

Delta Lake Irrigation District

Water Delivery Rates and Charges

As of September 17, 2025

Metered Pond Water Rate

Pond water will be sold at \$40.00 per acre-foot (metered). To qualify for the pond irrigation rate and to purchase water on an acre-foot basis, the landowner must construct and maintain a pond with sufficient capacity to store no less than fourteen (14) days' supply of water.

Drip Irrigation Systems

All drip irrigation systems, whether existing or newly installed, require prior written approval from the District before installation. Any drip system installed without such approval will be billed at the full flood irrigation rate. Approved drip systems will be billed under the following guidelines:

- If the canal rider reads the meter both before and after irrigation, the District will debit the water account for the actual amount used, with a minimum charge of three inches (3") per irrigation.
- Failure to obtain a meter reading both before and after irrigation will result in a debit of six inches (6") per acre irrigated.
- Other approved drip systems will be billed a minimum charge of \$20.00 per acre irrigated and 0.25 acre-foot (3") per irrigation.

Furrow Metered Rate

- \$20.00 per acre irrigated, based on 0.5 acre-foot (6") per acre.
- If less than 0.5 acre-foot per acre is used, the account will be credited up to 0.1 acre-foot per acre (water only).
- A minimum of 0.4 acre-foot will be debited from the account for each acre irrigated.
- Failure to obtain a canal rider's reading both before and after irrigation will result in a debit of six inches (6") per acre irrigated.

Non-Metered Rate (Flood Irrigation)

The non-metered flood irrigation rate will be billed at \$20.00 per acre irrigated, based on 0.5 acre-foot (6") per acre.