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### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

#### Request for Water Conservation due to Emergency Supply Outage

July 17, 2018...San Clemente, California... The Utilities Department has been notified by one of its major domestic water providers that a valve failure has occurred and will require an emergency shutdown to repair. The shutdown will significantly reduce the City's ability to supply imported water to refill reservoirs throughout its system during the shutdown. While the City does not anticipate any interruptions in water potable water service to its customers, any conservation measures by the public will help keep water in storage during the outage.

During this emergency outage, the City asks that all our citizens significantly reduce water consumption during the next 24 hours. The Utilities Department requests that residents and businesses discontinue all irrigation and refrain from washing of vehicles and any other unnecessary use of water, in order to assure our current water supply is adequate to provide water for indoor use and fire fighting.

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