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MANDATORY OUTDOOR WATERING RESTRICTIONS

Dear Valued Customers

The Utility has been monitoring our main production wells and has issued the following restriction in order to conserve our existing water supplies. As our customers, we are asking you to comply with these restriction in order to ensure a consistent, clean, and safe drinking water system for all.

We ask that you please review and adhere to the mandatory watering restrictions listed below effective immediately.

Any further updates or changes will be placed on the Township Website located at: www.rockawaytownship.org

Failure to comply may result in fines by Township Ordinance.

- The use of outdoor lawn sprinklers and/or irrigation systems may only be used as follows:

Even Numbered Houses on Even Numbered Days of the Month

Odd Numbered Houses on Odd Numbered Days of the Month

- Additionally, the use of outdoor lawn sprinklers and irrigation systems can only occur between the hours of 5:00am – 8:00am and 5:00pm – 8:00pm, Monday - Saturday. Please check your timers and make sure they meet the time requirements.
- **NO use of outdoor lawn sprinklers or irrigation systems will be allowed on Sundays and Holidays.**
- Watering is **not to exceed 15 minutes** per area or zone watered on any given day.
 1. The use of automatic shutoff nozzles on garden hoses is allowed, however the nozzle cannot be left in the locked “on” position.
 2. Newly placed grass seed or sod installed may receive additional watering between the hours of 8:00am and 11:00am for the first twenty-five (25) days, after being placed on the ground. Watering is not to exceed 15 minutes per area or zone watered on any one day.
 3. Testing of irrigation sprinkler systems may occur Monday - Friday for a period not to exceed 10 minutes.

Any residents with questions may contact the Utility between 8:30am and 4:30pm at 973-983-2825.

Thank you for your cooperation!