

2022 Supplemental Water Supply Pool Program Guidelines

Program Description

- Annually, the MID Board of Directors (the Board) determines the available surface water supply allocation for MID Class I and Class II water users on an AF/AC basis.
- The Board will then consider whether to offer, and in what quantities, a Supplemental Water Supply Pool Program (SWSP) to Class I water users through MID conjunctive groundwater pumping. For 2022, SWSP water is priced at \$161.00/AF. The program is offered on a voluntary, subscription basis.

Process for Growers to Subscribe to SWSP Water for the 2022 Irrigation Season

- If you are interested in subscribing to the SWSP, please complete the attached “Supplemental Water Supply Pool Program Request Form” and return it to the MID Customer Service Department along with your partial prepayment by March 31, **2022**. Prepayment is required to be considered for the SWSP. The amount of the prepayment is \$61.00/AF of SWSP water, which will be applied as a credit to your account. For example, if your water account acreage is 100 acres and you subscribe to 0.5 AF/AC of SWSP water, then the prepayment required at the time you submit your request form would be $100 \times 0.5 \times \$61.00 = \underline{\$3,050.00}$.
- Following the deadline to submit SWSP request forms, MID will total the requests for SWSP water.
 - If the total volume of requests exceeds the authorized pool volume, MID will prorate each request on an AF/AC basis, based on the maximum authorized pool volume and the original requests.
 - If requests do not fully utilize pool volume, MID may allow Class I users to request additional SWSP water by a certain date, whether a request was made during the first round or not. Alternatively, the Board may reduce the initial pool volume authorized.
- In the event that after the initial available surface water supply allocation and SWSP subscription period, hydrologic or other conditions change and:
 - If the Board subsequently **increases** its available surface water supply allocation to Class I and Class II users, the Board may reduce the supplemental water supply pool available and MID will apply proportional reductions to each subscription. In this case, MID will notify each grower of the final amount subscribed.
 - If the Board subsequently **decreases** its available surface water supply allocation to Class I and Class II users, **and** supplemental water from the SWSP is not fully subscribed: Class I water users may request supplemental water as described above, whether or not they subscribed during the initial subscription period. In this case, MID will notify Class I water users of both the reduced surface water supply allocation and the remaining volume, if any, of remaining SWSP water available to subscribe to.

Once a grower has subscribed (turned in the request form and provided the required pre-payment), subscriptions may be reduced or canceled at any time, subject to the billing process discussed below.

Allocations and Delivery

- Once you subscribe to SWSP water, this “allocation” will be added to your surface water allocation total for the 2022 irrigation season.
- From this point forward, you will have a total allocation consisting of both the initial allocation of available surface water supplies **and** the supplemental water subscribed to. For example, if the initial allocation from surface water supplies is 1.1 AF/AC and you subscribed to 0.5 AF/AC of supplemental water, your total allocation for the season will be 1.6 AF/AC. In this example, your account will be managed (from an allocation standpoint) to the 1.6 AF/AC allocation, and you will be billed monthly on a proportional basis (proportion of surface water allocation and SWSP allocation).

Billing

- Billing will be calculated proportionally, based on the surface water and SWSP allocations. For example:
 - If the surface water allocation is 1.1 AF/AC and you subscribe to 0.5 AF/AC of SWSP water, your total season allocation is 1.6 AF/AC.
 - If MID delivered 10 AF to your water account during the month, you will be charged for both the surface water allocation and the SWSP allocation on a proportional basis as follows:
 - Surface water allocation: Assuming an in-District water rate of \$100.00/AF, this is calculated as follows: $10 \times (1.1 \div 1.6) \times \$100.00 = \$687.50$.
 - SWSP water allocation: Based on \$161.00/AF, this is calculated as follows: $10 \times (0.5 \div 1.6) \times \$161.00 = \$503.13$.
- If a grower reduces or cancels a subscription:
 - You will be charged for any SWSP water delivered to your water account for the remainder of the month. For example, if you reduce or cancel your subscription in the middle of the month and have an irrigation event scheduled prior to the 1st of the following month, you will be charged on a proportional basis (proportion of surface water allocation and SWSP allocation) for that irrigation event(s) based on your original subscription, as described above.
 - However, beginning the first of the month following your cancellation, any water delivered to your farm will be billed taking into account the changed or canceled subscription to SWSP water.
- End of Season True-Up
 - If at the end of the season, taking into account subscription cancellations and reductions, there is remaining, unused subscriptions associated with your account, you will be billed for the pumping costs associated with the remaining, unused subscriptions (i.e., \$61.00/AF).

Supplemental Water Supply Pool Program Request Form

Owner/Tenant's Name: _____

Customer ID: _____

If you are interested in voluntarily purchasing water from the Supplemental Water Supply Pool Program ("SWSP") in 2022, please complete this Application/Request Form and return it to MID Customer Service, along with the your required prepayment. Applications and prepayment must be received prior to March 31, 2022. If your form and prepayment are not received by this date, your request will not be considered. Water provided by the SWSP is water made available by conjunctive groundwater pumping.

Applicant's signature confirms and acknowledges that:

1. Applicant is requesting to voluntarily subscribe to irrigation water in accordance with the guidelines of the SWSP.
2. SWSP water will be charged, and Applicant agrees to pay, the MID Board of Directors adopted price for SWSP water of \$161 per acre-foot.
3. Prepayment is required for participation in the SWSP. The amount of the prepayment is \$61 per acre-foot of SWSP water subscribed to, which will be applied as a credit to your account.
4. Applicant has read the 2022 SWSP Description and the 2022 Water Management Implementation Plan, which both include guidelines associated with the SWSP.

Applicant's Signature

Date

Deputy General Manager, Water Resources/Date

Approved/Denied

Attached to the back of this form is a worksheet intended to assist in determining the Supplemental Water request and prepayment estimate.

Supplemental Water Supply Pool Program Request Form Worksheet

Owner/Tenant's Name: _____

Customer ID: _____

Water Account Number	Water Account Acreage	SWSPS Subscription Requested (AF/AC)	SWSPS Subscription Requested (AF)
<i>EXAMPLE: MS100</i>	<i>100</i>	<i>.50</i>	<i>50.00</i>
Total		NA	

Prepayment Calculator:

_____ AF SWSPS Subscription Requested x \$61.00/AF = \$_____ Prepayment

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Prepayment Information:

Payment From: _____

Date Received: _____

Payment Amount: _____