



## TOWN OF KURE BEACH

The Town Council of Kure Beach, in response to Governor Easley's request for implementation of Water Shortage Response Plans and after meeting in emergency session on September 11, 2007, voted to implement stage 1 of the Town's water conservation ordinance with the following guidelines for water conservation:

- Limit car washing to the minimum
- Limit lawn and garden watering to that which is necessary for plants to survive
- Do not wash down outside areas such as sidewalks, patios, parking lots, service bays or aprons, etc.
- Do not leave faucets running while shaving or rinsing dishes
- Water shrubbery to the minimum required reusing household water when possible
- Limit use of clothes washers and dish washers and when used, operate fully loaded
- Use showers for bathing, rather than bathtub and limit showers to no more than four (4) minutes
- Limit flushing of toilets by multiple usages
- The use of disposable and biodegradable dishes is encouraged
- Use flow restrictive and water saving devices
- Limit hours of operation of water-cooled air conditioners
- All residents, businesses, and institutions are requested to temporarily delay new landscape work until the water shortage has ended

Stage 1 does not apply to shallow wells.

Per Governor Easley, the entire state is now facing a serious drought, with 93 of 100 counties experiencing exceptional to severe drought conditions.

Town Clerk  
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