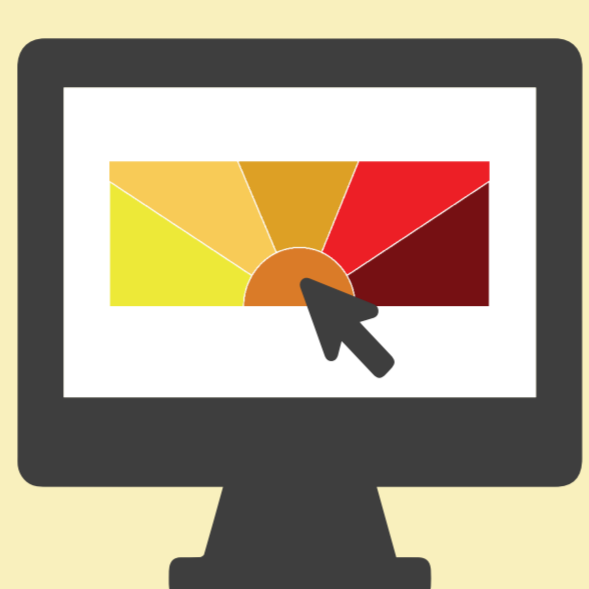


# It's Dry Out There!

Be a **H<sub>2</sub>erO** and Do Your Part to Save Water!

When it's dry, it may mean there is a drought that can lead to water shortages. How can you be drought aware? Follow the steps below!

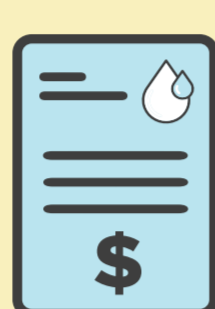
## ARE YOU IN DROUGHT? FIGURE IT OUT!



Go to [drought.gov](https://drought.gov); type in your zip code to see the conditions in your area.

## WHO IS YOUR WATER PROVIDER?

### LOOK



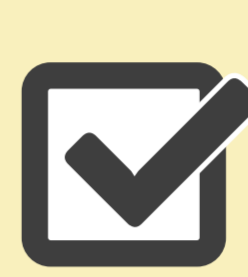
at your [water utility bill](#).

### VISIT



your water utility website.

### SIGN UP



for water or leak alerts.

### LEARN

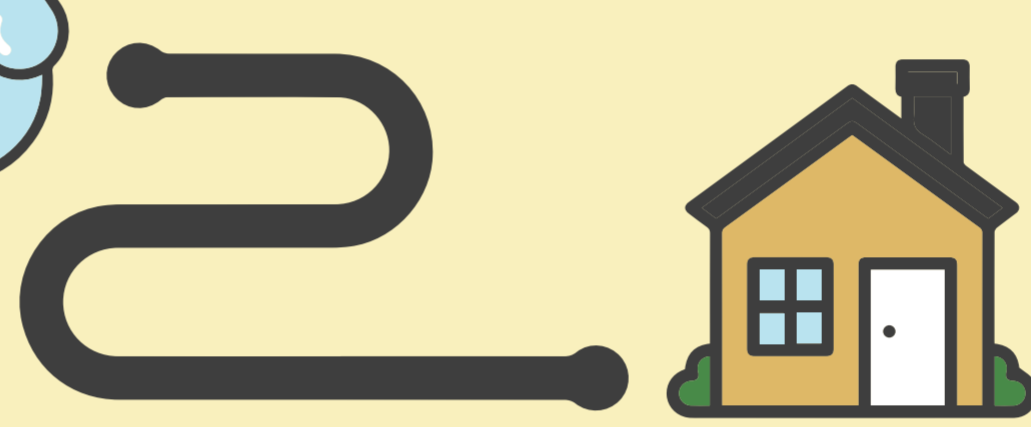


about your water use.

## WHAT'S YOUR WATER SOURCE?



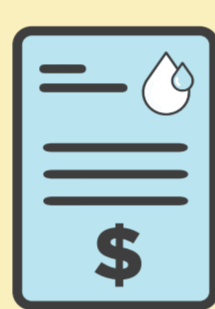
Google your local water quality report to find the source.



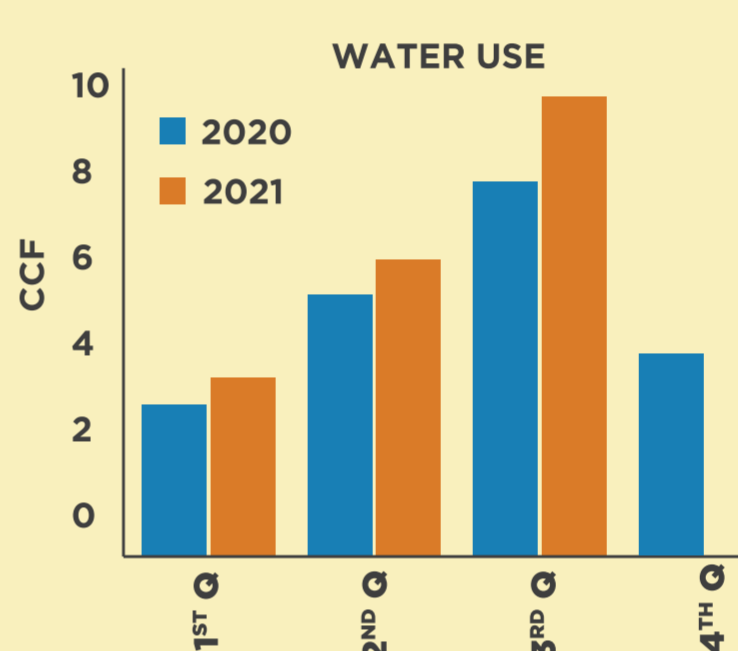
Even if your water comes from far away, drought may affect your water source.

## HOW MUCH WATER DO YOU USE?

### LOOK



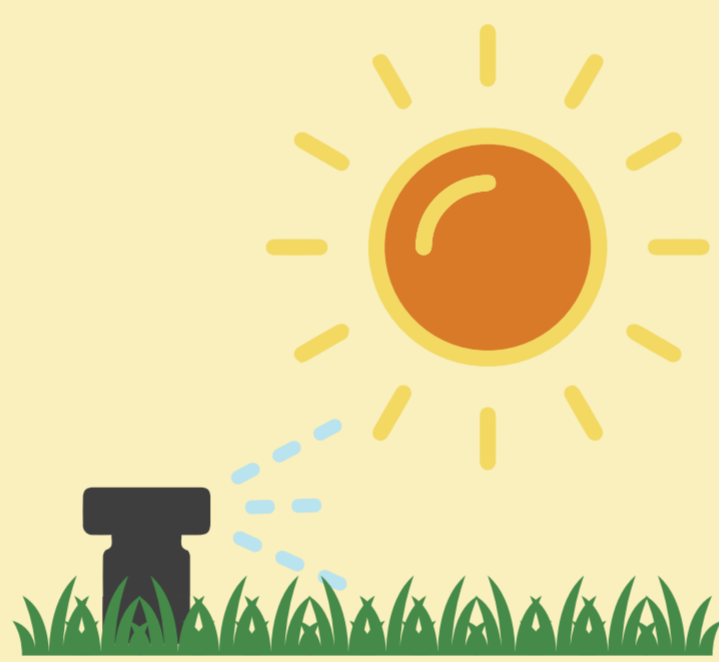
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Are there clues that show where you can save water?

Your bill may be in hundreds of cubic feet; 1 CCF = 748 gallons.

## SUMMER WATER USE ON THE RISE?



Trying to keep landscapes green in the summer can boost water use. Cut back on [landscape irrigation](#).

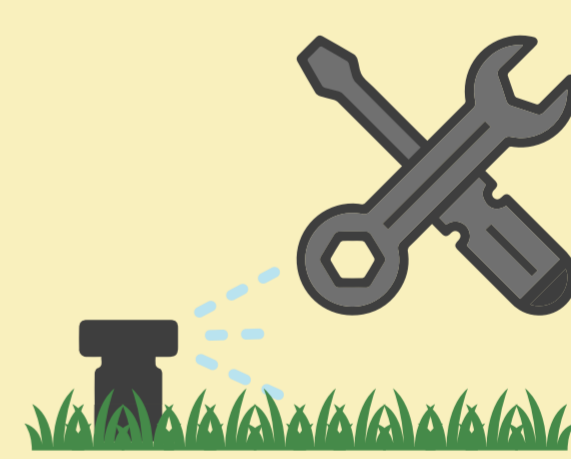
## WHERE ARE YOU WASTING WATER?

### CHECK FOR LEAKS



[Leaking toilets](#), dripping faucets, and [broken sprinklers](#) can waste thousands of gallons each year.

### SPRUCE-UP SPRINKLERS



## HAVE YOU SWAPPED OUT OLD FIXTURES?



[WaterSense labeled products](#) use less water and perform as well or better than standard models. Your utility may provide [rebates](#) to help you save money.

## ARE YOU FOLLOWING UTILITY RULES?

Reducing water use is the **most important** way to ensure there is enough water to provide critical services to your community.



[www.epa.gov/watersense/drought-watersense](https://www.epa.gov/watersense/drought-watersense)

