



May 2018

AGRICULTURAL Water Regulations in Effect

- Agricultural allotments are 733,162 US gal per acre of “A” grade watering rights. Allotment Notices are sent out each year in the spring to each owner. It is the owner’s responsibility to make lessees aware of allotments.
- No watering is permitted outside of your property or on roadways. Please ensure screens on overhead sprinklers are adjusted properly to avoid overspray on to roadways.
- If possible, please avoid watering in the heat of the day.
- The District appreciates that water is essential for the livelihood of agricultural users, and although you have an allotment - **watering landscaping or watering around houses for domestic use must** follow the domestic water regulations depending on your address:
 - **Odd** numbered units or street addresses are restricted to watering on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays;
 - **Even** numbered units or street addresses are restricted to watering on even Wednesdays, Fridays and Sundays;
 - **Manual Sprinkler systems** – are allowed on permitted watering days between the hours of 6:00 am and 10:00 am and between 7:00 pm and midnight.
 - **Underground sprinkler systems** may only be operated on permitted watering days between the hours of 12:00 midnight and 6:00 am.
 - **Handheld sprinkling** is permitted anytime using a spring loaded nozzle or watering can. Drip irrigation systems for planted post are also allowed anytime.

Water use in excess of the allotment is in violation of District Bylaws and will be charged a metered rate. Once the allotment for the property has been reached, the irrigation service will be shut off for the rest of the season and turn on fees will apply.

The District appreciates all efforts to use water wisely.