

# IS YOUR LANDSCAPE DROUGHT READY?

California is in a drought, and it's more important than ever to use water wisely!

We all need to pitch in to help save our most precious natural resource. During this drought, please remember to water trees, even though other parts of your landscape may go brown or dry as we reduce irrigation to conserve water. The City has numerous resources, rebates and services to help with your water efficiency goals. We want to ensure that everyone has the tools they need to lead a water-wise lifestyle.



**CONFIRM** irrigation systems are watering plants, not spraying or leaking onto the sidewalk or the driveway.



**TREES** are important community assets—make sure yours are getting enough water. Visit [cityofpaloalto.org/trees](http://cityofpaloalto.org/trees) for information.



**CHECK** irrigation systems, toilets, faucets, hoses etc. for leaks—small leaks can cost **BIG** money.



**REPLACE** guzzling grass with gorgeous native plants and get rebates. Visit [cityofpaloalto.org/commercialprograms](http://cityofpaloalto.org/commercialprograms) for rebate program details.



**WATER** landscapes in early morning (before 10 a.m.) or evening (after 6 p.m.) and only as needed.



**HELP** save by reporting water waste at [cityofpaloalto.org/311](http://cityofpaloalto.org/311), email [drought@cityofpaloalto.org](mailto:drought@cityofpaloalto.org), or leave a voice message at (650) 496-6968.



**SHOP** Valley Water's online store for free water saving tools and literature today at [cloud.valleywater.org/shopping-cart](http://cloud.valleywater.org/shopping-cart).



**QUESTIONS** about commercial rebate programs and free services? Call the Water Conservation Hotline at (408) 630-2554 or email [drought@cityofpaloalto.org](mailto:drought@cityofpaloalto.org)



**SCHEDULE** a **FREE** large commercial landscape survey. Email [conservation@valleywater.org](mailto:conservation@valleywater.org) or leave a message at (408) 630-2000.



**VISIT** us for status updates, water use regulations details, conservation resources, and more at [cityofpaloalto.org/water](http://cityofpaloalto.org/water).

## NEW MANDATORY STATEWIDE WATER USE RESTRICTIONS

In addition to water wasting activities already permanently restricted in Palo Alto, the emergency regulation prohibits irrigating within two days of a rain event and washing hardscapes with potable water unless there is a health and safety need. Visit [cityofpaloalto.org/water](http://cityofpaloalto.org/water) for full details.



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