



## Fulton County Level 2 Drought Response Declaration

On November 17, 2016, The Director of Georgia Environmental Protection Division issued a Level 2 Drought Declaration for 52 counties, including Fulton County. Outdoor irrigation of lawns, gardens, and trees is permitted twice a week on the odd/even schedule. Even and unnumbered addresses may water on Wednesday and Saturday before 10AM and after 4PM and ODD addresses may water on Thursday and Sunday before 10AM and after 4PM.

You may receive a 30-day exemption for newly installed landscape or overseeding. Please complete the landscape exemption form found here: <http://www.fultoncountyga.gov/images/stories/WR/WC/Drought/ExemptionForm16.pdf>

### Current Outdoor Watering Rules

#### The Following activities are prohibited during Drought Response Level 2

- Washing hard surfaces such as streets, gutters, sidewalks, and driveways, except when necessary for public health and safety
- Using water for ornamental purposes, such as fountains, reflecting pools, and waterfalls
- Use of fire hydrants, except for the purposes of firefighting, public health, safety, or flushing
- Washing vehicles, such as cars, boats, trailers, motorbikes, airplanes, or golf carts
- Non-commercial washing, or pressure washing, of buildings or structures, except for immediate fire protection
- Charity, or non-commercial fund-raiser, car washes.

#### Professional Exemptions to Level 2

- Pressure washing
- Permanent car wash facility, provided that it is connected to a sanitary sewer system of a political subdivision or local government authority or recycles used wash water
- Construction sites
- Watering-in of pesticides and herbicides on turf
- Other activities essential to daily business

Please note that the list is not all inclusive. A complete copy of the exemptions is located at The Drought Management rules are available at <http://rules.sos.ga.gov/gac/391-3-30>

For more information on indoor and outdoor water conservation programs visit <http://www.fultoncountyga.gov/fcwr-education/5586-water-conservation>. Additional information can be found here: [http://northgeorgiawater.org/wp-content/uploads/2016/11/FINAL\\_Level\\_2\\_Drought\\_Response\\_Residential\\_Customer-Fact\\_Sheet\\_v5.pdf](http://northgeorgiawater.org/wp-content/uploads/2016/11/FINAL_Level_2_Drought_Response_Residential_Customer-Fact_Sheet_v5.pdf)

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