

### Public Notice Medium Level Water Restrictions

The Southern Downs region will move to medium level water restrictions on 1 June 2018 following the Queensland State Government's decision to drought declare the region.

Based on current dam levels, the drought declaration and seasonal rainfall projections for the region, the Southern Downs will move from permanent to medium level water restrictions from 1 June 2018.

Medium level restrictions target level is 200 litres per person per day. Water restrictions and any penalties for non-compliance with the restrictions are authorised under the Water Supply (Safety and Reliability) Act 2008. Residents are please reminded to become familiar with activities and timeframes permitted under medium level water restrictions by reviewing the water restrictions table below.

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Target water consumption: Maximum 200 Litres per person, per day

These restrictions are currently in place to remind residents and businesses to use water efficiently at all times. The below table is a guide for what allowances are in place for the current MEDIUM restrictions without incurring any penalties

Allocated Days: Some outdoor water use times are restricted to specific times on allocated days. Your allocated day is determined by your street address, not your unit number, e.g. if your street address is unit 3, 22 Walker Street Warwick, you would be allocated as an even number.

Odd house number or no numbers: Odd number calendar date

Even house numbers: Even number calendar date

### Outdoor Water use times

**May to September** - allocated days 7am to 9am and 4pm to 6pm

**October to April** – allocated days 6am to 8am and 5pm and 7pm

Outdoor use activity	Allowed any time	Allowed on Allocated days and times	
		Odd or no number: Odd number calendar date	Even numbers: Even number calendar date
Sprinklers & Fixed irrigation systems	✗		✓
Hand held hosing of gardens and lawns	✗		✓
Garden watering using buckets	✗		✓
Washing vehicles with a trigger hose or bucket	✗		✓
Cleaning vehicle windows, mirrors and lights using a bucket	✓		
Topping up fountains, ponds, pools and spas	✗		✓ (existing pools only)
Cleaning paved areas using a bucket or high pressure water unit	✗		✗ (exceptions for health or safety reasons only)
Cleaning buildings using a trigger hose or high pressure water unit	✗		✓
Cleaning windows using a bucket	✗		✓

\*N.B – Penalties may apply for non-compliance