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#### Soaker hoses and/or drip irrigation:

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#### Hand held hose with auto shutoff valve:

- Wash cars during your designated times on watering day to limit amount of water used.
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No filling or re-filling of pools

No non-essential use (water fountains, etc.)

Find out more about conservation techniques, water restrictions, aquifer conditions and regulatory info at www.bseacd.org

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