



# RESIDENTIAL LAWN REPLACEMENT ADJUSTMENT REQUEST FORM



## General Guidelines

Effective May 8, 2012, the Orange County Board of County Commissioners approved Resolution No. 2012-M-11 titled, "Billing Adjustments For Excessive Water Consumption," which states in part that residential customers who experience unusually high water usage with a corresponding spike in their monthly water bill may be considered for a billing adjustment after completing this form within 60 days of the date of the unusually high consumption and investigation and verification by Orange County Utilities staff. Please complete this form in its entirety and return to Orange County Utilities for processing.

## Lawn Replacement Guidelines

- Adjustment is available no more than once annually.
  - Adjustment is only available to non-commercial customers at their primary residence.
  - Adjustment is available for the water portion of the bill and may be available for the wastewater portion of the bill if applicable.
  - The customer's prior 12-month average usage will be used to calculate the water and wastewater charges for the high water bill month in question.
  - The customer's prior 12-month average usage will be compared to the customer's usage during the lawn replacement period to determine excessive water usage to be adjusted.
  - The customer's water usage in excess of their prior 12-month average will be billed at the rate in the highest tier reached by the customer's prior 12-month average usage.
  - **Customer must submit a copy of the lawn replacement invoice/payment receipt from company performing the work. The lawn replacement invoice/payment receipt should include the address, date, and nature of the work. If self-replaced, the customer must provide a brief written explanation of the replacement performed and provide copies of invoice/receipt for new lawn.**
- 1) All customers requesting a billing adjustment in accordance with these guidelines are required to pay their bill in full or make payment arrangements while this form is being processed.
  - 2) For customers with less than 12-months water usage, Utilities staff will estimate 12 months of usage.

## Customer Information

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Account #: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone #: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Service Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

## Lawn Replacement Information

New Lawn Installation Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Please Provide Brief Explanation of Replacement Below:

## Please Sign and Date Below

Customer Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Please send to Orange County Utilities, 9150 Curry Ford Road, Orlando, FL 32825-7600; fax to 407-254-9697; or email the scanned, completed form to [Adjustment.Request@ocfl.net](mailto:Adjustment.Request@ocfl.net). Telephone: 407-836-5515 Website: [www.ocfl.net/utilities/](http://www.ocfl.net/utilities/)

Para más información, por favor llame al Departamento de Servicios Públicos del Condado de Orange y pida hablar con un representante en español. El número de teléfono es 407-836-5515.