

# Under Pressure

Under high pressure, sprinkler heads mist and cause water to runoff instead of soak into soil where plants need it.

High pressure can increase water flow by 30 to 40 percent, meaning more water use and less benefit to your lawn and landscape. Regulating pressure can save **36,000 gallons** a year on a system with just 6 zones.

Pressure reducing valves or pressure regulated sprinkler heads are easy fixes with quick payback. Visit [SqueezeEveryDrop.com](http://SqueezeEveryDrop.com) for videos to get started.





# Switch & Save

Select plants for your lawn and garden that require less water and thrive under Oklahoma's weather conditions. Use mulch or hardy groundcover plants to reduce water lost to evaporation and maintain soil moisture so you can water less.

Avoid mounding mulch at the base of trees, shrubs and plants which can cause trunk rot, disease and insect damage. Visit [SqueezeEveryDrop.com](https://www.squeezeeverydrop.com) for a list of water wise plants.

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