

Aurora Plumber Identifies Hidden Water Waste as City Implements New Drought Restrictions

Superior Mile High Plumbing reports that undetected leaks and inefficient fixtures contribute to significant household water loss as Aurora residents face tightening water use regulations.



Aurora, Colorado May 3, 2026 ([IssueWire.com](https://www.issuewire.com)) - Superior Mile High Plumbing, an Aurora-based plumbing service provider, is advising homeowners on reducing household water waste as the city implements new drought restrictions in response to worsening conditions across the region. According to the company, hidden leaks, outdated fixtures, and inefficient water heating systems contribute to substantial water loss that many Aurora residents remain unaware of during a period when conservation has become critical.

As Aurora officials respond to drought conditions with updated water use regulations, homeowners are evaluating how to comply with restrictions while maintaining their properties. Superior Mile High Plumbing reports that many homes lose hundreds of gallons monthly through sources that go unnoticed - toilet flappers that don't seal properly, irrigation systems with damaged zones, slow drips under sinks, and running toilets that waste water continuously.

"Most people don't realize how much water they're losing until they see their bill or get flagged for usage during restrictions," said Hector Frias-Chavarria of Superior Mile High Plumbing. "A running toilet can waste 200 gallons per day. A small leak in an irrigation line can dump thousands of gallons into the ground before anyone notices. During a drought, that's not just money - it's a compliance issue and a community resource problem."

Superior Mile High Plumbing specializes in leak detection, plumbing repairs, and irrigation system servicing throughout the Denver metro area. The company uses acoustic leak detection equipment to identify underground and in-wall leaks that don't produce visible symptoms but contribute to water waste and potential violation of city restrictions.

Beyond leak detection, the company notes that fixture upgrades offer immediate water savings. Older toilets installed before 1994 use 3.5 to 7 gallons per flush compared to modern low-flow models that use 1.28 gallons. Showerheads manufactured before federal efficiency standards can use 5 gallons per minute versus current 2.0 GPM models. For Aurora households with multiple bathrooms, these differences accumulate to thousands of gallons saved monthly.

Aurora's hard water conditions also affect household water efficiency. Scale buildup in water heaters reduces heating efficiency and increases energy costs while mineral deposits in fixtures and pipes restrict flow and contribute to premature failure. Regular water softener maintenance and descaling services help maintain system efficiency and extend equipment life in Aurora's challenging water conditions.

The company emphasizes that drought compliance doesn't require eliminating water use - it requires eliminating water waste. Irrigation systems should be inspected for broken heads, zone malfunctions, and timer errors before seasonal activation. Indoor plumbing should be evaluated for leaks, inefficient fixtures, and equipment approaching end of life that will fail during peak restriction periods when replacement becomes urgent.

Superior Mile High Plumbing operates 24/7 with licensed and insured technicians familiar with Aurora's infrastructure, water conditions, and regulatory environment. The company focuses on permanent repairs and transparent pricing, helping homeowners address water waste through solutions built for Colorado's unique plumbing challenges.

Aurora residents concerned about water waste or seeking leak detection services can contact Superior Mile High Plumbing at (303) 304-0784 or visit superiormilehighplumbing.com.

About Superior Mile High Plumbing

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