



**Ordinance 453 –
Restrictions on Potable
Water Landscape
Installations for New
Water Service Connections**

Board of Directors

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Ordinance 453 – Existing Restrictions for New Water Service Connections

Carried Forward from District Code and Ordinance No. 449 (adopted 4/20/21):

- Single pass cooling systems
- Non-recirculating systems for conveyer carwash applications



Carwash on Del Presidio, San Rafael, has been using recycled water since 1996.

Ordinance 453 – Prohibited for All New Water Service Connections

- Use of potable water for installation of new landscaping* until after termination of current Water Shortage Emergency
 - During the Water Shortage Emergency, new water service connections will only be approved if Applicant acknowledges in writing that either:
 - i. Project does not include new landscaping to be irrigated with potable water; or
 - ii. New landscaping to be irrigated with potable water will not be installed until after termination of the Water Shortage Emergency

*Landscaping includes fountains and ponds

Ordinance 453 - Recommendation

- District staff recommends the Board adopt Ordinance No. 453 – Adding Potable Water Landscape Installation Restrictions for New Water Service Connections