

Do's & Don'ts

during the Drought

All the Time Mandatory Restrictions	In a Level 2 Drought Alert Additional Mandatory Restrictions
Landscape Irrigation <ul style="list-style-type: none">• After 6:00pm & before 10:00am only• Stop overspray on to hardscape• Stop runoff on to hardscape• A handheld hose must have a positive shut-off nozzle	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Limit watering to 3 days per week (you choose days)• Limit spray-type sprinklers to 10 minutes per station in warm months and 7 minutes per station in cool months• Weather-based irrigation controllers, drip and micro-spray systems and stream rotor sprinklers are exempt from minutes per station limits• Hand-watering with hose or bucket is also limited to 3 days per week (you choose days; nurseries and commercial growers are exempt)
Washing <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Do not wash paved surfaces unless water is needed to alleviate a health hazard• Wash vehicles with a hose with a positive shut-off nozzle, with a high-pressure/low volume wash system, or at a commercial site that reclaims water• Avoid excessive water runoff	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• No additional restrictions
Leaks <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Repair all leaks within 5 days• Repair severe leaks immediately	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Repair all leaks within 3 days
Decorative Water Features <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Must use re-circulated water	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Must use recycled water
Restaurants & Hotels <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Serve water upon request only• Offer option of not laundering room linens daily	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• No additional restrictions
Construction <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Must use recycled or non-potable water when available and required by Padre Dam	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• No additional restrictions

Padre Dam's Drought Ordinance
Is posted at www.padredam.org
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