

LOS OSOS COMMUNITY SERVICES DISTRICT WATER SHORTAGE CONTINGENCY PLAN

Stage	Reduction Target	Climate Trigger (MEDIAN RAINFALL 17 INCHES)	CHLORIDE TRIGGER (8th or 10th Street Wells - Zone D)	TDS TRIGGER (8th or 10th Street Wells - Zone D)	CLIMATE & WATER QUALITY REQUIREMENTS TO EXIT WATER SHORTAGE STAGES (DE-TRIGGER)	PROHIBITIONS
STAGE I ALERT Customers: Residential Allocation: 183 gal/day	5%	Rainfall total as March 31:< than median (17 in.) for current year	N/A	N/A	Receive rainfall >= median by March 31	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All outdoor irrigation of vegetation shall occur only between dusk and dawn. The use of potable water to wash sidewalks, walkways, driveways, parking lots, open ground and other hard-surface areas by direct application shall be prohibited. The use of non-drinking-water fountains, except for those using recirculated water, shall be prohibited. Use of water which results in flooding or run-off in gutters or streets shall be prohibited.
STAGE II WARNING Customers: Residential Allocation: 174 gal/day	15%	Stage I plus rainfall total as of March 31: <= 32 in. for over two yrs. or <= 48 in. over three yrs. or 65 in. over four yrs. or 81 in. over five years	N/A	N/A	Receive rainfall >= median by March 31	In addition to Stage I conservation measures: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Use of water from fire hydrants shall be limited to fire suppression and/or other activities immediately necessary to maintain health, safety and welfare of residents within the boundaries of the Los Osos Community Services District. The use of District potable water for construction projects shall be prohibited. The washing of automobiles, trucks, trailers, boats and other types of mobile equipment not occurring upon the immediate premises of a commercial car wash and/or commercial service station shall be prohibited unless residents have an automatic shut-off hose nozzle and do not allow water to run off their property. The use of potable water to irrigate lawns, landscape plantings, groundcovers, and shrubs shall be limited to prescribed days and hours. Irrigation shall only occur between dusk and dawn, and shall only occur on Wednesday and Sunday for <u>even</u> numbered addresses, and Tuesday and Saturday for <u>odd</u> numbered addresses. Community recreational facilities shall be exempt from this prohibition. Water main flushing shall only occur in emergency situations as declared by the General Manager.
STAGE III EMERGENCY Customers: Residential Allocation: 50 gal/day/occupant NO TRANSFERS ALLOWED	25%	Stage I plus rainfall total as of March 31: <= 29 in. for over two yrs. or <= 43 in. over three yrs. or 58 in. over four yrs. or 72 in. over five years Stage III shall be enacted no earlier than April 2015. Declared by BOD 4/2/2015 – Based on Climate Trigger ONLY Modified on 5/7/2015	150 mg/l	700 mg/l	Receive rainfall >= median by March 31. If in Stage III due to water quality, two consecutive semi-annual samples must be below trigger concentrations to exit Stage III	In addition to Stage I & II conservation measures: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Irrigation of community recreational facilities and residential edible crops shall be exempt from this prohibition. Penalties up to 2 times the established rate for usage above the allocation. No leak adjustment credits will be awarded No new Intent to Serve applications No allocations may be transferred to another property
STAGE IV SEVERE Customers: Residential, Commercial Allocation: 45 gal/day/ occupant NO TRANSFERS ALLOWED	35%	Stage I plus rainfall total as of March 31: <= 26 in. for over two yrs. or <= 38 in. over three yrs. Or 51 in. over four yrs. Or 64 in. over five years, Stage IV shall be enacted no earlier than November 2015	250 mg/l	850 mg/l	Receive rainfall >= median by March 31, transition to Stage II for current year. If in Stage IV due to water quality, two consecutive semi-annual samples must be below trigger concentrations to exit Stage IV	In addition to Stage I, II, & III conservation measures: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Irrigation of community recreational facilities and residential edible crops shall be exempt from this prohibition. New water connections to the District water system shall be prohibited Commercial allocation 10% below baseline Penalties up to 4 times established rate may be applied No allocations may be transferred to another property
STAGE V CRITICAL ALL CUSTOMERS Allocation: 42 gal/day/ occupant NO TRANSFERS ALLOWED	50%	Stage I plus rainfall total as of March 31: <= 17 in. for over two yrs. or <= 26 in. over three yrs. or 34 in. over four yrs. or 43 in. over five years	500 mg/l	1,000 mg/l	Receive rainfall >= median by March 31, transition to Stage II for current year. If in Stage V due to water quality, two consecutive semi-annual samples must be below trigger concentration to exit Stage V	In addition to Stage I, II, III, & IV conservation measures: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Commercial allocation 15% below baseline Penalties up to 4 times established rate may be applied No allocations may be transferred to another property