom adjusts to irrigate less. If measurable rain is in the weather forecast, Blossom skips watering for that day.

The Gro Connect app, available on Android & iOS, let's you fully control your watering schedule, turn the system on or off, and more. Compatible only with locations in the continental United States.

- Indoor installation only
- Must be connected to wi-fi
- Control your in-ground sprinklers with the GroConnect app from Android or iOS device
- EPA Water Sense certified (turn on WaterSense mode in settings)
- Lithium battery back up
- 2 year limited warranty
- Calendar setting, odd/even day setting, Rain Delay and interval setting
- Works with Amazon Alexa, iOS and Android
- Compatible only with locations in the continental United States
- Covers 7 watering zones (The connector for the Pump Start Relay (PSR) can alternatively be set to support an eighth zone)

Waiver & Release of Liability Form



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I have read, understood and agree to abide by all Rules, Guidelines, and FAQ's as they relate to the irrigation efficiency program. I accept any and all liability related to the use, handling, installation, and maintenance of the irrigation efficiency device (DEVICE). I acknowledge that BBLDWP makes no warranty of a DEVICE's fitness for its intended use.

I HEREBY ASSUME ALL OF THE RISKS OF PARTICIPATING IN THE CITY OF BIG BEAR LAKE, DEPARTMENT OF WATER & POWER'S (BBLDWP) IRRIGATION EFFICIENCY PROGRAM (PROGRAM), including by way of example and not limitation, any risks that may arise from negligence or carelessness on the part of the persons or entities being released, or from dangerous or defective equipment or property owned, maintained, or controlled by them.

I acknowledge that this Waiver and Release of Liability Form will be used by BBLDWP, and that it will govern my actions and responsibilities while in possession of a device received from BBLDWP.

In consideration of my application and BBLDWP permitting me to receive a device, I hereby agree to the following on behalf of myself, my executors, administrators, heirs, successors, assigns and all who may rely or be dependent upon me:

(A) I WAIVE, RELEASE, AND DISCHARGE from any and all liability, including but not limited to, liability arising from the negligence or fault of the entities or persons released, for my death, disability, personal injury, property damage, property theft, or actions of any kind which may hereafter occur, THE FOLLOWING ENTITIES OR PERSONS: The City of Big Bear Lake, Department of Water & Power (BBLDWP) and/or their commissioners, officers, employees, volunteers, representatives, and agents, and the activity holders, sponsors, and volunteers;

(B) TO INDEMNIFY, HOLD HARMLESS, AND DEFEND the released parties from any and all claims of liability resulting from or associated with participation in the program.

I acknowledge that BBLDWP and their commissioners, employees, volunteers, representatives, and agents are NOT responsible for the errors, omissions, acts, or failures to act of any party or entity conducting a specific activity on their behalf.

The Accident Waiver and Release of Liability Form shall be construed broadly to provide a release and waiver to the maximum extent permissible under applicable law.

I CERTIFY THAT I HAVE READ THIS DOCUMENT AND I FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS CONTENT. I CERTIFY THAT I HAVE READ, UNDERSTOOD AND AGREE TO ABIDE BY ALL RULES, GUIDELINES, AND FAQ'S AS THEY RELATE TO THE IRRIGATION EFFICIENCY PROGRAM. I ACCEPT ANY AND ALL LIABILITY RELATED TO THE USE, HANDLING, INSTALLATION, AND MAINTENANCE OF THE DEVICE(S) I HAVE RECEIVED. I AM AWARE THAT THIS IS A RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND A CONTRACT AND I SIGN IT OF MY OWN FREE WILL.

Participant's Signature

Date

Participant's Name (Please print legibly)

Physical Address

City

State

Zip Code