



CITY OF THE DALLES
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PRESS RELEASE

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TOPIC: City Water Supply Advisory

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The Dalles, Oregon – Two of the City’s three wells that are used to meet summer demands, are currently out of service due to unexpected mechanical failures. To avoid any water supply challenges, City of The Dalles water customers are encouraged to minimize or avoid unnecessary outdoor water use for the next two weeks. If that timeline changes, the City will provide additional updates.

Chenoweth Water PUD customers are not affected by this advisory. Customers can confirm their water provider at thedalles.org/waterdistrictmap.

Some of the things that customers can do to reduce outdoor water use include:

- Temporarily reducing lawn and garden watering.
- Using a sprinkler, drip irrigation or soaker hose for landscape and garden watering rather than an open hose.
- Using a commercial car wash that recycles much of its water rather than washing vehicles at home. If washing vehicles at home, using a spring-loaded nozzle rather than an open hose is recommended.

Repairs to the wells are expected to be completed by the end of June. This water use advisory may be extended if there are changes to the repair schedule.

If you have questions, please contact the Public Works Department at (541) 296-5401.

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