

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION BUREAU OF WATERSHED MANAGEMENT

(_____COUNTY) DROUGHT CONTINGENCY PLAN SUMMARY For Well Sources Based on Capacity of System

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Trigger Point	Demand Measures	Supply Measures
Supply Capacity Reduced to% of Normal Capacity	STAGE I Voluntary Restrictions on Nonessential Water Use	Systemwide Leakage and Loss Reduction Survey
Supply Capacity Reduced to% of Normal Capacity	STAGE II Implement Mandatory Restrictions on Nonessential Water Use Identify Customers That Could Be Shed From System:	Identify Reserve Sources of Supply and/or Interconnections:
	Notify the Division of Water Use Planning at 717-772-4048	Request Instream Flow Requirement Reduction, If Applicable (Contact the Commonwealth Drought Coordinator for approval. Use Form 3900-FM-WM0026.)
	If Stage III appears Imminent, Submit Water Rationing Plan to the Commonwealth Drought Coordinator	
Supply Capacity Reduced to% of Normal Capacity	STAGE III Implement Water Rationing Plan After Approval by the Commonwealth Drought Coordinator Shed Customers Identified in Stage II	List Emergency Sources and Equipment Necessary to Utilize Each Source.
		Request Instream Flow Requirement Reduction, If Applicable (Contact the Commonwealth Drought Coordinator for approval. Use Form 3900-FM-WM0026.)

Worksheet

Drought Triggers for Well Sources Based on Capacity of System

STAGE I

STAGE II

Present Capacity = Average Daily Water Use – 10% x 100
Normal Capacity = __% of Normal Capacity

STAGE III

Present Capacity = Average Daily Water Use – 20% x 100
Normal Capacity = __% of Normal Capacity

Present Capacity - The current capacity of the well sources.

Normal Capacity - The expected maximum or optimum capacity of the well sources during an

average year.

Peak Day Water Use - The highest day's water use (including self-supplied and purchased water)

for the report year.

Average Daily Water Use - Total water use for report year divided by 365 days.