

On July 8, Gov. Newsom issued both a Proclamation that expands the state's drought emergency and an Executive Order calling for Californians to voluntarily reduce water use by 15% from 2020 consumption. In alignment with the Executive Order, Elk Grove Water District is asking that its customers voluntarily reduce their consumption by 15%.

There are many easy and quick water-saving actions that can be taken today. These include watering just three days per week, dialing back sprinklers by two minutes (while continuing to water your trees), making sure sprinklers and drip irrigation run in the morning to minimize evaporation, adding mulch to conserve moisture, and fixing household leaks.

For information on how to conserve please visit <https://www.egwd.org/conservation-resources/> or <https://bewatersmart.info/> for more information.