

# ***Drought Emergency Plan of the Black Canyon City Water Improvement District***

May 27, 2021

## **We are now at LEVEL THREE**

With all the recent publicity, it should come as no surprise Black Canyon City, along with the entire State of Arizona, is facing severe drought conditions. Our most recent billing cycle - the total gallons billed was just over 5 million for our 854 customers. This sounds like a lot, and it IS a lot, but in past years it has been as high as 9million gallons!

**If YOU are conserving . . . keep up the good work!**  
**If YOU haven't been conserving . . . it's imperative to start, right NOW!**

"Level Two" was posted in April; and well depths have dropped an additional 2' to 4' in May!!  
With little or no rain in sight, we have some tough months ahead, so please do everything you possibly can to conserve our precious water each and every single day!

### **MANDATORY in Level 3:**

**NO washing vehicles;**  
**NO washing decks, patios, sidewalks, homes;**  
**NO unattended watering of trees, plants (or COWS) with a garden hose.**

**We would also like to encourage EVERYONE to CUT BACK on ALL outside watering...especially if you have GRASS! Everyone can reduce the timed amount on drip systems and even eliminate a day from your normal schedule.**

**Hopefully we will we not reach Level 4!**

The District has drilled a new well and the final engineering work is being done. It should be online in June.

**Together, we CAN make a difference!**