

WATER RESTRICTIONS

Exemption for Garden of Significance Water Conservation Plan Application

A Water Conservation Plan Application must be completed before approval is granted to water a Garden of Significance during Water Restrictions.

A Garden of Significance (GoS) in general may be a public or private garden that exhibits significant botanic, environmental or historic qualities. It must be listed on a national or statewide register or be important to the local community due to the uniqueness or diversity of its plant stock or its intrinsic value to community life. All Water Conservation Plan applications will be assessed on the information provided by applicants in this form or appended to it in a separate document. The assessment criteria have been developed in conjunction with the University of Melbourne's Burnley Horticultural College.

Applicant Details

Name: _____

Postal Address: _____

Postcode: _____

Contact Numbers (Home): _____

(Bus): _____

(Mobile): _____

Email address: _____

SECTION A - Site

Location of Garden:

Qualities of Garden (What makes it GoS?)

Reason for Exemption:

Nature of Exemption:

SECTION B - Site Characteristics

Horticultural assets:

Total area	_____ ha
Lawn area	_____ ha
Garden area	_____ ha

Significant Tree Stock: (Attach details if required)

Significant Plant Stock: (Attach details if required)

Water Supply:

Town supply	_____ (mm) access size
Past use	_____ (KL) year 1
Past use	_____ (KL) year 2
Past use	_____ (KL) year 3

Alternative supply (mm) access size

Past use	_____ (KL) year 1
Past use	_____ (KL) year 2
Past use	_____ (KL) year 3

Water Conservation Plan application submitted at
Stage _____ Date: _____



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SECTION C - Water Conservation Plan

This section highlights the proposed activities that will be (or have already been) pursued to improve water efficiency at the nominated address, and tallies up those savings/practices to enable the application to be assessed.

Water Demand Reduction

Current	Proposed	Savings / Changes?
Irrigation area		
Lawn area ha	Lawn area ha	Expected savings
Garden area ha	Garden area ha	Lawn (kL)
		Garden (kL)
		TOTAL (kL)
Irrigation Technology		
Over spray <input type="checkbox"/>	Over spray <input type="checkbox"/>	Garden practice at / Approaching best practice? Yes / No
Sprinkler heads <input type="checkbox"/>	Sprinkler heads <input type="checkbox"/>	
Run off <input type="checkbox"/>	Run off <input type="checkbox"/>	Expected savings
Rain sensor <input type="checkbox"/>	Rain sensor <input type="checkbox"/>	Lawn (kL)
Drippers <input type="checkbox"/>	Drippers <input type="checkbox"/>	Garden (kL)
Other <input type="checkbox"/>	Other <input type="checkbox"/>	TOTAL (kL)
Irrigation Schedule		
Hours, times, methodology of lawn watering (subject to water restrictions)	Hours, times, methodology of lawn watering (subject to water restrictions)	Garden practice at / Approaching best practice? Yes / No
		Expected savings
		Lawn (kL)
		Garden (kL)
		TOTAL (kL)
Hours, times, methodology of garden watering (subject to water restrictions)	Hours, times, methodology of garden watering (subject to water restrictions)	
Alternative Water Supplies:		
Source 1	Source 1	Estimated Town Water Savings: (KL)
Volume (KL)	Volume (KL)	
Source 2	Source 2	
Volume (KL)	Volume (KL)	
		Water utilities may audit property or facilities for compliance at any time
Estimated Water Savings		TOTAL: (KL)
Garden practices are / Will be at best practice?	Yes / No	

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Savings / Changes?

Gardening Practice

Discuss any Practices which will be altered, such as mulching, or altering plant species, which might assist in conserving water.

Garden practice at / approaching best practice?
Yes / No

Staff Skills and Training:

Discuss any staff training that will be undertaken to improve water efficiency practices in this Garden.

Garden practice at / approaching best practice?
Yes / No

SECTION D - Submission / Approval / Conditions

Signed by the Applicant

Date:

Signed by Authority officer

Date:

Conditions on Approval:

Monitoring Regime:

Date of Review:
