

2011 Community Benefits

ANNUAL REPORT

At Riverside Public Utilities, we provide high quality, reliable utility services for you and so much more. Since 2000, we have offered Public Benefits Programs that give valuable rebates to customers, making their homes and businesses more energy and water efficient. We're proud to be your hometown utility company, owned by the community we serve, and happy to have helped you save energy and water by providing benefits like these over the past year.

Whole House Rebates •

This innovative program allows you to group together efficiency measures to receive increased rebates. Through this program nearly 500 homes were renovated since May 2010.

Solar •

In the past six months, the city has gained over 1 megawatt of solar power. Because of this program, there are nearly 260 systems in Riverside, producing over 3.5 megawatts of clean, solar energy with more on the way.

Tree Power •

More than 102,000 shade trees have been planted over the last 10 years through this program. These shade trees will help reduce cooling costs and save more than 16.2 million kilowatt hours of electricity.

Sprinkler Nozzles •

FreeSprinklerNozzles.com provided more than 91,000 low-water use sprinkler nozzles to RPU water customers that will save more than 644 million gallons of water over the next five years – enough water for nearly 4,000 homes.

Funding sources for rebate programs are provided by:

- Public Benefits programs are funded by state-mandated electric charges set aside for low-income assistance, renewable resources, energy conservation programs and energy research and development.
- Water programs are funded by the city's water reclamation surcharge.
- Whole House program was funded in part by the federal Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant program.

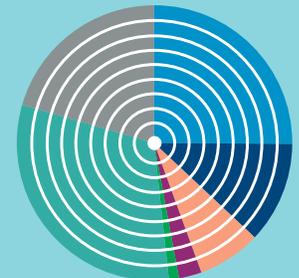


Residential Electric Rebate Distribution 2010-2011



Solar	\$1,528,672
Tree Power	\$ 375,320
Weatherization	\$1,475,871
SHARE	\$1,111,850
Energy Star®	\$ 638,725
Air Conditioning	\$ 256,596
Pool Timers	\$ 166,687
Pool Pump	\$ 20,525
Whole House	\$ 959,424

Residential Water Rebate Distribution 2010-2011



Clothes Washer	\$ 86,200
HET Toilets	\$ 40,826
Landscaping	\$ 25,018
Artificial Turf	\$ 9,149
WBIC	\$ 3,657
Sprinkler Nozzles	\$ 106,239
Whole House	\$ 71,057

Public Benefits Fund Distribution 2010-2011



Business Rebates	\$2,979,266
Residential Rebates	\$6,960,541