

# The Water Works Board of The Town of Ragland Water Conservation Plan

## Article 1 Stage

In an effort to protect the resources and the interests of The Water Works Board of The Town of Ragland in the event of a drought or water shortage the Board of The Water Works Board of The Town of Ragland adopts this the 12 day of July 2010 the Water Conservation Plan as follows:

### Stage 1

Voluntary Conservation; Customers or persons who use the Ragland Water System are requested to voluntarily limit the amount of water to the absolutely for health, business and outdoor use.

### Stage 2

Mandatory Compliance; Water Alert. Beginning with the decision Board and Superintendent the following restrictions shall apply to all customers or persons who use the Ragland Water System.

1. Irrigation utilizing individual sprinklers from hoses or buried sprinkler systems for the purpose of watering lawns, gardens, landscaped areas, trees shrubs and other plants is prohibited, except on designated water-use days which shall be as follows:
  - A. Odd-numbered street addresses will water on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.
  - B. Even-numbered street addresses will water on Monday, Wednesday and Friday.
  - C. No watering will be allowed on Sunday.

### Stage 3

Mandatory Compliance: Water Warning. Upon implementation by the Board and Superintendent the following restrictions shall be imposed in place of Stage 2 restrictions (until further notice) to all Ragland Water System customers.

1. Irrigation utilizing individual sprinklers from hoses or buried sprinkler systems for the purpose of watering lawns, gardens, landscaped areas, trees shrubs and other plants is prohibited, except on designated water-use days which shall be as follows:
  - A. Odd-numbered street addresses will water Tuesday and Saturday.
  - B. Even-numbered addresses will water on Monday and Friday.  
No Watering May Be Done Between The Hours Of 5 p.m.- 10:00 p.m.
2. Washing of private vehicles is prohibited, except on Tuesday, Saturday and Monday, Friday odd-even basis. No private vehicles may be washed between the hours of 5 p.m.- 10:00 p.m.

3. Swimming pools will be filled only on Tuesday/Saturday and Monday/Friday on the odd-even basis. No filling between the hours of 5 p.m.-10:00 p.m.
4. Washing of sidewalks, streets driveways, parking areas, patios or other paved area is absolutely prohibited.
5. Taking water from Fire Hydrant is prohibited, unless the person taking water has a permit from the Water Department an expressed purpose and the date the hydrant may be used signed by the Water Superintendent. The Fire Department is exempt from this condition in order to properly maintain and provide for the public health and safety.

#### Stage 4

Mandatory Compliance: Water Emergency. Upon implementation by the Board and Superintendent the following restrictions shall be imposed in the place of Stage 2 or Stage 3 restrictions until further notice to all Ragland Water system customers.

1. No outside irrigation utilizing sprinklers from hose or buried systems for the purpose of any outside watering.
2. Washing of private vehicles is prohibited.
3. The use of water from Fire Hydrant other than by the Ragland Water System or the Fire Department for public health and safety is prohibited.
4. The washing of sidewalks, streets, and driveways, parking areas, patios or any paved area is absolutely prohibited.
5. The filling of swimming pools is prohibited during the Water Emergency.

#### Article 2 Violations

A. Violations of Article 1 by any Ragland Water System customer or water user shall receive the following:

1. First Offense: Written Warning and the violator to correct the violation within 30 minutes of warning.
2. Second Offense in same calendar year: Disconnection of Water Service(s) with \$100.00 fee to re-connect water service.
3. Third Offence in same calendar year: Disconnection of Water Service(s) with \$500.00 fee to re-connect water service.

B. The above warnings, disconnection notices and disconnects shall be issued and implemented by the Ragland Water System and local Law Enforcement Department.