KENDALL COUNTY WATER CONTROL & IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT NO. 1

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STAGE 3 WATERING RESTRICTIONS ARE IN EFFECT.

Stage 3 – MODERATE Water Shortage Conditions

Mandatory Water Restrictions:

(1) Water customers are requested to limit the irrigation of landscaped areas to:

Mondays for customers with a street address ending in zero or one (0 or 1),

Tuesdays for customers with a street address ending in two or three (2 or 3),

Wednesdays for customers with a street address ending in four and five (4 or 5),

Thursdays for customers with a street address ending in six or seven (6 or 7),

Fridays for customers with a street address ending in eight or nine (8 or 9)

No irrigation of landscaped areas on weekends

Irrigate landscapes only between the hours of 4:00 AM and 10:00 AM on designated watering days.

However, irrigation of landscaped areas is permitted at anytime if it is by means of a hand-held hose, a faucet filled bucket or watering can of five (5) gallons or less, or drip irrigation system.

- Use of water to wash any motor vehicle, motorbike, boat, trailer, airplane or other vehicle is prohibited except on designated watering days between the hours of 6:00 AM and 10:00 AM and between 8:00 PM and 12:00 midnight. Such washing, when allowed, shall be done with a hand-held bucket or a hand-held hose equipped with a positive shutoff nozzle for quick rinses. Vehicle washing may be done at any time on the immediate premises of a commercial car wash or commercial service station. Further, such washing may be exempted from these regulations if the health, safety, and welfare of the public are contingent upon frequent vehicle cleansing, such as garbage trucks and vehicles used to transport food and perishables.
- (3) Use of water to fill, refill, or add to any indoor or outdoor swimming pools, wading pools, or jacuzzi-type pools is prohibited except on designated watering days between the hours of 6:00 AM and 10:00 AM.

- (4) Operation of any ornamental fountain or pond for aesthetic or scenic purposes is prohibited except where such fountains or ponds are equipped with a recirculation system.
- Use of water from hydrants shall be limited to fire fighting, related activities, or other activities necessary to maintain public health, safety, and welfare, except that use of water from designated fire hydrants for construction purposes may be allowed under special permit from the Water District.
- (6) All restaurants are prohibited from serving water to patrons except upon request of the patron.
- (7) The following uses of water are defined as non-essential and are prohibited:
 - 1. Wash down of any sidewalks, walkways, driveways, parking lots, tennis courts, or other hard-surfaced areas;
 - 2. Use of water to wash down buildings or structures for purposes other than immediate fire protection;
 - 3. Use of water for dust control;
 - 4. Flushing gutters or permitting water to run or accumulate in any gutter or street; and
 - 5. Failure to repair a controllable leak(s) within a reasonable period after having been given notice directing the repair of such leak(s).

Enforcement:

- (a) No person shall knowingly or intentionally allow the use of water from the Kendall County WCID #1 for residential, commercial, industrial, agricultural, governmental, or any other purpose in a manner contrary to any provision of this Plan, or in an amount in excess of that permitted by the drought response stage in effect at the time pursuant to action taken by the General Manager, or his/her designee, in accordance with provisions of this Plan.
- (b) Any customer found in violation of this Plan shall receive counseling by Water District employees. A second violation will result in a \$50.00 fine. A third violation will result in a seven dollars (\$7.00) per thousand gallons surcharge being added to the customer's monthly water charge for as long as any mandatory phases of this Drought Contingency Plan are in effect. Once all mandatory phases of this Plan have been lifted the surcharges for that customer will be lifted for this occurrence.

Stage 3 water restrictions may be rescinded when triggering events have ceased to exist for two weeks. Upon termination of Stage 3, Stage 2 becomes operative.

Keith Marquart District Manager