

The City's reclaim water is highly treated wastewater suitable for irrigation. Reclaim water helps conserve the limited supply of groundwater (drinking water) in the Aquifer since reclaimed water is used in place of potable water for irrigation. Using reclaim water for irrigation also helps use wastewater from treatment plants in an environmentally safe way and reduces fertilizer use, as some nutrients like nitrogen and phosphorus remain in reclaim water.

Reclaim water CAN be used for:

Irrigation of lawns, landscapes and golf courses

Street-sweeping operations

Car and bus washing

Power generation

Decorative fountains

Fire protection

Dust control



Reclaimed water CANNOT be used for:

Body-contact recreation (including swimming pools & spas) Cooking or drinking (do not connect house pipes to purple pipes) Irrigating vegetable and herb gardens, unless a drip or bubbler system is used

Reclaim water does contain more nutrients than potable water, so it's important to reduce runoff from irrigation systems to prevent nutrient pollution in our surface waters. Be sure sprinklers are directed towards grass and landscaping and not on hard surfaces like patios, sidewalks, and driveways.

Irrigation rules still apply for all reclaim water users. Please refer to the City's Water Conservation webpage for more information – <u>click here</u>.

Additional Reclaim Water Information (links)

Florida Department of Environmental Protection - Reuse Facts
Florida Department of Environmental Protection - Educational Information

Reclaimed Water and Florida's Water Reuse Program

Reclaimed Water for Homeowner Irrigation

Using Reclaimed Water (SJRWMD)

Water Recycling and Reuse: The Environmental Benefits (EPA)

Water Conserv II

Pollution Prevention (links)

Algae (SJRWMD)

Fertilize Responsibly (Orange County)

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To view the list of Winter Garden communities and businesses that currently have reclaim services for irrigation, please see below.

| Residential Communities with Reclaim Irrigation Water Service |
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| Belle Meade |
| Black Lake Park |
| Bronson's Landing |
| Carriage Point |
| Chapin Station |
| Cobblestone |
| Courtlea Park |
| Covington Chase |
| Crown Point Springs |
| Deerfield Place |
| Emerald Ridge |
| Foxcrest |
| Fullers Crossing Phase II |
| Fullers Landing |
| Glynwood I and II |
| Grove Park at Stonecrest |
| Grovehurst |
| Lake Robert's Landing |
| Oakglen |
| Regency Oaks at Stonecrest |
| Stonecreek (Phase 4-Portcastle Circle) |
| Stoney Brook West (Brookhave, Foxglove, Spinnaker Cove, Masthead Landing) |
| Trails of Winter Garden |
| Westbrook |

| Commercial Properties with Reclaim Irrigation Water Service |
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| Apex Commerce Center, LLC |
| Apex Condo |
| Bright Horizons (Daniels) |
| Britt Business Plaza |
| Britt Center Property Owners Assn, Inc |
| Britt Center Property Owners Assn Inc (N Pond) |
| Britt Center Property Owners Assn Inc (S Pond) |
| City of Winter Garden FD |
| Crown Point Partners LLC |
| Eagle Partners |
| Encore Construction Company |
| Florida Power Corp |
| Foundation Academy |
| GPC Properties Inc |
| GRP Britt LLP |
| Hess Mart |
| Hill/Gray Seven LLC |
| Image Technical Services |
| KFC of America Inc |
| McCauley Peter E Tr |
| Robert Wallick |
| Winter Garden Village at Fowlers Groves |