

Rye Water District Voluntary Lawn Watering/Irrigation Directive

Purpose: This voluntary Lawn Watering/Irrigation Directive is being implemented due to the current dry conditions by the Rye Water District (RWD) for use in managing lawn watering and irrigation practices until such time the dry conditions fully abate.

Procedure: Effective immediately a voluntary every other day watering and/or irrigation request is being made to RWD customers. It is suggested residents or businesses with odd number street addresses conduct their watering activities only on odd calendar days and residents or businesses with even number street addresses conduct their watering activities only on even calendar days. Regardless when actually started, watering and/or irrigation is requested to be conducted on a every other day basis.

The recommended hours for lawn watering and/or irrigation in support of this voluntary request shall be as follows:

Between the hours of:

2:00 am and 7:00am

and 8:00pm and Midnight.

In the event this voluntary request does not meet the desired objectives and/or weather conditions (i.e., continued lack of substantial rain) warrant, the RWD may need to implement mandatory lawn watering and irrigation procedures. These procedures will be structured to address the given situation(s) that may exist at the time of implementation and may adjusted according as changing conditions warrant.