

Friday 10 December 2021

## Victorian Permanent Water Saving Rules apply all year round

It's officially summer and we thought it timely to remind everyone that Victorian Permanent Water Savings rules apply all year round.

South Gippsland Water's Managing Director, Philippe du Plessis said that this winter, good rain saw our storages filled to capacity. However, as the warmer weather approaches, we're starting to see a slight drop.

"Last week, from the 4 December to 10 December, South Gippsland Water's storages recorded 13mm at Lance Creek, which services Korumburra, Poowong, Loch, Nyora, Wonthaggi, Inverloch and Cape Paterson; 27mm at Ruby Creek, which services Leongatha; 32mm at Deep Creek, which services Foster and 30mm at Battery Creek, which services Fish Creek" he said.

"As the weather gets warmer, and the days get longer, it's a good time to remind ourselves that Victorian Permanent Water Saving rules apply all year round. Always remember to water your garden between 6pm and 10am, sweep and not hose down pathways and driveways, and install trigger nozzles on all outside hoses. It's all about keeping a common-sense approach to our water use – so that we can all save water together."

For further information, please visit [www.sgwater.com.au](http://www.sgwater.com.au) or contact South Gippsland Water's friendly Customer Service Team on **1300 851 636**.

Reservoir	Major towns supplied	Capacity level %	Current Status
Lance Creek	Wonthaggi, Inverloch, Cape Paterson, Korumburra, Poowong, Loch and Nyora	91	Permanent Water Saving Measures
Ruby Creek	Leongatha and surrounds	96	Permanent Water Saving Measures
Foster Dam – Deep Creek	Foster area	100	Permanent Water Saving Measures
Battery Creek	Fish Creek	100	Permanent Water Saving Measures

River Systems	Major Town Supplied	Current Status
Tarwin	Meeniyan, Dumbalk	Permanent Water Saving Measures
Agnes	Welshpool, Port Welshpool, Toora, Port Franklin	Permanent Water Saving Measures
Tarra	Yarram, Alberton, Port Albert	Permanent Water Saving Measures