

# City of Woodland

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## E-NEWSLETTER

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### March *eNewsletter*

This eNewsletter is part of the city's effort to keep residents informed of the latest issues and happenings. Each month city departments provide brief info items for your perusal. When you find an item of interest, click on the underlined link and you will be taken to a fuller discussion of that piece of news. If it motivates you to contact a city official or staff member, click on the appropriate name on the left. It's that simple. For further information about city events, go to the [Woodland home page](#).

### Water Conservation for Home and Garden on March 31

The City of Woodland and the Yolo Resource Conservation District (RCD) are hosting an informational workshop to assist residents in making "water-wise" choices around their homes, including how to save water in day-to-day tasks and through landscaping with native and drought-tolerant plantings. The workshop will be on March 31 from 5:00pm to 7:30pm at the Woodland Community and Senior Center. Click [here](#) for the workshop announcement and agenda. For additional information on water conservation, go to [this page](#).

## **Public Works - Did you know...? Woodland's water is safe to drink; so what are some other issues?**

[Click here](#) for information on water quality and water hardness.

## **February Water Use "Dashboard"**

[Click here](#) for the February water use update. Visit the City's [Water Conservation web page](#) for water use data from previous months and for:

- A description of the City's Water Conservation Initiative
- Indoor and outdoor water conservation tips
- Links to fun websites for kids and educators
- Information on water use and energy consumption
- Links to many additional sources of information on local and regional water use and conservation

The Water Conservation webpage has been recently updated with information on rain barrels, a reading list of books for all ages on water conservation/water quality topics and information on free water conservation kits available to Woodland residents. Visit the [Water Conservation web page](#) to learn more.

## **2010 Spring Green Events**

It's that time of year again! Come join the City of Woodland and learn how to compost, create water-wise gardens, save water indoors and outdoors, reuse-reduce-recycle, win free prizes and find out where to throw out that old refrigerator you've been hanging onto for free! [Click here](#) to see what's going on in Woodland!

## **Mystery Night at the Library**

[Click here](#) to read about the Friends of the Woodland Public Library fundraiser held on Saturday, March 6, 2010.

## **Woodland Literacy News**

To read about the recent accomplishments in the Inmate Literacy Program [follow this link](#).

### **Woodland Public Library Explores Opportunities and Challenges in Skilled Volunteer Engagement**

The "Get Involved: Powered by Your Library" is a California statewide initiative designed to expand the visibility and contributions of skilled volunteers through public libraries overseen by the California State Library. Click [this link](#) to read about the Woodland Public Library's involvement in this statewide initiative.

### **PARENTEEN - Active Listening and Pocket Change**

Want to find out how you can add a little jingle to your pockets? Click on [this link](#).

**March 2010, Ana Gonzalez, ed.**