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## WATER EFFICIENT LANDSCAPE WORKSHEET

This worksheet is filled out by the project applicant and it is a required item of the Landscape Documentation Package.

**Landscape Area Sector Type  
(Select one):**

**Reference Evapotranspiration (ET<sub>o</sub>)<sup>a</sup>: 47.8**

Residential (0.55)

Non-Residential (0.45)

Hydrozone #/Planting Description	Location	Plant Factor <sup>b</sup> (PF)	Irrigation Method <sup>c</sup>	Irrigation Efficiency <sup>c</sup> (IE)	ETAF (PF/IE)	Landscape Area (sq-ft)	ETAF x Area	Estimated Total Water Used (ETWU)
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**Regular Landscape Area**

1								
2								
3								
4								
5								
6								
7								
8								
9								
10								
11								
12								

<b>Average</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Total</b>

**Average ETAF for Regular Landscape Areas<sup>e</sup> (circle one):**

In Compliance

Not In Compliance

**Special Landscape Area**

SLA-1								
SLA-2								
SLA-3								
SLA-4								
SLA-5								

**Totals**

Total Landscape Area

Site wide ETAF

ETWU Total

Maximum Allowed Water Allowance (MAWA)<sup>f</sup>


## WORKSHEET INFORMATION & EQUATIONS

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<sup>a</sup> Local monthly evapotranspiration rates are listed in Appendix D.

<sup>b</sup> The following table can be used for common plant factors:

Plant Factor	PF
Very low water use plant	0.1
Low water use plant	0.2
Medium water use plant	0.5
High water use plant	0.8
Lawn	0.8
Pool, spa, or other water feature	1.0

<sup>c</sup> *Irrigation efficiency* is derived from measurements and estimates of irrigation system characteristics and management practices. The minimum average *irrigation efficiency* for purposes of these *Guidelines* is 0.71. The following *irrigation efficiency* may be obtained for the listed irrigation heads with an *Irrigation Management Efficiency* of 90%:

Irrigation Method	IE
Spray nozzles	71%
High efficiency spray nozzles	73%
Multi stream/Multi trajectory rotary (MSMT) nozzles	76%
Stream rotor nozzle	73%
Microspray	76%
Bubblers	77%
Drip emitter	81%
Subsurface drip	81%

<sup>d</sup> Estimated Total Water Use (ETWU) is the annual gallons required  

$$ETWU = (ETo) \times (0.62) \times (ETAF \times Area)$$

where, ETo = annual evapotranspiration rate in inches per year

0.62 = factor used to convert inches per year to gallons per square foot

ETAF = plant factor ÷ irrigation efficiency

<sup>e</sup> Average ETAF for Regular Landscape Areas must be 0.55 or below for residential areas, and 0.45 or below for nonresidential areas.

<sup>f</sup> Maximum Allowed Water Allowance (MAWA) is the annual gallons allowed  

$$MAWA = (ETo) \times (0.62) \times [(ETAF \times LA) + ((1-ETAF) \times SLA)]$$

Where, ETo = annual evapotranspiration rate in inches per year

0.62 = factor used to convert inches per year to gallons per square foot

ETAF = plant factor ÷ irrigation efficiency

LA = total (site wide) landscape area in square feet

SLA = total special landscape area