



Stage 1 Water Restrictions Residential and Commercial

The City of Marion abides by the, Drought Contingency Plan, which was set in motion May 15, 2014. It is crucial that all Marion water customers conserve water regardless of its source and discontinue non-essential water uses.

During the current drought conditions, watering must follow these water use restrictions:

1. Landscape watering with an irrigation system or sprinklers permitted only one day per week. Based on last digit of street address, the following schedule applies:
 - 0,1 – Monday
 - 2,3 – Tuesday
 - 4,5 – Wednesday
 - 6,7 – Thursday
 - 8,9 – Friday
2. Watering with a hand-held hose, soaker hose or drip irrigation is permitted.
3. Charity car washes permitted at commercial car washes that use recycled water or is certified as a conservation car wash.
4. Washing impervious cover such as parking lot, driveway, street or sidewalk is prohibited.
5. Restaurants may serve water only upon request.
6. Pools must be covered at least 25% when not in use.
7. Vehicle washing at home permitted only during designated days and times.
8. Golf courses – 10% reduction in replacement of daily evapotranspiration (ET) rate or 1.8 times the base usage irrigation between hours of 8:00 p.m. and 10 a.m.
9. Installation of new landscapers permitted only if more than 0% is drought tolerant turf and if proper horticultural practices are used. Variances may be granted.
10. Athletic fields – watering permitted only between midnight and 9 a.m. for health and safety reasons, unless a water conservation plan is approved by City of Marion.

Excessive water usage is prohibited.

The City of Marion will implement restrictions based on the Edwards Aquifer Authority Critical Period Triggers and CRWA. As drought conditions continue, penalties may be issued to customers, who do not follow the water restrictions listed above.

To report water leaks, please call City Hall at (830) 914-2391. For more information on the City's Drought Contingency Plan please visit our website and click on the tab labeled "Ordinances".

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