



Public Service Announcement

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville Residents Asked to Conserve Water Summer watering restrictions in place until end of September

Whitchurch-Stouffville, ON – York Region and the Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville are asking residents and businesses to help conserve water over the next few weeks while hot, dry weather persists.

To help manage water usage and ensure a sufficient supply is on hand for the Town to use in times of need, Whitchurch-Stouffville By-Law 2004-87-WS regulates how and when water can be used for non-essential needs. Outdoor water use restrictions are in place from May 15th to September 30th each year.

Water restrictions are as follows:

- An EVEN numbered address may use water outdoors only on EVEN numbered days of the month;
- An ODD numbered address may use water outdoors only on ODD numbered days of the month;
- Outdoor water use is only permitted between the hours of 6:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.

Whitchurch-Stouffville By-Law Officers will be fully enforcing these restrictions for the remainder of the summer.

For further information about outdoor water use in Whitchurch-Stouffville, please visit townofws.ca/outdoorwateruse.

As a reminder, residents and visitors can cool down at Town pools, splash pads, wading pools, and designated cooling locations during extreme heat conditions. The cooling locations in Whitchurch-Stouffville are:

- The Stouffville Clippers Sports Complex, 120 Weldon Road, Stouffville.
- Municipal Offices (Town Hall), 111 Sandiford Drive, Stouffville.
- The Whitchurch-Stouffville Leisure Centre and Public Library, 2 Park Drive, Stouffville
- The Whitchurch-Stouffville Museum and Community Centre, 14732 Woodbine Avenue, Gormley (Vandorf)

The following community parks have splash pads or wading pools:

- Sunnyridge Neighbourhood Park, Sunny Ridge and Hoover Park Dr.
- Madori Neighbourhood Park, Millard St. and Winlane Dr.
- Wheler's Neighbourhood Park, Hoover Park Dr. and Mostar St.
- Byer's Pond Park, Byer's Pond Way and Hoover Park Dr.
- Greenwood Parkette, Greenwood Rd. and Alderwood St.

Extreme heat can cause dehydration, heat exhaustion, heat stroke and even death. Warning signs of heat-related illness include dizziness, headache, nausea or vomiting, weakness and confusion. If you experience any of these symptoms, seek immediate medical attention.

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