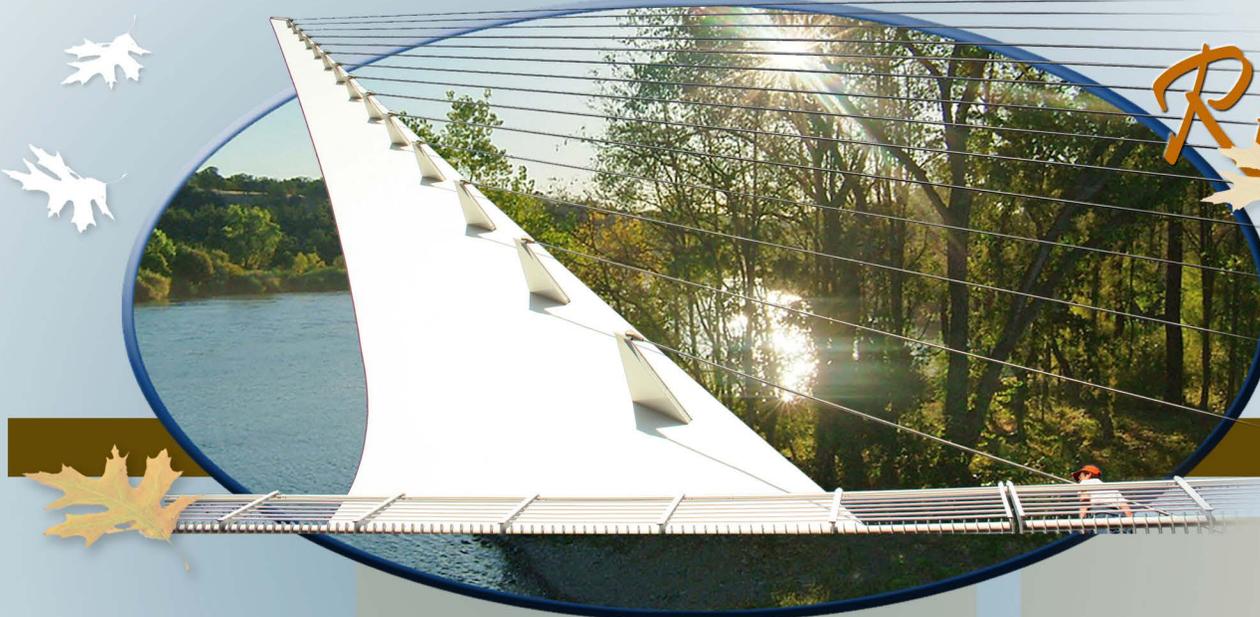


Redding Connects

Your Connection to City Services



September 2018



REU

Redding Electric Utility

POWERING A STRONG COMMUNITY

Call (530) 339-7200 if the Carr Fire Affected You!

"Our community has gone through a terrible tragedy. We are in the early stages of recovering from the Carr Fire, the worst disaster we have ever experienced," said REU Director Dan Beans.

"To support the Redding community during this difficult time, we have modified our customer-assistance programs," he continued. "If the Carr Fire took your home, took your job, or affected you in other ways, we anticipate you may be having trouble paying your utility bill for electricity, water, sewer, and solid-waste services.

City of Redding Customer Service already has made alternative payment arrangements for several hundred customers relating to the Carr fire. If you were directly affected by the Carr Fire and need to make special arrangements for paying your utility bill, please call (530) 339-7200 to speak with a customer service representative.

For customers who lost their home to the Carr Fire, Customer Service will forgive any balance for electric, water, sewer, and solid-waste service.

For income-qualified customers who did not lose their home but who did suffer fire-related financial hardship, like a reduction in hours at your job, fire damage to your home, or extra costs from sheltering others, you are eligible for a one-time credit on your electric bill of up to \$300 from a program we call CARES (Community Assistance for Redding Electric Service).

Income-qualified customers normally would only be eligible for a CARES emergency assistance credit once every 12 months. But because the Carr Fire has caused so much damage in our community, we are waiving that 12-month requirement.

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Community Connects Returns at the Redding Library



Get connected with your community!

Every first Friday of the month from 12-1pm at the Redding Library

www.shastalibraries.org/CommunityConnects



A partnership of Shasta Community Health Center and Shasta Public Libraries



Every first Friday of the month at Noon, Shasta Public Libraries and Shasta Community Health Center partner to host local organizations and presenters to connect you with the "how to" and "who" on a certain topic or community resource.

This season's topics cover free educational resources from the library, how to start a walking program and stay healthy, resources for veterans, and practical advice on self-defense and on how to start a neighborhood watch program.

For more information and to register call (530) 229-5115 or go to www.shastalibraries.org/communityconnects.

Attend all the dates in the series and be entered into a drawing for a grand prize.

Promotional support provided by Mix 101.1.

Carr Fire

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Customers who were evacuated from their homes, but who didn't lose their homes, can have any overdue utility balance spread out over 12 months.

Even if the Carr Fire didn't affect you directly, we understand some customers have trouble paying their bill during the summer, when heavy air conditioning use drives up electric bills.

Beans emphasized, "We urge you to contact us. Our customer service representatives make thousands of payment arrangements for customers each year. We'd be happy to work with you on a customized payment plan."

Together, we are #StrongerthanCarr.



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EXPERIENCE FLY FISHING EXPO 2018

September 8 from 9:30 am-3:30 pm
FREE!



FREE HOT DOGS,
CHIPS & SOFT DRINKS
11AM TO 1:30PM

FLY CASING DEMO &
"HANDS" ON CLASSES



FREE CITY WIDE FLY FISHING EVENT!

at the
Shasta Trinity Fly Fishers Clubhouse
in Clover Creek Park Preserve