

# INTRODUCTION

The City of New Port Richey and Southwest Florida Water Management District have agreed on a Cooperative Funding Initiative for a Toilet Rebate Program for City of New Port Richey Water customers.

The program's designed to replace high volume toilets with High Efficiency Toilets (HET). The program is open to all City customers in single family residences that were built before 1995 and will be conducted on a first come first serve basis, as a limited amount of rebates are available.

Up to \$100.00 credit rebate applied to City of New Port Richey Utility Bill. One per household.

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The Toilet Rebate Program is to replace older toilets with new low-flow models.

## In Order to Qualify:

- Must be a City of New Port Richey Utilities Customer.
- Must be the owner of the property or have signed approval by owner.
- Toilet must be non-efficient and installed prior to 1995.
- The High Efficiency Toilet (HET) must replace a high-flow toilet and be verified by program administrator.



# INSPECTIONS

The City shall be responsible for ensuring that all installed toilets are inspected properly to be eligible for the issuance of rebates. All inspections shall include at a minimum:

- Toilet is secured and properly installed.
- Ensure that the toilet being replaced was installed prior to 1995.
- Installed High Efficiency Toilet must be certified to meet WaterSense criteria through the approved Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) WaterSense labeling program.
- High Efficiency Toilet (HET) flushes with no more than 1.28 gallons.
- Observation of the flush out refill of the toilet to ensure proper operation and to confirm water level in the tank and bowl is consistent with manufacturing standards.
- Mark the toilet with the application number using permanent ink.
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# WATER CONSERVATION FACTS

- It takes about 70 gallons of water to fill a bathtub, showers are generally the more water-efficient way to bathe.
- Dishwashing is a small part of your water consumption, less than 2% of indoor use, but there is still room for conservation. Using a dishwasher is actually more water efficient than hand washing, especially if you run full loads.
- Most front-load washing machines are energy and water efficient, using just over 20 gallons a load, while most top-loading machines, unless they are energy-efficient, use 40 gallons per load.

