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### **Smart About Water Quick Fact:**

With summer right around the corner, please remember your watering days when getting your irrigation system ready. Do you know your watering days? See the graphic below:

### **Assigned-Day Watering**

**Odd Addresses** 

**♦** Wednesdays **♦**Fridays

**∆Sundays** 



**Even Addresses** 

**∆**Tuesdays 

**♦** Saturdays

NO WATERING ON MONDAYS. DO NOT WATER BETWEEN NOON AND 6 P.M.

Is your sprinkler system working correctly? If you like to do it yourself, TMWA has two free workshops on sprinkler system and drip system maintenance in May. See the calendar section for dates.

Remember, outdoor watering increases water use of an average residential customer by as much as 10 times during the dry summer months. Beyond the conservation benefit, assigned-day watering also helps level off peak usage during the high-water demand season. See more information about Assigned Day Watering at tmwa.com/adw

## Want the Facts on Our Current Water Supply? View TMWA's Annual Water **Supply Outlook Presentation**

Now you can learn about the latest snowpack measurements straight from TMWA, and find out what they mean for our water supply. The Water Supply Outlook was presented on Zoom to on April 3. If you missed it, the video is now available to view at your convenience. Hear from Bill Hauck, TMWA's Water Supply Supervisor, who provided the current snowpack measurements, projected river flows and TMWA's integrated water management approach. After April 3rd, the 20-minute Zoom presentation will be posted here for easy viewing: tmwa.com/wso-2025.

### **Smart About Water Day on Saturday May 10**

Get the Latest About Our Water Resources in the Truckee Meadows



If you are wondering about how water is managed today and what the future holds, Smart About Water Day is the perfect opportunity to

get answers to your questions. Join our region's water management experts for this free community event featuring the projects, plans and actions that contribute to the overall state of water in the Truckee Meadows.

This family-friendly, interactive event takes place at the California Building in Reno's Idlewild Park. Drop by anytime on Saturday, May 10 from 10 a.m.-2 p.m. and talk directly with scientists and local water planning experts. Bring your questions!

### This event happens only one day each year!

Topics planned include:

· Water efficient Landscaping (including using native plants to

replace grass)

- · How water is made safe to drink
- Programs protecting the Truckee River watershed
- Long-range water resource planning
- · Regional water recycling efforts



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Come meet the dedicated professionals from TMWA, the City of Reno, Truckee Meadows Regional Planning Agency, Truckee Meadows Water Reclamation Facility, the Northern Nevada Water Planning Commission, Nevada Department of Environmental Protection, Desert Research Institute, Sierra Nevada Journeys, and other organizations whose work contributes to water resource sustainability for our region.

Presentations are scheduled throughout the day, starting at 10:30 a.m. Bill Hauck, TMWA's Water Supply Supervisor, will present the Water Supply Outlook for those who missed the April 3rd event. Other presentations, happening every thirty minutes, includes TMWA's 2025-2045 water resource plan, an update on the A+ Water Purification Facility and more.

Local food trucks will be onsite. Kids can also enjoy interactive learning opportunities and TMWA will have a fleet of big rigs on display to explore. For the latest information about the event, please visit **smartaboutwater.com** 

# Tahoe To Tap Tour: Understanding the Quality of Your Drinking Water

Learn how TMWA produces enough high-quality water to supply the community's needs-whether it be 40 million gallons on a cold winter day, or 140 million in the heat of the summer! The Tahoe to Tap Workshop is two hours long, starting at 5:30 p.m. on Wednesday, May 7th.

TMWA's staff will explain the rigorous regulations, testing and treatment procedures that water goes through before reaching your tap. This workshop includes a watershed presentation and a tour of the Glendale Water Treatment Plant and its water quality lab.

The workshop is free and open to TMWA customers. Space is limited, so please RSVP by emailing **rsvp@tmwa.com** or call 775-834-8290. Attendees under 18 must be accompanied by an adult.

# AVOID EXTRA FEES! Sign Up for AutoPay via Electronic Checking



Did you know? When you sign up for AutoPay using electronic checking (or electronic funds transfer), no transactional fees are charged to TMWA by your bank. Once you've enrolled, that means there is no cost to you for this service! Just set it and forget it. Your bills will then get paid on time, every time.

Signing up is easy! Have a recent TMWA water bill handy to reference your account number. Log on to **tmwa.com/online** under Bills & Payments, and select AutoPay. You will then be prompted to create a new payment method by entering your Bank Routing Number and Account Number.

### Where to Call

General Inquiries	775-834-8080
Emergency Repair	775-834-8090
Water Conservation	775-834-8005
Water Quality	775-834-8118
Water Rights	775-834-8029
Ombudsman	775-848-0813



Truckee Meadows Water Authority is a 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 450.000 residents of the Truckee Meadows.

## **Events and Public Meetings**

# Workshop; Tahoe To Tap, Understanding Your Drinking Water

May 7, 5:30 – 7:30 p.m. at Glendale Water Treatment Plant

#### **Smart About Water Day**

May 10, 10 a.m. – 2 p.m. at the California Bldg., Idlewild Park

**Workshop: Drip System Maintenance Made Easy** May 21, 5:30 – 6:30 p.m.

#### **Board of Directors Meeting (New Day)**

May 22 at 10 a.m. - noon. Sparks City Council Chambers

# Workshop: Sprinkler System Maintenance Make Easy (Not Drip)

May 28, 5:30 - 6:30 p.m.

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







