

## Board Member Areas

Division #1 (Cranford-Barnwell)

**Don Johnson**

Division #2 (Barnwell East – Taber)

**Bruce Francis**

Division #3 (Taber East – Fincastle)

**Paul Turcato**

Division #4 (Taber Big Bend)

**Kyle Gouw (Vice Chair)**

Division #5 (East Horsefly & North Fincastle)

**Mike Wind (Chair)**

## WATER SITUATION & STARTUP DATE

The mountain snowpack is well above normal and the combined Alberta Environment and Parks headworks and SMRID storage is near normal. TID set our annual allocation initially at **16” at the farm gate**. See our website for updates. We will also send updates through our TID Notification System. If you would like text and/or email notifications, please sign up with the office (403-223-2148). You can also email your request with your contact information to [tid@taberirrigationdistrict.ca](mailto:tid@taberirrigationdistrict.ca).

New policy explanations for **Startup** (enhanced planning/green light for first water order requests), and **Ditchrider Hours** for receiving water order requests (M-F 7:30 am - 7:30 pm, Sat. 7:30 am - 11:00 am) are posted on our website.

Ice in Alberta Environment headworks and SMRID reservoirs and canals is delaying the start of water delivery. Startup for water order requests in TID is planned for the week of **May 11<sup>th</sup> – 15<sup>th</sup>**.

## 2020 RATES

*The TID board is looking down the road at the real possibility of reduced government funds for rehabilitation and has adopted a proactive approach to our budget. Rates will follow the 2014 plan with the \$1/ac/yr increases starting in 2020 that conservatively tracks the increased costs to sustainably run the district. The 2020 budget draws \$900,000 from our capital reserve. Steady rate increases will help protect against depleting this fund.*

Agreement	2019	2020
Irrigation Acres	\$20/ac; \$600 min.	\$21/ac; \$630 min.
Terminable Agreement (irrigation)	\$60/ac; \$600 min.	\$63/ac; \$630 min.
Annual Agreement (irrigation)	\$60/ac	\$63/ac
Household Purposes (< 1 ac parcel)	\$235	\$245
Rural Water Use (≥ 1 ac parcel)	\$470	\$490
Water Conveyance (agr, mun, ind)	\$60/ac-ft; \$600 min.	\$63/ac-ft; \$630 min.
Truck Load	\$1.32/m <sup>3</sup> ; \$600 min.	\$1.39/m <sup>3</sup> ; \$630 min.
Well Site	\$3,000	\$3,150
Water to Oil & Gas	\$300/ac-ft; \$600 min.	\$315/ac-ft; \$630 min.
Irrigation Acres – Capital Assets Charge	\$1,800/ac	\$1,800/ac
Water Conveyance Agreement Allocation (TID License)	\$1,140/ac-ft	\$1,200/ac-ft

### Need to cancel a Household or Rural Agreement?

Please contact the office before water starts to avoid receiving a 2020 invoice

**TID Vision:** *Our vision is a progressive and cohesive team, supporting the diverse needs of our water users through a heritage of efficient operations, a drive for continuous improvement, and a spirit of collaboration toward responsible water management within Specialty Crop Country*