

O'Connor Tract Co-Operative Water Co.

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O'Connor Water Company Water Conservation Regulations

- Limit irrigation* to no more than **two days a week. Do not allow runoff onto hard surfaces.**
- No irrigation* is allowed between 10 a.m. and 6 p.m.
- Do not wash hard surfaces such as driveways or sidewalks, except when necessary to address immediate health or safety concerns. We recommend using a broom to clean hard surfaces.
- Use only a hose fitted with a shut-off nozzle to wash a motor vehicle.
- Do not water during or within 48 hours after measurable precipitation.
- Do not use potable water in a fountain or decorative water feature, unless the water is re-circulated.
- Repair broken or defective plumbing or irrigation systems promptly.
- Cover swimming pools, spas, and hot tubs when not in use.
- Use common sense: consolidate laundry and dishwasher loads; don't let faucet run while shaving or brushing teeth.

If there is sediment in the lines because of a repair or flushing, you should run the water from tap or hose bib until it is clear, as this is necessary for health and safety.

If O'Connor Water receives a report of water waste at your property, you will be contacted to correct the problem. Repeated violations will be punishable by fines as described below. Fines must be paid within thirty (30) days.

Violation	Enforcement
1st	Warning only. Educate water user on proper conservation practices
2nd	\$50 fine
3rd	\$100 fine
4th	\$200 fine, and review by the Board of O'Connor Water to determine if a flow-restricting device should be installed

To report water waste, call or email **650-321-2723** oconnorwater@gmail.com. For more information on how to save water visit our website at www.oconnorwater.org.

*Note: Irrigation includes manual or automatic sprinklers, soaker hoses or any running hose on the ground. Hand watering and drip irrigation are allowed at other times as long as there is no runoff. Hand watering must be done by a person using a hose with a shut-off nozzle.