

OFFICIAL WATER NOTICE FROM THE CITY OF CERRITOS

Revised Water Use Restrictions in Cerritos are Now in Effect

On May 18, 2016, the State Water Resources Control Board adopted a statewide water conservation approach that eliminates the previous percentage reduction-based water conservation standards. In response to the new State mandate, the Cerritos City Council adopted a resolution on July 14, 2016 implementing the following revised water conservation regulations for all water users in the City:*

- Irrigation runoff is prohibited.
- Washing vehicles with a hose is prohibited, except when the hose is equipped with a shut-off nozzle.
- Washing driveways and sidewalks is prohibited.
- The use of potable water in a fountain or other decorative water feature is prohibited, unless the water is part of a recirculating system.

*Except when necessary to address an immediate health and safety need or to comply with a term or condition in a permit issued by a state or federal agency.

Violation of the regulations is subject to a fine of up to \$500 per day.

The regulations will remain in effect until the state-mandated restrictions expire in January 2017.

The City of Cerritos encourages all water users in the City to continue conserving water resources as much as possible.

For more information, call the Water Division at (562) 916-1223.