

Circular 29 – 2018

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Dear Residents

### **Water restrictions lowered/appeal to curb water usage**

Water restrictions and the associated tariffs have been conservatively lowered from Level 6B to Level 5 from 1 October 2018. Capetonians have been given the go-ahead to increase their daily water usage from 50 litres to 70 litres per person, per day. The City of Cape Town is requesting that, although the daily usage has been increased, that everyone continues to be water wise.

However, water sustainability and consumption remains a challenge that we should continue to take very seriously. It seems complacency – together with the stifling conditions that have hit the Cape recently – have both driven consumption up towards dangerous levels again. From using as little as 500 million litres a day as a city, that has now increased to 593 million litres a day.

We would like to thank those residents that are making a concerted effort to save water, we are grateful and commend you. A number of residents have totally disregarded our repeated appeals to curb their water usage and we respectfully request that they comply with the water restrictions. In addition, we can see an increased daily usage in our village since the beginning of October. We kindly ask that all residents continue to save water whenever you can.

A request was put forward at our last Mancom meeting to re-install the garden taps. Roshaan will be doing this over the next few days. Again, may we remind you to use this water sparingly.

We thank you for your co-operation.

Yours sincerely,



Christine Dampers  
Village Manger