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## **CAPE TOWN WATER RESTRICTIONS COMPARISON**

	General								
	Level 6B	Level 6	Level 5 (Amended)	Level 4B	Level 4	Level 3B	Level 3		
Latest Implementation Date	February 2018	January 2018	October 2018	July 2017	June 2017	February 2017	November 2016		
Months From/To Peak July Rain Month	7 months/ 5 months	6 months/6 months	3 months/ 9 months	0 months/12 months	11 months/ 1 month	7 months/ 5 months	4 month/8 months		
Western Cape Dam levels	25%	30%	75%	25%	21%	40%	56%		
Litres <b>per person</b> per day	50 litres	87 litres	70 litres	87 litres	100 litres	None	None		
City water usage target per day	450 million litres	500 million litres	500 million litres	500 million litres	None	None	None		
Watering/irrigation of gardens, lawns, flower beds, sport fields, parks and other open spaced with municipal drinking water  Timing of watering/irrigation with municipal drinking water	No N/A	No N/A	No N/A	No N/A	No N/A	Only if using a bucket or watering can. No use of hosepipes or automatic sprinkler systems is allowed  Watering/irrigation is allowed only on Tuesdays and Saturdays before 09:00 or after 18:00 for a maximum of one hour per day per property.  No watering/irrigation is allowed within 48 hours of rainfall that provides adequate	Only if using a bucket or watering can. No use of hosepipes or automatic sprinkler systems is allowed  Watering times are not restricted, however, residents are urged to limit their watering to the mornings and evenings. No watering/irrigation is allowed within 24 hours of rainfall that provides adequate saturation.		
Hosing down of <b>paved</b> surfaces with municipal drinking water.	No	No	No	No	No	saturation. No	No		
Water Features use municipal drinking water	No	No	No	No	No	Strongly discouraged	Only by recycling the water or if using non-potable water.		



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Residential							
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Single residential property monthly municipal water limit	6,0001	10,5001	8,500l (Calculated)	10,500l (Calculated)	12,000l (Calculated)	N/A	N/A
Washing of vehicles, trailers, caravans or boats with municipal drinking water.	No (These must be washed with non- drinking water or waterless products.)	No (These must be washed with non- drinking water or waterless products.)	No (These must be washed with non- drinking water or waterless products.)	No	No	No (Vehicles and boats must be washed with non-drinking water or washed at a commercial carwash.)	Only is allowed if using a bucket.
Filling/topping up of private swimming pools with municipal drinking water	No (Even if fitted with pool cover. This includes the filling of new pools or the refilling of an existing pool after a repair.)	No (Even if fitted with pool cover. This includes the filling of new pools or the refilling of an existing pool after a repair.)	No (Even if fitted with pool cover. This includes the filling of new pools or the refilling of an existing pool after a repair.)	No (Even if fitted with pool cover)	No (Even if fitted with pool cover)	Yes (Manual topping up of swimming pools allowed only if fitted with a pool cover. No automatic top-up systems are allowed)	Yes (Manual topping up of swimming pools allowed only if fitted with a pool cover. No automatic top-up systems are allowed)
Portable play pools allowed	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
Pool Cover	All private swimming pools must be fitted with a cover.	All private swimming pools must be fitted with a cover.	All private swimming pools must be fitted with a cover.	All private swimming pools must be fitted with a cover.	Use of pool covers is strongly encouraged.	Use of pool covers is strongly encouraged.	Use of pool covers is strongly encouraged.
Excessive water usage fines and WMD	Excessive water users will be fined or have water management devices (WMD) fitted.  Spot fines of up to R5 000 may be issued by the City of Cape Town.  Repeat offenders can be summonsed to appear in court and on conviction may be liable for a fine of up to R10 000, or imprisonment of up to five years, or both.						



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Commercial							
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Monthly consumption of municipal drinking water is reduction % compared to the corresponding period in 2015 (pre-drought).	45%	45%	40%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
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Commercial carwash using municipal drinking water.	No (Except where an exemption has been granted. This applies to both formal and informal car washes.)	No (Except where an exemption has been granted. This applies to both formal and informal car washes.)	No (Except where an exemption has been granted. This applies to both formal and informal car washes.)	No (Except where an exemption has been granted. This applies to both formal and informal car washes.)	No (Except where an exemption has been granted. This applies to both formal and informal car washes.)	Commercial carwash industries must comply with industry best practice norms regarding water usage per car washed. Informal car washes to use only buckets and not hosepipes.	Commercial carwash industries must comply with industry best practice norms regarding water usage per car washed. Informal car washes to use only buckets and not hosepipes.
New landscaping for Golf courses, sports facilities, parks, schools and learning institutions	Golf courses, sports facilities, parks, schools and learning institutions are not allowed to establish any new landscaping or sports fields, except if irrigated only with non-potable water.	Golf courses, sports facilities, parks, schools and learning institutions are not allowed to establish any new landscaping or sports fields, except if irrigated only with non-potable water.	Golf courses, sports facilities, parks, schools and learning institutions are not allowed to establish any new landscaping or sports fields, except if irrigated only with non-potable water.	Golf courses, sports facilities, parks, schools and learning institutions are not allowed to establish any new landscaping or sports fields, except if irrigated only with non-potable water.	Golf courses, sports facilities, parks, schools and learning institutions are not allowed to establish any new landscaping or sports fields, except if irrigated only with non-potable water.	Golf courses, sports facilities, parks, schools and learning institutions are not allowed to establish any new landscaping or sports fields, except if irrigated only with non-potable water.	Golf courses, sports facilities, parks, schools and learning institutions are not allowed to establish any new landscaping or sports fields, except if irrigated only with non-potable water.
Indigent water allocation	Free 350 litres						