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RESIDENTS REQUESTED TO CONSERVE WATER DUE TO UNANTICIPATED WATER SHORTAGE

Willits, CA – Mechanical conditions at the City of Willits' Water Treatment Plant have resulted in reduced ability to supply enough water to meet the demands of the City's water customers. For this reason, City officials are requesting that all customers use the utmost care in their use of water and to conserve water wherever possible. The City requests that customers reduce water use by not irrigating landscaping or washing vehicles. The City wants to stress that this is a problem affecting the volume of water able to be delivered. **This is not a health issue; water quality is not affected.** City crews are working around the clock to make the necessary repairs to the plant and restore normal water flows to its customers as quickly as possible. The City regrets any inconvenience to our customers and appreciates your voluntary compliance with our request to conserve water.

Customers should call 459-7104 to obtain updated information. Anyone experiencing a disruption in water service after hours should contact the Willits Police Department at 459-6122.

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