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Systems updates

- **Bryanston reservoir** remains low while tower is critically low. Pumping has resumed; however, demand is still high. Poor pressure is expected in high-lying areas of the tower zone.
- **Illovo reservoir** is critically low, while the tower is empty. The reservoir remains throttled to assist in recovery. Poor pressure to no water is expected in the supply zone.
- **Linbro Park and Morningside reservoirs** remain critically low. Poor pressure to no water is expected in the supply zones.
- **Marlboro reservoir** has improved and supplying fairly, including the two direct feeds (Linbro and Marlboro direct feeds).
- **Berea, Naturena and Alexandra Park reservoirs** remain critically low due to high demand. Poor pressure to no water is expected in the supply zones.
- **Orange Farm and Lawley reservoirs** are critically low to empty due to high demand. Poor pressure to no water is expected in the supply zones.
- **Lenasia Hospital Hill, Lenasia High Level and Ennerdale reservoirs** remain critically low, but supplying fairly.

As part of the interventions, critically low reservoirs will be throttled overnight to build capacity.

List of affected reservoirs: <https://www.johannesburgwater.co.za/johannesburg-water-reservoirs-3/>

The bulk supplier's systems are interconnected and are flexible to augment (support) one another, which assist in the recovery of all systems. Johannesburg Water will prioritise the prompt isolation of bursts and leaks and the repair thereof. Customers are requested to repair leaks on their properties as these also contribute to the high demand on Johannesburg Water systems. Residents are requested to observe level-1 water restrictions which are implemented from 1 September to 31 March. These restrictions prohibit the use of hosepipes to water gardens, wash cars, clean driveways, as well as fill up swimming pools and water features between 06:00 and 18:00. Instead, the use of greywater is encouraged.

Ends

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