



STRATMOOR NEWS

Stratmoor Hills Water, Sanitation & Fire Protection Districts

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SEPTEMBER WATER SAVINGS

5-Minute Shower Challenge: Reduce your shower time to save gallons of water daily. Shorter showers, longer savings.

Tap Discipline: Always turn off the tap while brushing. A small effort can lead to significant water conservation.

Rainwater Harvesting: Collect and store rainwater. It can be used for gardening, cleaning, or even bathing pets. An eco-friendly alternative to tap water.

Efficient Loading: Wait until your washing machines and dishwashers are full before running them. This minimizes the number of cycles and saves water.

Drought-Resistant Plants: Consider planting drought-resistant flora. They require minimal watering, saving both effort and resources.

Reuse Cooking Water: After allowing it to cool, repurpose your cooking water to hydrate plants. It's rich in nutrients and offers a sustainable way to reuse water.

Mulching: Spread mulch around plants in your garden. It helps retain soil moisture, reduces the need for frequent watering, and prevents unnecessary water loss through evaporation.

Install Faucet Aerators: These devices mix air with the flow of water, reducing the amount of water that's used while maintaining pressure. An effective tool for long-term saving.



The 2026 Water Quality Report for Stratmoor Hills Water District is now available in our office or online at www.stratmoorhillswater.org/water-quality-report



Know what's below.
Call before you dig.

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It is important to call 811 before you dig, so you can avoid hitting any underground utilities, such as cables, wire or pipes. It is also the law to contact 811 before you dig.

The office will be closed



SEPTEMBER 2026 BILLING DATES

Bills Mailed – Sept 3
Payments Due - Sept 15
Late Notices Mailed - Sept 16
Shut Off Payments Due - Sept 22
Shut Off Day - Sept 23
Meter Read Date - Sept 30

If you believe you may be late making your payment, please call us to make a payment arrangement to avoid the \$30.00 delinquent fee.

STRATMOOR HILLS NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION <http://www.stratmoorhills.org/contact.php>

1811 B Street
Colorado Springs, CO 80906
719-576-0311

SEWER PROBLEMS

If you have problems with your sewer line, please give us a call first so we can determine if it is your service line or our main line. If there is a blockage in your line, we will notify you promptly. If it is our problem, we will take care of it immediately.

Visit us on the web at
www.stratmoorhillswater.org



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SAVE THE DATES!!!!!!!

- Open House - Saturday, October 10, 2026 - 10:00 am – 2:00 pm. We will have demonstrations of vehicle extrication, smoke house and static displays from our neighboring Fire Departments, goodies for the kids and much more.



- Our Annual Halloween Cruise on Saturday, October 31, 2026 – the volunteers will be out handing out candy and watching for the little ghosts and goblins!



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Board elections are held in May of odd-numbered years. Board meetings are held on the third Wednesday of each month beginning at 3:00 p.m. at the Fire Station (2160 “B” Street). Meeting agendas are posted at the Water District office (1811 “B” Street), the Fire Station and at the Stratmoor Elementary School (200 Loomis Avenue). If you would like more information about the Districts, please contact Darren Adame at the Water and Sanitation Districts at 719-576-0311 or by e-mail at darren@stratmoorhillswater.org or Dottie Barrett for the Fire Protection District at 719-576-1200 or by e-mail at mail@stratmoorhillsfire.com