

TUALATIN VALLEY IRRIGATION DISTRICT

Newsletter

Early Season

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RRA FORMS

IF YOU OWN AND/OR LEASE A TOTAL OF 240 ACRES AND OVER, A RECLAMATION REFORM ACT OF 1982 FORM NEEDS TO BE ON FILE PRIOR TO USING WATER. IF YOU ARE PART OWNER OF AN ENTITY AND YOUR OWNERSHIP (INCLUDING ANY INDIVIDUALLY OWNED AND/OR LEASED ACRES) IS 240 ACRES AND OVER, YOU WILL NEED TO FILE A FORM AS AN INDIVIDUAL ALONG WITH THE ENTITY FORM.

OUR WEBSITE (TVID.ORG) HAS A DIRECT LINK TO THE RRA FORMS FROM THE BUREAU OF RECLAMATION WEBSITE WHERE YOU WILL FIND INSTRUCTIONS & FILLABLE/PRINTABLE FORMS. THE LINK IS LOCATED UNDER "FORMS & POLICIES" UNDER THE "RESOURCES" TAB, THERE YOU WILL FIND A *LINK TO RECLAMATION RRA FORMS*. THE FILLABLE FORMS MAKE IT EASIER THAN WRITING EVERYTHING OUT.

AS PER A LETTER FROM THE BUREAU OF RECLAMATION STATING THAT "NO WATER SHOULD BE DELIVERED TO ANY INDIRECT OR DIRECT LANDHOLDER (OWNER AND/OR LESSEE) OR FARM OPERATOR WHO HAS FAILED TO MEET THE FORMS REQUIREMENTS. THESE REQUIREMENTS APPLY TO INDIVIDUALS; MARRIED COUPLES AND THEIR DEPENDENTS; LEGAL ENTITIES (PARTNERSHIPS, CORPORATIONS, TRUST, ESTATES, JOINT TENANCIES, TENANCIES-IN-COMMON, ETC.); LENDING INSTITUTIONS; PUBLIC ENTITIES; RELIGIOUS AND CHARITABLE ORGANIZATIONS."

ANY QUESTIONS AS TO WHETHER THIS MAY APPLY TO YOU PLEASE CALL **888.767.3850**. ANY OF THE LADIES AT THE BUREAU WILL BE HAPPY TO HELP YOU.

ALL MONEY DUE TO TVID NEEDS TO BE PAID **BEFORE** WATER CAN BE RECEIVED!

REMINDERS



EARLY SEASON IS FAST APPROACHING. THE AREA AROUND YOUR BOX WILL NEED TO BE FREE OF ANY DEBRIS AND BE CLEAR OF VEGETATION TO ALLOW PIPELINE TECHNICIANS EASY ACCESS. IF TVID HAS TO DO IT, YOU WILL BE BILLED FOR THE SERVICE. DURING EARLY SEASON, MARCH AND APRIL, ALL WATER USERS MUST ORDER WATER PRIOR TO USING. RIVER USERS **48 HOURS** AND BOX USERS **24 HOURS** PRIOR TO USING WATER.

WATER HAMMER CAN CAUSE PIPES TO BURST: TURN BOX ON SLOWLY AND SHUT OFF SLOWLY

MAPPING INFORMATION

WHEN YOU RECEIVE YOUR MAPS REMEMBER TO INDICATE WHICH BOX NUMBERS YOU WILL BE USING. EXAMPLE: E-15, N5A-2, W1-8.

IF YOU WILL BE USING MULTIPLE BOXES LIST ALL BOX NUMBERS. IF THEY ARE NOT LISTED THEY WILL NOT BE TURNED ON.

ALSO, IF YOU ARE LEASING LAND AND WILL BE TRANSFERRING THE WATER TO ANOTHER PIECE OF GROUND, LIST THE NEEDED INFORMATION OF TRANSFERRED TO AND FROM IN THE SPACE PROVIDED ON YOUR MAPS.