



**FOUNTAIN HILLS  
SANITARY DISTRICT**  
*Recycles Every Drop*

1. **Auto Bank Draft:** Free automatic deduction from your bank account. Enroll: [www.az-fhds.gov/automatic-payment-form/](http://www.az-fhds.gov/automatic-payment-form/)

3. **Online Payment:** Pay at [www.az-fhds.gov/pay-my-bill/](http://www.az-fhds.gov/pay-my-bill/)-  
Credit/debit card 1.5% fee will apply. E-check: \$1.00 flat fee.

5. **Mail Payment:** Include top portion of bill. Payable to **Fountain Hills Sanitary District** or **FHSD**

2. **Pay by Phone:** Call 877-326-2261 anytime (24/7).  
Credit/debit card or e-check \*Processing fees apply

4. **Pay in Person:** Mon-Thurs 7AM-4PM, Fri 7AM-1PM,  
24-hour drop box available.

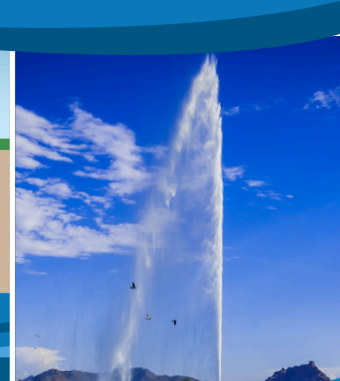
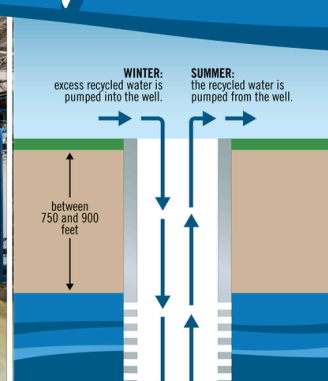
**Late Fees:** The District allows a **15-day grace period** after the due date before a **\$25.00 late fee** is applied. To avoid the late fee, please ensure your payment is received by the due date.

## DID YOU KNOW?

Fountain Hills Sanitary District is proud of its commitment to protecting water in the arid desert. The District has been successfully “*Recycling Every Drop*” since 1974.  
Imagine how much drinking water has been saved!

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## HOW DO WE DO IT?



**1 Acquire**  
Fountain Hills receives most of its drinking water from the Colorado River via the canals of the Central Arizona Project.  
Photo credit:  
Central Arizona Project

**2 Deliver & Use**  
Homes, businesses and schools use this water to drink, wash and create a thriving economy.

**3 Collect & Treat**  
Used water, along with waste, is safely collected through a network of 215 miles of buried sewers for the protection of public health. The collected used water is treated at a local treatment facility to remove trash, organic material, bacteria and viruses.

**4 Store**  
In the winter, when the supply of recycled water is greater than its demand, the excess water is stored underground by Aquifer Storage and Recovery (ASR) wells. The water is recovered in the summer, when irrigation demands far exceed the available supply of recycled water.

**5 Reuse**  
The recycled water is delivered to golf courses and town-owned parks for irrigation, and to fill Fountain Lake. Using recycled water for irrigation needs takes the demand off of limited drinking water supplies.

## FHSD RECYCLED WATER FACTS:

- On average, the treatment facility processes 2 million gallons of wastewater a day.
- The District provides reclaimed water for irrigation to three golf courses and three town parks. Combined, they may use 3 million gallons of water a day in the summer.
- The ASR wells can store up to 730 million gallons of recycled water.