



Dublin San Ramon Services District  
Water, wastewater, recycled water

# DSRSD Pipeline

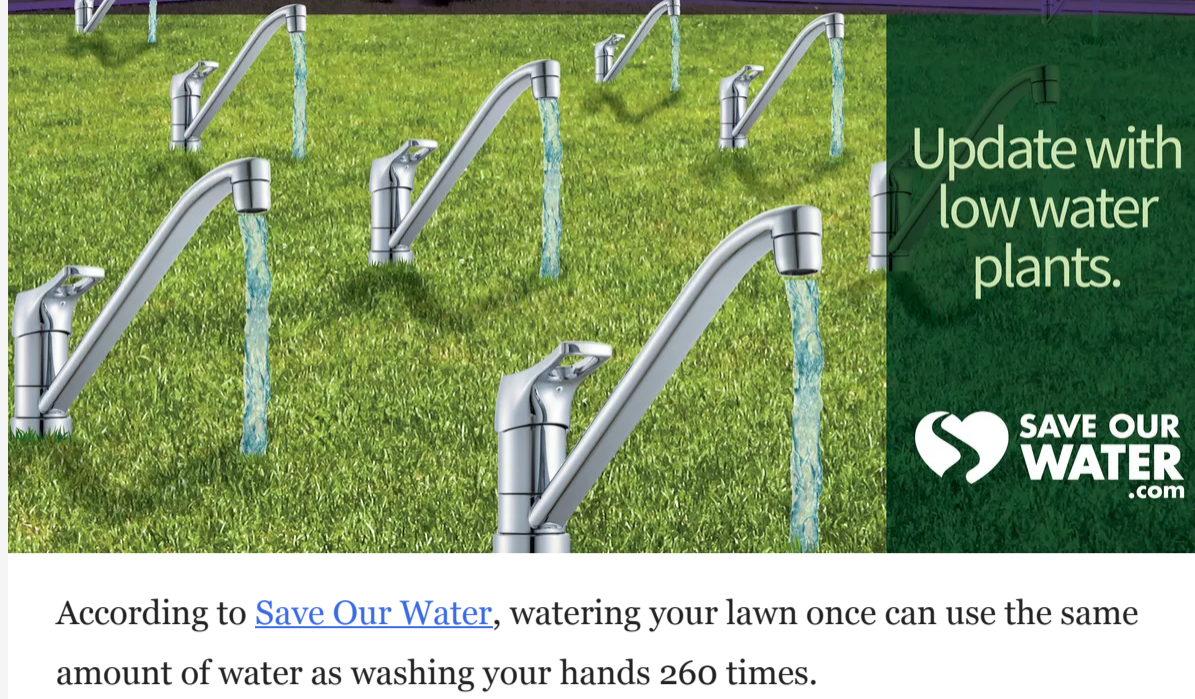
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We're in our third year of severe drought — if we all save a little, we save a lot.

**Do your part:** Water lawns no more than three non-consecutive days/week.

## Wave Goodbye to Grass 🙋



According to [Save Our Water](#), watering your lawn once can use the same amount of water as washing your hands 260 times.

**Lose the lawn:** DSRSD and our water wholesaler, Zone 7 Water Agency, offer rebates for converting thirsty lawns to water-efficient landscaping.

- Single-family homes are eligible for rebates up to \$2,000
- Multi-family and non-residential are eligible for up to \$6,000

**Save Water:** Learn more about lawn conversion rebates on our website at [www.drsrd.com/rebates](http://www.drsrd.com/rebates) and view a recent [lawn conversion and sheet mulching webinar](#) to equip yourself with the needed know-how! 💧

## Virtual Citizens Water Academy



*There's a lot to know about your water. Come find out.*

The Academy covers critical issues on water, investing in vital infrastructure, and what it's like to serve on the DSRSD Board of Directors.

Learn more about your water, wastewater, and recycled water District with our upcoming [Virtual Citizens Water Academy!](#)

**Go deeper:** You may recognize DSRSD from setting up your bill payments or seeing our crews working in your neighborhood — but what does it mean to operate Dublin San Ramon Services District? The free academy includes three virtual sessions and a final in-person reception from 6 to 8:30 p.m.:

- Wednesday, June 8
- Wednesday, June 22
- Wednesday, July 13
- Wednesday, July 20 (in-person reception)

**Deadline to apply:** 5 p.m., Monday, May 9. Visit our [webpage](#) for a video about the Academy and to apply!

## Free Water-Saving Devices 🚰



Sink aerators are just one of the free water-saving devices available at our front counter.

DSRSD's Customer Services counter has free water-saving devices available to ratepayers to help make conservation easier at home.

**Free and fun:** Drop by our front counter and pick up conservation freebies to use inside and outside your home:

- 💧 Low-flow garden hose nozzles
- 💧 Low-flow showerheads and sink aerators for kitchens & bathrooms
- 💧 Leak-detection tablets for toilets
- 💧 Shower flow meter bags

**The Customer Services counter** is open from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday at 7051 Dublin Blvd., Dublin.

## Time Capsule Rededicated



DSRSD Board Members Richard Halket, Georgan Vonheeder-Leopold, Marisol Rubio, Ann Marie Johnson, and Arun Goel rededicate the Time Closet with a new plaque.

The Board of Directors celebrated the rededication of the DSRSD Time Capsule & Time Closet at the April 19 meeting. It was originally sealed in 2004, containing items from the District's first 50 years, but a building flood in 2018 meant the items had to be packed up while the building was restored.

**Timely additions:** Staff members reassembled the Time Closet (the sealed Time Capsule was never opened) and added a few items relevant to the rededication, including:

- Photos from the flooded building and renovation
- A DSRSD logo mask issued during the pandemic
- The original Time Closet plaque

The Time Closet and Time Capsule are to be reopened on DSRSD's 100th anniversary on April 17, 2053.

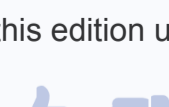
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