

TUALATIN VALLEY IRRIGATION DISTRICT

Newsletter

August 2023

Notice of Policy Update:

In addition to all monies being paid before turnout services (boxes) may be turned on, Board Policy now also requires Spring maps to be submitted to the District office before turnout services (boxes) may be turned on and water delivered (Resolution 2023-5 adopted to policy 5-9-2023). You can find TVID's Policies on our website at tvid.org under the Resources tab.

Although cannabis has been legalized in Oregon's, it is still illegal as far as the Federal Government is concerned. The Controlled Substance Act of 1970 (CSA) and its implementing regulations prohibit the cultivation of marijuana, as defined at subsection 102(16) of the CSA (codified at 21 U.S. C. 802(16))¹. Reclamation's obligation as a Federal Agency to uphold Federal law prohibits it from approving the use of Reclamation water or facilities to facilitate activities prohibited by the CSA. This NO LONGER includes Industrial Hemp.

Our Telephone System

If you have called after hours, you may have noticed our message system. There is a designated mailbox for both Emergencies (Option 9) and Water Orders (Option 1). When calling in, follow the prompts to access the correct mailbox.

Also, a reminder that during Irrigation Season ALL water users must order water prior to using regardless of the amount being used. The water order can be taken for a 7 day duration. Pipeline users need to order 24 hours and river users 48 hours **PRIOR TO USING**. If you are wanting water during the weekend, you must call BEFORE 12 pm the Thursday or Friday prior to watering. In the event of a scheduled shut-down, we try to notify those who have ordered water.

PHONE NUMBER 503-357-3118

FAX NUMBER 503-359-9510

Late Season

Regular irrigation season will end September 30th. Meters will be read at this time. Be sure to have the area around your box free of debris. If you would like to use water in October, or October and November, an Extended Irrigation Season Application must be completed and returned along with the appropriate payment to our office by the September 22nd deadline. This process applies to both pipeline and river users.

IMPORTANT: All turnouts which have not submitted an Extended Irrigation Season Application by September 20th will be scheduled to be shut off and winterized for the season on October 1st. There is a **\$50 charge** to restore service to turnouts which have been shut off for the season.

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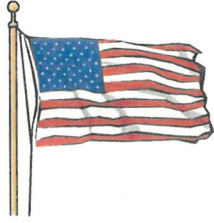
May 9, 2023 Updated Policy (Resolution 2023-5)

Water Order Reminder

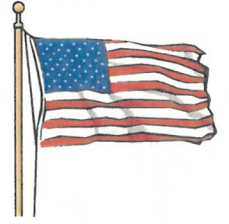
Controlled Substances Act of 1970 (CSA)

Late Season Information & Application

Tualatin Valley Irrigation District
2330 Elm Street
Forest Grove, OR 97116



Public Notice of Election



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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

that the Director from Districts 3 and 4 currently held by James Love and Ken Buelt, respectively, will be up for election on November 14th, 2023.

If someone wishes to run for District 3 or District 4, the following will apply:

How to qualify and nominate a candidate:

A Director must be a resident of Oregon and an owner, or a shareholder of a corporate owner, of land within the subdivision of the district. Nominations may be made by petition (available in the office) signed by a least 10 electors in the subdivision who are qualified to vote for the director nominated by them, or at an assembly of not less than 25 electors and filed with the secretary of the Board at least 35 days before the election. If, after the nomination filing deadline, there is only one qualified candidate, it is not necessary to hold an election.

Who may vote:

An elector or voter in the district must have the following qualifications:

- (1) Be 18 years of age or older.
- (2) Must own or be purchasing under contract land situated within the district and subject to the charges or assessments of the district. There is no longer any minimum acreage requirement.
- (3) Need not reside in the district or in the state.

What about multiple ownership's:

Where ownership is in estates by the entirety, only one vote shall be allowed on behalf of all the owners under multiple ownership. Any corporation shall be entitled to vote as a single landowner through any officer or agent duly authorized in writing under the seal of the corporation.

Weighted Voting:

The weighted voting system is based on the number of acres you own. One vote may be cast for up to 40 acres. 2 votes for 41 to 160 acres and 3 votes for 161 acres on up.

What sub-division are you in:

The district is divided into five sub-districts or divisions. There is a map of the district showing the divisions on the back.

Vote by Mail:

The Board of Directors has declared this to be a mail-in ballot election (if necessary).

The district map below is divided into 5 sub-divisions. Use the landmarks to find your property and the division where you are authorized to vote.

1- Joe Finegan 2- Alan Jesse 3- James Love
4- Ken Buelt 5- Jay Hoffman

District Map

