Definition and Purpose
Water conservation practices are activities that use water during the construction of a project in a manner that avoids causing erosion and/or the transport of pollutants off site.

Appropriate Applications
- Water conservation practices are implemented on all construction sites and wherever water is used.
- Applies to all construction projects.

Limitations
- None identified.

Standards and Specifications
- Keep water equipment in good working condition.
- Stabilize water truck filling area.
- Repair water leaks promptly.
- Vehicles and equipment washing on the construction site is discouraged.
- Avoid using water to clean construction areas. Do not use water to clean pavement. Paved areas shall be swept and vacuumed.
- Direct construction water runoff to areas where it can infiltrate into the ground.
- Apply water for dust control in accordance with the Standard Specifications Section 10, and WE-1, “Wind Erosion Control.”
- Report discharges to RE immediately.
Maintenance and Inspection

- Inspect water equipment at least weekly.
- Repair water equipment as needed.