

Water Leaks Cost Money

Water customers are constantly seeking means to keep monthly bills down and help water rates to remain low. One of the most effective ways of accomplishing this is by checking periodically for leaks and repairing the leak once identified.

You can also contact your local water provider for additional assistance.

MAKE EVERY DROP COUNT

*Size of Leak	Gallons Per Day at 60PSI	Gallons per Month
1/16	360	11,160
1/8	3,096	95,976
3/16	8,424	261,144
1/4	14,952	463,512

Water Conservation & Water Loss Statistics		
1 Bath	42 Gallons	
30 Baths	1,260 Gallons	
1 Shower	17 Gallons	
30 Showers	510 Gallons	
1 Load of Laundry	45 Gallons	
20 Loads of Laundry	900 Gallons	
1 Toilet Flush	1 Gallon per Flush	
10 Toilet Flushes per Day	300 Gallons per Month	

Source Principles and Practices of Water Supply Operations: Water Transmission and Distribution. Third Edition. AWWA. 2003

Leaking Faucet @ 100 Drips per Minute = 350 Gallons per Month
Leaking Toilet @ 1/2 Gallon per Minute = 21,600 Gallons per Month
Watering Garden or Lawn 2 Hours @ 5 Gallons per Minute = 18,000 Gallons per Month
Watering Garden or Lawn 2 Hours @ 10 Gallons per Minute = 36,000 Gallons per Month
Unattended Water Hose 9 Hours @ 10 Gallons per Minute = 5,400 Gallons

YOU CAN DO YOUR PART TO CONSERVE WATER AND LOWER YOUR MONTHLY BILL!