

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR DRINKING WATER

Circle Oaks County Water District

06/23/2023

BOIL WATER NOTICE

Boil Your Water Before Drinking or Food Preparation to Avoid Illness

Due to the recent Water Main Break, which occurred on 6/23/2023, the Circle Oaks County Water District is advising the residents of Circle Oaks to only use boiled tap water or bottled water for drinking and cooking purposes as a safety precaution to avoid stomach or intestinal illness.

We will inform you when tests show that water is safe to drink and you no longer need to boil your water. By a new notice posted on bulletin boards, on nextdoor.com, and on our website. We anticipate the laboratory testing results to return within 5 days.

If you have questions about other uses of tap water, such as bathing and dish washing, please call your water system or read this guidance: <https://www.cdc.gov/healthywater/emergency/dwa-comm-toolbox/before/tools/What-to-Do-During-a-Boil-Water-Advisory.docx>

Do not drink the water without boiling it first

Boil all water for one (1) minute (rolling boil).

Let water cool before drinking.

Use boiled or bottled water for drinking, brushing teeth, and food preparation until further notice.

Boiling water kills bacteria and other organisms in the water.

If you are unable to boil your water:

Household unscented liquid bleach

For clear water, use 8 drops (1/8 tspn.) of bleach for 1 gallon of water. For cloudy water, filter through a clean cloth and use 16 drops (1/4 tspn.) of bleach for 1 gallon of water.

Mix well. Allow to stand for 30 minutes before using.

Water may taste or smell like chlorine. This means disinfection has occurred.

Water disinfection tablets

Please follow the manufacturer's instructions.

For more information, call:

Water Utility contact: Paul Quarneri, District Manager, 707-346-7505

Water Utility contact: Tom Miller, District Operator, 209-450-7259

Please share or post this information with others who drink this water, especially those who may not have received this notice directly (for example, people in apartments, nursing homes, schools, and businesses). You can do this by posting this notice in a public place or distributing copies by hand or mail.