#### **Consumer Confidence Report Certification Form**

Water System Name:	Lakewood-City, Water Dept.
Water System Number:	CA1910239

The water system named above hereby certifies that its Consumer Confidence Report was distributed on June 17, 2022 to customers (and appropriate notices of availability have been given). Further, the system certifies that the information contained in the report is correct and consistent with the compliance monitoring data previously submitted to the State Water Resources Control Board, Division of Drinking Water (DDW).

Certified by:

Name: Derek Nguyen, Ph.D., P.E.	Title: Director of Water Resources		
Signature:	Date: 07/07/22		
Phone number: (562) 866-9771 ext. 2701			

To summarize report delivery used and good-faith efforts taken, please complete this page by checking all items that apply and fill-in where appropriate:

- CCR was distributed by mail or other direct delivery methods (attach description of other direct delivery methods used).
- CCR was distributed using electronic delivery methods described in the Guidance for Electronic Delivery of the Consumer Confidence Report (water systems utilizing electronic delivery methods must complete the second page).
- Good faith" efforts were used to reach non-bill paying consumers. Those efforts included the following methods:
  - Posting the CCR at the following URL:

#### www.lakewoodcity.org/Residents/Water-Service-Resources/WaterQuality

- Mailing the CCR to postal patrons within the service area (attach zip codes used)
- Advertising the availability of the CCR in news media (attach copy of press release)
- Publication of the CCR in a local newspaper of general circulation (attach a copy of the published notice, including name of newspaper and date published)
- Posted the CCR in public places (attach a list of locations)

Delivery of multiple copies of CCR to single-billed addresses serving several persons,
such as apartments, businesses, and schools

- Delivery to community organizations (attach a list of organizations)
- Publication of the CCR in the electronic city newsletter or electronic community newsletter or listserv (attach a copy of the article or notice)
- Electronic announcement of CCR availability via social media outlets (attach list of social media outlets utilized)
- Other (attach a list of other methods used)
- For systems serving at least 100,000 persons: Posted CCR on a publicly accessible internet site at the following URL: www.\_\_\_\_\_
- For privately-owned utilities: Delivered the CCR to the California Public Utilities Commission

#### **Consumer Confidence Report Electronic Delivery Certification**

Water systems utilizing electronic distribution methods for CCR delivery must complete this page by checking all items that apply and fill-in where appropriate.

Water system mailed a notification that the CCR is available and provides a direct URL to the CCR on a publicly available website where it can be viewed (attach a copy of the mailed CCR notification).

URL: www.lakewoodcity.org/Residents/Water-Service-Resources/WaterQuality

- Water system emailed a notification that the CCR is available and provides a direct URL to the CCR on a publicly available site on the Internet where it can be viewed (attach a copy of the emailed CCR notification). URL: www.
- Water system emailed the CCR as an electronic file email attachment.
- Water system emailed the CCR text and tables inserted or embedded into the body of an email, not as an attachment (attach a copy of the emailed CCR).
- Requires prior DDW review and approval. Water system utilized other electronic delivery method that meets the direct delivery requirement.

Provide a brief description of the water system's electronic delivery procedures and include how the water system ensures delivery to customers unable to receive electronic delivery.

The City of Lakewood has made our 2021 CCR readily available to all residents (and non-

residents) via a direct electronic link located on our City's publicly-viewable website

(www.lakewoodcity.org). The City of Lakewood includes the link to our electronic CCR on our

utility bills in the message portion of our bills (see attached). The City of Lakewood also includes

the link to our CCR in the City's E-Magazine (dated July 2022) which reaches all residents who

have signed up to receive it, as well as those residents who have registered for online billing

via our online portal. The City of Lakewood also provides hard-copy reports to both City Hall

and Water Yard office facilities for those interested parties who may not have access to the

electronic CCR. Lastly, the City of Lakewood "advertises" the electronic link to our 2021 CCR

in the July issue of our local "Lakewood Community News" newspaper (see attached)

This form is provided as a convenience and may be used to meet the certification requirement of

section 64483(c) of the California Code of Regulations.

#### **UTILITY BILL**



#### **Customer Service**

(Mon-Thur & Alt. Fridays: 7:30am - 5:00pm) Phone: 1-855-785-4021 In Person: 5050 Clark Ave. Lakewood, CA 90712 Online: www.Lakewoodcity.org/UtilityBill Trash, greenwaste, & recycling: See reverse

Water Quality Report: Lakewood's annual water quality report is available for viewing at www.lakewoodcity.org/2021WaterQualityReport

Water Conservation Tips are available online. Check out the website for more information: www.lakewoodcity.org/residents/water-service/resources

#### Service Address:

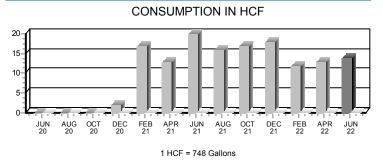
Service Period: 04/07/2022 - 06/09/2022

Meter Read Type	Meter Number	Previous Mete	r Read	Current Meter Read		Days	Water Consumed in HCF
AMR Read	36617096	04/07/2022	475	06/09/2022	489	63	14

#### Water Consumption Charges

Description Tier	Cost Per HCF	Use in Tier HCF	Current Charges
Water Consumption - Tier 1	\$0.00	1.00	\$0.00
Water Consumption - Tier 2	\$2.79	3.00	\$8.37
Water Consumption - Tier 3	\$3.14	9.00	\$28.26
Water Consumption - Tier 4	\$3.50	1.00	\$3.50
	Totals	14.00	\$40.13

#### **Compare Your Water Usage**



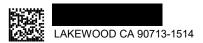


City of Lakewood PO Box 220 Lakewood, CA 90714-0220



Account Number	-002825819
Due Date	07/18/2022
Amount Due	\$110.59
Enter Amount Paid	\$ AUTOPAY

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Cust	tomer Number:	
Locati	on ID Number:	002825819
	Cycle:	06
	Bill Date:	06/15/2022
	Due Date:	07/18/2022
Account Summary		
Previous Balance:		\$106.98
Payments Received - THANK	YOU:	\$-106.98
Balance Forward:		\$0.00
Current Charges - Past Due At	fter 07/18/2022	\$110.59
TOTAL AMOUNT DUE:		\$110.59

Account Number:

-002825819

Current Meter Read		Days	Water Consumed in HCF
06/09/2022	489	63	14

#### **Current Charges**

Water Consumption	\$40.13
Service Charge 5/8" Meter	\$20.11
Total Water Charges	\$60.24
Trash Service	\$48.54
Utility User Tax	\$1.81
Total Current Charges	\$110.59

You do not need to mail in a payment. Your account is enrolled in Autopay via a credit card, debit card, checking, or savings account.

#### July/August 2022

# Briefs Lakewood Education Foundation

News from the City of Lakewood

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## How you can help local schools and students

Thanks to generous donations from Lakewood residents and businesses, the Lakewood Education Foundation (LEF) has been able to give grants for hundreds

of classroom improvement projects in Lakewood schools since beginning in 2003. This past year, 86 classroom projects in 16 Lakewood schools were funded for a total of \$40,385. This level of contributions came in amounts large and small and shows the importance that Lakewood residents and businesses place on our local schools...and the trust they place in LEF to select worthy projects.

LEF is a non-profit group run by Lakewood residents. An annual fireworks

stand, October golf tournament, and lots of individual donations raise the annual support funding. After very modest expenses, 100% of donations reach kids in Lakewood classrooms.

The most popular request by teachers last year for classroom grants, which average about \$500, was for books and technology to support distance learning during the pandemic. With schools returning to in-person learning, teacher requests may include some of the popular items from the recent past such

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as reading software and educational field trips to aquariums, museums and even the UCI Center for the Neurobiology of Learning and Memory.

You can help for this coming school year by making a dona-

tion. Any size is appreciated and put to good use. Donating is easy. Just make out a separate check to the Lakewood Education Foundation and enclose it with the completed form below.

See a video and learn more about LEF at www.lakewoodcity.org/LEFvideo.

Please make your donation with a separate check made payable Lakewood to the Lakewood Education Foundation and enclose it with this Education completed form in the small light blue envelope provided. Foundation Enclosed is my check made payable to LEF. Name: \_ Address: Home phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: The federal tax identification number is 26-2190892. Your donation is tax deductible. The Lakewood Education Foundation is a 501 (c) 3 non-profit organization. State ID #26-2190892.

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Are you using the right envelope? Use the large white envelope to pay your utility bill. That way, your payment will go directly to the city's payment processing center. To donate to LEF, please use the small light-blue envelope provided. If you would like to use your own envelope, you can mail your donation to: Lakewood Education Foundation, c/o Lakewood City Hall, 5050 Clark Avenue, Lakewood, CA 90712.

# Stay connected with Lakewood eMagazine

With the City of Lakewood's free eMagazine, *Lakewood Connect*, you'll get news about Lakewood events and services sent to your inbox about once a week. *Lakewood Connect* gives you the latest on:

■ Local rules and openings related to COVID-19

Holiday service changes to trash and

street sweeping

Fun and helpful Lakewood events
Over 40,000 Lakewood residents
have signed up for *Lakewood Connect* – one of the largest subscription rates of any city in our region.

Check out the latest edition and sign up at **www.lakewoodcity.org/subscribe**.

### Water conservation rules in Lakewood



Here are the new rules for customers of the Lakewood Water Resources Department, effective June 14, 2022:

1) Limit landscape irrigation to 3 times per week for no more than 10 minutes per station/area/zone from June to September. During the cooler months of October to May, limit landscape irrigation to 2 times per week for no more than 10 minutes per station/area/ zone.

- Water-wise sprinklers with high-efficiency standards, drip irrigation systems and hand watering with a shut-off nozzle may be used 3 times per week for 20 minutes per station/area/zone from June to September, and 2 times per week for 20 minutes from October to May.
- 2) Watering is limited to before 9 a.m. or after 5 p.m.

For additional rules, and for questions and tips on reducing water use, keeping trees healthy during the drought, and getting rebates for water-wise irrigation and landscaping, go to **www.lakewoodcity.org/WaterConservation** or call city staff at 562-866-9771, ext. 2140.

The new rules affect all residents and businesses served by the Lakewood Water Resources Department, which means customers west of the San Gabriel River.

Residents and businesses east of the San Gabriel River are served by the Golden State Water Company, which is implementing its own water conservation rules and notifying its customers. For details, go to **www.gswater.com/ central-basin-east** or call 800-999-4033.

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#### WATER QUALITY REPORT

Lakewood's 2021 Water Quality Report shows that the city's drinking water continues to met all federal and state quality standards. View it at **www.lakewoodcity.org/waterquality**. For a copy of the report or if you have questions, contact the Lakewood Dept. of Water Resources at 562-866-9771, extension 2700.

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### Vicki Stuckey honored as her council term ends

Jakewood



Lakewood City Council honors Vicki L. Stuckey at Lakewood Celebrates.

At a "Lakewood Celebrates" community reception on June 14, Council Member Vicki L. Stuckey was honored as she in 2022 because she lives in winds down her two years of a part of the city that will not

by-district council election system, Stuckey was ineligible to run for a full council term she had to leave the council in 2022 and could not potentially run for a seat until 2024.

A 30-year resident of Lakewood, Stuckey previously had served 19 years on Lakewood city commissions, including four years on the Community Safety Commission and 15 years on the Planning and Environment Commission. She served as chair of the latter commission four times.

"Vicki had just retired in 2019 after working 34 years for the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department, rising through the ranks from a deputy to ultimately serving as captain of the Altadena Sheriff's Station," said Mayor Steve Croft at Lakewood Celebrates. "So perhaps the stars were



**July 2022** 

# Water conservation rules in Lakewood



Water-wise sprinklers deliver water more efficiently.

Because Lakewood gets all its water from aquifers under the city that have not been impacted as much by the statewide drought, the city has been among the last in California to have significant conservation rules imposed by the state government.

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However, given the increasing severity of the drought, the state government recently mandated new rules that now require every community, including Lakewood, to reduce water use by at least 15% from the community's 2020 usage.

To help Lakewood meet

3 times per week for 20 minutes per station/area/zone from June to September, and 2 times per week for 20 minutes from October to May. Waterwise sprinklers emit water in narrow, finger-like streams at a much slower and more efficient rate (so they need more time) and with far less evaporation and waste than spray sprinklers.

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www.lakewoodchamber.com

Many of Lakewood's parkways and street medians are irrigated with recycled water, and will continue to be irrigated in the future. "Recycled water" is wastewater or stormwater that has been treated to a level that is safe to use for irrigation. In addition, the irrigation of trees can continue during the drought restrictions. Lakewood also operates a water truck that uses recycled water.

If a violation of the water rules is spotted, Lakewood will start with a friendly reminder about the rules. For a first formal violation, there will be a written warning from the city with no penalty. A second violation will bring a citation of \$100, with further citations bringing fines up to \$500 and the potential for flow restrictors being installed at the residence. To help residents reduce their water use, spot any leaks and save money, residents can sign up to use the free information available from their "smart water meters" which Lakewood installed four years ago. Access the information at <u>www.lakewoodcity.org/SmartWater</u>.

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#### Lakewood Water Quality Report

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You can view the report at <u>www.lakewood-</u> <u>city.org/2021Water</u> <u>QualityReport</u>.

If you want a printed copy or have any questions, contact the Lakewood Department of Water Resources at 562-866-9771, ext. 2700.

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75% of work done in-house

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#### Michael C. Aguirre

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City of Lakewood, California <lakewoodconnect@lakewoodcity.ccsend.com> on behalf of Lakewood Connect eMagazine Wednesday, June 22, 2022 8:15 AM

Michael C. Aguirre

Food, fun and live music! Civic Center Block Party returns Saturday, June 25



Family fun, a rockin' good time, and a big, professional fireworks show return to Clark Avenue and the Lakewood Civic Center on Saturday, June 25. Block Party fun includes:

Family Fun Zone: 4 to 9 p.m.

Located in the parking lot south of the Angelo M. Iacoboni Library, the Family Fun Zone will feature carnival games and amusements for kids and families.

#### Taste of Lakewood: 4 to 8 p.m.

Lakewood restaurants and specialty food purveyors will be offering great food at affordable prices. The Taste of Lakewood is sponsored by the Friends of the Lakewood Libraries and helps support the purchase of books and materials for the lacoboni and Nye libraries.You can buy multi-packs of tickets (10 for \$10) at Lakewood libraries (cash only) in advance. Single tickets (\$1.50 each) are also available at ticket booths at the Block Party.

#### Live entertainment: 5 to 9 p.m.

The MVP's, a well-known cover band, will rock Clark Avenue and the Civic Center starting at 5 p.m.! This high-energy entertainment group will give the audience a dynamic show covering many musical styles as well as patriotic music.

#### Fireworks show: 9:15 p.m.

See a really spectacular, safe and legal display of professional fireworks capping off a wonderful day and evening at the Block Party.

#### Taste of Lakewood menu, parking info and more Block Party details

#### Summer Concerts in the Park continues with Knyght Ryder

Lakewood's popular summer Concerts in the Park Series continues Thursday, June 23 with Knyght Ryder ('80s music) from 6:30 to 8 p.m. under the trees at Del Valle Park.

Each week features a different musical act, including country, rock, modern jazz, Motown/R&B and more...and new this year, a Beach Boys tribute band.

Explore each week's lineup of food vendors,

and dine with your friends and neighbors while listening to great sounds. Pack your picnic blanket and low-back chairs, but please remember that dogs, alcohol and BBQs are not allowed at Lakewood parks.

Get the full lineup of bands and food vendors



#### **Community Digest (VIDEO)**

Lakewood CityTV's longest-running program is the award-winning "Community Digest," a 30-minute monthly magazinestyle show highlighting key Lakewood events and issues, along with profiles of community members.

This edition includes seven short features, including a story about how Nathaniel Burch's quick action and CPR training helped save his father's life.

Watch the current edition of Community Digest

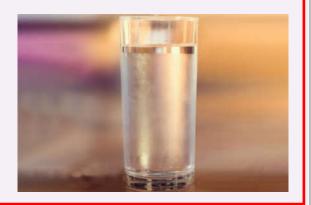


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View the water quality report



#### Lakewood City Council election update

With over 7,900 Lakewood ballots counted by the Los Angeles County Registrar of Voters as of 4 p.m. on Tuesday, June 21, preliminary results continue to show that Todd Rogers, Steve Croft and Cassandra Chase are ahead in the election for three seats in the city's first-ever by-district council election. More ballots remain to be counted.

Here is the vote count and percentage for each candidate in the three district elections:



**District 1:** 

- Todd Rogers: 77% (2,539 votes)
- Michelle Hamlin: 23% (738 votes)

#### District 2:

- Steve Croft: 47% (1,400 votes)
- Laura Sanchez-Ramirez: 31% (934 votes)
- Gregory Slaughter: 22% (656 votes)

#### District 5:

- Cassandra Chase: 53% (888 votes)
- Veronica Lucio: 47% (781 votes)

NOTE: This is a General Election, with no runoff, and the top vote-getter for each district will be declared the winner for that district.

As additional provisional and other ballots are counted, the County Registrar will post updates at <u>https://results.lavote.gov</u>. (Go to "Contest," "Jump To" and scroll down or search for "Lakewood.")

Updates are expected at least every Tuesday and Friday at 4 p.m. until the County finalizes the vote count, which is expected by July 1. The City of Lakewood will include an update of the results each week in this "Lakewood Connect" eMagazine.

Read more about the Lakewood city council election

#### **Neighborhood Watch Connect summer series continues**

Lakewood's Neighborhood Watch Connect summer series continues at parks throughout Lakewood on Wednesday evenings at 6 p.m. now through September.

Upcoming sessions are scheduled for:

- June 22 at Lakewood Youth Center
- July 13 at Palms Park
- July 27 at Biscailuz Park



Join your neighbors to hear from public safety personnel of the Lakewood Sheriff's Station and the City of Lakewood's Public Safety Department on the following topics:

- Lakewood's Public Safety Model
- Lakewood Sheriff Station's Special Assignment Team
- Homelessness in Lakewood (June 22, July 13 and July 27)
- Traffic enforcement in Lakewood (Aug. 10, Aug. 24, Sept. 7 and Sept. 21)
- Neighborhood Watch program

For more information, contact Lakewood's Public Safety Department at 562-866-9771, extension 2114 or email <u>crimeprevention@lakewoodcity.org</u>.

See all the dates and locations

#### Grants and loans available to low-income residents

Using special federal and other housing funds, the City of Lakewood administers a Fix-Up, Paint-Up program utilizing grant funds to paint the exterior of single-family homes as well as interest-free, deferredpayment loans of up to \$18,000 for lowincome residents to repair and rehabilitate their homes.

The summer is a great time to get started on those long-awaited home repairs.



To qualify, your home must be a single-family, owner-occupied dwelling in Lakewood. The family must meet the income limits set by the federal government, which are \$66,750 for a resident living alone, and \$95,300 for a household of four. (Income limits adjust based on household size.) Other restrictions apply.

Grant funds for approved Fix-Up, Paint-Up program projects never need to be paid back by homeowners. The interest-free, deferred payment loans only need to be paid back when the house is sold or refinanced or the title is transferred.

For information on the type of improvements covered by the program and how to qualify, call City Hall at 562-866-9771, ext. 2320.

#### **Travel trip to the Academy Museum of Motion Pictures**

Lakewood's upcoming travel trip is headed to the Academy Museum of Motion Pictures, the largest museum in the United States devoted to the arts, sciences, and artists of moviemaking, on Saturday, July 16.

Participants can also visit the Dolby Family Terrace, a stunning glass dome made from 1,500 glass panels that rise to a height of 40 feet and offer unobstructed views of West Hollywood, Beverly Hills, Westwood,



and the Hollywood Hills, as well as a clear sightline of the Hollywood Sign.

Enjoy lunch at Fanny's Café and Bar (on your own) or buy a memento from the Academy Museum Store. The cost is \$40 per person, which includes bus transportation. Please

arrive at Burns Community Center by 9 a.m. Bus leaves promptly at 9:30 a.m. An adult must accompany children of all ages. There are a just a few seats left!

Register now at <u>www.lakewoodcity.org/ecatalog</u> using activity #22831.

#### Family Nights at Mayfair Pool start Friday

Themed Family Swim Nights are offered at Mayfair Pool on Fridays from 6:30 to 8 p.m., June 24 through August 26, including:

#### June 24 - Family Day special

Enjoy a special day cooling off with the family.

#### July 1 - Dip 'N' Dance

Bring your friends and family out for a "Splish Splash Bash!" The pool staff will play an assortment of popular music for the whole family to enjoy.

#### July 8 - Itty Bitty Beach Party



For ages 6 months to 6 years. Little ones will enjoy plenty of water fun with games, prizes and more! Parents must accompany children.

Admission is \$3 per Lakewood resident, \$5 per non-resident. Must show valid adult ID and proof of Lakewood residency.

#### Check out the interactive catalog's Aquatics page for the full list

#### Bow Wow Meow pet care event July 22

Lakewood's pet-friendly summer tradition, Bow Wow and Meow Day, returns to Lakewood Civic Center on Friday, July 22 from 3 to 7 p.m.

The one-stop event offers \$10 rabies vaccinations as well as:

- Dog licensing on site.
- Individual vaccines and discounted vaccination packs for dogs and cats.
- Micro-chipping.
- Nail trimming.
- Physical exams.
- Prescription flea control products.

Dogs must be on leashes and cats in secure carriers to ensure safety while in the walk-up line on Civic Center Way near the northeast corner of Clark and Del Amo.



#### More details about the Bow Wow Meow event

#### Lakewood Transit Guide

Every summer, the City of Lakewood produces a Transit Guide to give residents updated information on bus, metro rail, bike and other options for commuting without driving.

The guide also includes information about Lakewood's <u>free DASH transit bus</u> for seniors and disabled residents.

In the Transit Guide, you'll also read about everything Metro and Long Beach Transit



are doing to continue to ensure the safety of passengers and operators as the postpandemic health guidelines evolve.

You can view this year's new Lakewood Transit Guide at the link below, or call city staff at 562-866-9771, ext. 2140.

Explore the Transit Guide

#### Service changes for the Independence Day holiday

City Hall will be closed on Monday, July 4 and.

- Trash service will continue as usual on the normal neighborhood pickup day.
- There will be no street sweeping (and no residential street sweeping parking enforcement) and no makeup sweep. Street sweeping will return to its regular schedule on Tuesday, July 5.



• There will be no DASH Transit service.

If you have questions, please call 562-866-9771, extension 2140.

Learn how to get service when City Hall is closed

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