



Water Resources Optimization Plan-Drought Contingency & Critical Period Management

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STAGE II WATER RESTRICTIONS ARE NOW IN EFFECT

1. **Landscape watering** with an irrigation system, sprinkler or soaker hose is allowed **only once a week per the following schedule:**

<u>If your garbage pickup is:</u>	<u>You may begin watering at:</u>	<u>You must stop watering by:</u>
Monday	Sunday, 8:00 PM	Monday, 10:00 AM
Tuesday	Monday, 8:00 PM	Tuesday, 10:00 AM
Thursday	Wednesday, 8:00 PM	Thursday, 10:00 AM
Friday	Thursday, 8:00 PM	Friday, 10:00 AM

Commercial accounts must designate one day per week for watering with the City of Uvalde Code Enforcement office.

2. **Watering with drip irrigation or 5-gallon bucket** is permitted any day, but only between 8:00 pm and 10:00 am.
3. **Watering with a hand-held hose** is allowed any time on any day.
4. **Hotels, motels and other lodging** must offer and clearly notify guests of a "linen/towel change on request only" program

Stage I Restrictions are still in effect:

1. **Water waste is prohibited at all times.** Water waste includes allowing water to run off into a gutter, ditch, or drain; or failing to repair a controllable leak.
2. **You should reduce water consumption** by any means available.
3. **All non-public swimming pools** must have a minimum of 25 percent of the surface area covered with evaporation screens when not in use. Inflatable pool toys or floating decorations may be used.
4. **Washing impervious cover** such as parking lots, driveways, streets or sidewalks is prohibited. Health and safety exceptions to this rule may be requested from the City of Uvalde Code Enforcement office in writing.
5. **Residential washing of vehicles** or other equipment is allowed only on assigned watering day during designated watering times. A hose with an automatic shut-off nozzle or bucket of five gallons or less may be used. Water should not be allowed to run into the street.
6. **The use of commercial car wash facilities** is allowed any day.

7. **Operators of golf courses, athletic fields and parks** must submit a conservation plan to the City of Uvalde. Athletic fields and parks may not irrigate between the hours of 10 a.m. and 8 p.m.

8. **Landscape areas on golf courses** not directly "in play" are required to follow one-day-per-week watering based on address unless otherwise instructed by the City of Uvalde.

9. **Use of fountains, waterfalls**, or other aesthetic water features — outdoors or indoors — is prohibited, unless a variance has been granted for 100 percent non-potable water use.