Proposed ordinances include:



Time-of-day watering



Water waste



Water efficiency standards

Proposed water efficiency standards for new **commercial** construction include:

Indoor	Outdoor
Hot water recirculation system	Grass prohibited unless a waiver is granted demonstrating a functional purpose
WaterSense labeled fixtures	Use a minimum number of approved water-efficient trees and shrubs; irrigate with a drip system
Energy Star appliances	Install landscape specific meters and water smart irrigation controllers at each property
Multi-tenant individually metered to allow for tracking/reporting of unit specific water use	Enforce water budget and require use of secondary irrigation at golf courses
Require car wash facilities recycle water and/or establish a maximum amount of water per wash	Limit commercial misting systems for use only when temperatures exceed 90 degrees
	Prohibit decorative water features

Proposed water efficiency standards for new **residential** construction include:

Indoor	Outdoor
Hot water recirculation system	Limit grass to a certain square footage or percent of the property; avoid grass on park strips, slopes greater than 25% and areas less than 8 ft wide
WaterSense labeled fixtures	Use a minimum number of approved water-efficient trees and shrubs; irrigate with a drip system
Energy Star appliances	Install landscape specific meters and water smart irrigation controllers at each property
Multi-family individually metered to allow for tracking/reporting of unit specific water use	Require pool covers