



# SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA WATER COMPANY

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## Water Use Efficiency Department

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John Schommer, General Manager  
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### Water Broom

Drear Mr. Schommer:

We have had your Water Broom, M/N 36 for several months and have used it in a variety of applications. The bottom line is, it's a water stingy workhorse!

The most challenging use was on a driveway following a hard rain, which brought down a layer of leaves that were somewhat stuck to the concrete surface. Your broom lived up to your representation of it. It was not necessary to back up or walk at a "snails pace" in order to have it work.

Of course, we don't want anyone washing down his or her driveway or walkway, but the fact is, that lacking a drought situation, such activity is going to happen. The best we can really hope for is that it will be done with a water-conserving product like yours. It appears your broom uses around 3 gallons per minute as apposed to other applications, such as a hose, which can use 15 or more gallons per minute.

We are most encouraged to see products like yours now available and will be spreading the word to our CII customers (we may even consider it as an incentive to them) as we move forward with these conservation programs.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Kirk Brewer".

Kirk Brewer  
Water Use Efficiency Manager  
KBLTR01102 WATER BROOM - J.V. MANUFACTURING

Cc; Joseph F. Young, VP of Customer Service, Region II, SCWC