

City of Mesquite Stage 3 mandatory requirements and prohibitions

- The operation of any ornamental fountain or pond that uses treated water for aesthetic or scenic purposes is prohibited except when necessary to support aquatic life.
- Use of water in such a manner as to allow runoff or other waste is prohibited.
- From April 1st to October 31st, lawn or landscape watering shall be limited to once every seven days by address. Addresses ending in 0 or 1 water on Mondays; addresses ending in 2 or 3 water on Tuesdays; addresses ending in 4 or 5 water on Wednesdays; addresses ending in 6 or 7 water on Thursdays and addresses ending in 8 or 9 water on Fridays.
- Foundations, first year shrubs and trees may be watered for up to two hours on any day between the hours of 6 pm and 10 am by a hand-held hose or soaker hose.
- Lawn or landscape watering is limited to **twice per month** between November 1 and March 31 during this stage. Watering schedule will be as follows:

Addresses Ending in	Day of Week	Nov-March
0 or 1	Monday	1 st and 3 rd
4 or 5	Wednesday	1 st and 3 rd
8 or 9	Friday	1 st and 3 rd
2 or 3	Tuesday	2 nd and 4 th
6 or 7	Thursday	2 nd and 4 th

- Watering in excess of the limits herein for landscaping associated with new construction is prohibited unless variance is granted by Director or his designee on a case by case basis. City may issue a temporary certificate of occupancy until circumstances that caused the initiation of Stage 3 no longer prevail.
- Watering of golf courses using treated water is prohibited except as needed to keep greens and tee boxes alive.
- Public athletic fields used for competition may be watered twice per week as needed for safety concerns.
- Prohibit hosing or paved areas, buildings, or windows. Pressure washing of impervious surfaces is allowed.
- The use of water for dust control is prohibited unless special permission is granted by the Director upon showing of a public health, safety or welfare necessity.
- Existing swimming pools may not be drained and refilled (except for normal water loss).
- Hydroseeding, hydromulching, and sprigging is prohibited.