

## Water Conservation Tips

- Use a broom to clean your driveways and sidewalks, not the hose.
- Report sprinkler or irrigation system that causes runoff onto adjacent properties, walkways or roadways.
- Instead of running the water while washing the dishes, incorporate using a dishwashing bin for dishwashing.
- To wash vegetables use a small bowl or bin of water rather than excessively running the water for rinsing.
- Take a shorter shower - *every minute you shorten your shower can save up to 75 gallons per month!*
- Don't run the water while you are brushing your teeth.
- Stop the sink and use a basin of water for shaving rather than letting the water run.
- Only run the dishwasher and the clothes washer with full loads.
- Flush less.
- Report leaky faucets, plumbing joints, irrigation systems, and/or running toilets immediately - *a faucet that drips just five times per minute may be wasting more than 260 gallons per year!*
- Wash vehicles with a hand-held bucket or hose fitted with shut-off nozzle.
- Install a low flow shower head.