



Dealing With Drought

Citywide water reduction goal

28%*



Water Conservation Measures

California continues to endure one of the most severe droughts in its history. With the state's water supplies at record-low levels, the Governor's Office and water officials took further steps to put additional, mandatory water conservation regulations in place. The City of Newport Beach (City) is the local enforcer of the State's regulations. Local restrictions have been implemented to reduce our community's water use. On the reverse, you will find mandatory restrictions and tips to reduce water usage inside your home.

*Newport Beach must reduce its water use 28 percent each month and reach a 28 percent cumulative reduction goal by February 2016. To achieve this goal, customers must reduce water use 25 percent during the same period. The City is taking actions to save the remaining three percent.



Mandatory Water Use Restrictions

- **Reduce your water use 25 percent.** Each water user is required to reduce their usage by 25 percent each month. While your water may be combined with other properties, or paid for by the property manager/owner, all users are required to comply with the mandated water conservation regulations. Below are some tips to help you conserve water inside your home.
- If you notice a water leak (toilet, faucet, outside irrigation), please contact your property manager or owner right away. Water leaks must be repaired within 24 hours.

Indoor Water Conservation

Conservation Tips	Estimated Savings Per Day
Run the dishwasher only when full	1-2 gallons
Don't leave the water running when rinsing dishes	5-10 gallons
Turn off the water while brushing your teeth	4 gallons
Take a five minute shower	10 gallons
Don't use the toilet as a wastebasket	2 gallons
Fixing a leaky toilet	30-50 gallons
Fixing a leaky faucet	15-20 gallons
Replacing older, inefficient clothes washers	20-30 gallons
Washing only full loads of clothes	15-48 gallons
Installing aerators on faucets	4 gallons

For Conservation Information

www.newportbeachca.gov/water
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