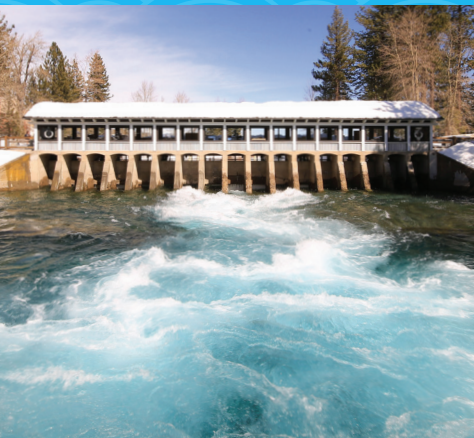


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DO-IT-YOURSELF WORKSHOPS

Participate and Learn

Get smart about your sprinkler and drip systems by attending the following workshops:

Maintaining Drip Systems

Thursday, May 26
5:30–6:30 p.m.

Maintaining Sprinkler Systems

Friday, June 1
5:30–6:30 p.m.

Sessions are free! For more details and to RSVP, visit tmwa.com/events.

ARE YOU ODD OR EVEN? KNOW YOUR WATERING DAYS!

Implementing TMWA's three-day watering program at your home or business will help you use water wisely this spring and summer. Everyone gets three days per week to run sprinkler systems. Your street address is the key to remembering your watering days.

Even-numbered addresses water their yards on Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays. Odd-numbered addresses water on Wednesdays, Fridays, and Sundays. Everyone can help prevent water loss by not running sprinklers during the heat of the day. However, efficient drip irrigation and hand watering are allowed at any time.

Please remember: There is no watering on Mondays, which allows our water system a day to recover.

Being smart about water is a way of life in the Truckee Meadows. With Assigned-Day Watering, you can maintain yard health, keep water bills low and also avoid waste. As a reminder, you can cut out the schedule below and tack it next to your sprinkler controller.

For Odd Addresses

(house numbers ending in 1, 3, 5, 7 or 9)

RUN SPRINKLERS ONLY ON:

💧 **Wednesdays**
💧 **Fridays**
💧 **Sundays**

For Even Addresses

(house numbers ending in 0, 2, 4, 6 or 8)

RUN SPRINKLERS ONLY ON:

💧 **Tuesdays**
💧 **Thursdays**
💧 **Saturdays**



ON TIME, EVERY TIME:

AUTOPAY IS THE EASIEST WAY TO PAY YOUR BILL!

Set it and forget it—Use AutoPay to ensure your water bill will be paid on the due date.

Payment confirmation included—You will be sent a paper or email receipt following each transaction, depending on your preference.

Never worry about expired credit cards—Opt in for AutoPay with eCheck, a free service that processes payments automatically.

Sign up today at myaccount.tmwa.com—You will need your account number in order to register, so have a recent TMWA water bill handy.

STRIKE THE PERFECT BALANCE: USE ONLY THE WATER YOUR YARD NEEDS

Did you know that our community uses four times more water during the summer season? Using only the water your lawn needs is one of the most impactful things you can do to conserve water this summer. It's especially important to keep an eye on your sprinkler run times to avoid excess water runoff. Don't let water run off your lawn and into the gutter because of long sprinkler run times.

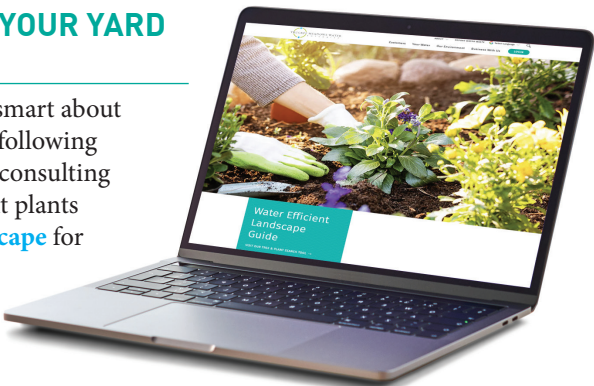
You can test the amount of water your lawn really needs by following these steps:

- 1 Run your sprinkler until your lawn is saturated and the water begins running off. Note the time lapse.
- 2 Allow the water to soak in for about an hour.
- 3 After an hour has passed, the water should reach approximately 6–8 inches into the soil. Test the depth by pushing a screwdriver into the ground.
- 4 If you cannot push a screwdriver easily to this depth, water again to your runoff time, then let the water soak in and retest. Repeat this process until the water depth reaches 6–8 inches.
- 5 Adjust the frequency and duration of your sprinkler times according to your results.

By following these steps, you can make sure your lawn gets the water it needs without causing waste.

TMWA IS HERE TO HELP YOU PREPARE YOUR YARD FOR SUMMER

With summer quickly approaching, we all need to be smart about water use inside and outside the home. In addition to following assigned watering days, you can optimize your use by consulting our Landscape Guide to find the perfect water-efficient plants and landscaping for your yard. Visit tmwa.com/landscape for information on landscaping in the Truckee Meadows. The searchable guide includes descriptions and photos of hundreds of drought-tolerant trees, shrubs and plants.



WHERE TO CALL

GENERAL INQUIRIES	834-8080
EMERGENCY REPAIR	834-8090
WATER CONSERVATION	834-8005
WATER QUALITY	834-8118
WATER RIGHTS	834-8029
OMBUDSMAN	848-0813



Truckee Meadows Water Authority is a not-for-profit, community-owned water utility, overseen by elected officials and citizen appointees from Reno, Sparks and Washoe County. TMWA employs a highly skilled team who ensure the treatment, delivery and availability of high-quality drinking water around the clock for more than 440,000 residents of the Truckee Meadows.

UPCOMING HOLIDAYS AND MEETINGS

STANDING ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING
JUNE 7, 3:00–5:00 P.M.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING
JUNE 15, 10:00 A.M.–NOON

Please find details for all workshops and meetings at tmwa.com/meeting

