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Emergency Boil Water Notice

To all residents of the Special Service Area of Alsask

Effective August 24, 2023 and until further notice.

Water from the Special Service Are of Alsask water supply and distribution system should be boiled, at a rolling boil, for at least one minute before using to ensure bacteriological safety. Those individuals not wishing to boil water should make use of an alternate water source that is known to be safe.

This Emergency Boil Water Notice also applies to any water which may enter a person's mouth, such as water used for tooth brushing, soaking false teeth and water put into food or drink which will not be subsequently heated. Since harmful bacteria may survive freezing, ice cubes should also be made from previously boiled water.

In addition to the above, all dishes and utensils should be soaked in a bleach water solution (approximately 2 tablespoons of bleach per gallon or 10 ml of bleach per liter of water) for at least two minutes after being washed to kill any bacteria which may be present.

Do NOT mix bleach with soaps and detergents

The Emergency Boil Water Notice remains in effect until improvements are made to the water system which will ensure a safe supply at all times and pending resulting of further water tests. If you require any additional information, please contact the RM of Milton, Saskatchewan Health Authority Rosetown Public Health or Water Security Agency.

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