



PUBLIC WORKS

Drought Emergency – Rebates, Incentives and Penalties

At the City Council meeting of May 26, 2015, City Council took several significant actions related to the drought and water conservation, including declaring a drought emergency and implementing rebates, incentives and penalties.

Required Potable Water Use Reductions - Two Ways to Comply

There are two ways for residential and commercial customers to comply with the required monthly potable water use reductions:

- 1) Percentage
Residential and Commercial Customers – reduce monthly potable water usage by 35% from their 2013 usage (compared by month); **OR**
- 2) Citywide Averages - stay within the following Citywide averages for monthly potable water use:
Residential - 11,000 gal. or less (May - Oct.); and 5,000 gal. or less (Nov. - Apr.).
Commercial - 32,000 gal. or less (May - Oct.); and 24,000 gal. or less (Nov. - Apr.).

Irrigation Only Potable Water Customers – must reduce monthly use by 40% from their 2013 usage (compared by month). Citywide average is **not** applicable to irrigation only customers.

2013 Usage is available at www.brentwoodca.gov/2013usage by entering your account number.

Rebates

Beginning in July, customers that reduce their monthly potable water use by more than the percentages above are eligible to receive the following rebates as a credit on their utility bill.

<u>Residential and Commercial*</u>	<u>Irrigation Only*</u>	<u>Rebate</u>
36% - 40%	41% - 50%	\$10
41% - 50%	51% - 60%	\$25
> 50%	> 60%	\$50

*Based on 2013 usage

Incentives

The City is developing an incentive program for lawn replacement as well as other incentives. Look for more information in the coming months.

Penalties

Beginning in July, customers that do not reduce their monthly potable water use by the percentages above will be subject to the following penalties.

<u>Residential & Commercial*</u>	<u>Irrigation Only**</u>	<u>Penalty</u>
21% - 34%	21% - 39%	\$100
0% - 20%	0% - 20%	\$200
Increased Water Use	Increased Water Use	\$300

*Based on 2013 usage. Penalties will **not** apply to residential and commercial customers that stay within the Citywide averages above.

Based on 2013 usage. Citywide average **not applicable to irrigation only customers.

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

Permit Center Customer Service Survey

The City of Brentwood takes pride in its customers and is strongly committed to providing quality service at the Permit Center. To ensure that the City continues to offer quality service to its customers, a customer service survey has been created. The Permit Center staff would like to hear from customers about their experience at the Permit Center. It is important to know how staff is doing, including feedback on what is being done right, and areas where improvement is needed. An email with a link to the survey was sent out to customers that recently visited the Permit Center and a link to the survey can be found on the City's website under [Permit Center](#).

PARKS AND RECREATION

Starry Nights Concert Series

The Starry Nights in Brentwood Summer Concert series kicks off tonight with “Forejour” (pronounced “forger”) paying tribute to the music of the 80’s mega bands Foreigner and Journey. Forejour’s unique combination of two beloved multi-platinum selling bands will keep audiences on their feet. The concert begins at 7:00 p.m.



On Friday, June 19th, the Hot Rods Band will perform. They are a get-up and dance tribute to Rock-n-Roll from the 50’s and 60’s. Their music brings back the days of cruisin’ cars, sock-hops and those crazy beach parties.

Starry Nights is an annual summer-time series of concerts held Friday evenings in City Park (710 Second Street). Please see the attached schedule for details, and for more information, call Parks and Recreation at (925) 516-5444.

City of Brentwood Presents

Starry Nights in Brentwood

Summer Concert Series 2015

City Park 7:00pm

- June 12* *Forejour* Tribute to Foreigner and Journey
- June 19* *Hot Rods Band* Oldies 50's and 60's
- June 26* *Juke Joint* Classic Soul and R&B
- July 17* *Twice As Good* Blues, R&B and Rock
- July 24* *Elliot Randall and the Deadmen*
Americana Country
- July 31* *Super Huey* Tribute to Huey Lewis
- August 7* *Project 4 Band* Top 40, R&B, Rock, Latin
and Pop
- August 14* *TinMan* Classic Rock
- August 21* *Brentwood Concert Band* Traditional
Concert Band

Please follow park rules before, during and after concerts.
No Alcohol ■ No Glass Containers ■ No Audio/Video Recording Devices



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