

SUMMER SUN, FUN AND WATER WAIMATE URBAN WATER SUPPLY

September 2023

With warm temperatures and below average rainfall forecasted for Canterbury area over the summer this year. Residents on the Waimate Urban Water Supply are asked to look at their water needs, and usage.

Council wants you to enjoy summer activities and ask that you consider wise water usage when doing so. This is as simple as checking to see if your taps, toilet cisterns and hoses are not leaking or left running overnight.

If you're interested in some useful water conservation ideas, please see the LAWA website for "Tips on conserving water"

https://www.lawa.org.nz/learn/factsheets/tips-on-conserving-water/

We also encourage you to understand your water usage by reading your water meter at the boundary. Please see our webpage on How to read meter and make recordings.pdf (waimatedc.govt.nz) and How to test for a water leak simple and advanced.pdf (waimatedc.govt.nz)

If you do find a leak on your property, please ensure it is repaired as soon as possible.

If you notice a water leak in the footpath or road, or any other Waimate District Council water lines, please report this to Council on (03) 689 0000 immediately.

Responsible water practices help minimise wastage, or the chance of water shortages in the supply, and means that Council can continue to sustainably supply water to your property over the summer.

If you have any queries, please contact Council on (03) 689 0000 or council@waimatedc.govt.nz.