

ORDINANCE NUMBER: O6-6-C
of
THE VILLAGE OF MAURICE
Vermilion Parish, Louisiana

“Water Conservation Ordinance”

BE AND IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Village of Maurice, Louisiana, acting as governing authority of said Village that:

The following water conservation measures shall apply to all persons and/or properties situated within the Village limits.

- (1) Mandatory water conservation restrictions shall be in effect from **May 1 to September 30 of each year.**
- (2) Mandatory water conservation restrictions shall include the implementation of the following water conservation schedule:
 - a. Owners and occupiers of residences and businesses with odd numbered street addresses shall be permitted to water their lawns and gardens only on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays between midnight and 2:00 p.m.
 - b. Owners and occupiers of residences and businesses with even numbered street addresses shall be permitted to water their lawns and gardens only on Wednesdays, Fridays and Sundays between midnight and 2:00 p.m.
 - c. Except as provided in **Section 2 a. and b.** hereinabove, watering of lawns and gardens of residences and businesses affected by this ordinance from **May 1 to September 30 of each year** shall be prohibited.
- (3) Voluntary or mandatory water conservation measures may be implemented at any other time during the year in the event of an emergency situation as declared by the Village.
- (4) The restrictions above shall not apply to sources of water other than the Village water system.
- (5) Exception: The Board of Aldermen may, by Resolution, suspend the provisions of this Ordinance for any special event which they determine appropriate.

Mandatory Water Conservation Penalties:

Penalties for violation of mandatory water conservation measures as set forth herein shall be as follows:

- (1) Any person who violates this ordinance shall be subject to a fine of not more than **FIVE HUNDRED AND NO/100 (\$500.00) DOLLARS, or imprisoned for not more than 60 days, or both.**

THIS ORDINANCE shall become effective upon adoption and publication.

WHEREUPON, the above **Ordinance** was read section by section, and was submitted to a vote, the vote thereon being as follows:

YEAS: Aldermen Gary Villien, Darin Desormeaux and Troy Catalon

NAYS: None

ABSENT OR PRESENT AND NOT VOTING: None

The above Ordinance was declared adopted on this 28th day of June, 2006, at Maurice, Vermilion Parish, Louisiana.

THE VILLAGE OF MAURICE

By: _____

Barbara L. Picard, Mayor

By: _____

Melanie Denais, Clerk

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I, Melanie Denais, City Clerk of the Village of Maurice, do hereby certify that the above is a true and exact copy of an ordinance adopted by the Board of Aldermen of the Village of Maurice duly assembled in Maurice, Louisiana, on June 28, 2006, at which time a quorum was present and voting.

SIGNED on this ____ day of _____, 2006, at Maurice, Vermilion Parish, Louisiana.

VILLAGE OF MAURICE

By: _____
MELANIE DENAIS, CITY CLERK