

**Town of North Reading  
Water Use Restrictions**

Drought Condition		Restrictions
Stage 0	Normal	Winter (October 1 - April 30) No restrictions
Stage 0	Normal	Summer (May 1 - September 30) Voluntary water conservation - Outdoor water use <u>restricted to ODD and EVEN days between 7 PM and 7 AM</u> . Residents with ODD numbered addresses may water lawns on ODD numbered days. Residents with EVEN numbered addresses may water lawns on EVEN numbered days.
Stage I	Advisory	Mandatory water conservation - <u>Lawn watering restricted to two (2) times per week between 7 PM to 7 AM</u> as follows: Residents with ODD numbered addresses may water lawns on Tuesday and Friday only. Residents with EVEN numbered addresses water lawns on Wednesday and Saturday only.
Stage II	Watch	Mandatory water conservation - <u>Lawn watering restricted to one (1) time per week between 7 PM to 7 AM</u> as follows: Residents with ODD numbered addresses may water lawns on Tuesday only. Residents with EVEN numbered addresses water lawns on Friday only.
Stage III	Warning	Mandatory water conservation - <u>Outdoor water use restricted to hand held hose or water can with person in attendance from 7 PM to 10 PM for irrigation of shrubs, flowers and gardens only</u> . The following are prohibited: lawn watering; swimming pool filling; washing of cars, trucks, boats, buildings; and cleaning of driveways & sidewalks
Stage IV	Emergency	Mandatory water conservation - <u>No outdoor water use</u> . Water use restricted to normal bathing, cooking, laundry and sanitary use, or to meet the core function of a business or maintenance of livestock.