



Stage 1 Water Restrictions

Effective May 1st, 2019

Stage 1 WATER REGULATIONS

Lawn Sprinkling Times	7:00am - 9:00am OR 7:00pm - 9:00pm
Even Numbered Addresses - Even dates	
Odd Numbered Addresses - Odd dates	
Watering New Lawn	Same as above unless Sprinkling Permit is obtained
Hand Watering of Trees, Shrubs and Gardens <small>*Use hose with spring-loaded nozzle, watering pail or bucket</small>	Hand water between 7-9am or 7-9pm Maximum 2 hours per day
Micro or Drip Irrigation <small>*Exceptions: using less than 20 gallons per hour at less than 25psi. This does not include soaker or weeper hoses</small>	Any time - maximum 4 hours per day
Filling Pools and Hot Tubs <small>*Exceptions: pools filled prior to Stage 3 may be topped up to account for evaporation losses in order to avoid damage to pumps, etc*</small>	Anytime
Washing Vehicles, Houses, Boats, RV's or Trailers	
Washing Driveways & Sidewalks <small>*Exceptions: Only permitted for preparation of applying paints, preservatives or for pouring concrete</small>	

Regular Stage 1 Watering Restrictions will come into effect May 1st for the Town of Ladysmith, Diamond Improvement District, Stz'uminus First Nation and Cowichan Valley Regional District.

These regular annual restrictions are intended to help control water usage as we start watering lawns and gardens with the warmer, dryer weather.

Remember, being water-wise throughout the year can also save you money. With a little effort, we can reduce the amount of water we use at home by as much as 40 percent!

Thank you for your co-operation.

