



**Effective January 6, 2010**

On November 16, 2009, the City of Huntington Beach City Council adopted an Ordinance which amends chapter 14.18 of the Huntington Beach Municipal Code establishing a Water Conservation and Water Supply Program. In addition, the City Council reconfirmed Level 1 of the Water Management Program.

<b>Permanent Water Ordinance Requirements</b>	
Irrigation is prohibited between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.	Washing down hard or paved surfaces is prohibited.
Irrigation is limited to no more than 15 minutes per day per station.	Leaks, breaks or malfunctions must be corrected within seven (7) days of notification.
Washing of vehicles requires the use of hand-held bucket or hose equipped with positive self closing water shut-off nozzle.	Water fountains or decorative water features are required to use recirculation systems.
Installation of single pass cooling systems to domestic water supplies is prohibited	Restaurants are required to use water conserving dish wash spray valves.
Excessive water flow runoff is prohibited	Restaurants to serve drinking water only upon request

<b>Level 1 Water Supply Shortage in Effect</b>
Limits on Watering Days – Limited to three (3) days per week during the months of April through October and limited to one (1) day per week during the months of November through March.
Leaks, breaks or malfunctions must be repaired within seventy-two (72) hours of notification.

**To view the amending ordinance, please visit our website at: [www.surfcity-hb.org/hbwater](http://www.surfcity-hb.org/hbwater) or visit the City Clerk at City Hall. For questions on water conservation call the Public Works Utilities Division at 714-536-5921.**