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*Irrigation season is here!*

Since water is a limited resource in our dry climate, using water wisely can save you money. **AND**, it's the right thing to do!

**Parker Water asks you to do your part and water efficiently this summer.**

⇒ Voluntary alternating watering days based on address:

Homes ending in an **EVEN** number = **SUNDAY, TUESDAY, THURSDAY**

Homes ending in an **ODD** number = **MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, SATURDAY**

Multifamily, HOA's, Commercial properties = **MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, SATURDAY**

**No watering on Fridays** so water storage tanks can refill for the weekend.

⇒ **No irrigation between 10 a.m. & 6 p.m.** Water will evaporate & not benefit your landscape!

⇒ **Water waste is prohibited** – Watch for runoff, over spray, and leaks.

**Report water waste to** [conservation@pwsd.org](mailto:conservation@pwsd.org).

## Efficient Irrigation Tips

| For Lawns - Based on 3 days per Week   |   |             |                |                   |
|--|---|-------------|----------------|-------------------|
| Minutes To Water Per Zone  |   |             |                |                   |
| Months   | Spray Heads                                   | Rotor Heads | Rotary Nozzles | Manual Sprinklers |
| May  | 12  | 21          | 30             | 18                |
| June   | 17  | 35          | 43             | 26                |
| July   | 18  | 36          | 45             | 27                |
| Aug  | 14  | 27          | 34             | 20                |
| Sept   | 11  | 23          | 28             | 17                |
| Oct-Dec  | Water trees & shrubs as needed through winter |             |                |                   |
| Recommendations are weather/plant material/irrigation efficiency dependent.<br>Watch for runoff & adjust your times. |   |             |                |                   |

**Adjust Your Timer** – Don't set it & forget it!

Update your irrigation timer monthly to adjust for seasonal plant needs.

**Know When to Turn Your System Off** –

⇒ Don't irrigate while it's raining or windy.

⇒ Don't water between 10 a.m. -6 p.m.

**Cycle & Soak** – Apply water in multiple short cycles to avoid runoff, promote deeper roots & a healthier lawn. Wait 30 minutes to 1 hour in between cycles.

**Do your part! Be water smart!**