# Water Conservation Plan Requirements & Initial Assignment Ideas

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OUTLINING CONSERVATION PRACTICES FOR INCLUSION IN WATER CONSERVATION PLAN

A. TEMPLATE:
   ◆ Proposed policy/action/program
     o Description (the why)
     o Description of water savings to be achieved (if applicable/calculable)
     o Actions required to implement

B. Policies to Develop/Study
   ◆ Auditing high-quantity users

C. Planning/Studies
   ◆ Groundwater Management Plan
   ◆ Studies on aquifer health and water availability
   ◆ Water Shortage Contingency Plan

D. Codes/New Development Requirements
   ◆ Graywater ordinance
   ◆ New development plumbing/high efficiency requirements

E. Ordinances
   ◆ Water Shortage Contingency Plan Ordinance
   ◆ Time-of-day/day-of-the-week watering ordinances
   ◆ Landscaping ordinances
   ◆ Graywater ordinance
   ◆ Green infrastructure ordinance

F. Municipal Operations
   ◆ Leak monitoring and pipe replacement
   ◆ Green infrastructure development
   ◆ Audits of City water use

G. Incentives/Rebates/Rewards
   ◆ Sprinkler check program
   ◆ Rainwater harvesting programs
   ◆ High-efficiency rebate programs
   ◆ Low flow retrofit programs

H. Public Awareness/Education
   ◆ Public education campaigns
     o Irrigation best practices
     o Landscaping resources
   ◆ Valley-wide interagency conservation programming
**Plan Development Schedule**

February: Adopt timeline, identify policies to develop, make assignments

March:
- Policies to develop/study
- Planning/studies

April
- Codes/New Development Requirements

May
- Ordinances
- Municipal operations

June
- Incentives/Rebates/Rewards

July
- Public Awareness/Education

August
- Plan review

September
- Plan review