Below are the **existing categories** of outdoor watering restrictions for Middleton which are in place May – September each year to conserve water in the Ipswich Watershed Basin. **There is no change to these measures if you vote YES on Warrant Article 30.**

OUTDOOR WATER RESTRICTIONS

LEVEL 1	Normal Winter Conditions - (Oct.1 to April 30) NO RESTRICTIONS
LEVEL 2	Seasonal Restrictions - (May 1 to Sept. 30) Outdoor lawn & garden watering allowed between the hours of 7:00PM and 8:00AM ONLY
LEVEL 3 Drought Condition	Outdoor lawn & garden watering allowed 3 days a week ONLY (Tues., Thurs., and Sat.) Outdoor lawn & garden watering allowed between the hours of 7:00PM and 8:00AM ONLY
LEVEL 4 Drought Condition	Outdoor lawn & garden watering allowed 2 days a week ONLY (Tues. and Sat.) Outdoor lawn & garden watering allowed between the hours of 7:00PM and 10:00PM ONLY
LEVEL 5 Drought Condition	Outdoor lawn & garden watering by hand-held hoses and cans ONLY Hand-held lawn & garden watering ONLY from 7:00PM to 8:00AM NO filling swimming pools NO washing of cars
LEVEL 6 Drought Condition	NO OUTDOOR WATER USE ALLOWED

Source: Town of Middleton Public Works- Water Division

What will change if you vote Yes on warrant article 30? If you are a customer of municipal water services (Danvers/Middleton) nothing will change. If you rely on a well for your drinking water and other uses, the measures described above will apply to you as well as customers of municipal water services. This is a fair and equitable approach to water conservation because everyone in town will be following the same rules.