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COMBINED CONSUMERS SUD IS NOW INITIATING STAGE 3 DROUGHT CONTINGENCY AND WATER EMERGENCY RESPONSE PLAN.

Stage 3 measures go into effect today in efforts to reduce water use.

Combined Consumers SUD request that retail and wholesale customers implement the following water conservation strategies:

• Customers initiate Stage 3 of their Drought Contingency Plan and Water Emergency Response Plans immediately.

All requirements of Stage 2 shall remain in effect during Stage 3 except:

- Restrict (NO) landscape and lawn irrigation from 10 AM to 6 PM and wait until the current drought has passed before establishing new landscaping.
 - a. Irrigation of landscaped areas with hose-end sprinklers or automatic irrigation systems shall be limited to Sundays and Thursdays for customers with a street address ending in an even number (0, 2, 4, 6 or 8), and Saturdays and Wednesdays for water customers with a street address ending in an odd number (1, 3, 5, 7 or 9), and irrigation of landscaped areas is further limited to the hours 8:00 p.m. and 10:00 a.m. on designated watering days. However, irrigation of landscaped areas is permitted at anytime if it is by means of a hand-held hose, a faucet filled bucket or watering can of five (5) gallons or less, or drip irrigation system.
 - b. The use of water for construction purposes from designated fire hydrants under special permit is to be discontinued.
 - c. Reduce water usage by 20%.
 - d. Repair all controllable leak(s) within a reasonable period of time.

Extending our water supply during Stage 3 through efficient use is crucial to meeting the long-term needs of all Customers.

More information and tips can be found at <u>www.wateriq.org</u> and at the District website <u>www.ccsud.com</u>

Sincerely,

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