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**CITY OF JOLIET  
2017 WATER CONSERVATION PROGRAM**

The City of Joliet would like to thank its residents for their cooperation regarding lawn watering in accordance with the water conservation program. Watering within the specified hours minimizes water losses due to evaporation and helps promote root development for a healthy lawn.

The following water restrictions are in place for the City of Joliet water customers year-round per City of Joliet Code of Ordinances, Sec. 21-126: Lawn watering can only be done at even numbered addresses on even numbered days and at odd numbered addresses on odd numbered days between the hours of 6:00 AM and 10:00 AM or 6:00 PM and 10:00 PM.

The only exception to the odd/even water restriction applies to homeowners and / or businesses who intend to install sod. To receive a proper permit for this exception, customers should contact the Department of Public Utilities, Monday through Friday between the hours of 8:00 AM and 4:30 PM at (815) 724-4220, prior to sod installation.

There is no restriction in filling swimming pools, or watering trees, shrubs, flowers, and vegetable gardens. If you have any questions, please contact the Public Utilities Department at (815) 724-4220.

**Martin J. Shanahan Jr.  
Interim City Manager**

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