

Water Conservation...It's a Way of Life

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How much will water Conservation Cost?



Four Main Areas

- Bathroom



- The Laundry



- The Kitchen



- In the Yard



The Bathroom

The Toilet

- Never use your toilet as a waste basket
- Check your toilets for leaks
- Put Float Boosters in your toilet tanks



This is a float booster.

25% of all water used in the bathroom comes from the toilet.

The Bathroom

- Install Low-Flow Shower Heads



- Turn off the Water While you brush your teeth



The average shower head uses 7-10 gallons of water per minute.

The Kitchen

Dish Washer

- Only Run Your Dishwasher when it has a full load



Hand Wash

- Soak your pots and pan before washing
- Fill a wash and rinse side in your sink



The average dishwasher uses 25 gallons of water per load

The Kitchen

Drinking Water

- Keep a bottle of water in the Refrigerator



Food Preparation

- Thaw foods overnight in the Refrigerator



The Laundry

Clothes Washer

- Buy Energy Star Rated Washers  [LEARN MORE AT energystar.gov](https://www.energystar.gov)
- Only use your clothes washer for full loads
- Avoid using the permanent press cycle



More than 10% of all water used at home is used while doing laundry.

Outside, In Your Yard

Lawn and Garden

- Reuse Water
- Put mulch around trees and plants
- Water during the early parts of the day

Driveways and sidewalks

- Use a rake or broom to clean sidewalks/driveways



Water is needed for survival



Your body is made up of 50 to 70% water

The Challenge...



... Are you up for it?

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