

## LOS ANGELES COUNTY

### BEST Measures

Burbank  
La Verne  
Los Angeles

### GOOD Measures

Arcadia  
Azusa  
Bell Gardens  
Carson  
Claremont  
Commerce  
Covina  
Culver City  
Diamond Bar  
El Segundo  
Glendale  
Hawaiian Gardens  
Hermosa Beach  
Industry  
La Canada Flintridge  
La Habra Heights

Lakewood  
Lomita  
Long Beach  
Lynwood  
Manhattan Beach  
Monrovia  
Montebello  
Pasadena  
Pico Rivera  
Pomona  
Rolling Hills  
San Dimas  
Santa Clarita  
Santa Monica  
Signal Hill  
South Gate  
Torrance  
Walnut  
West Covina  
West Hollywood

### POOR Measures

Agoura Hills  
Alhambra  
Artesia

Avalon  
Bell  
Bellflower  
Beverly Hills  
Bradbury  
Calabasas  
Cerritos  
Compton  
Cudahy  
Downey  
Duarte  
El Monte  
Garden  
Glendora  
Hawthorne  
Hidden Hills  
Huntington Park  
Inglewood  
Irwindale  
La Mirada  
Lancaster  
Lawndale  
Malibu  
Maywood  
Monterey Park

Norwalk  
Palmdale  
Paramount  
Redondo Beach  
Rolling Hills Estates  
Rosemead  
San Fernando  
San Gabriel  
San Marino  
Santa Fe Springs  
Sierra Madre  
South Pasadena  
Temple City  
Vernon  
Westlake Village  
Whittier

### WORST Measures

Baldwin Park  
La Puente  
Palos Verdes Estates  
Rancho Palos Verdes  
South El Monte

## ORANGE COUNTY

### BEST Measures

La Palma  
Mission Viejo

### GOOD Measures

Aliso Viejo  
Anaheim  
Brea  
Buena Park  
Costa Mesa  
Dana Point  
Fountain Valley  
Garden Grove  
Irvine  
La Habra  
Laguna Beach  
Laguna Hills  
Laguna Niguel  
Laguna Woods  
Lake Forest  
Newport Beach  
Orange

Placentia  
Rancho Santa Margarita  
San Clemente  
San Juan Capistrano  
Seal Beach  
Stanton  
Villa Park  
Westminster  
Yorba Linda

### POOR Measures

Cypress  
Fullerton  
Huntington Beach  
Los Alamitos  
Santa Ana  
Tustin

### WORST Measures

None

City water ordinances were reviewed between August 2009 and November 2010. For more detailed statistics and analysis on the water conservation measures and ratings, please visit our web site:

[www.angeles.sierraclub.org/water](http://www.angeles.sierraclub.org/water)

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## City Scores on

# Water Conservation Measures

## Los Angeles and Orange Counties

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# Long Term Water Conservation Is Essential To The Survival Of Southern California

Southern California is a semi-arid region made green largely with imported water from Northern California, the Owens Valley, and the Colorado River. Natural weather patterns and climate change are diminishing these flows, even as our population swells and water demands increase.

Cities and water districts in Los Angeles and Orange counties must plan for the water shortages that loom on our horizon. Maintaining an adequate water supply requires long-term planning; one heavy rain will not provide an abundance to sustain us indefinitely.

The Water Conservation Committee of the Sierra Club Angeles Chapter evaluated local efforts by analyzing the water conservation ordinances adopted in recent years. Some cities and water districts have developed thoughtful strategies for increasing water-use efficiency that will lead to meaningful water conservation in the long run. Others merely list a few restrictions that do little to conserve water even in the short term. Still others have taken no steps to do their share to make the water supply last.

How does your city rank? Do you live in a progressive community? Or do your local officials need to improve the water conservation measures for your city?

The map to the right displays city rankings. Cities doing an excellent job mandating their residents conserve are shown in blue. A good job appears as green. Yellow is poor, and red indicates a city that has taken little-to-no action.

We have reached a critical point in Southern California's water reliability. It is time for local cities and water districts to plan for long term supply through adequate planning and conservation measures.

## Which cities are doing their share to make the water supply last?

We all share the same water supply. Some cities are helping to make the water last. Others have a long way to go. As you review this map, take a look to see how your city ranks.

