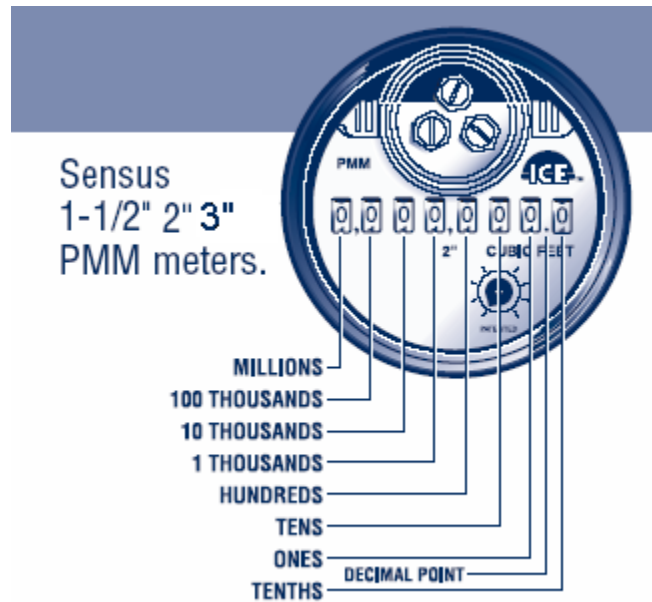


READING YOUR 1.5", 2", and 3" AMR WATER METER

Your water meter records the amount of water used just as an odometer records the number of miles driven. The meter is never reset. When Valley Center Municipal Water District reads your meter, the 1st 3 digits from right to left are ignored and are not used in the computation of your bill. For example a meter dial reading of 4,651.0 would be recorded in the computer as 46 hcf (hundred cubic feet) and would show on your bill as 46. The difference between your last read and the current read is your consumption for the period. (See example below).



CHECKING FOR POSSIBLE LEAKS

To test for a possible leak in your system, make sure all faucets, hoses, and sprinklers are turned off. All the AMR meters have a tattle tell device on them. On the face of the meter just below the numbers is a red dial. If the dial is moving, water is running somewhere in the system. (See example below).



FINDING YOUR METER NUMBER

The meter number can be found on the meter body in any or all of the following places. A lid attached to the body, the body on the outlet side of the meter on top, on top of a plastic removable lid protector, and/or the inside of the meter box.



CALCULATING GPM

Make sure all faucets, hoses, and sprinklers are turned off. Record the read using all of the numbers on the dial. Run water for 1 (one) minute, recording the read again. Subtract the original read from the final read and multiply that number by 7.48. This will give you your GPM. It is important to record all numbers using the decimal point on register in its place, i.e. starting read is 4,651.0, read after 1 minute is 4,681.0 ($4681.0 - 4651.0 = 30.0 \times 7.48 = 224 \text{ GPM}$).