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Daily water supply system status updates: Thursday, 14 September 2023 (Afternoon)

Water supply status update by exception (i.e., areas affected due to supply constraint and not service interruption from occasional pipe burst).

Unplanned shutdown

1. Suburbs affected: Emdeni, Zola, Jabulani, Naledi, Dobsonville extensions 2 and 3, and Dobsonville Gardens

Street names: All streets

Date: 15 September 2023

Time: 08:00 - 20:00

Reason for interruption: Testing of the bypass line to the Zondi reservoir in preparation for reservoir cleaning and maintenance

Impact on customers: During the maintenance of the reservoir, customers will have water. However, in the event that the cleaning does not go as planned, customers might experience low pressure to no water. If the dummy run is successful, the maintenance work (reservoir washing) will commence immediately.

Alternative water supply: In the event that the maintenance work does not go as planned, roaming water tankers will be provided.

2. Area(s) affected: Woodmead Retail Park

Street name(s): All streets

Date: 21 September 2023

Time: 07:00 – 21:00

Impact on customers: No water

Reason for interruption: Tie-in of a new pipe

Location of water tankers: Further details to be provided

3. Area(s) affected: Waverly

Street name(s): Bruce Street, Wallace Street, Burn Street

Date: 27 September 2023

Time: 07:00 – 18:00

Impact on customers: No water

Reason for interruption: Tie-in of a new pipe

Location of water tankers: Further details to be provided

2. Johannesburg Water systems update

South Hills tower

Despite interventions to augment the supply, the tower remains empty due to intermittent supply. Pumping at the old pumpstation has resumed, low pressure to no water can be expected in high lying areas.

Commando System

• Brixton reservoir: There's improvement in the system, and the outlet remains 50% open. Normal supply pressure can be expected.

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- Brixton tower: Critically low, pumping has resumed, and system is recovering. Low pressure to no water can be expected in supply zone.
- Hursthill 1 reservoir: Critically low, despite attempts to augment the supply. Low pressure to no water is expected in the supply zone. Customers in low-lying areas are urged to reduce consumption to help build capacity.
- Hursthill 2 reservoir: Remains low due to high demand. Poor pressure is expected in high-lying areas.
- Crosby reservoir: Remains low but stable due to high demand. Poor pressure to no water is expected in certain areas of the supply zone.

Parktown reservoir 2

Due to high demand, there is a critical low pressure in high lying areas, improvement is expected overnight.

Grand Central tower

Tower is empty due to power outage. The tower remains empty, therefore, customers in the supply zone can expect low pressure to no water. The matter has been reported and escalated to Eskom.

Eagles Nest reservoir

Remains critically low due to poor supply and high demand. Customers in this supply zone should expect low water pressure. Customers are requested to reduce consumption to help build capacity.

Jabulani reservoir

Critically low due to high demand. Poor pressure is expected in certain areas of the supply zone. Customers are requested to reduce consumption to assist in building capacity.

Chiawelo reservoir

There are low levels due to high demand. Johannesburg Water is monitoring the system and customers are requested to reduce consumption.

Dunkeld reservoir

The reservoir is empty due to low levels at Parktown reservoir 2, improvement is expected overnight.

Alternative water supply continues to be provided through mobile trucks deployed at various key points within the affected areas, including Rahima Moosa Mother and Child Hospital.

Planned interruption

Suburbs Affected: Craighall, Craighall Park, Parkhurst, parts of Parktown North, parts of Hyde Park, Hurlingham, Hurlingham Gardens, and Dunkeld West.

Street Names: All streets

Start date: 12 September 2023 at 08:00

End date: 22 September 2023 at 15:00

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Impact on customers: Possible low pressure to no water. However, no impact is expected.

Reason for disruption: Draining of Dunkeld reservoir for consultants' inspection and reservoir washing.

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. This is to ensure that systems are kept stable throughout the coming months. We urge residents to report any form of vandalism and theft of water infrastructure to 0800 00 25 87.

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