

Accordingly, the greatest potential for interior residential water savings will result from lower water use in the bathroom and from reduced water use for dish and clothes washing.

TABLE 2. RESIDENTIAL WATER USE IN OKLAHOMA, 1977

USE	ACRE-FEET	
Interior		
Toilet (.40)	90,000	
Bathing (.34)	76,500	
Kitchen (.11)	24,700	
Laundry & Utility (.15)	<u>33,800</u>	
Total		225,000
Exterior		
Lawn/Garden Watering	159,300	
Swimming Pools, Car Washing, Etc.	<u>17,700</u>	
Total		177,000

SOURCE: Oklahoma Comprehensive Water Plan

#### PLUMBING FIXTURES AND OTHER WATER USING APPLIANCES

Substantial water conservation can be realized in new homes or in replacement construction by the installation of low-flow or water-saving devices. In existing homes, similar savings are possible through retrofitting, e.e., the modification of existing fixtures. Potential savings from various plumbing fixtures and appliances are summarized in Table 3 and discussed briefly in the following paragraphs.