



Model Water Efficient Landscape Ordinance (MWELO) Compliance Pathway Flowchart

Does the project include landscaping that is at least?

- 500 sq.ft. new construction*
- 2,500 sq.ft. rehabilitated landscape**

YES

NO

Is the Project Exempt?

- Registered local, state or federal historical site;
- Ecological restoration or a mined landed reclamation project that does not require a permanent irrigation system;
- Existing plant collection as part of botanical gardens and arboretums open to the public

YES

MWELO Does Not Apply

NO

MWELO Applies

YES

YES

If project is new construction or rehabilitation of existing landscape between **500 and 2,500 sq.ft.** landscape area***

If project is new construction or rehabilitation of existing landscape **over 2,500 sq.ft.** landscape area***

YES

YES

Follow and submit **Prescriptive Pathway Documents**

Follow and submit **Performance Pathway Documents**

*New Construction:

New building with a landscape or new landscape where did not exist before

** Rehabilitated Area:

Existing landscape area with or without irrigation that is renovated/remodeled and does not require the non-renovated areas to be up graded and comply

***Landscape Area:

Planting areas, turf areas, water features (pools, spas, ponds, waterfalls, fountains, lakes, artificial streams)

Town of Danville's web link for additional information:

<https://www.danville.ca.gov/997/Model-Water-Efficient-Landscape-Ordinanc>