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Media Advisory Watering Restrictions in Effect Immediately throughout City

- What:** Water restrictions in effect immediately
- When:** Thursday, June 22, 2006
- Where:** City of Atlanta
- Why:** The City is extending the current Level 1 drought response to include a ban on outdoor water use effective immediately. All unnecessary water use; including watering lawns, washing cars and similar activities; is prohibited. The City is taking this action because of continuing drought conditions. Because rain is expected in the area over the weekend, the City will revisit the ban on Monday at 10 a.m. The restrictions do not apply to uses exempt under state law, including commercial car washes and landscape companies.

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