

# LONG BEACH H<sub>2</sub>O

Long Beach Water

January / February 2016

## CONSERVE: RAIN OR SHINE!

Hey LB,

El Niño will not end the drought.

We must meet our state mandated conservation target!

We can show California how to do it right!

**Every small action makes a difference.**

Rain or shine, we can't ease up on conservation.

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Take the Pledge to Save Today  
at [LBwater.org/mission](http://LBwater.org/mission)



**TURN YOUR  
SPRINKLERS OFF  
WHEN IT RAINS**

### Other Ways to Conserve:

Shorten Shower Times and  
**Save 3 Gallons** Per Minute  
(Take a 3-5 Minute Shower to  
Your Favorite Song)

Wash Only Full Loads of  
Laundry and **Save up to 30  
Gallons** Per Load

Only Wash Full Loads of Dishes  
in the Dishwasher and **Save  
up to 15 Gallons** Per Wash

Fix Leaks



## Remove your front lawn

and replace with California friendly and drought tolerant plants! Take advantage of the winter rains to help your new plants get established.

For more info and to apply go to [LBlawntogarden.com](http://LBlawntogarden.com)

GET UP TO  
**\$2,500**

## Upcoming Landscape Classes

Learn how to start your drought tolerant transformation by taking one of our many **FREE** landscape classes.

All landscape classes are held at the **Long Beach Water Department at 1800 E. Wardlow Road** and begin at 9:30 AM. Classes fill up quickly! Go to [LBlawntogarden.com/class-list](http://LBlawntogarden.com/class-list) to reserve your space.

- **January 23** – Creating Your New Landscape
- **February 6** – Using Stone & Pavers in Your Garden
- **February 20** – Low-Maintenance California Friendly Gardens
- **March 5** - Residential Irrigation Class



## Ask A Designer

Got quick questions about your drought tolerant transformation? Our local landscape designers have answers! Follow us on Facebook @LBWater to vote on questions you want answered, or ask your own. We'll post responses to the most voted on question.



[www.facebook.com/LBwater](http://www.facebook.com/LBwater)

## Don't Forget About Rebates!

We still have **REBATES** for indoor and outdoor water-saving devices, like high efficiency toilets (**\$180 rebate**), clothes washers (**\$150 rebate**) and weather based irrigation controllers (**\$120 rebate**).

Go to [www.socalwatersmart.com](http://www.socalwatersmart.com) to check the qualified device list before you make a purchase and apply for the rebate. Funding is limited and provided on a first-come/first-served basis.

## Interested in What's Going On?

The Board of Water Commissioners meets on the first and third Thursdays of each month at 9:00am. Meetings are held at the Long Beach Water Department, 4th Floor, 1800 E. Wardlow Road, Long Beach, California. For more information, including current and past agendas, visit us at:

[LBwater.org/meeting-times-location-agendas](http://LBwater.org/meeting-times-location-agendas)

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