

Non-Potable Water System Winterization

Four steps to properly winterizing your system

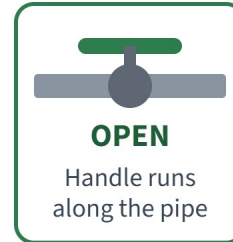
⚠ **Someone must be home Saturday, Oct 31, between 8:30 a.m.–1:00 p.m.** Can't be there? Have a landscaper or irrigation tech be there to blow out your system during this time frame.

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NOW

Find your ball valve and make sure it's OPEN

It's the shut-off for your whole sprinkler system and has a lever handle. Leave it open until your blow-out is done.



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THURSDAY, OCT 15

Irrigation water shuts off community-wide

Your sprinklers will stop working. Your house water (sinks, showers, toilets) is **not** affected. Keep your ball valve open.

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SATURDAY, OCT 31 • 8:30 A.M.–1:00 P.M.

Blow-out day: run each zone while the air is on

The District pushes compressed air through the pipes (no compressor needed). At your sprinkler timer, turn on each zone one at a time. You'll hear hissing and see mist. When only air comes out, move to the next zone.

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RIGHT AFTER YOUR BLOW-OUT

CLOSE your ball valve and leave it closed all winter

Turn the handle so it runs across the pipe.

Need help?

On Oct 31: Mill Brothers technicians will be driving through the community. Flag them down anytime with questions.

Other questions?

Email clientservices@advancemetro.com.

Systems that aren't winterized before freezing temperatures can crack and leak. Repairs to a homeowner's system are the homeowner's responsibility.