

# **Smart Meter Communications Update**

Administrative Committee Meeting February 5, 2020

# **Smart Meter Rollout Outreach Channels**

- February 2020 February 2022
  - Direct Mail
  - Door Hanger
  - Email
  - Website





# Before Install

- Message: Smart Meter Informational Piece
  - **Direct Mail Postcard**
  - Email



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If you have any questions about our smart meter program and what to expect, please Customer Service department at (949) 831-2500.



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# After Install

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  - Door hanger





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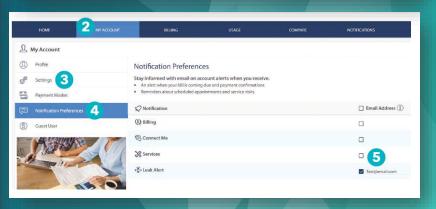


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# **Dedicated Webpage**



Your Water Meter is Getting a Technology Upgrade

#### **Bringing Smart Technology to Your Water Meters**

Our Board of Directors is excited to provide you with the latest tools and technologies to put the power in your hands and provide access to your water information at your convenience.

Through more than \$2 million in federal grants received by the U.S. Department of Interior Bureau of Reclamation, Moulton Niguel is upgrading our meter technology as part of our "Advanced Metering Infrastructure" (AMI) program to help customers save water and money.

- Completed successful pilot program, installing more than 9,000 smart meters on all our recycled water and irrigation customers, all our commercial and multi-family customers, and to 1,800 residential customers.
- Final phase of our smart meter program implementation will include the installation of





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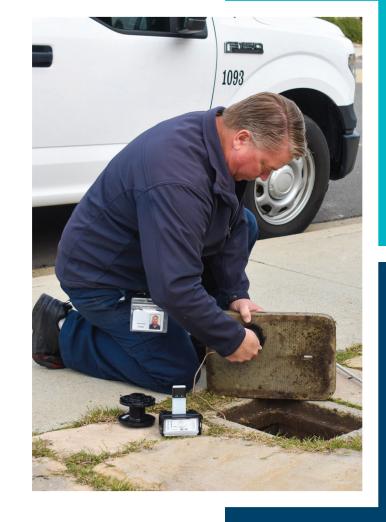
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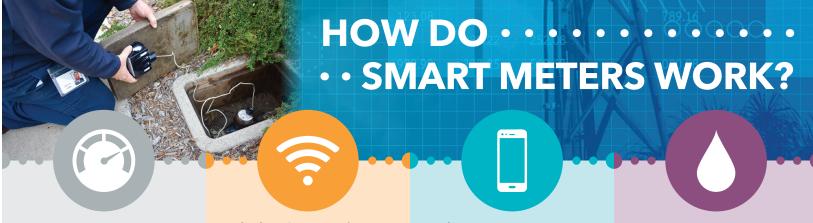
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A customer's smart meter measures and records their hourly water usage.

The hourly usage data is wirelessly sent to Moulton Niguel Water District.

The water consumption data is updated daily and made available to customers through our customer portal, MyWater MNWD.

Customers can monitor their household's water usage and set up leak alerts.

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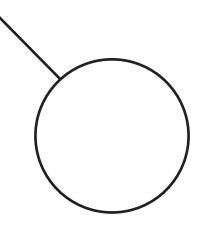


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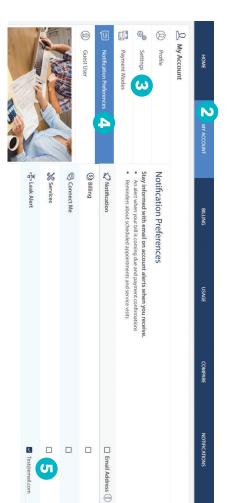
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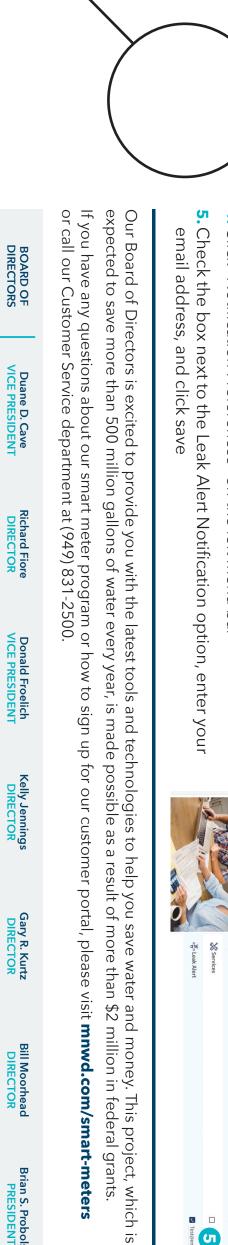


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# Community Outreach Report

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# Key Meetings & Activities

- Mission Viejo Chamber Community & Legislative Affairs Meeting
- Laguna Niguel Chamber Governmental & Community Relations Meeting
- Laguna Hills State of the City
- Southern California Water Coalition Program
- Niguel Botanical's "Celebrate the Preserve"
- Aliso Viejo Chamber Networking Event
- ➤ BIAOC 2020 Economic Forecast
- Laguna Niguel Chamber Annual Installation& Awards Ceremony









# **Upcoming Events & Activities**

- ► Aliso Viejo Chamber 2020 Board Installation
- MWDOC Water Policy Forum
- UCI Beall Applied Innovation Grand Opening
- Dana Point Chamber Installation Ceremony
- WateReuse Orange County Chapter Meeting
- Utility Management Conference AWWA/WEF
- South Orange County Senior Day
- WateReuse California Annual Conference
- > SVUSD STEAM Expo



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