

# PUBLIC NOTICE

**TO:** Town of Taylorsville Water Customers

**FROM:** George Holleman, Mayor                      David Odom, Town Manager

**DATE:** Wednesday August 25, 2010

**SUBJECT:** **REDUCTION IN WATER TANK STORAGE RESERVE** Alert (Stage II – Mandatory Conservation) As of 2:00 PM Today

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The Town of Taylorsville as a precaution has decided to temporarily terminate our normal water supply from Energy United Water/City of Newton. The Town of Taylorsville is currently operating from reserves within two above ground storage tanks. The Town of Taylorsville will purchase bulk water exclusively from Alexander County supplied by The City of Hickory until the all clear is given from our normal supplier. Residents should refrain from any non-essential water use for the next 24 to 48 hours. The Town of Taylorsville is not under a water boil notice at this time. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Under Stage II (Mandatory Conservation), all non-essential water use is prohibited. Stage II (Mandatory Conservation) prohibits the following:

- Watering of lawns, shrubs, trees, ornamental plants, etc. except by use of hand held containers, including watering can or bucket.
- Washing of outside areas such as driveways, carports, outbuildings, etc.
- Residential washing of vehicles including RVs and ATVs.
- Filling of pools of any size or type, including “kiddie” pools.
- Operation of ornamental pools, ponds, or fountains.
- Taking water from a hydrant for any reason other than fire protection.

Violations of these prohibitions will result in the following penalties:

- First Violation - Warning
- Second Violation - \$100 Fine
- Each Additional Violation - \$200 Fine (Town of Taylorsville),

Mayor, George Holleman

Town Manager, David Odom