

## CITY OF DAISSETTA IS ISSUING A STAGE 3 WATER CONSERVATION

PLAN BEGINNING: August 28, 2023 (MANDATORY)

Because of several **MAJOR** water leaks in the City of Daisetta and Hull Fresh Water Supply water main breaks in the system and the lack of rain that is causing the ground to shrink and break lines. We are asking that **ALL CITIZENS of DAISSETTA** comply with this PLAN to help keep as much strain off their well pump as possible. Don't forget, they (Hull Fresh Water) are supplying two communities with **ONLY** one water well.

**SO PLEASE LET'S BE A GOOD NEIGHBOR AND HELP HULL FRESH WATER TO NOT PUT ANYMORE STRAIN ON THEIR WATER WELL.**

**THANKS FOR HELPING US IN THIS WATER CONSERVATION PLAN.**

**Stage 3 Triggers – SEVERE Water Shortage Conditions Requirements for initiation** Customers shall be required to comply with the requirements and restrictions on certain nonessential water uses for **Stage 3** of this Plan when the specific capacity of the City of Daisetta and/or Hull Fresh Water well(s) is equal to or less than 5 percent of the well's original specific capacity. Requirements for termination **Stage 3** of the Plan may be rescinded when all the conditions listed as triggering events have ceased to exist for a period of 3 consecutive days. Upon termination of **Stage 3**, **Stage 2** becomes operative.

**Best Management Practices for Supply Management:** The following measures will be implemented directly by City of Daisetta to manage limited water supplies and/or reduce water demand: reduce or discontinue flushing of water mains, careful monitoring of system to prevent tank overflows and quickly repair line breaks/leaks.

**Water Use Restrictions for Demand Reduction:** Under threat of penalty for violation, the following water use restrictions shall apply to all persons:

1. Irrigation of landscaped areas with hose-end sprinklers or automatic irrigation systems shall be prohibited until we get an extreme amount of rain and/or the drought is lifted for our area.
2. Use of water to wash any motor vehicle, motorbike, boat, trailer, airplane or other vehicle is prohibited unless such washing may be exempted from these regulations if the health, safety, and welfare of the public is contingent upon frequent vehicle cleansing, such as garbage trucks and vehicles used to transport food and perishables.
3. Use of water to fill, refill, or add to any indoor or outdoor swimming pools, wading pools, or jacuzzi-type pools is prohibited. **NOTE: You can fill up your pool(s) one (1) TIME ONLY.**
4. Operation of any ornamental fountain or pond for aesthetic or scenic purposes is prohibited except where necessary to support aquatic life or where such fountains or ponds are equipped with a recirculation system.

5. Use of water from hydrants shall be limited to firefighting, to maintain public health, safety, and welfare, except that use of water from designated fire hydrants for construction purposes may be allowed under a special permit from the City of Daisetta.

6. The following uses of water are defined as non-essential and are prohibited: **a)** wash down of any sidewalks, walkways, driveways, parking lots, tennis courts, or other hard-surfaced areas; **b)** use of water to wash down buildings or structures for purposes other than immediate fire protection; **c)** use of water for dust control; **d)** flushing gutters or permitting water to run or accumulate in any gutter or street; and **e)** failure to repair a controllable leak(s) such as: (toilet, dripping faucet's inside or outside, leaking pipe(s), etc. within a reasonable period after having been given notice directing the repair of such leak(s).

7. The City Administrator may direct any or all commercial, industrial and recreational users to suspend use of City water is prohibited until we get an extreme amount of rain and/or the drought is lifted for our area.

I'm asking again, PLEASE help us to try and keep the consumption of water to a bare minimum. Let's pull together and help CONSERVE water and help our neighbor. THANKS

Signed on this Date: 8-28-2023

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