

Precautionary Drinking Water Advisory  
Issued June 26<sup>th</sup>, 2017

This Advisory applies to all residents and users of water in  
The Town of Blaine Lake and is effective immediately.

Pursuant to clause 32(1) of *The Environmental Management and Protection Act 2002* this Precautionary Drinking Water Advisory is issued due to a water main repair and therefore the safety of The Town of Blaine Lake drinking water supply cannot be ensured at all times. Therefore, pursuant to Clause 32(1)(b) of *The Environmental Management and Protection Act 2002*, consumers must be notified to:

- a) boil all water, used for drinking purposes, for at least one (1) minute, at a rolling boil, prior to use;
- b) boil water to be used for other activities where it may be ingested, including:
  - (i) brushing teeth or soaking false teeth;
  - (ii) washing fruits and vegetables;
  - (iii) food or drink which will not be subsequently heated; and
  - (iv) ice cubes;
- c) not drink from any public drinking fountains supplied with water from the public water supply;
- d) under most circumstances, not need to boil water used for other household purposes. Adults, adolescents and older children may shower, bathe or wash using tap water but should avoid swallowing the water. Dishes and laundry may be washed in tap water, either by hand or by machine;
- e) ensure that younger children and infants are sponge bathed;
- f) use an alternative water source known to be safe, if they do not wish to boil the water; and
- g) consult your physician if you have cuts or rashes that are severe before using the water.

If you require any additional information, please contact the following:

The Town Of Blaine Lake	306-497-2531
Saskatchewan Environment – Parkland Region	306-446-7987
Prince Albert Parkland Health Region	306-765-6600

**Emergency Boil Water Notice  
To all residents of the  
Town of Blaine Lake**

**Effective June 26, 2017 and until further notice.**

Water from the Town of Blaine Lake 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 Town Of Blaine Lake at 497-2531 or Public Health Inspection at 765-6600.