

# **Water Use Restriction Status Change**

## **Normal to Moderate**

### **July 1, 2022**

During open meeting held June 23, 2022, the Board of Directors reviewed water production information provided by staff and accepted District Manager's recommendation to move the district's water use restriction status from Normal to Moderate beginning **July 1, 2022**. The watering restrictions under Moderate condition are listed below.

These water restrictions are being implemented because in the past few weeks the District has experienced a lower water production capability. Low snowfall in the higher elevations over the past few winters has slowed the recharge to 3 of our 7 production wells which reduces our total production capability. The District continues to closely monitor our production capability and will increase or reduce water restrictions as necessary.

#### **A. Moderate condition:**

##### **Defined**

- a. **Forecast delivery capacity:** 100% of 3-year average usage for month

**Objective and restrictions:** The objective is to reduce total system demand to 80% of 3 year average usage for the month.

- a. **Domestic customers:**

- (1) No restrictions on outdoor watering for customers using drip irrigation systems in accordance with the Water Conservation Section of this Ordinance. Customers using hose-connected systems and/or hand watering are restricted to watering between the hours of 5 to 9 am or 5 to 9 pm on following days:

- (a) Odd address: Wednesday and Sunday

- (b) Even address: Tuesday and Saturday

- (2) No domestic customer shall use more than fifty thousand (50,000) gallons of water during the calendar month. In addition to the standard rates as set forth in the Appendix A – Fee Schedule; customer shall pay the Penalty Charge established by the District Board on all use in excess of fifty thousand (50,000) gallons.

- b. **Large and Small Commercial customers:** No restrictions on outdoor watering for customers using drip irrigation systems in accordance with the Water Conservation Section of this Ordinance. Customers using hose-connected systems and/or hand watering are restricted to watering between the hours of 5 to 9 am or 5 to 9 pm on Wednesday

- c. **Irrigation customers:** Usage may not exceed 400,000 gallons per day