

Tips to Conserve Water

- *Leaky faucets can waste up to 50 to 100 gallons per day. If you see a leaky faucet you are encouraged to please report it to the front office or staff.*
- *Leaving faucets running while brushing your teeth wastes up to 5 gallons of water. Kids & adults should brush their teeth with the faucet in the off position to save water, then turn faucet on to rinse out your mouth.*
- *Defrost food in the refrigerator instead of running under hot water, this saves water & propane to heat the water.*
- *Do not leave faucets running while washing dishes in the kitchen sink. Draw water into kitchen sink, add soap, then scrub plates, pot's & pans. Rinse all the dishes at the same time and let them air dry in the dish rack.*

Some day you may want a drink of cool, clear water. Where it will be waiting there for you & me. Because we did our part to conserve our precious resources.

Thank You for Helping.

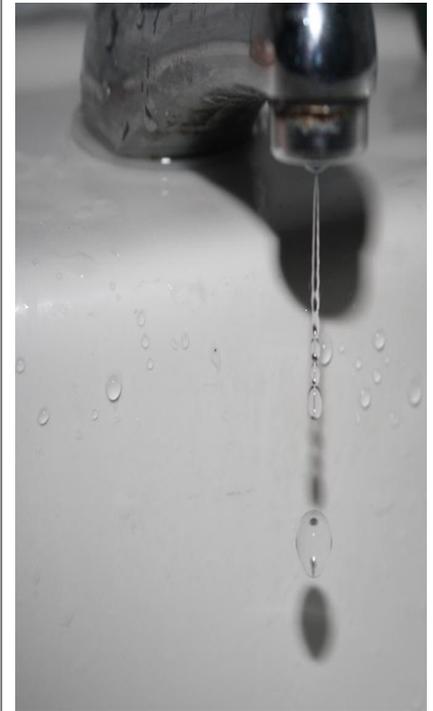
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Water Conservation



**Every Drop Counts,
so, conserve water
and save the planet
for our kids.**

We need your Help?



This is to let you know we at Farish are working hard to improve the Water Well Issues.

Presently we have two (2) wells to provide fresh drinking water, washing hands, showering, flushing toilet & urinals.

One of our wells on the property has failed.

We are in the process of drilling a new well to replace the old well. In the mean time, Sierra Water is trucking 8000 gallons every few days to our storage tanks up by the Cabins, Shower Area and Conference Area.

By conservation of our water supply, and by

reducing water waste actions, will help us a lot. Think about ways to conserve water in this beautiful camping recreational environment. We presently have low flow fixtures in our showers, toilets, sink and kitchen faucets and will be improving water efficiency over the next few months.

We have included some tips in this flyer that will help conserve water during your stay.

Thank you very much for your help, and understanding,

While you are out and about during the day, we have placed a number of port-o-lets (porta potty) at various locations in the camping area. By using these outdoor porta potties it reduces the number of water flushes and saves 2.0 to 5.0 gallons per flush (GPF).

Fun Facts:

If all Americans flushed the toilet one less time per day, there would be enough water to fill a lake one mile wide, one mile long and four feet deep.



These are low flow toilets on a gravity feed and it is necessary to hold flushing handle down until flush is complete.



To Save water in a shower, try to reduce the time it takes to shower (5 to 8 min.). Use an egg timer, a stop watch, or your smart phone with an alarm, or follow the below steps:

- A. Turn water on and get wet all over.
- B. Shut off the flow of water
- C. Soap up completely
- D. Turn shower back on and rinse off

This saves many gallons of water and saves on propane to heat the water. A shower uses about 15 to 20 gallons of water per shower. Our showers are hand held ADA heads with low flow fixture .

