

Water Conservation Plan Evaluation Form

Plan Submitted by: _____

Reviewed by: _____

Date: _____

Scoring: Rate each of the following items on a scale from 1-10. (1 to 4=inadequate, 5 to 7=adequate, 8 to 10=excellent)

Characteristics of an Adequate Plan	Score	Comments
I. Description of System		
A. Describes the service area and water system		
B. Details pertinent demographics (population, connections, land use, etc.)		
C. Explains unique characteristics or pertinent history of system		
II. Water Supply Inventory		
A. Identifies and quantifies the water supply sources of its system		
B. Describes constraints of the system (water rights, system capacity)		
III. Present Water Use and Future Water Needs		
A. Quantifies the present water use in the system		
B. Identifies abuses, overuses, and losses in the system		
C. Estimates future water needs based on population growth projections		
IV. Water Problems, Conservation Measures, and Goals		
A. Identifies and prioritizes present and future water problems		
B. Describes current water conservation measures		
C. Identifies other water conservation measures		
D. Quantifies the costs and effectiveness of all conservation measures		
E. Sets water conservation goals that can be quantified		
V. Implementing and Updating the Water Conservation Plan		
A. Recommends measures to reach water conservation goals		
B. Recommendations are consistent with present and future needs		
C. Identifies the resources required to monitor progress and accomplishment of goals		
D. Sets deadlines for implementation of measures and accomplishment of goals		
E. Details a procedure for updating the water conservation plan		
AVERAGE SCORE		

This plan often confuses full utilization of available water supplies with what we are considering to be water conservation. Thus, it tends to emphasize the need to further use water supplies over the need to reduce demand for these supplies. Other than that the plan seems to satisfy present conservation needs quite well.