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Water Conservation Remains Critical to Protect South Florida's Water

Residents are reminded to follow year-round landscape irrigation rules



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WHAT:

With drought conditions continuing in some parts of South Florida, the South Florida Water Management District (SFWMD) is reminding residents to continue following year-round landscape irrigation rules.

Landscape irrigation accounts for about half of South Florida's drinking water use. Conserving water by irrigating on approved days and times, turning off sprinklers when it's raining and using commonsense conservation measures will help protect the regional water supply.

LINKS:

- Water Managers Closely Monitoring Dry Conditions
- SFWMD Water Conservation
- Year-Round Landscape Irrigation Conservation Measures

About the South Florida Water Management District

The South Florida Water Management District is a regional, governmental agency that oversees the water resources in the southern half of the state – 16 counties from Orlando to the Keys. It is the oldest and largest of the state's five water management districts. The agency mission is to manage and protect water resources of the region by balancing and improving water quality, flood control, natural systems and water supply. A key initiative is cleanup and restoration of the Everglades.