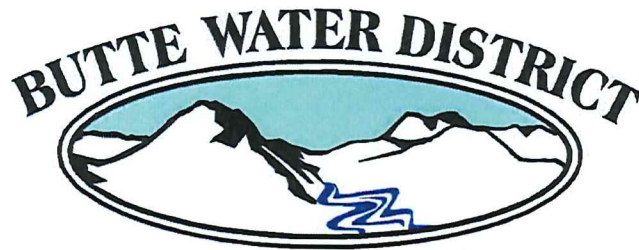


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March 2, 2020

Dear Landowner:

The Board of Directors of Butte Water District (BWD) gives notice, pursuant to Water Code Section 35450, that the date that applications and payments for water for all crops for the **2020 irrigation season must be received is April 3, 2020**. If the current dry conditions persist a single irrigation during the non-allotted period may be offered after March 15th at the rate of \$6 per acre.

The application for water must specify the crops and acreage of each crop the applicant is intending to irrigate, and shall state the name of the owner, name of tenant, or tenants, acreage and the Assessor's Parcel No. for which water is desired. Applicant should indicate 100% of the lands he or she desires to irrigate. Should no application be made in the proper time and manner for any parcel, the BWD reserves the right not to serve that parcel in 2020. Applications will not be accepted unless they are completed, and payment is made in full and received by the District by April 3, 2020.

An application has been enclosed for your convenience and the current water rates are below. You can also go to our website at buttewaterdistrict.org for more information. Please mail in your application with payment.

Thank you for your cooperation,

Mark Orme, General Manager
Butte Water District

CROP	Rate
Minimum Charge-3 acres or less	\$80 flat rate
Orchard/Row Crop	\$25 per acre
Alfalfa	\$27 per acre
Pasture	\$30 per acre
Rice	\$36 per acre
Ponds	\$160 flat rate
Pump/Drain	50% of rate
Single Flood	50% of rate