

Eliminate Watering of Non-Functional Turf

Commercial, Industrial and Institutional



California's weather is anything but predictable. Reducing outdoor water use is the greatest opportunity to save water and keep it in reserves for when we need it. Commercial, industrial and public properties are required to adhere to the emergency statewide ban eliminating all outdoor watering of non-functional turf. This is in effect until June 14, 2023, unless modified.

What is Non-Functional Turf?

Non-functional turf means grass that is not regularly used for recreational purposes or for civic or community events.

Call to Action

All non-residential properties, including homeowner's associations, are prohibited by the state from watering non-functional turf with potable drinking water, at any time.

What Not to Water?

- Highway/street medians and parkways
- Turf surrounding office buildings and in parking lots
- Turf on sloped areas not suitable for recreational use



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What are the Exceptions?

- ✓ Residential properties and apartment buildings
- ✓ Properties that irrigate with recycled water
- ✓ Golf courses and cemeteries if using recycled water
- ✓ Trees or non-turf plants
- ✓ Sports fields and parks



Diverse, Lush and Colorful

Turf replacement reduces water usage on any given site by up to 80%. From lilacs to dudleyas, the options for California Friendly® plants are endless. Replace your grass and be the role model among your community by contributing to its vibrancy and sustainability.



We're Here to Help



TURF REBATE

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Plant low-water groundcovers that are low-maintenance, no-mow, and environmentally friendly. Kurapia and clover are great alternatives. Learn more at bewaterwise.com/garden.



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