

#### **§ 175-8. Water restrictions and use permits.**

In order to prevent excessive or unnecessary water use and conserve water supplies during periods of drought or emergency, the Borough may establish restrictions on outdoor water usage at any property in the Borough, including, but not limited to, watering of lawns or landscaping, washing of vehicles, or washing of sidewalks or driveways. Such restrictions may, as determined appropriate by the Borough, restrict such water use to an "odd-even" basis, and shall be entirely prohibited on the 31st day of each month. Odd/even water use means that such outside water use may occur on days with odd-numbered dates on properties with odd-numbered addresses, and on even-numbered days on properties with even-numbered addresses. Exceptions to odd/even watering restrictions are:

- A. Lawn watering by a commercial enterprise engaged in the installation or repair of lawn irrigation systems is allowed on any day, but only if necessary to test a customer's newly installed or newly repaired sprinkler system.
- B. Watering of a newly planted lawn, tree, shrub, flower, or vegetable plant is allowed one time (not once daily) on any day, immediately after planting.
- C. Daily watering following treatment of vegetation with a fertilizer, pesticide or herbicide is allowed for two days only, starting on the date that the fertilizer, pesticide or herbicide is applied. Documentation of the date that the treatment was applied shall be produced upon the request of the appropriate authorities. Watering under this provision is allowed no more often than once every three weeks.
- D. For purposes of odd/even restrictions, outside water use at condominium and homeowners' association properties that do not have designated address numbers shall be allowed on even days only.