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PRESS RELEASE

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City moving to Stage 4 water conservation conditions

Kerrville, Texas (July 28, 2025) – On July 28, 2025, the city manager for the City of Kerrville, Texas declared a water supply emergency for the city's water system. Pursuant to this declaration, the city manager has determined that the Stage 4 — Severe water conservation conditions is the most appropriate water conservation stage to address this emergency.

The city manager made this declaration following information received from the city's water utility as to the continuing inoperable status of the city's water treatment plant. The plant remains inoperable due to the flooding to Nimitz Lake and its impact on the intake equipment, and other areas within.

The city's entry into Stage 4 takes effect immediately on Tuesday, July 29, 2025 at 12 a.m., and the city has provided notice in accordance with Section 110-99 of the city's Code of Ordinances. Be advised that in Stage 4, automatic and hose end sprinklers and soaker hoses are prohibited on all days/times.

City staff will continue to rely on groundwater wells to meet current water usage demands while plant repairs are continuing. Despite the plant remaining inoperable and the emergency declaration, there are no concerns regarding the quality of the treated water being provided. The implementation of Stage 4 is solely a water management measure at this time to aid in prolonging our groundwater supply.

Stage 4 measures are identified in the table below. Further information regarding plant repairs, water conservation, and enforcement will be provided in future press releases. For more information on Stage 4 measures, please visit the City of Kerrville website at <https://www.kerrvilletx.gov/> or call (830) 257-8000 for general questions.

Manner of Water Use	Year Round Water Conservation	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Stage 4	Stage 5
Automatic & Hose End Sprinklers & Soaker Hoses	Allowed	Allowed	Allowed	Allowed	Not Allowed	Not Allowed
	6:00pm – 10:00am	6:00am – 10:00am AND 8:00pm – 12:00am	6:00am – 9:00am AND 8:00pm – 10:00pm	6:00am – 9:00am	Prohibited at ALL times	Prohibited at ALL times
	Every Day	TUE & SAT: Odd Addresses WED & SUN: Even Addresses	TUE & SAT: Odd Addresses WED & SUN: Even Addresses	TUE & SAT: Odd Addresses WED & SUN: Even Addresses	Prohibited on ALL days	Prohibited on ALL days
Hand-Held Hoses w/Nozzle, Drip Irrigation, or Buckets	Allowed	Allowed	Allowed	Allowed	Allowed	Not Allowed
	Anytime	Anytime	7:00pm – 9:00am	6:00am – 9:00am AND 7:00pm – 11:00pm	6:00am – 9:00am AND 7:00pm – 11:00pm	Prohibited at ALL times
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