



TOWN OF DUXBURY

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FROM: Peter Mackin Duxbury Water/Sewer Superintendent

DATE: July, 2022

SUBJECT: **PRESS RELEASE MANDATORY OUTSIDE WATERING
RESTRICTIONS**

PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT - PRESS RELEASE

Due to the drought conditions and in order to maintain our water supply for domestic use and fire protection, the Water & Sewer Commissioners approve mandatory outside watering restrictions effective until such time that our withdrawal permit allows or the State deems otherwise.

All households are restricted to conduct outdoor watering one day per week.
All outdoor watering to be done before **9AM** and after **9PM**

THE USE OF A HANDHELD HOSE IS ALLOWED ANY DAY OF THE WEEK WHEN MANDATORY RESTRICTIONS ARE IN PLACE. THE HOSE MUST BE EQUIPPED WITH AN AUTOMATIC SHUT OFF STYLE DEVICE WHICH WOULD STOP THE WATER FROM FLOWING IF THE PERSON WERE TO WALK AWAY OR DROP THE HOSE.

RAIN SENSORS MUST BE INSTALLED AND USED ON ALL IRRIGATION SYSTEMS

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*****VIOLATORS WILL BE FINED \$50 FOR THE FIRST OFFENSE & \$100 PER DAY FOR EACH
ADDITIONAL OFFENSE*****

YOUR FULL COOPERATION IS REQUIRED TO HELP AVOID A TOTAL BAN ON OUTDOOR WATER USE.

PLEASE DIRECT ANY QUESTIONS TO THE WATER DEPARTMENT @ 781-934-1100 EXT. 5521 or 5520.