



2026 DROUGHT DASHBOARD

Water Use Restrictions in Community Waterworks*

Summary of Community Water Systems with Conservation Measures in Place				
Type of Conservation	Number of Systems	Percent of Total Systems	Population Impacted	Percent of Total Population
Mandatory Conservation Measures in Place	45	4.26%	60,785	0.82%
Voluntary Conservation Measures in Place	399	37.78%	3,340,201	44.86%
Public Education	89	8.43%	1,402,483	18.83%
Systems with Conservation Measures	533	50.47%	4,803,469	64.51%
Total Community Water Systems	1,056		7,446,446	

System Types Impacted	Number of Systems
Surface Water (SW, SWP)	98
Ground Water (GW, GU, GUP)	435
Total Systems Impacted:	533

CITIES/COUNTIES WITH WATERWORKS UNDER MANDATORY RESTRICTIONS:	Total: 20
AMHERST COUNTY, AUGUSTA COUNTY, BATH COUNTY, CAROLINE COUNTY, CHARLOTTE COUNTY, CHESAPEAKE CITY, CULPEPER COUNTY, FAUQUIER COUNTY, FRANKLIN COUNTY, GOOCHLAND COUNTY, HALIFAX COUNTY, HIGHLAND COUNTY, LOUDOUN COUNTY, LOUISA COUNTY, NORTHAMPTON COUNTY, NORTHUMBERLAND COUNTY, NOTTOWAY COUNTY, PITTSYLVANIA COUNTY,	

CITIES/COUNTIES WITH WATERWORKS UNDER VOLUNTARY MEASURES:	Total: 88
ACCOMACK COUNTY, ALBEMARLE COUNTY, ALEXANDRIA CITY, AMELIA COUNTY, AMHERST COUNTY, AUGUSTA COUNTY, BATH COUNTY, BEDFORD COUNTY, BOTETOURT COUNTY, BRUNSWICK COUNTY, BUCKINGHAM COUNTY, BUENA VISTA CITY, CAMPBELL COUNTY, CAROLINE COUNTY, CHARLES CITY COUNTY, CHARLOTTE COUNTY, CHARLOTTESVILLE CITY, CHESAPEAKE CITY, CLARKE COUNTY, CRAIG COUNTY, CULPEPER COUNTY, CUMBERLAND COUNTY, DANVILLE CITY, DINWIDDIE COUNTY, EMPORIA CITY, ESSEX COUNTY, FAIRFAX COUNTY, FAUQUIER COUNTY, FLOYD COUNTY, FLUVANNA COUNTY, FRANKLIN COUNTY, FREDERICK COUNTY, FREDERICKSBURG CITY, GLOUCESTER COUNTY, GOOCHLAND COUNTY, GRAYSON COUNTY, GREENE COUNTY, GREENSVILLE COUNTY, HALIFAX COUNTY, HANOVER COUNTY, HARRISONBURG CITY, HENRY COUNTY, ISLE OF WIGHT COUNTY, JAMES CITY COUNTY, KING AND QUEEN COUNTY, KING GEORGE COUNTY, KING WILLIAM COUNTY, LANCASTER COUNTY, LEXINGTON CITY, LOUDOUN COUNTY, LOUISA COUNTY, LUNENBURG COUNTY, MADISON COUNTY, MARTINSVILLE CITY, MATHEWS COUNTY, MECKLENBURG COUNTY, MIDDLESEX COUNTY, MONTGOMERY COUNTY, NELSON COUNTY, NEW KENT COUNTY, NORFOLK CITY, NORTHAMPTON COUNTY, NORTHUMBERLAND COUNTY, ORANGE COUNTY, PAGE COUNTY, PATRICK COUNTY, PITTSYLVANIA COUNTY, POWHATAN COUNTY, PRINCE EDWARD COUNTY, PULASKI COUNTY, RICHMOND COUNTY, ROANOKE CITY, ROANOKE COUNTY, ROANOKE COUNTY, ROCKBRIDGE COUNTY, ROCKINGHAM COUNTY, RUSSELL COUNTY, SALEM CITY, SHENANDOAH COUNTY, SOUTHAMPTON COUNTY, SPOTSYLVANIA COUNTY, STAFFORD COUNTY, SURRY COUNTY, VIRGINIA BEACH CITY, WARREN COUNTY, WAYNESBORO CITY, WESTMORELAND COUNTY, YORK COUNTY	

CITIES/COUNTIES WITH WATERWORKS CONDUCTING PUBLIC EDUCATION:	Total: 37
CARROLL COUNTY, FLOYD COUNTY, ALBEMARLE COUNTY, ROCKBRIDGE COUNTY, SHENANDOAH COUNTY, STAUNTON CITY, DINWIDDIE COUNTY, ISLE OF WIGHT COUNTY, NORTHAMPTON COUNTY, PRINCE GEORGE COUNTY, SOUTHAMPTON COUNTY, SUSSEX COUNTY, YORK COUNTY, HOPEWELL CITY, NEWPORT NEWS CITY, PETERSBURG CITY, ESSEX COUNTY, GOOCHLAND COUNTY, KING WILLIAM COUNTY, LANCASTER COUNTY, MATHEWS COUNTY, NEW KENT COUNTY, NORTHUMBERLAND COUNTY, WESTMORELAND COUNTY, RICHMOND CITY, BEDFORD COUNTY, HENRY COUNTY, CAROLINE COUNTY, CULPEPER COUNTY, FAIRFAX COUNTY, FAUQUIER COUNTY, LOUDOUN COUNTY, MADISON COUNTY, ORANGE COUNTY, PRINCE WILLIAM COUNTY, RAPPAHANNOCK COUNTY, SPOTSYLVANIA COUNTY	

Note: Some Cities/Counties may appear under both mandatory and voluntary conservation, as multiple community waterworks may operate within a given locality. A city or county listed does not necessarily mean that all customers within that city/county are under restriction. Customers should consult their utility provider to confirm water use restriction requirements.

*"Community waterworks" means a waterworks that serves at least 15 service connections used by year-round residents or regularly serves at least 25 year-round residents.