

# — NOTICE —

## Santa Cruz City Water Customers

WATER CONSERVATION RULES ARE NOW IN EFFECT FOR ALL CUSTOMERS SERVED BY THE CITY WATER SYSTEM. AN UNPRECEDENTED DROUGHT coupled with unusually warm weather and high water consumption has forced the City Council to adopt an Emergency Ordinance to limit and restrict water use this summer so that the community does not run out of water.

### WATER USE RESTRICTIONS NOW IN EFFECT:

The sprinkling, watering, or irrigation of shrubbery, trees, lawns, gardens, vegetables, etc., shall be done only before twelve o'clock noon and after 8:00 o'clock at night on the following schedule:

All water customers with even-numbered street addresses on even-numbered dates only.

**Example:** house number 260 — water on dates such as 4th, 6th, 10th, 20th, etc. All water customers with odd-numbered street addresses on odd-numbered dates only such as the 1st, 9th, 13th, 23rd, etc.

Washing of sidewalks, driveways, porches, etc. prohibited. Washing of exterior of dwellings, buildings and structures with the exception of windows prohibited.

Washing of automobiles, trucks, trailer houses, mobile homes prohibited.

**Exception:** automobile washing is permitted when done manually through the use of small containers such as buckets and pails. Commercial automobile washing is permitted when water is recycled.

Operation of ornamental fountain or other structure making use of water not employing a filter and recirculating system prohibited.

BE A GOOD NEIGHBOR — HELP US AVOID A WATER SHORTAGE BY FOLLOWING WATER CONSERVATION RULES.

**SANTA CRUZ WATER DEPT.**

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