

Talk It Up!



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A monthly brief helping to keep you informed and keep in touch.

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WATER ALERT!

MANDATORY STAGE 2 WATER RESTRICTIONS

Water Conservation Stage 1

During a Water Conservation Stage 1 ("Stage 1"), compliance shall be voluntary. All water withdrawn from City facilities shall be put to reasonable beneficial use. Water conservation measures shall include the following as well as such other measures as may be implemented by the City from time to time:

1. Preventing excessive run-off from entering adjacent properties, sidewalks, gutters, surface drains or storm drains.
2. Use of drip irrigation systems or other methods designed to prevent excessive surface irrigation of landscaped areas, resulting in conditions such as puddling or runoff.
3. Repair of any and all observable leaks of water on the premises.
4. Use of a broom or blower to clean driveways and/or paved or hard surfaces.
5. Use of water for washing down driveways and/or paved or hard surfaces only when necessary to alleviate immediate fire or sanitation hazards.
6. Use of a shut off nozzle when using a hose to wash a vehicle or hand watering.
7. Use of low flow shower heads and shortening time in the shower.
8. Use of volume reduction devices in toilets and being careful not to use the toilet as an ashtray or wastebasket.
9. Reduction in water consumption for bathing, hand dish washing and irrigation by reduction of flow time for these activities.
10. Running only full loads in the washing machine and dishwasher.

Water Conservation Stage 2 (CURRENT STAGE)

All Stage 1 and Stage 2 conditions shall be mandatory. In addition to the Stage 1 conditions, the following shall apply in a Stage 2 condition:

1. **CITY RESIDENTS:** Odd/Even irrigation scheduling. Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays: addresses ending in odd numbers. Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays: addresses ending in even

numbers. Irrigation of any type is prohibited on Sundays except areas irrigated with non-potable water. Any single irrigation station may not run longer than ten minutes per cycle.

2. Outdoor irrigation of turf and ornamental landscaping shall be prohibited between the hours of 10:00am and 4:00pm daily.
3. Repair of any and all observable leaks of water on residents' premises within twenty-four hours of notification.
4. No hosing down of non-landscaped or hardscape areas.
5. Construction water shall be prohibited during a Stage II Alert Condition.
6. The washing of boats, vehicles or mobile equipment shall only be allowed in car washes or by using a bucket and hose with an automatic shut off nozzle for rinsing.
7. The use of water in ornamental fountains or water features shall only be permitted if the water is recirculated.
8. The City Manager will have the right to reduce the amount of water used in irrigating any park site, greenbelt or open areas within the City limits.
9. No outdoor irrigation shall be permitted during and forty-eight hours after a measurable rainfall event.
10. Restaurants and other food service establishments can only serve water to customers on request.
11. Operators of hotels and motels must provide guests with the option of choosing not to have towels and linens laundered daily and prominently display notice of this option.
12. Other restrictions may be imposed if deemed necessary by the City manager and/or City Council.

UPcoming Events

City Council meets at 6pm on 1st & 3rd Monday at the Wells Education Center – 300 S. Robinson St
Next UP: June 15th & July 6th

June 4

Main Street Tehachapi's Farmers' Market Begins Downtown at Railroad Park Each Thursday • 4 – 7pm
www.MainStreetTehachapi.org

June 26

TVRPD Presents Movies in the Park Featuring "Hook" Meadowbrook Park • at Dusk for info: www.TVRPD.org

June 13/14

TVAA Springtyme Faire Depot & Railroad Parks 10am – 5pm for more Info 822-6062

July 4

Warrior Run • 6:30am
Hot Dog Festival • 10am–4pm
Wiener Run • 10am
Bad Bulls Rodeo • 6pm
Fireworks • 9pm

Police Dept.

- Attended Bear Awareness training presented by Department of Fish and Wildlife.
- Received mobile computers and working with IT for Mobile RIMS.

Community Development

- Held a Planning Commission meeting on Monday 5-11-15. Topics discussed were a workshop on the update of the Housing Element and administrative changes needed to various General Plan exhibits.

Living Responsibly in Bear Country

California Department of Fish and Wildlife
"Bear Aware" Campaign



Community Outreach

- Attended UC Merced Small Business Development Center Award Ceremony for World Wind & Solar where they were recognized as Outstanding Business of the Year.
- Our Tehachapi GranFondo Outreach continues at the Tour of Long Beach with over 3,000 participants.
- Had the pleasure to tour our Tehachapi Correctional Institution with members of the GTEDC Board of Directors.



Public Works

- » Hot asphalt patching.
- » Repaired trellis and fountain lights in Centennial Plaza.
- » Design work on sludge odor suppression system.
- » Sidewalk replacement on Oakwood Ct.



Come talk to us!

We're always happy to hear from you and are excited to share what is happening in our community.

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