



DECLARATION FOR WATER SUPPLY CONSERVATION

Whereas The Board of Water Commissioners has determined that a shortage of water exists and conservation measures are necessary to ensure an adequate supply of water to all water consumers, and

Whereas The conditions set forth in the Water Management Act Permit #9P-3-14-288.01 require seasonal limits on nonessential outdoor water use, and

Whereas The Board of Water Commissioners is empowered under M.G.L. c. 41, sec. 69B to take action to ensure an adequate supply of water to all water consumers, therefore be it resolved:

1. Pursuant to the Rules and Regulations, General Regulations # 20 and # 21 of the Sudbury Water District declare the following water conservation measures are hereby implemented:

Level 1. Nonessential outdoor watering is restricted to before 9:00 AM and after 5:00 PM.

Level 2. Based upon the street address nonessential outdoor watering is restricted to three (3) days per week, before 9:00 AM and after 5:00 PM:

- Even numbered addresses (no's ending in 0, 2, 4, 6 or 8) may engage in nonessential outdoor water use on even numbered calendar days from Tuesday through Sunday.
- Odd numbered addresses (no's ending in 1, 3, 5, 7 or 9) may engage in nonessential outdoor water use on odd numbered calendar days from Tuesday through Sunday.
- Nonessential outdoor use of water is prohibited on Mondays.

Level 3. Nonessential outdoor watering prohibited.

Nonessential outdoor water uses that are subject to mandatory restrictions include:

- Irrigation of lawns via sprinklers or automatic irrigation systems;
- Washing of vehicles, except in a commercial car wash or as necessary for operator safety; and
- Washing of exterior building surfaces, parking lots, driveways or sidewalks, except as necessary to apply surface treatments such as paint, preservatives, stucco, pavement or cement.

The following uses are allowed any day before 9:00 AM and after 5:00 PM:

- Irrigation to establish a new lawn and new plantings during the months of May and September;
- Irrigation of public parks and recreational fields by means of automatic sprinklers outside the hours; and
- Watering of lawns, gardens, flowers and ornamental plants by means of a hand-held hose.

2. The Board of Water Commissioners calls upon all water users to conserve water whenever possible and to observe the above listed water restriction. These restrictions apply to the public water supply. The Board also encourages those on private wells to follow these restrictions.
3. Enforcement shall be pursuant to the provisions of General Regulation # 24 of the Sudbury Water District.
4. These restrictions are effective July 1, 2020, and will end on September 30, 2020.