



SPRING *Into* SUSTAINABILITY



Explore the realm of sustainable living and responsible resource management, where OUC takes center stage in empowering communities through innovative programs.

- **Usage Dashboard:** Use this tool in your myOUC online profile to monitor your hourly and daily energy usage. Access at [OUC.com/Usage](https://www.oucreliableone.com/Usage).



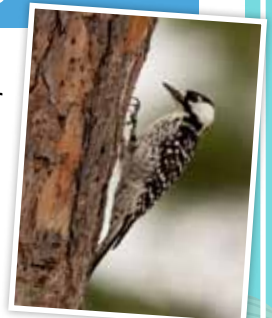
- **Efficiency Rebates:** Familiarize yourself with current rebate options for any home efficiency upgrades. OUC can help you identify options that will save you money. Learn more at [OUC.com/Rebates](https://www.oucreliableone.com/Rebates).

- **Water Conservation:** Understand the importance of watering restrictions, learn about strategic landscaping and make our simple household tips a matter of habit. Visit [OUC.com/Conservation](https://www.oucreliableone.com/Conservation).
- **EV Charging Stations:** OUC powered Orlando to be EV-ready with public and private charging stations. Consider an electric vehicle for a greener, cleaner commute. Discover more at [OUC.com/Recharge](https://www.oucreliableone.com/Recharge).
- **Home Energy & Water Audits:** Schedule a FREE home energy and water audit with OUC and let us help you identify cost-saving changes around your home. Schedule your audit at [OUC.com/Conservation](https://www.oucreliableone.com/Conservation).

PRESERVING HABITATS FOR ENDANGERED SPECIES

At OUC, we proudly serve a diverse ecological region in Central Florida, striving to protect and enhance the environment. Our environmental team recently initiated prescribed burns covering 1,200 acres at Stanton Energy Center in east Orange County. Burns started in January and will end in June

2024. They mitigate wildfire risk and safeguard habitats for over 40 species, including the endangered Red-cockaded Woodpecker. Committed to wildlife protection, we collect data contributing to Florida's natural heritage knowledge.



Discover more about our 3,200-acre nature preserve at SEC on [OUC.com/Stanton](https://www.oucreliableone.com/Stanton).

TAKE CONTROL OF YOUR WATER BILL— There's a Rebate For That

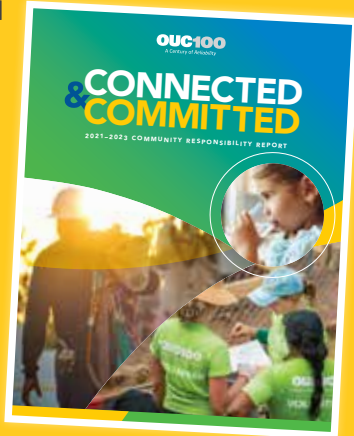


With summer around the corner, it's time to prepare your irrigation system with WaterSense Irrigation Controllers. Acting like a thermostat for sprinkler systems, these controllers notify your system when to turn on and off, and use local weather and landscape conditions to tailor watering schedules to actual conditions. Take advantage of a rebate and receive up to **\$200**. Learn more at [OUC.com/Rebates](https://www.ouc.com/Rebates).

OUC'S COMMUNITY RESPONSIBILITY REPORT

As part of OUC's core value to *Do The Right Thing*, we work hard every day to act in the best interest of our community.

Learn more about our actions by reading OUC's Connected & Committed Responsibility Report at [OUC.com/CRR](https://www.ouc.com/CRR).



SAFETY TIPS FOR WORKING OUTSIDE



It's a great time of year to enjoy our beautiful weather by cleaning up the outside of your home. However, electricity can transfer to equipment that's too close to a power line, even if it's not touching.

LOOK ABOVE – Make sure the area above is clear of power lines, and keep cranes, ladders, pruners and other equipment at least 10 feet away. If you think power lines may interfere with your project, call OUC at **407-423-9018** well in advance before starting your project. We can help determine the safest way to complete your project.

CALL BEFORE YOU DIG – Before digging on your property, Florida law requires you to contact Sunshine State One-Call at **800-432-4770** or **8-1-1** to find out where underground pipes and electric lines are located. Please call at least two business days before starting, whether it involves heavy equipment or even simple landscaping.



For more safety tips, visit [OUC.com/Safety](https://www.ouc.com/Safety).

2022 WATER QUALITY REPORT

Learn more about H₂OUC via the 2022 OUC Water Quality Report at [OUC.com/wqr2022](https://www.ouc.com/wqr2022).
En español [espanol.ouc.com/wqr2022](https://www.espanol.ouc.com/wqr2022).

SAVE WATER DURING FIX-A-LEAK WEEK

Join OUC and the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's WaterSense program to spread the word about water conservation. Also, **FIX-A-LEAK WEEK**, which runs **March 14-20**, is a great time to tackle leaks in your home. Even the smallest leak can waste gallons of water and raise your bill. A leaky faucet at the rate of one drip per second can waste more than 3,000 gallons of water per year. That's a lot of H₂O down the drain!



Discover water conservation and tips on repairing leaks at [OUC.com/WaterConservation](https://www.ouc.com/WaterConservation).

Para ver toda nuestra información en español, por favor visite [espanol.ouc.com](https://www.espanol.ouc.com).



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