



CITY OF LAS VEGAS EFFLUENT WATER FAQ'S

Q: What can effluent water be used on?

A: Effluent water can be used for landscape irrigation and on animals, effluent cannot be used on consumables.

Q: Where do we fill tanks with effluent water?

A: Residential users can fill up at the effluent water station (purple) located at 905 12th Street. Commercial users can fill up at the Wastewater treatment plant.

Q: What is reuse, recycled or reclaimed water?

A: Water that is used more than once

Q: What is De Facto reuse?

A: Water provided to downstream communities via surface water subject to upstream discharges like Santa Fe and Albuquerque.

Q: What is non potable reuse?

A: Recycled or reclaimed water that is not used for drinking but is safe to use for irrigation or industrial uses.

Q: What is potable reuse?

A: Recycled or reclaimed water safe for drinking

Q: Why are city parks being watered during water conservation stages?

A: Parks are watered with reuse water, which does not impact treated water availability, to protect a large public investment as well as providing shade and reducing runoff.

Q: Where can we sign up for an effluent account?

A: Accounts can be signed up for at the customer service office on 1st street. To meet the permit requirements a contract with the requirements must be signed annually.