

*****APRIL 1-OCTOBER 31 EACH YEAR DAYTIME WATER RESTRICTIONS ARE IN EFFECT! NO WATERING BETWEEN 10 A.M. AND 6 P.M. REMEMBER TO CHECK THE WATER CONSERVATION HOTLINE FOR CURRENT WATER RESTRICTIONS! 214-509-3111. Call for recorded information on our current water restrictions before you water your landscape! Or check website: CityofAllen.org/WaterConservation**



Did you know? Just one of the spray sprinklers in your irrigation system can be using as much as 3 gallons per minute? In this picture, the irrigation zone has 3 spray heads using 3 gallons per minute, and 2 spray heads using 1.5 gallons per minute. That zone is using 12 gallons per minute! What? You have 10 of these zones in your landscape? That's 120 gallons for each minute. The controller is set for 10 minutes for each zone 2 times per week. That equates to 2400 gallons each week! Wow that is a lot of water. Learn more: [WaterConservation Look at conserving outdoors page](#). Also sign up for the monthly newsletter.

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HIGH BILLS? UTILITY RATES: CityofAllen.org/UtilityServiceRates

Water Conservation holds the Sustainable Landscape Series each year. Many of the seminars were videotaped and can be watched via the ACTV You Tube channel: CityofAllen.org/SLS

Are You Ready For Spring – Winds, Rains and Sirens?

Spring storms often cause tree damage. Residents have many disposal options available after storm events.

- For severe storm events, the City will determine within 72 hours if additional support is needed to help with storm debris disposal. That information will be posted on the front page of the City website, CityofAllen.org.
- If a tree was damaged, residents may utilize the Loose Brush Collection service for disposal. Place up to 3 cubic yards (about the size of three washing machines placed side-by-side) of tree and brush trimmings at the regular trash collection point, at least 2 feet away from carts. Trimming are defined as branches up to 4" in diameter or less. Branches must be no longer than 6 feet in length. Residents must call CWD at 972.392.9300 (Ext. 2) to schedule the once monthly collection.
- The DIY option: take tree debris to the NTMWD Custer Road Wood Grinding Facility (Custer TS), 9901 Custer Road in Plano. Resident must present their latest City utility bill and current drivers license with matching addresses. Custer TS is open Monday – Saturday, from 8 am till 4:30 pm.

