

Look for these Water Efficiency Logos



The National Water Conservation Label is an easy way to identify water efficient products. The more A's located on the label the more water efficient the product is.

The Water Efficiency Labelling and Standards (WELS) label appears on fixtures and appliances manufactured after 2005. The mandatory labelling scheme applies to shower-heads, washing machines, toilets, dishwashers, urinals and some types of taps.



The system is similar to that of the energy rating system, the more stars, the more water efficient.



The Smart Approved Water-Mark is something to look for next time you're spending money on the garden.

The voluntary labelling scheme applies to outdoor water using/saving products, outdoor water related services, and outdoor water related organisations.

Save Water Outside

- Avoid watering in hot or windy conditions.
- Keep your garden free of weeds....they use water too!
- When sprinkling use a timer on the tap.
- Install a drip system in garden beds.
- Soak your garden twice a week to toughen it up!
- Water the roots not the leaves.
- Use a trigger nozzle on your hose.
- Use a good mulch to reduce evaporation.
- Grow drought tolerant lawns and garden plants.
- Sweep paths....don't hose.
- Wash the car using a bucket....not the hose.

Your Watering Days

DALBY TOWN COUNCIL - USE OF WATER							
HOUSE	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT	SUN
ODD NUMBERS	X		✓		✓		✓
EVEN NUMBERS	X	✓		✓		✓	

- ✓ indicates householder can water on that particular day
 X complete ban on Mondays

For More Information



For more information on how you can save water, contact Dalby Town Council's WaterWise Representative on 4660 6178 or email Info@dalby.qld.gov.au

Make Your Home A Water Wise Home



Water Charges

Dalby Town Council operates a two-part water tariff on its water services.

For most domestic users this means a annual fixed access charge and a volumetric water charge which will be billed at six monthly intervals in accordance with the measured consumption.



The less water you use, the less you pay!

For current water charges please refer to 'Your Rates and Charges Explained' brochure published by Dalby Town Council.

Saving Water Inside

Check For Leaks

Leaks can occur in house water pipes, fittings and appliances. They are not always visible so the best method of detection is to read your water meter regularly.



If your consumption increases dramatically for no obvious reason, there could be a hidden leak.

Clothes Washers

Next time you purchase a washing machine, consider buying one that is AAAA or 4-star rated.

This rating is available in both top and front loading machines and can save up to 135 litres per wash, without affecting the wash quality.



Some front loading machines now have a AAAAA and 5-star rating!

Dual Flush Toilets



An old style single flush toilet can use up to 12 litres per flush.

Try installing a water-efficient 6/3 litre or 4.5/3 litre dual flush toilet, an average family can save up to 33,000 litres per year!

Shower Roses

A standard shower head can use more than 20l/min, but a AAA or 3-star rated shower head uses less than 9l/min - for an average shower of eight minutes. That's a saving of around 90 litres or 10 buckets of water per shower!



Dalby Town Council WaterWise Rebates

- **\$20 off** a 'AAA' or 3 star Shower Rose
- **\$100 off** a 'AAAA' or 4 star Front Loading Washing Machine
- **\$150 off** purchase and installation costs of a Dual Flush toilet to replace a single flush.

Terms and Conditions apply

Vouchers are only available from Engineering Services, Dalby Town Council, 107 Drayton Street.

Vouchers must have certain details pertaining to the property completed by Council staff **prior** to being valid for use.

Rebates are available to residents of Dalby and surrounding areas who are connected to Dalby Town Council's reticulated water supply and are purchasing approved appliances from participating local businesses.

To receive a rebate, the customer must fill in the details on the official voucher, attach the voucher to the original or duplicate purchase receipt and then place the documents in designated boxes at participating businesses or return the voucher to Engineering Services.

Vouchers are available on a first come, first served basis until all rebate funding has been exhausted.