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Mandatory Stage I Water Conservation

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Re: **Reminder of Mandatory Stage I Rationing with Restrictions to ONCE a Week Outside Watering is in Effect until Further Notice:**

Effective since July 20, 2018:

Parker County Special Utility District implemented Stage I of the District's Drought Contingency Plan due to the District's water consumption and capacity exceeding 85% of the daily maximum supply. The District's goal is to reach a 20% reduction in total use. It is very crucial that these guidelines be followed to keep from going into Stage II; where all irrigation and outside watering is prohibited.

The water conservation measures to be implemented are as follows:

- Initiate **mandatory** conservation measures, where possible.
- All "**non-essential water use**" shall be **PROHIBITED** between the hours of **10 a.m. and 6 p.m.**

"**Non-essential water use**" is **defined** as washing windows, siding, eaves and roofs of buildings; washing driveways, streets, curbs and gutters; vehicle washing; unattended irrigation or sprinkler lawn watering of landscaping, shrubs and grass; draining and filling swimming pools; and flushing water systems.

Handheld hose watering of landscaping, shrubs and grass is permissible subject to the "**time-of-day**" restrictions established herein.

- Unattended irrigation or sprinkler lawn watering is permitted only **ONCE** a week on your **designated day** and is **NOT** allowed between the hours of **10 a.m. and 6 p.m.** according to the last digit of your street address.

0 and 1: Monday
6 and 7: Thursday

2 and 3: Tuesday
8 and 9: Friday

4 and 5: Wednesday

No outside watering on Saturday or Sunday OR between the hours of 10 a.m. and 6 p.m.

Stage I Outside Residential Water Use **Enforcement Policy:**

1st Violation - The member will be notified by a written notice of their specific violation. Excessive water users could face a rate increase.

2nd Violation - Installation of a flow restricting device in the customer's service line to limit the amount of water through the meter in a 24-hour period.

Subsequent Violations - The District may terminate service for up to 7 days and charge for the service call to restore service.

Visit our website at parkercountywater.com for information on conserving water.

Your cooperation in this effort is greatly appreciated!