

DO YOUR PART TO SAVE WATER THIS YEAR!!!

Conserving summertime water means keeping more water in our streams and rivers. For the sake of the fish and their riparian habitat; for the sake of overall watershed health; for the sake of yourself and your community:

Water Saving Tips:

Plant native grasses, plants and trees that are drought tolerant.



Consider a graywater system to recycle household water for use as outdoor irrigation water.



Water your lawn at dawn or dusk to reduce evaporation loss.

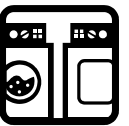
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Install a drip irrigation system in your garden or yard.



Fix leaks around your home to save as much as 9000 gallons in a year.

Wash only full loads in your washing machine and dishwasher (saves up to 2,000 gallons a year). Get a tax refund when you buy water-efficient versions of these appliances.



Use a broom instead of a hose to clean your driveway.

Wash your car with a bucket, not a hose.



Buy a low-flush toilet or put a brick in your toilet tank.

Turn off faucet any time you're not using it.



Take a shorter shower or install a water conserving shower head.

Use recycled paper (saves 60,000 gallons of water per ton of paper).



These ideas brought to you by the Mid Klamath Watershed Council. For more information or to add your own ideas to this document, call (530) 469-3216

