
Water Conservation Notice

June 29, 2017

Summer is here! The North Shore Water Utility is reminding all residents to conserve water.

Level 1 Water Restrictions are in effect from June 1st to September 30th regardless of seasonal weather patterns. These restrictions apply to all customers of the North Shore Water Utility.

Level 1 Water Restrictions

- Lawn sprinkler or irrigation watering is only permitted between 4 am – 9 am or 7pm – 10 pm every other day.
- Even numbered houses may sprinkle on even numbered days of the month (2nd, 4th, 6th etc.) and houses with odd numbered addresses may sprinkle on odd numbered days of the month (1st, 3rd, 5th etc.)
- Filling/ refilling of indoor and outdoor swimming pools is acceptable. **Please contact the NSWU** at (250) 509-2222 or billing@northshorewaterutility.com, before filling or refilling your pool.

Outdoor Water Conservation Tips

- Plant native or drought-tolerant plants
- Wash your car infrequently
- Install a rain barrel to collect rainwater
- Reduce the size of your lawn. Instead, plant native ground cover.
- Plant more trees and shrubs to keep your house cool and to protect your garden from drying out.
- Apply compost to your garden. This helps soils to retain moisture and reduces the need to water as often.
- If you have a lawn, water it infrequently. This promotes deep roots and heartier lawns.
- Water only in the morning and early evening to reduce evaporation.
- Install hose timers for manual sprinklers.
- Ensure underground sprinkler systems are calibrated properly for watering restrictions.

For more information about the North Shore Water Utility Water Conservation Program visit: <http://nswun.myruralwater.com>