

Camano Cooperative Water & Power Company

SUMMER 2026



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MONTHLY BOARD MEETINGS:

July 16, 2026

August 20, 2026

September 17, 2026

LEAKS REPAIRED:

Camano Chapel



Welcome

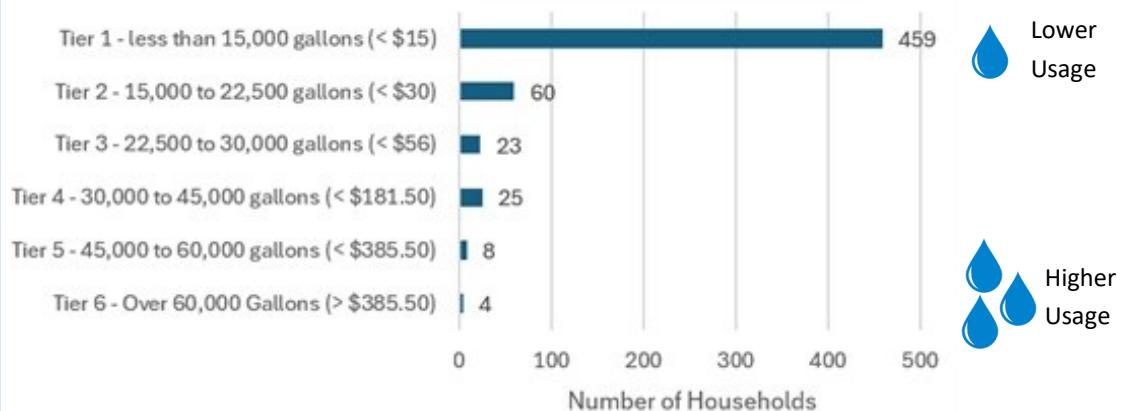
TO THE TEAM!

Kelly Costinett is our new office administrative assistant. She enjoys sitting on her deck with her husband, Dan and their dog, Pepper, watching the sunsets. She says the only drawback to this job is the commute through the trees when she has to stop to allow for deer crossings.



Bob Keenan is our newest board member. Bob retired in 2025 after working 32 years for the City of Seattle. Bob worked for both Seattle Water Department (SPU) and Seattle City Light (SCL) during his career as an Electrical Engineer. He managed the SPU Supervisor Control and Data Acquisition (SCADA) work unit. Bob and his wife Linda moved to Camano from Mill Creek last August and are falling in love with the Camano life style, people, and amazing sunsets. Bob attended last November's annual meeting and was very impressed with the work being performed by the Board and Office staff to maintain a high-quality run water district. He was particularly impressed with the electronic metering system that discovered the water leak that accounted for 30% of the system's production. Bob is honored to fill in for Paul Weisse and help out as needed.

Shareholder Water Usage April - June 2026



NOTE: Water used within the first tier is the least expensive. If a customer's water use exceeds the limit of the first tier, subsequent water use is charged at a higher, second tier rate. This continues on up to the sixth tier.

In Loving Memory of Lee Caskey



It is with deep sadness that we announce the passing of Lee Caskey on May 4, 2026, at the age of 82.

Lee served the CCWP office for more than 17 years, providing accounting and administrative support with dedication and passion. Her commitment and institutional knowledge were invaluable to the Cooperative, and she will be remembered for the lasting contributions she made to our organization and community.

Our thoughts and deepest sympathies are with Lee's family and friends. She will be greatly missed by all.

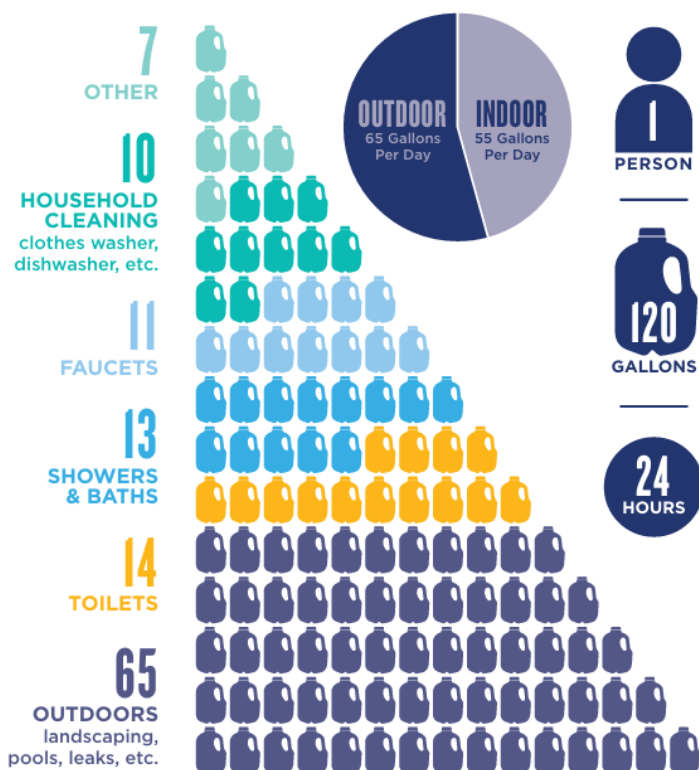
Surplus Loan Funds

The Cooperative has four low-interest loans from the state. Shareholders contribute money every quarter through a charge on their bill called, "State Loan Repayment". The amount charged was originally based on the number of shareholders at the time it was calculated. Since the number of shareholders has grown over the years, the Cooperative has collected slightly more money than needed for its scheduled annual loan payments. As a result, there is now a small surplus in the loan repayment account. The Board has decided to use this surplus to



make an extra payment toward the loan with the highest interest rate. Paying down that loan's principal sooner will reduce the amount of interest the cooperative pays over time, resulting in long-term savings. In the interest of transparency, we wanted to let you know how these surplus funds are being used and why the Board believes this is the most beneficial option for the Cooperative. If you have any questions regarding this decision or would like additional information, please feel free to contact the office.

AVERAGE DAILY WATER USAGE



How does your water use stack up?

Excellent: 30-80 gallons per person/day

Good: 81-150 gallons per person/day

Fair: 151-249 gallons per person/day

You Need Help! 250 or above

$$\frac{\text{GALLONS USED THIS MONTH}}{\text{NUMBER OF PEOPLE}} \div \frac{\text{DAYS IN THE MONTH}}{\text{GALLONS PER PERSON PER DAY (GPD)}} =$$

Adapted from the Water Research Foundation's Residential End Uses of Water, Version 2 Executive Report (2016)

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