

## **DISTRICT NEWS**

Spring Newsletter 2022 Proudly Serving the SNYDERVILLE BASIN Community since 2000

## Governor Cox declares a State of Emergency due to Drought Conditions in Utah.

Please help us conserve this precious resource!

### **Outdoor Watering Restrictions**

- Delay outdoor watering until June 1st.
- All new landscaping must adhere to current restrictions.
- Water only 2 times a week
- Water only between the hours of 10 pm and 6 am
- A watering equals =
  - o 20 minutes for pop-up sprayers
  - 40 minutes for rotary sprayers
  - 60 minutes for drip lines

Restrictions and fines will be enforced. See our website for details.

#### Conservation yard signs available at our office









Get alerted about water outages and other important District news by signing up on "Everbridge" Go to MTREGIONAL.ORG to sign up



Check out our website for more information, activities, and to receive important updates at: WWW.MTREGIONAL.ORG

Every gallon of water saved is energy saved. The average MRW customer requires 20% of US household energy use to deliver their water. Conserve water, conserve energy.

#### **INDOOR CONSERVATION TIPS**



#### REUSE COOKING WATER:

Consider watering your plants with the water left over from cooked pasta and vegetables. The extra nutrients can help plants grow



#### KITCHEN TIPS:

You'll use far less water by filling your sink to rinse vegetables, pans and dishes than by just letting the water run.



#### **LOAD IT FULL:**

The more dishes you get into the dishwasher per load, the more efficient your water use.



#### **BATHROOM TIPS:**

Showering 1 minute less everyday will save up to 1,875 gallons of water each year. While a fiveminute shower uses 12 to 25 gallons, a full tub requires about 70 gallons.



You'll save about 3 gallons of water by turning it off while brushing your teeth.



#### **UPGRADE YOUR TOILETS:**

New models use 1.28 gal per flush. Models prior to 1992 use 3.5 -7 gallons per flush.



#### **WASH FULL LOADS:**

Laundry uses over 20% of all the water in your home.

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You can find additional conservation resources at: https://www.mtregional.org/conservation



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## **Free Water Check!**



# COST: FREE HOW TO SIGN UP?:

online

https://www.mtregional.org/conservation call: 435.940.1916 EXT 300

#### What does it do?

- \*analyzes the efficiency of your automatic sprinkler system
- \*leak detection
- \*suggestions for conservation



**EYE ON WATER** 

#### Not just for leak alerts!

- Compare days, weeks, months, and even years of your usage.
- Monitor usage down to 15 min. increments!
- Sign up at: www.eyeonwater.com

#### **DON'T MISS DRINKING WATER WEEK!**



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# SIGNIFICANT WATER LEAK IS A WATER LEAK



A toilet with a leak flow rate of 0.5 gallons each minute wastes 21,600 gallons each year



A shower leaking at ten drips each minute wastes 500 gallons a year



A faucet leaking at one drip each second wastes 3,000 gallons each year



An irrigation system leak that is the width of a dime can waste 6,300 gallons each month

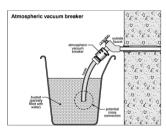


Leaks account four about 6 percent of the water consumption in an average home



A garden hose with a leak flow rate of 10 gallons each minute wastes 5,400 gallons each day

## Do you have a Hose Bib Vacuum Breaker?



The most common cross-connection in a home is the outside garden hose. If the end of the hose is submerged in a bucket of cleaning fluid, fish pond, swimming pool or other open container during a low pressure event, this water could get sucked back into your water pipes. You can prevent this by installing a "hose bib vacuum breaker". These devices screw directly on the faucet. Hose bib vacuum breakers consists of a spring-loaded check valve that seals against an atmospheric outlet when the water supply is turned on.

In the United States, household water leaks can waste more than ONE TRILLION GALLONS of water each year.

Every drop counts. Do your part to conserve.

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