

DAILY WATER SUPPLY SYSTEM STATUS UPDATES

17 April 2026 (Morning)



Planned Maintenance

Region B

Affected areas: Cresta, Jackenlee, Robindale, Robindale Ext 4, Robin Hills, Darrenwood, Aldara Park, Randpark Ext. 2, 3, 4, and 5, Windsor West, Windsor Glen, Randpark Ext. 2, 3, 4, and 5, Windsor West, and Windsor Glen

Streets affected: All streets

Start date and time: 24 March 2026 at 08:00

End date and time: 21 April 2026 at 18:00

Reason for interruption: Assessment of the internal conditions of the reservoir

Impact on customers: Reduced pressure to no flows due to supply through the bypass line system

Alternative water supply: None but residents to be assisted by Operations Department as and when necessary

Benefit to customers: Improved service delivery, continuity of water supply, and reduction of unaccounted for water

Region B

Affected areas: Melville, Emmarentia, Richmond, Greenside, Westdene, Westcliff, Auckland Park, and Parktown West

Streets affected: All streets

Start date and time: 1 December 2025 at 07:00

End date and time: 31 July 2026 at 17:00

Reason for interruption: Structural repairs inside the leaking Hursthill 2 Reservoir.

Impact on customers: Customers will be supplied via bypass during this period

Benefit to customers: Improved service delivery, continuity of water supply, and reduction of water losses

Alternative water supply: Not applicable. The reservoir will be placed on bypass over the period.

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Planned Maintenances

Region D

Affected areas: Chiawelo and Extensions, Midway, Protea South, Protea North, and part of Dlamini

Streets affected: All areas

Start date and time: 14 April 2026 at 06:00

End date and time: 17 April 2026 at 18:00

Reason for interruption: Cleaning Chiawelo Reservoir

Impact on customers: No Water for duration 4 days, excluding recovery period. +/- Two day to fill the reservoir. (overall possibility of 6 days without water)

Benefit to customers: Improved service delivery, continuity of water supply

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Sewer Infrastructure Upgrades

Region F

Affected areas: Kensington

Streets affected: Queens Street, Langerman Drive, Westmoreland Road, Nottingham Road, and Derby Road

Start date: 19 March 2026

End date: 15 May 2026

Reason for interruption: Replacement of existing 375mm sewer pipeline with a 400mm sewer pipeline

Impact on customers:

- Road closures and restricted access to parts of Queens Street
- Construction activity (excavation, machinery, noise)
- Possible temporary sewer-related inconveniences during certain stages of the work
- Occasional odours in the immediate work area

Mitigation measures:

- Johannesburg Water teams will be on-site throughout the project
- Honey sucker trucks will be deployed where it is necessary to manage sewer spillages
- Work will be monitored to minimise disruption to residents

Benefit to customers:

- Improved sewer capacity
- Reduced blockages and overflows
- Enhanced reliability of sanitation services

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