

CASTLE ROCK WATER

# CASTLE ROCK WATER 2021 LANDSCAPE AND IRRIGATION CRITERIA MANUAL (LICM)

FEBRUARY 2, 2021



# LICM

## BACKGROUND

- Implemented in 2004
- Outlines landscape and irrigation requirements
  - Design, installation, and maintenance
- Outlines registration for Landscape Professionals
- Works in conjunction with Water Efficiency Master Plan and Water Use Management Plan
- Annually reviewed and updated



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# COLORADOSCAPE



A natural landscape, comprised of low to very-low water use plant material, which blends in with the native Castle Rock landscape. Plant material must be maintained in its natural, native form. This landscaping utilizes a combination of hardscape and landscape materials, providing a variety of colors, textures, sizes, shapes, and seasonal interest.

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## REGISTRATION FOR LANDSCAPE PROFESSIONALS

- Registration required when working on all non-residential projects
- Two-part process to become registered
  - Town specific training and test
  - Qualified Water Efficient Landscaper (QWEL) training and certification
- Contractor's accountable for implementing established criteria



Irrigation Audit



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## SUMMARY OF CHANGES

- Dual meter installations are being eliminated for 5,000 square feet and less. These installations now consolidated with combined meters from the building
- Landscape and irrigation inspections will not be performed between November 1<sup>st</sup> and March 1<sup>st</sup>
- Certificate of Occupancy (C/O) will not be issued until all permit requirements have been met. Applicant may post surety to receive C/O, prior to completion of permit requirements
- Master developer responsible for design and installation of utility and irrigation sleeving. Vertical developer responsible for design and installation of landscape and irrigation



ColoradoScape Design - Escavera

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## OUTREACH

- Partnered with several Town departments to update criteria
  - Castle Rock Water
  - Development Services
  - Parks
  - Golf
- Castle Rock Economic Development Council
- Developer's Round-table
- Posted to Town's Website at: [CRgov.com](http://CRgov.com)



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## RECOMMENDATIONS

- Castle Rock Water Commission
- Staff
- **QUESTIONS?**



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# THANK YOU

I MOVE TO APPROVE ORDINANCE NO. 2021-003  
APPROVING THE 2021 LANDSCAPE AND IRRIGATION  
CRITERIA MANUAL ON FIRST READING