

## Watering Guidelines

Wondering how you should be watering your turf grass this season? We encourage watering deep, infrequently, and in the morning. For newly seeded areas and during extreme heat, water more frequently for shorter periods. Over-watering leads to compaction and disease. Watering up to 3/4" to 1.25" per week will keep your turf grass healthy in the summer heat.

Please see the watering guide below to gain an understanding of adequate watering times for various irrigation systems:

Sprinkler Zone Time Charts			
Sprinkler Head Type	Full-Sun (South Facing)	Part-Sun (East or West Facing)	Full Shade (North Facing)
Pop-Up Heads	15 Minutes	15 Minutes	7 Minutes
Rotary/ Gear Heads	45 Minutes	45 Minutes	30 Minutes
Pin Wheel Heads	40 Minutes	35 Minutes	25 Minutes
Drip Systems	60 Minutes	60 Minutes	60 Minutes
Micro Mist Systems	35 Minutes	30 Minutes	20 Minutes
Water Volume/ Cycle	.5"	.5"	.5"

### 1-2-3-2-1 Turf Grass Watering Method

#### Watering Days per Week:

- 1 Day/Week: Early Spring - Irrigation Start to April 30th
- 2 Days/Week: Early Summer - May 1st to June 21st
- 3 Days/Week: Mid-Summer - June 21st to August 7th
- 2 Days/Week: Later Summer - August 8th to September 21st
- 1 Day/Week: Fall - September 22nd to Irrigation Blowout

#### When to Water:

Starting to water at 1:00am will generally allow you to complete your watering (all zones) before 7:00am. No watering should occur between 8:00am and 8:00pm.

Green Grass Guy always recommends following local watering guidelines or restrictions and if you don't have an irrigation system, it is best to allow cool season turf grasses to go dormant.