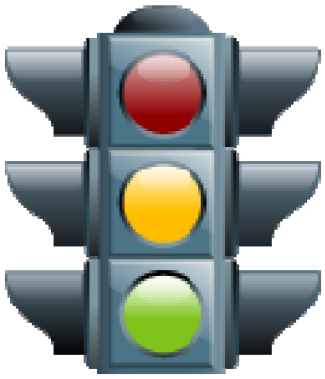
City of Crystal Lake
Water Conservation Plan

Conserving Water by Reducing Peak Demands

To help reduce our City's peak water system demands, the Public Works Department is reminding consumers about our water conservation plan. This plan is part of a long term effort to promote conservation in order to preserve this precious resource.
The City utilizes a color code water regulation program, which is used by many surrounding communities.

The three color system program will work as follows:

Water conservation status signs will be posted at arterial roads within the City. Residents can also check current status on City's website or by calling the Water Division at (815) 356 - 3614 .



RED: Outdoor use of water from a connection to the City's public water supply is prohibited.

CURRENT CONDITION - YELLOW: Lawn & landscape watering is permitted on odd / even days between the hours of 5-8 am and 6-9 pm. Property addresses ending in odd numbers shall be permitted to use water on odd numbered calendar days and even numbered addresses on even numbered days.

GREEN: Lawn & landscape watering is permitted between the hours of 5-8 am and 6-9 pm. There are NO restrictions for other outdoor uses of water.

OUTSIDE USE	GREEN	YELLOW	RED
Sprinkler/Irrigation system for watering Landscape.	5am – 8am 6pm – 9pm	Odd/ Even 5am – 8am 6pm – 9pm	Not Allowed
Hand watering gardens, trees and shrubs, cleaning outside items such as decks & cars, & children using sprinklers.	Every day anytime	Every day anytime	Not Allowed

The City is requesting the help and cooperation of every business and resident with this water conservation effort. Any person, firm, or corporation violating this water conservation ordinance 322 is subject to a fine as published in our City Code.

Questions concerning the City's Water Conservation Plan should be directed to the Water Division at (815) 356-3614.