

Hello Whiting Station residents. This is Joe Hearon, trustee in charge of our Irrigation system.

As you may or may not be aware the irrigation system was officially turned-on last Wednesday. Please be aware that because we added new rain sensors sometimes it may not run if we've had adequate rain recently.

I have received many comments regarding some sprinklers that may not have come on at the prescribed time. Be aware the watering times are different than in the past and are currently set for 20 minutes.

It is imperative that all residents follow the proper procedure and fill out a work order for any work needed or problems with your individual sprinkler heads. The forms are located on the Whiting Station website as well as the box located in the back of the clubhouse.

Also, several residents have informed me that they have planted grass seed and are expecting the irrigation system to keep it wet.

Please be aware when planting grass seed it is very important that new seeded areas should be supplemented by water from your spigot until established, based upon industry best practices, it should be watered every morning and every evening until it has sprouted. The Whiting Station irrigation system is designed to support existing landscaping and grass, not new growth.

Thank you for making the efforts you are taking to help our community look beautiful / and knowing that in order to get proper germination of new grass seed that additional water will need to be supplemented by the resident.