Uralla Shire Council Drought Management Plan

C							Level 3: High		Level 4: Very High		Level 5: Emergency	
General watering lawns and gardens	Buckets/cans	ok		R	Not during heat of the day	R	Not during heat of the day	Х		Х		
General watering lawns and gardens	Hand held hoses with trigger nozzle	R	Not during heat of the day.	R	Max 2 hours and not during the heat of the day.	R	Max 1 hour only and not during the heat of the day.	Х		Х		
	Water efficient drip irrigation	R	Not during heat of the day	R	Max 2 hours and not during the heat of the day	R	Aged and disabled only: 15 mins on Sun and Wed	Х		Х		
	Sprinklers and fixed hoses	R	Not during heat of the day	R	Max 2 hours and not during the heat of the day	Х		X		Х		
	Watering of new turf	R	Not during heat of the day	R	Max 2 hours and not during the heat of the day	Х		Х		Х		
Council watering of public parks, gardens, blisters, sports fields	Irrigation	R	Not during heat of the day	R	Council reduces lawn watering; continues garden bed watering for maximum of 2 hours and not during heat of the day. Reduced watering of sports fields.	R	Limited to sports fields	X		X		
Vehicle washing	Buckets	ok		ok		R	Clean windows only	R	Clean windows only	R	Clean windows only	
including machinery	Hand held hoses with trigger nozzle	ok		ok	Use of water for washing vehicle permitted for less than 30 minutes.	Х		Х		Х		
Washing down hard surfaces	Hand held hoses with trigger nozzle	Х		Х		Х		Х		Х		
	High pressure cleaner, assume 9L/min	ok		ok		Х		Х		Х		
Private swimming pools	Topping up	R	With Council permission for >5kL	R	With Council permission for >3kL	Х		X		Х		
	Filling	Χ		Χ		Χ		Х		Х		
Motel swimming pools	Topping up	R	With Council permission for >5kL	R	With Council permission for >5kL	Χ		Х		Х		
	Filling	Х		Х		Χ		X		Х		
Council swimming pool	Topping up	ok		ok		R	With Council permission for >5kL	Х		Х		
	Lawns and surrounds	R	Not during the heat of the day.	R	Max 2 hours and not during the heat of the day	Х		Х		Х		
Evaporative coolers	Use of water for cooling	ok		ok		ok		ok		ok		
Water cartage	Treated water for stock and domestic	ok		ok		R	Domestic, hospital, aged care, school use only; no stock watering	R	Domestic, hospital, aged care, school use only; no stock watering		Domestic, hospital, aged care, schoo use only; no stock watering	
	All other uses	R	By application	R	By application	Χ		Х		Х		
Commercial, educational and industrial	Landscaping (incl. lawns and garden)		Not during heat of the day	R	Max 2 hours, not during heat of the day	R	Target 30% reduction in usage.	R	Target 40% reduction in usage.	R	Target 50% reduction in usage.	
	Irrigation of sports fields (Schools)	R	Not during heat of the day	R	Max 2 hours, not during heat of the day	Х		Х		Х		
ok = Allowed at all times			Restriction apply to the use of Uralla and Bundarra town water.									
X = Banned at all times		Greywater and rainwater can be used at any time provided that rainwater tanks are not topped up from town supplies.										
R = Restricted use only		Not during the heat of the day means not between 9.00am and 5.00 pm during daylight saving and 10.00 am and 3.00pm at other times.										

Table 5: Specific Water Restriction Measures