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LEVEL 2 WATER RESTRICTIONS

EFFECTIVE 1 MARCH 2026

Stellenbosch Municipality
— Water Services By-law 2017 —

RESTRICTIONS FOR ALL CUSTOMERS

- Limit: **330 litres** per person per day
- Irrigate gardens only **TUE & SAT before 9AM** or after **6PM**
- Register boreholes & display water source signage
- Limited washing of paved areas
- Pools may be topped up with a cover

RESIDENTIAL

- Max **40,000** litres per month
- Vehicle washing before 9AM or after 6PM
- Use greywater & rainwater

NON-RESIDENTIAL

- Reduce usage by **20%** *Business*
- Reduce usage by **10%** *Agriculture*
- No spray parks

NON-COMPLIANCE MAY LEAD TO FINES OR WATER MANAGEMENT DEVICES

ENQUIRIES:

www.stellenbosch.gov.za

engineering.services@stellenbosch.gov.za

076 951 0768 (Let's Fix It)

Full copy of the water restrictions: https://stellenbosch.gov.za/download/level-2-water-restrictions-retrictions-notice/

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WATER TARIFFS						
	2025/2026					
Monthly consumption	**Normal consumption periods**			**20% Water restriction periods (Level 2)** Effective from April 2026 Accounts		
	Amount Excl. VAT		**UNIT**	**Amount Excl. VAT**		**UNIT**
DOMESTIC						
Includes single residential erven as well as single residential erven managed by body corporates.						
0 kilolitres to 6 kiloliters	R	8.10	per kl.	**R**	**8.10**	**per kl.**
> 6 kilolitres to 12 kiloliters	R	12.26	per kl.	**R**	**13.45**	**per kl.**
> 12 kilolitres to 20 kiloliters	R	20.73	per kl.	**R**	**27.92**	**per kl.**
> 20 kilolitres to 25 kiloliters	R	36.87	per kl.	**R**	**46.20**	**per kl.**
> 25 kilolitres to 40 kiloliters	R	51.24	per kl.	**R**	**59.27**	**per kl.**
> 40 kilolitres to 70 kiloliters	R	81.87	per kl.	**R**	**114.62**	**per kl.**
70 kilolitres and above	R	113.83	per kl.	**R**	**235.26**	**per kl.**
DOMESTIC CLUSTER						
Refers to a cluster (block of flats) served by a single water connections						
0 kilolitres to 6 kiloliters	R	8.10	per kl.	**R**	**8.10**	**per kl.**
> 6 kilolitres to 12 kiloliters	R	12.26	per kl.	**R**	**13.45**	**per kl.**
> 12 kilolitres to 18 kiloliters	R	20.73	per kl.	**R**	**27.92**	**per kl.**
> 18 kilolitres to 25 kiloliters	R	36.87	per kl.	**R**	**46.20**	**per kl.**
Above 25 kiloliters	R	51.24	per kl.	**R**	**59.27**	**per kl.**
BUSINESS, COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL (Include University)	R	29.51	per kl.	**R**	**47.22**	**per kl.**
MUNICIPAL TARIFF FOR MUNICIPAL BUILDINGS AND ALL LEAKAGES						
0 kilolitres to 20 kiloliters	R	12.95	per kl.	**R**	**16.90**	**per kl.**
> 21 kilolitres to 50 kiloliters	R	13.60	per kl.	**R**	**17.33**	**per kl.**
Above 50 kiloliters	R	14.78	per kl.	**R**	**18.12**	**per kl.**
MISCELLANEOUS AND ALL OTHER USERS (Schools, Sportbodies, Churches and Charity Organisations)	R	27.68	per kl.	**R**	**30.57**	**per kl.**
BASIC CHARGE						
Domestic (per erven)	R	93.38				**n/a**
Domestic cluster (per flat)	R	11.35				**n/a**
All other (per erven)	R	106.96				**n/a**
MASO						
0 kilolitres to 24 kilolitres per household	R	1.83	per kl.	**R**	**9.48**	**per kl.**
25 kilolitres to 40 kilolitres per household	R	25.24	per kl.	**R**	**38.86**	**per kl.**
Above 40 kilolitres per household	R	27.42	per kl.	**R**	**57.95**	**per kl.**
Special Users	**As per Agreement**			**As per agreement**		
BULK USERS						
Water consumption for irrigation of sportsgrounds of schools, irrigation of Council property by sports clubs, as well as irrigation of parks and other grounds by Council's Departments of Parks and Recreation:						
To 2000 kilolitres	R	15.68	per kl.	**R**	**38.00**	**per kl.**
Above 2000 kilolitres	R	20.43	per kl.	**R**	**68.71**	**per kl.**
WATER AVAILABILITY FEE	R	2 013.64	per annum			