

## WATER CONSERVATION: FOR OUR FUTURE GENERATION



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### FROM THE DESK OF CHAIRMAN

To,  
All fellow members and seniors

Things that start have to end. This is a truth of life and we all need to accept it. This is my first communication as chairman of the News and View Committee after handing over charge to a new team under the able leadership of CA Jeenal Savla. It is a proud moment of our association's history that a lady president is leading from the front. I wish the new team the very best and I am sure the new team will take our association to new heights.

Today I wish to discuss a very important topic. In March 23, a private weather forecaster "Skymet" had predicted a "below-normal" southwest monsoon on account of El Nino conditions with a 60% of chance of drought. With such a high chance of a drought, it is important we take water conservation seriously now.

As the population of India grows and the demands on freshwater resources increase, the need for water conservation becomes more critical than ever before. Water is not an infinite resource, and its preservation is essential to ensure a sustainable future for ourselves and generations to come. India being an agrarian economy, it is highly dependent on water as a resource.

For India Water conservation is not an option; it is imperative for our generations to come. And each of us will have to take necessary small baby steps to ensure we contribute to the conservation. I tried to narrate some small habit changes which can have a lasting impact.

1. **Fix Leaks and Drips:** Check taps and pipes for any leaks or drips regularly. A small leak can waste a significant amount of water over time. Repairing leaks promptly can save liters of water each day.
2. **Be Mindful of tap-water Usage:** Turn off the flowing tap water when not needed, especially while brushing your teeth, shaving etc. Leaving the tap running can waste water unnecessarily.
3. **Cultivate water-Saving habits:** Consider low-flow showerheads while bathing, consider keeping the pressure of water flow low in wash basins, it will just take some seconds more to wash your hand with low pressure, but you will save a considerable amount of water.
4. **Try to Shorten Showers time:** Aim for a shorter shower time instead of a long, leisurely one. By reducing your shower time, you can save a substantial amount of water over time.

5. **Water Plants Wisely:** Water your plants during the early morning or late evening to minimize evaporation.
6. **Efficiently Use Dishwashers and Washing Machines:** Wait until you have a full load before running your dishwasher or washing machine. Avoid changing plates while having dinner, especially in restaurants. If possible, choose eco-friendly and water-saving modes for these appliances.

It's high time, we start inculcating water-saving technics. Such habitual changes not only will save water but will have a feeling of satisfaction. Together we shall and we will make a difference.

**Thanking you, be healthy and live life.**

*Thank you all..... Always in Gratitude*

*CA Armeet Chheda*

