

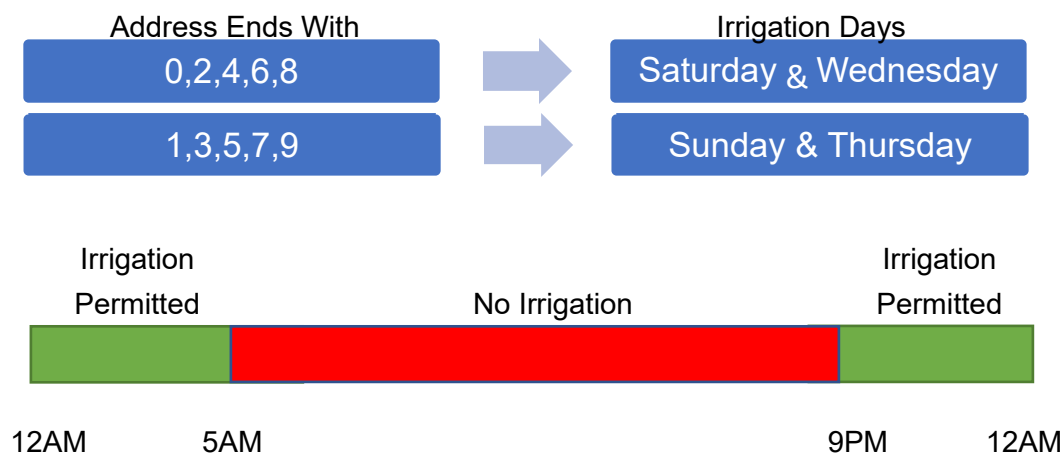
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Stage 1 Water Restrictions Implemented

Wickson Creek SUD is implementing Stage 1 water restrictions due to excessive heat and high-water use. Most of the high-water use is caused by automatic lawn sprinkler systems, therefore, irrigation must be **reduced and spread** to off-peak hours. Wickson Creek SUD requests that all customers practice water conservation and minimize or discontinue water use for non-essential purposes.

Stage 1 Restrictions are Mandatory.

Outdoor irrigation is restricted to **2 days per week**.



Prohibited

- Irrigation on days that are not designated for your address.
- Irrigation between the hours of 5 AM – 9 PM.

Allowed

- Lawn irrigation is limited to 2 days per week based on the designated days and timeframes above.
- Use of automated irrigation systems or handheld irrigation systems with timers.
- Watering and caring for livestock, trees, and shrubs.
- ***Soaking** of the house foundation during designated days and timeframe.
- Implement water conservation practices in landscape irrigation, exterior cleaning, personal hygiene, and cooking around the home or business.

Objective

- Achieve a 15% reduction in water demand. This is achieved through load leveling water usage across multiple days, which allows the system to replenish water reserves.