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NOVEMBER 1 MARKS CHANGE IN IRRIGATION TIMES

SAN DIEGO – Even though daylight savings time is about to end, there’s another clock that needs changing first. November 1 marks the day in which the City of San Diego water irrigation times change. From now through May 31st, City customers can water their landscape as early as 4 p.m. The days are shorter, so the water lost to evaporation decreases.

By comparison, from June to October when we have the hotter months of the year, customers aren’t allowed to use their irrigation systems until after 6 p.m.

November 1 is also a good time to think about cutting back on the amount of water you use for irrigation. Not as much is needed compared to the dog days of summer.

When water timers are set correctly, customers are using water more efficiently. For more information on water conservation and the City’s landscape watering calculator, which helps customers determine the amount of water use according to their specific landscape design, visit www.WasteNoWater.org.

The City of San Diego’s Water Conservation Program reduces water demand through promoting or providing incentives for the installation of hardware that provides permanent water savings, and by providing services and information to help San Diegans make better decisions about water use. For more information about Water Conservation, visit www.wastenowater.org or call (619) 515-3500.

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