

# Consumer Confidence Report Certification Form

(To be submitted with a copy of the CCR)

Water System Name: California American Water – Arden

Water System Number: 3410045

The water system named above hereby certifies that its Consumer Confidence Report was distributed on April 8 – May 11, 2016 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: Victoria Kunda  
Signature: Victoria Kunda  
Title: Water Quality/Env Comp Mgr.  
Phone Number: (916) 568-4278 Date: August 8, 2016

*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: <http://www.amwater.com/caaw/water-quality-and-stewardship/water-quality-reports.html>
  - 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

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*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: <http://www.amwater.com/ccr/arden.pdf>
- 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.*

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[Customers receive a mailed notification with bills that provides a direct URL to the CCRs in April and May, the message will run as optional for the remainder of the year as space allows on the bill. Customers may also call our 24-hour customer service number to receive assistance with accessing the files or to request a hard copy be mailed or delivered.](#)

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[Attachment 1: CAW Press Release\\_CCR, June 30, 2016](#)

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[Attachment 2: Copy of customer bill showing water quality notification language](#)

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*This form is provided as a convenience and may be used to meet the certification requirement of section 64483(c), California Code of Regulations.*



PO Box 7150, Pasadena, CA 91109-7150

For Service To: [REDACTED]

Check this box for address changes and note new address on back.

00010152200076843880000000000011311014

|                        |               |
|------------------------|---------------|
| Account Number         | [REDACTED]    |
| Due Date               | May 2, 2016   |
| Total Due              | \$ [REDACTED] |
| If Paid After Due Date | \$ [REDACTED] |

Amount Enclosed \$ [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]  
SACRAMENTO, CA 95825-3203

CALIFORNIA AMERICAN WATER  
PO BOX 7150  
PASADENA, CA 91109-7150



Please tear along the dotted line and return this portion with your payment.

**BILLING PERIOD AND METER READINGS**

- Billing date: April 8, 2016
- Due Date: May 2, 2016
- Billing period: Apr 06 to May 04 (29 Days)
- Customer Type: Fire Service

**BILLING SUMMARY**

For Service To: [REDACTED]  
For Account: [REDACTED]

|            |            |
|------------|------------|
| [REDACTED] | [REDACTED] |

Fire Service

- Private Fire Service Charge 6"(04/06/2016-05/04/2016)
- Total Fire Service Related Charges

Taxes

- Commission Surcharge
- Total Taxes

**TOTAL CURRENT CHARGES** [REDACTED]

**TOTAL AMOUNT DUE** [REDACTED]

- Pay your bill online: [www.amwater.com/billpay](http://www.amwater.com/billpay)
- Pay by eCheck without a service fee: [www.amwater.com/myh2o](http://www.amwater.com/myh2o)
- Pay by phone: 24-hours a day, every day at 1-855-748-6066
- Pay in person: Obtain a list of locations at [www.amwater.com/myh2o](http://www.amwater.com/myh2o)

**Important messages from California American Water**

- **\*\*\*IMPORTANT WATER QUALITY MESSAGE:** Your annual Water Quality Report can be viewed electronically at [www.amwater.com/ccr/arden.pdf](http://www.amwater.com/ccr/arden.pdf). If you prefer a paper copy to be sent to you, please contact our Customer Service Center at 888-237-1333.
- Su informe anual de la calidad de agua puede consultarse electrónicamente en [www.amwater.com/ccr/arden.pdf](http://www.amwater.com/ccr/arden.pdf). Si prefiere una copia, por favor póngase en contacto al cliente con nuestro centro de servicio en 888-237-1333.
- California American Water's rates are regulated by the California Public Utilities Commission. Rates are adjusted on an annual basis. Other charges change more frequently as a result of completion of specific infrastructure improvements and changes in specific costs associated with your water service like electricity, employee healthcare, and purchased water costs from wholesale water districts.
- The California American Water water waste and leak reporting app is now available. Search "CA American Water" in the Apple or Android app store to find the free download.

# ADDRESS AND PHONE NUMBER CHANGE REQUEST FORM

Please let us know if we need to update your contact information in our records. NOTE: If you are moving or need to make a name change, please contact our customer service center at the phone number listed on the front of this bill. Updates to your contact information can also be made through our online web self-service tool, My H2O Online at [www.amwater.com/myh2o](http://www.amwater.com/myh2o).

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| Mailing Address 1   | <input type="text"/>                          |
| Mailing Address 2   | <input type="text"/>                          |
| City, State and Zip | <input type="text"/>                          |
| Telephone Number    | ( <input type="text"/> ) <input type="text"/> |

Sign up for our automatic payment program, and pay your bill on time, every time. No stamps required! To learn more, visit us online at [www.amwater.com/myh2o](http://www.amwater.com/myh2o).

- If you prefer, you may write to our Customer Service Center at: PO Box 578, Alton, IL 62002-0578.
- With all correspondence, please include your name, account number, service address, mailing address and telephone number with area code.
- The enclosed envelope is for payment only. Including correspondence in this envelope may delay processing of both your payment and your correspondence.

## IMPORTANT INFORMATION FROM CALIFORNIA AMERICAN WATER

- Should you question this bill, please request an explanation from the company within five (5) days of the receipt of this bill.
- This bill is due and payable upon date of presentation. It will become past due if not paid within twenty-one (21) days from the date of mailing.
- Should the amount of this bill be questioned, an explanation should be requested from the utility. If an explanation satisfactory to the customer is not made by the utility and the bill is still questioned, the customer may deposit with the California Public Utilities Commission, Consumer Affairs Branch, 505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 2250, San Francisco, California 94102, telephone numbers are 800-649-7570 or 415-703-4973 and (TDD) 800-229-6846, the amount of the bill to avoid discontinuance of service. Make remittance payable to "California Public Utilities Commission," and attach the bill and a statement setting forth the basis for the dispute of the amount of the bill. The Commission will review the basis of the billed amount and disburse the deposit in accordance with its findings.
- The Commission will not, however, accept deposits when the dispute appears to be over matters that do not directly relate to the accuracy of the bill. Such matters include the quality of utility's service, general level of rates, pending rate applications, and sources of fuel or power.

## MORE IMPORTANT MESSAGES FROM CALIFORNIA AMERICAN WATER

- We want to help you better understand your water bill - why you are paying the amount you are, and where the money is going. A large part of your water bill is invested directly into the water system to make sure it is reliably delivering quality water when you need it. To learn more, visit [www.californiaamwater.com/aboutyourbill](http://www.californiaamwater.com/aboutyourbill).

# PRESS RELEASE



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## **CONSUMER CONFIDENCE REPORTS SHOW EXCELLENT WATER QUALITY IN ALL SIX CALIFORNIA AMERICAN WATER DISTRICTS Water Utility Surpasses State and Federal Standards**

CORONADO, CALIF., June 30, 2016 – California American Water has published all 2015 Consumer Confidence Reports, which show we serve high quality water throughout the company’s six districts.

The annual reports compare California American Water’s water quality with standards established by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency and the California Department of Public Health. The report also discusses drinking water sources, public health information, substances detected in the water and the levels of those substances. Commonly asked questions and answers concerning drinking water are also included.

With the upcoming high water usage months around the corner, assisting water conservation has been the top priority of California American Water during the drought. In addition to working with its customers to lower their water usage, California American Water continues to serve high quality water to its approximately 615,000 statewide customers.

“Despite the challenges of the drought, we continue to provide our customers with top quality drinking water; we are now adding our efforts to help customers save water during this drought,” said Rob MacLean, President of California American Water. “We are proud to report that we serve our customers with high quality water that meets all state and federal standards.”

California American Water’s Consumer Confidence Reports, which are available to customers now, are searchable by zip code and accessible online at [www.californiaamwater.com](http://www.californiaamwater.com).

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California American Water, a subsidiary of American Water (NYSE: AWK), provides high-quality and reliable water and/or wastewater services to more than 615,000 people.

Founded in 1886, American Water is the largest publicly traded U.S. water and wastewater utility company. Marking its 130th anniversary this year, the company employs more than 6,700 dedicated professionals who provide regulated and market-based drinking water, wastewater and other related services to an estimated 15 million people in 47 states and Ontario, Canada. More information can be found at [www.amwater.com](http://www.amwater.com).

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