

RESOLUTION #15-21
**RESOLUTION TO DESIGNATE WATER CONSERVATION MEASURES FOR
USERS OF THE NEWELL WATER SYSTEM**

WHEREAS, During and following drought conditions which may occur periodically, the supply of water available to the Newell Water Plant may become significantly depleted; and

WHEREAS, continuing hot, dry weather is causing the supply of water to be insufficient to meet the customary and usual demand of water customers; and

WHEREAS, The City Council now finds a public emergency water shortage as outlined in the Newell Municipal Code.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NEWELL, IOWA:

Section 1. The following water conservation measures are now in effect:

- No lawn watering on Mondays, residential and business. When watering, it should only occur between the hours of 7:00 PM to 7:00 AM. Water shall not be allowed to run onto sidewalks, driveways, and streets. The golf course is exempt from this rule.
- No washing of vehicles on residential property and no power washing of houses.
- Avoid seeding and planting of new trees
- Water load out at City Hall will be terminated through September 30th.

Section 2. Further, as drought conditions may continue through October 2021, pursuant to Newell Municipal Code: Chapter 3: Water Services / Article 10 – Water Usage Restrictions / Item – 10.01, additional action necessary during this time may be taken by the Mayor or City Council and issued through a Proclamation.

It was moved by _____ to approve Resolution #15-21 _____ 2nd
motion

Roll Call Vote:

Ayes _____

Nays _____

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS ____ DAY OF _____ 20__.

Justin Melohn, Mayor

ATTEST:

Sierra Olsen, City Clerk