

On Tuesday, April 19, 2016 Village of Anmore Council officially adopted the Water Shortage Response Plan Bylaw No. 550-2016.



The bylaw may be viewed in its entirety on our website at: www.anmore.com/content/bylaws-0

IMPORTANT During Stages 1 - 4, residents that are in contravention of the Water Shortage Response Plan Bylaw No. 550 will be subject to applicable fines.

Our water is a valuable resource. Very little of the earth's water is fresh and available for drinking. Our water comes from protected mountain watersheds north of the cities. Keep our great water for things we need like drinking and cleaning, and try not to waste it by overwatering lawns or leaving taps running.

TIP – How to test for water leaks?

The next time you are leaving your home for a few hours, turn off all of your water fixtures (incl. humidifiers, air conditioners, ice makers, etc.). Record your water meter reading. If the reading does not change upon returning to your home, your household plumbing is watertight. If your water meter reading does change, you most likely have at least one leaky faucet, toilet or pipe and should investigate.

RAIN BARREL TRUCKLOAD SALES EVENT LOCATIONS

- City of Vancouver - April 30
- City of Coquitlam - May 1
- North Shore - May 7
- City of Langley - May 8

\$51 – Pre-order your rain barrel online today at: www.vancouver.ca/rainbarrel



Quench the thirst of your plants with free water from a rain barrel. Water collected in rain barrels provides a source of chlorine-free, ambient temperature water which is a great drink for a happy garden.

NEW LAWN SPRINKLING REGULATIONS 2016

EFFECTIVE MAY 15 to OCTOBER 15

In the summer and early fall our water use can double from the rest of the year for swimming pools, growing food, maintaining sports fields and other social and community-building uses. But a lot is also used to green our lawns, wash our decks or driveways and other lower-priority uses. The region-wide sprinkling regulations are an effective way to help us use our drinking water wisely.

NEW as of 2016, Stage 1 of the Water Shortage Response Plan, regardless of weather conditions, May 15 to October 15.

[Note: this is a change from previous years where the effective dates were June 1 to September 30]

Residential lawn sprinkling allowed:

Even-numbered addresses

Monday, Wednesday, Saturday mornings 4 am to 9 am

Odd-numbered addresses

Tuesday, Thursday, Sunday mornings 4 am to 9 am

WATERWISE TIPS FOR OUTDOORS, INDOORS, AND IN THE GARDEN CAN BE VIEWED AT:

<http://www.metrovancover.org/services/water/conservation-reservoir-levels/water-conservation-home>