

City of Dunn
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- ✓ Check for leaks in toilets at least once a year by putting a few drops of food coloring in the storage tank. If the color comes through to the toilet bowl without flushing, the toilet needs adjustment or repair.
- ✓ Repair leaking faucets whenever they develop.
- ✓ Store water for drinking in the refrigerator to avoid trying to run it cool at the tap. The storage also eliminates chlorine taste which some customers find objectionable in drinking water.
- ✓ Use shower for bathing or reduce the depth of water used for tub bath. Limit the length of each shower.
- ✓ Do not leave faucets running while shaving or rinsing dishes.
- ✓ Install water flow restrictive devices in shower heads.
- ✓ Install water-saving devices such as plastic bottles or commercial units in toilet tanks, unless you already have a new water-saving type unit.
- ✓ Always wash full loads in clothes washers and dishwashers.
- ✓ Do not use the toilet for a trash basket; make every flush count.
- ✓ Commercial and industrial customers should review their water uses and where feasible install recycle systems. The savings on water and sewer bills will often pay for the installation in a reasonable period.