

AN AMENDMENT OR AMENDMENTS TO ORDINANCE NO. 95-5-1
(AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING AND REVISING RULES, RATES,
PROCEDURES REGULATIONS AND STANDARDS FOR THE OPERATION OF
THE SANGAMON VALLEY PUBLIC WATER DISTRICT IN CHAMPAIGN
COUNTY, ILLINOIS)

June 20, 2001
(Changes to be effective July 1, 2001)

The ORDINANCE is amended as follows:

ADD the following paragraph to SECTION 3 – WATER REGULATIONS:

New Paragraph 3.16 Water Use Restrictions

- A. The General Manager of the District may, after receiving the approval of the Board of Trustees, place restrictions on water usage by the customers of the District in any of the following situations in which it appears that unlimited usage of water could be greater than the ability of the system to provide such water or there would be a situation which would adversely effect the health or safety of the customers:
1. The water storage tower is not in use because of necessary repairs or is being painted.
 2. Any source water production well is out of service for repair or other reason.
 3. For whatever the reason, the water system is unable to maintain a pressure of 45 pounds per square inch in the system as measured at the water treatment plant on Prairieview Rd.
 4. In the event of a major water main break or breaks or other system malfunctions which would affect the ability of the system to deliver water in compliance with state and/or federal regulations.
 5. In the event of a major natural or manmade disaster which would affect the ability of the system to deliver water in compliance with state and/or federal regulations.
- B. In the event any one or more of the above conditions exists, the General Manager of the District with the approval of the Board of Trustees may impose restrictions on the use of water within the District. Depending on the severity of the situation, weather conditions and anticipated length of time that such condition may continue to exist, the General Manager may adopt the restrictions of any of the following levels and may change the restriction level to a higher or lower level as conditions change.

Level 1: Water shall not be used from the water system for the watering of yards, gardens, shrubs, trees or/and other open spaces. Water from the system shall not

be used for the initial filling of swimming pools or for the washing of houses or other buildings or for the washing of automobiles, trucks, motor homes and recreational vehicles or any other vehicles by private individuals not at a commercial car washing establishment.

Level 2: In addition to the restrictions in Level 1, water shall not be used for replacing water in a previously filled swimming pools, and commercial car wash operations shall cease.

Level 3: In addition to the restrictions in Level 1 and Level 2, the General Manager shall have the authority to establish hours of water usage and the rationing of the amount of water used. Such hours and the level of rationing may be varied according to the type of water usage and the amount of water necessary for such usage.

Level 4: In addition to the restrictions in Levels 1,2,and 3 above, water may be used only for human consumption and hygiene and all other uses of water shall cease.

- C. In the event that any person, partnership, association, corporation, business or any other entity shall violate any of the restrictions in paragraph B above, which are in effect at any time, such violator shall be given a verbal warning to cease the specific violation and be informed of the restrictions then in effect. After such warning has been given, if the violation of any restrictions then in effect, continues, such violation shall be subject to a fine of \$100.00. Such fine shall continue to be levied at the rate of \$100.00 per day until such time as the violation ceases or the restriction is lifted which ever is longer. In the case of severe or chronic and or continuing violations, the General Manager shall have the authority to terminate the water service of violator.

If the fines levied as a result of a violation of this section are not paid within 30 days of notification of said fine, the fine will be added to the regular monthly water bill of the customer and will be subject to the regular collection procedures outlined in Section 2 of this ordinance.