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City Moving to Stage 1 Moderate Water Conservation Measures

The City of Fulshear is moving to **Stage 1** water conservation measures, we are currently experiencing a high demand on all our water systems due to extreme heat conditions and lack of rainfall.

Due to these conditions, we are issuing **Stage 1** water conservation measures asking that residents and businesses (excluding residents on their own water well system) assist the City with conserving water. These measures are extremely important in helping to alleviate the high demand on the City's systems and should help mitigate the fluctuations in water pressure. **Stage 1** measures will hopefully help further reduce demand and conserve water resources for critical potable uses if the drought persists. Please help do your part and conserve wisely. What does **Stage 1** mean, "*Stage 1 is when total daily water demand equals or exceeds 60% of total water well pumpage.*"

To assist, residents and businesses should:

- Voluntarily reduce watering and/or irrigation to three (3) times per week
- Voluntarily change the irrigation schedule to outside our high-demand hours which are 4AM - 8AM and 5PM – 10PM
- Voluntarily reduce water usage inside your home/business
- Assess and repair any irrigation leaks, hose leaks, toilet leaks, and any other potential leaks that may cause unexpected water loss

The City of Fulshear will also assist in water conservation by:

- Reducing landscape irrigation at all City facilities
- Halting nonessential vehicle washing
- Halting the establishment of new landscaping
- Limiting hydrant flushing (except for water system repairs)

If drought conditions continue, we anticipate enacting water conservation measures in accordance with the City's Drought Contingency Plan (Stage II). We appreciate everyone's cooperation and understanding during this time.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the City's Utility Services Division at 281-346-8830 or email utilityservices@fulsheartexas.gov.