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Lawn Watering for Colorado Lawns 1,2,3,2,1 Lawn Watering Technique

| Sprinkler Zone Time Charts | | | |
|--|---------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Sprinkler Head Type | South Facing, Full Sun | Normal, East/West Facing | North Facing, Full Shade |
| Pop-Up Heads | 18 Min | 15 Min | 6-10 Min |
| Rotary / Impact Heads | 55 Min | 45 Min | 35 Min |
| Pinwheel / MP Rotor Heads | 45 Min | 35 Min | 25 Min |
| Drip Systems | 60 Min | 60 Min | 60 Min |
| Micro Mist Systems | 40 Min | 30 Min | 20 Min |
| Water Equivalent: (If you measure the output using a rain gauge, this is how much water each section should receive) | .6-.7 Inches | .5-.6 Inches | .4-.5 Inches |

What time of Day to Water

- Start Time: Ideally around 3:00 AM, but you may need to start it earlier if there are a lot of zones. All zones should be finished by 7:00 AM.

Watering Days Per Week (1,2,3,2,1 Technique)

- 1 – Water 1 Day Per Week:** Early Spring – Avg. temps less than 70°F (Sprinkler Start – May 22^{nd*})
- 2 – Water 2 Days Per Week:** Early Summer - Avg. temps between 70°F - 85°F (May 23^{rd*} – June 16^{th*})
- 3 – Water 3 Days Per Week:** Summer - Avg. temps above 85°F (June 17^{th*} – August 22^{nd*})
- 2 – Water 2 Days Per Week:** Late Summer - Avg. temps between 70°F - 85°F (Aug 23^{rd*} – Sept 23^{rd*})
- 1 – Water 1 Day Per Week:** Fall - Avg. temps less than 70°F (September 24^{th*} – Sprinkler Blowout)

*The dates are not exact; however, they are a good time to start monitoring the temperatures.