

For better landscape water efficiency, deliver it closer to the ground...

If your goal is to have a healthy and attractive landscaped area, start with a good mulch layer to hold down weed growth and help retain moisture in the soil. “Zoning” plants according to their water requirements in the landscape plan is key to watering more efficiently.

Also, consider using ‘drip’ or ‘trickle’ irrigation – the slow, frequent application of small amounts of water to the soil area directly surrounding the plant roots – to take care of gardens and landscaped areas. Getting the water right to the soil by this method can save up to 60 percent of water delivered by other systems.

Remember, the water we conserve today can serve us tomorrow!

