

Sprinkling REGULATIONS

To promote water conservation in Sparwood, the District has implemented sprinkling regulations that shall be in effect from June 1, 2007 through September 30 each year. Even numbered addresses are allowed to water on even calendar days and odd numbered addresses are allowed to water on odd calendar days.

Exceptions to the water sprinkling restrictions include nurseries, golf courses; farms, turf and tree farms, and municipal parks, playing fields, and other municipal properties.

There will be special permission for those residents who have installed a new lawn (either seed or sod) for a period of 21 days after installation of the lawn.

This does not apply to gardens, only lawn sprinkling. If a total sprinkling ban is imposed, then watering of vegetables, flowers and shrubs must be done by hand using containers or a hose with a spring loaded shut off. Drip irrigation systems are the most efficient method of watering clusters of plants and are exempt from sprinkling regulations. Cars can be washed but must be done with a spring loaded shut off on the hose.

