

Dear Resident:

Enclosed is information about the Fox River Water Reclamation District's (FRWRD) Credit Meter Program. Credit will be issued toward the sewer usage portion of your water bill for water that does not go to the sanitary sewer system. This is typically water used for landscaping and filling swimming pools.

Be aware that there are many costs associated with measuring credits. Due to the small per gallon rate which is credited (about one-seventh cent per gallon), it is questionable if normal users should enter the Credit Meter Program.

**In order to activate the credit meter program:**

- Complete the "Owner's Agreement for Credit Meters" form and return it to the Fox River Water Reclamation District.
- Call FRWRD to arrange the purchase of a water meter. The typical 5/8" meter costs \$196.00 and is available through FRWRD. Larger meters may be available through Water Products Company of Aurora, Inc. (630-898-6100), but must be approved by FRWRD prior to installation. FRWRD has no obligation to buy back the meter if you decide to drop out of the Credit Meter Program.
- Arrange with a plumber to have the credit meter installed in series, downstream from your main water meter. The credit meter line can only serve outside utilities such as spigots, automatic lawn sprinkler systems or swimming pools.
- Call FRWRD to arrange for an inspection, approval of the installation, and an initial meter reading.
- During the first quarter of each year, FRWRD will read your meter and issue any credits due. The reading and processing fee is \$5.00 each visit, regardless of the size of the credit.

Please call if you have any questions or comments.

Sincerely,  
Fox River Water Reclamation District