

Level 6 Water Restrictions Fact Sheet - Cleaning



General Cleaning and Building Washing

Town water is not permitted to be used for general outdoor cleaning except to prevent or otherwise address a health or safety risk using either a bucket filled directly from a tap or a high pressure water cleaning unit or a hand held hose.

Town water is not permitted to be used to wash external surfaces of a building or paved surfaces except for the purposes of:

- pre-painting preparation activities
- cleaning the external windows and glass areas of a building
- maintaining the external surfaces of a building (on occasion in a 12 month period) or external roof area of a building (on one occasion in a 36 month period) or
- washing part of the external roof area of a building as part of repainting or repairing the roof

A bucket filled directly from a tap or a high pressure water cleaning unit must be used.

A Mobile Commercial Operator is not to use town water to wash external surfaces of a building or paved surfaces except in if in accordance with the [External Building Washing \(Mobile operator\) Best Practice Guidelines](#).

Tips on saving water

All Project Managers should ensure that contractors operate in accordance to the best practice guidelines and complete a [WEMP for contractors](#) if using a University Water Supply (regardless of source)

Find out if an alternative source of water is available before using town water.

Report water leaks to Property and Facilities **Works Control Centre 52222**

For up-to-date information on SEQ water restrictions see the Queensland Water Commission website at www.qwc.qld.gov.au