

Consumers can now pay their water bills online; view current and previous bills; billing dates; gallons used; amount billed; and payment due date at <a href="https://www.lakehurstwater.org">www.lakehurstwater.org</a>

There is a user fee of \$2.50 per transaction for online payments. We accept Visa, MasterCard, Discover and E-checks for your convenience.

For all concerns and questions and In case of an emergency call the District's main office number 24 hours a day at 303-985-7895. Calls received outside normal working hours will be answered by the District's answering service and the information will be directed to on call service personnel for assistance.

# LAKEHURST WATER AND SANITATION DISTRICT

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### Denver Water Implements 2016 Summer Water Use Program

Denver Water has implemented their 2016 Summer Water Use Program, which Lakehurst Water and Sanitation District, as a contract distributor, is legally obligated to follow and enforce.

Effective May 1 to October 1, customers may water no more than three days per week and must adhere to the watering rules laid out below.

- 1. Water during cooler times of the day lawn watering is Not allowed between 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.
- 2. Newly planted seed or sod may be watered, as necessary, for up to 21 days. After 21 days, routine watering is limited to no more than three days per week and not between 10 a.m. and 6 p.m.
- 3. Routine watering of turf is limited to three days OF YOUR CHOICE per week.
- 4. Turn your irrigation system off when it rains and during high winds.
- 5. Make repairs to irrigation systems in a timely manner, and adjust sprinkler heads appropriately.
- 6. Do not waste water by allowing it to pool on sidewalks, gutters or streets.

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## 7. Do not apply more water than is necessary to establish and maintain a healthy landscape.

#### **Report Water Waste**

If you see water waste that does not meet these rules, call Lakehurst Water at 303-985-7895.

## 2016 Consumer Confidence Report Is Available on the District Website

Each year the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) mandates that all public water systems provide their customers with a water quality update called the Consumer Confidence Report (CCR).

Since Lakehurst operates under a contract with Denver Water, it is their duty to monitor and report on the quality of our treated water.

The CCR from Denver contains information regarding water quality regulations as well as recent testing results and evaluations.

District customers may log onto Lakehurst's website – <a href="www.lakehurstwater.org">www.lakehurstwater.org</a> – to view the CCR, or call the District office – 303-985-7895 – or Denver Water – 303-628-6000 – with questions.

### Repair a Leaky Faucet

Even a small <u>leak</u> can waste a significant amount of water over time. A leak of just 10 drops per minute will waste almost 300 gallons in a year. Use this guideline to make sure your fixtures are working properly and not wasting water.

**Step 1:** Shut off the cold and hot water supply valves, which are usually below the sink. If they're not below the sink, shut off the master water supply for the whole house. Then follow the directions below according to the type of faucet you need to repair.

### • Compression Faucet

**Step 2:** Remove the decorative index cap from the handle. Remove the handle screw and carefully pry under the handles to remove them.

Step 3: With the handle removed, use an

adjustable wrench to loosen the bonnet nut that holds the stem in place. Thread the stem out of the faucet and loosen the screw that holds the washer to the stem.

**Step 4:** Find an exact replacement washer and fasten it to the stem with a new washer screw, if necessary. Then reinstall the stem, bonnet nut and handle.

#### Two-Handle Washer-less Faucet

**Step 2:** With a two-handle washer-less faucet, access the cartridge as you would for a compression faucet — start at the valve handle and work your way down.

**Step 3:** Remove the cartridge and replace it with a new unit. Then reinstall the stem, bonnet nut and handle.

### Single-Handle Washer-less Faucet

**Step 2:** With a single-handle faucet, the exact procedure to remove the valve cartridge will vary by manufacturer. Start by removing the handle screw, typically located under the handle or on top of the handle under a hood. Remove the faucet handle screw and remove the handle.

**Step 3:** Once the handle is off, loosen the nut that conceals the valve cartridge.

**Step 4:** Remove the clip, which holds the valve cartridge in place. Pull out the valve cartridge and replace it with a new unit. Then reinstall the bonnet nut and handle.

