

### Water Use: Non Conserving vs. Conserving Activities:

	<b>Non-Conserving</b>	<b>Conserving Activities</b>
<b>Shower (5 minutes)</b>	Regular shower head 30 gallons	Low-flow shower head 15 gallons
<b>Toilet Flushing</b>	Conventional toilet 4-7 gallons per flush	Ultra-low flush toilet 1.5 gallons
<b>Brushing Teeth</b>	Tap running 10 gallons	Wet brush, rinse briefly Half gallon or less
<b>Tub Bath</b>	Full 20 gallons	Minimal water level Less than 20 gallons
<b>Shaving</b>	Tap running 2 gallons or more	Fill basin 1 gallon
<b>Washing Hands</b>	Tap running 2 gallons or more	Soap and rinse 1 gallon or less
<b>Dishwashing</b>	Tap running 30 gallons	Wash and rinse in sink 5 gallons
<b>Automatic Dishwasher</b>	Full cycle 15 gallons	Short cycle 11 gallons
<b>Washing Machine</b>	Full cycle, top water level 40 gallons	New "tumble-action" efficient clothes washer 25 gallons

### National Average Water Use For Typical Family Of Four (4):

<b>Inside Use</b>	<b>Gallons per Day</b>
Bathing	80
Bathroom Sink	8
Cooking and Drinking	12
Dishwashing	15
Laundry	35
Toilets	100
Utility Sink	5
<b>Total Family Use</b>	<b>255*</b>
* Equals 63.75 gallons per day per person	

### Average Inside Facilities Water Use:

<b>Fixture</b>	<b>Water Usage Needs</b>
Bathtub	25 to 35 gallons per tub
Clothes Washer	25 to 50 gallons per load
Dishwasher	7.5 to 16 gallons per load
Shower	5 to 15 gallons per minute
Toilet	Old - 3.5 to 7 gallons per flush
Toilet	New - 1.5 gallons per flush

### Average Outside Water Use For Landscaping And Swimming Pools:

<b>Outside Need</b>	<b>Annual Water Usage Needs</b>
Lawn	2.35 c.f. per square foot
Other Landscaping	1.0 c.f. per square foot
Swimming Pool (evaporation)*	2.35 c.f. per sq ft of surface area
*Without pool cover, 1 c.f. =	one cubic foot or 7.48 gallons