



EL DORADO COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
WEIGHTS AND MEASURES
SMALL FARM IRRIGATION RATE APPLICATION

Name(s): _____

Daytime Phone: _____ Evening/Cell Phone: _____

Physical Address: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Parcel Number: _____

Type of Crop (Commodity)	Number/Square Feet/ Acreage of Plants or Trees (specify)	Producing A Crop? (yes or no)
		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

*Refer to Application Instructions for detailed clarification.
Please retain a copy of your application for your records.*

Please check this box if a Renewal Date of expiration? _____

I certify that the information provided is true and correct and I understand and agree that the payment submitted with this application is nonrefundable.

Signature

OFFICE USE ONLY:

Issuing Date: _____ Application Fee Received: _____

WORKSHEET FOR MEASURING ½ ACRE OF PLANTED AGRICULTURAL CROPS

APPLICANT NAME: _____ ASSESSOR PARCEL NO.: _____

PROPERTY LOCATION: _____

Crop	# of plants per ½ acre	Sq. Foot/ plant	X	# of plants	=	Total [/43,560]	=	# of Acre(s)*
<i>Apples - Standard</i>	45 – 55	480						
<i>Medium</i>	100 – 250	220						
<i>High</i>	400 – 600	55						
<i>Pears – Standard</i>	60	360						
<i>High</i>	400 – 600	55						
<i>Peaches, Nectarines, Cherries, Plums – Standard</i>	75	290						
<i>High</i>	150	140						
<i>Walnuts, Chestnuts, Pecans</i>	24	900						
<i>Grapes – Standard</i>	200	110						
<i>High</i>	400 – 500	55						
<i>Blueberries – Standard</i>	400	55						
<i>High</i>	850	25						
<i>Raspberries – Standard</i>	1,000	20						
<i>High</i>	2,000	10						
<i>Christmas Trees</i>	500	40						
<i>Garden Area</i>	21,780							
<i>Citrus</i>	45 – 55	480						
<i>Almonds, Figs, Persimmons</i>	45 – 55	450						
<i>Olives – Standard</i>	24	900						
<i>High</i>	335	65						
<i>Other</i>								
<i>Other</i>								
TOTAL								

NOTES:

*Calculations are estimated acreage only. Inspector will verify actual acreage for official use.

1 acre = 43,560 sq. ft.

½ acre = 21,780 sq. ft.

Total is based on combination of all crops, not the size of the parcel

The purpose of this worksheet is to serve as a guideline in determining amount of acreage planted in agricultural crops

<i>Office use only:</i>	
INSPECTOR NAME: _____	INSPECTION DATE: _____
VERIFIED: <input type="checkbox"/> <i>1-Year</i> <input type="checkbox"/> <i>3-Year</i>	<i>Did Not Meet Criteria</i> _____



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SMALL FARM IRRIGATION RATE APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

THIS RATE IS AVAILABLE ONLY FOR ONE ACRE PARCELS OR LARGER **AND** HAVE ½ ACRE TO 4.99 ACRES IN PRODUCTION. FOR PARCELS WITH 5 ACRES OR MORE IN PRODUCTION, APPLICATIONS MUST BE SUBMITTED DIRECTLY TO THE EL DORADO IRRIGATION DISTRICT (EID).

1. **TYPE OF CROP:** List each commodity (i.e., apples, grapes) on separate lines.
2. **NUMBER/SQUARE FEET/ACREAGE OF PLANTS OR TREES:** List either the number of plants or trees per commodity or the amount of square feet or acres per commodity. *Specify if the unit listed for plants/trees is the number, square feet or acres.*
3. **PRODUCING A CROP:** If the crop has been producing in the past or will be producing this coming harvest season, then state “Yes”. Production of Christmas trees means that they are mature enough to be harvested.

APPLICATION FEE:

Complete Certified Producer Certificate and Small Farm Application: \$50.00 fee

Complete Small Farm Application only: \$100.00 fee

Application(s) and fees must be submitted in person

Submit application and application fee to the El Dorado County Department of Agriculture, Weights and Measures located at 311 Fair Lane, Placerville, CA 95667

APPLICATION PROCESS:

1. Applicant submits completed application and fee to the El Dorado County Department of Agriculture.
2. A site visit is scheduled to verify the data submitted on the application and to ensure that El Dorado Irrigation District’s (EID) criteria for their Small Farms Irrigation Rate is met.
3. If the criteria are met, a Certificate of Compliance will be mailed to the applicant and EID. It is the applicant’s responsibility to ensure that EID has received and accepted the Certificate of Compliance.
4. An expiration date is noted on the Certificate of Compliance. For renewal purposes, a new application and fee will need to be submitted. *Please retain a copy of your original (or last) application for reference.*

Questions?

- Application or application process questions: Call the El Dorado County Department of Agriculture at (530) 621-5520
- All other questions should be directed to the El Dorado Irrigation District (EID) at (530) 622-4513.