

**\*\*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](http://cityofallen.org/waterconservation)**



**July is SMART irrigation month!** To raise awareness of the benefits of efficient watering practices, the Irrigation Association has named July “SMART Irrigation month”. July is a great time to improve the efficiency of your outdoor irrigation system or install a water efficient automatic irrigation system. A well-maintained system keeps your lawn and landscape beautiful and healthy, while minimizing water waste. There are many SMART technologies available today that allow you to maintain beautiful landscapes while maximizing water efficiency. To learn more, visit this website: [smartirrigationmonth.org](http://smartirrigationmonth.org)

## “Know What to Throw” Spotlight

- DO Recycle aluminum and plastic beverage containers. Empty the liquids – hydrate yourself, not your recycling cart!
  - DO NOT Recycle Personal Protection Equipment (PPE) – Instead place masks, gloves and other PPE in a trash bag in your trash cart. DO NOT recycle empty propane tanks in your recycling bin – Instead call 214.509.4551 and request a Household Hazardous Waste collection or take them back to the store. The Blue Cart is for Recycling! Recyclables should be empty, clean, and dry.
- Take the Recycling Quiz: <http://www.timetorecycle.com/knowwhattothrow/>

