

Be Water Wise!

IT'S **SIMPLE**
TO SAVE WATER!

OUTSIDE



Choose a water-efficient irrigation system such as drip irrigation for your trees, shrubs, and flowers. *(Remember to turn it off when it rains.)*

This could save
15 GALLONS
each watering cycle!



Wash cars/boats with a bucket, sponge and hose with a self-closing nozzle.

This saves
8-18 GALLONS
per minute!



Use a broom to clean driveways, sidewalks and patios.

This saves
8-18 GALLONS
per minute!



Put a layer of mulch around trees and plants to reduce evaporation and keep the soil cool. *(Organic mulch also improves the soil and prevents weeds.)*

Save
20-30 GALLONS
per 1,000 square ft.
each watering cycle!

INSIDE



Take five-minute showers instead of ten minute showers.

Save up to
25 GALLONS!



Turn off the water while brushing teeth or shaving.

Save up to
4 GALLONS *(That's 200 gallons per week for a family of 4!)*
per minute.



Only run the dishwasher when it is full.

Save up to
1,000 GALLONS
per month!

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