

# Set Controllers for Efficient July Watering

Recommended Minutes PER CYCLE by Sprinkler Type

6

FIXED SPRAY

12

ROTOR HEAD

15

ROTARY NOZZLE

11

MANUAL

## July is Smart Irrigation Month

While we love the look of our home landscapes, many include grasses and plantings that would struggle mightily if left to the mercy of our summers here in the arid West. Home irrigation systems deliver the water our yards need, but it's up to each of us to keep them running smartly.

**💧 The Eye Test**—Run a test cycle during a morning or evening on a scheduled watering day. Look at each sprinkler head to make sure it's working properly. If heads are failing to pop up, are tilted, or have gaps in their spray pattern, they need to be repaired or replaced. ECCV customers can receive rebates for a number of sprinkler components. Head to [www.ECCV.org/rebates](http://www.ECCV.org/rebates) for more information.

**💧 Slow the Flow**—Get no-obligation, professional insight from a water efficiency pro. Our partners at Resource Central are scheduling these free system assessments throughout the summer. Book a consultation, and a specialist will come take a look at your landscaping, sprinkler system, and soil and let you know of any adjustments—many of which are do-it-yourself—that could help save water while still producing great results for your yard. See the info on the right for how to apply.

**💧 Cycle & Soak**—Summer heat can bake our clay-based soil, making it even harder for water to soak into it. Watering each zone of your yard in three cycles (see recommended cycle durations above) with about one-hour between each cycle gives soil the time to soften and absorb more water.

**💧 Drop In**—Stop by our office (6201 S. Gun Club Road) this July for some free water efficiency goodies and resources available in the front lobby. The Water Efficiency Team is also hosting an open house on Saturday, July 27th (see information on right). We'll have a drawing for some great giveaways and would love to say hi. Hope to see you there!



## July Offers

Stop by ECCV this month and say hello

### Open House:

Saturday, July 27th starting at 11:00 a.m.

Giveaways, prizes, and water efficiency answers

### Water Efficiency Center:

Free resources and goodies all month in the ECCV lobby

6201 S. Gun Club Road, Aurora, CO 80016

## Slow the Flow

Solve your sprinklers

Sign-up for a FREE consultation at [resourcecentral.org/sprinklers/](http://resourcecentral.org/sprinklers/) or call 303-999-3824

## Late Summer Garden Sale

Place your Garden In A Box order for late summer planting at [www.ResourceCentral.org/gardens/shop](http://www.ResourceCentral.org/gardens/shop)

## QUESTIONS?

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