

KLAMATH IRRIGATION DISTRICT

Gate Policy & Procedure

The Handbook for Water Users and the KID Water Management and Delivery rules and regulations both state that KID employees must have free and unobstructed passage to the KID system.

Fence gates that are not in proper working order create a hindrance to access and a safety hazard to District staff.

When it is determined by the District that a fence gate is not in proper working order, the District will notify the land owner by mail and will include a picture of the gate in question, a description of the problem and a map showing the location of the gate.

The land owner will have 60 days to repair or replace the gate to meet the standard of the District.

- Gates must be a minimum of 12 feet wide in order to accommodate District vehicles and equipment.
- Acceptable gate materials include aluminum, steel and wood.
- Gates must swing freely and not drag across the ground.
- Gates must have operable closures. (bailing twine is not acceptable)

If the gate is not repaired or replaced within 60 days of the notice, a work order will be issued and the District will make necessary repairs or replace the gate if reasonable repairs cannot be made.

The District will mail an invoice to the customer for the labor and supplies required for repair or replacement of the gate.

The customer will be mailed an itemized invoice and payment will be due 30 days from the date of billing. All past due accounts are subject to 1-1/3% per month or fraction of a month until paid. Unpaid charges are subject to statutory remedies of the District.