



ADVANCE BOIL WATER NOTICE
IMMEDIATE RELEASE
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Due to a planned project, the City of Long Beach Water System will temporarily experience a loss of water pressure and is issuing a precautionary boil water notice until further notice for the following area:

Ferguson Ave

Customers whose addresses are not located within this area are not affected.

This precautionary notice is being issued because the water distribution system will temporarily lose pressure during the planned project. When a water distribution system loses pressure, there is a possibility that contaminants may enter the system through back-siphonage. For this reason, the Mississippi State Department of Health requires a boil water notice whenever system pressure is lost, until bacteriological testing confirms the water is safe for consumption.

This notice does not necessarily mean that the water is unsafe; however, as a precaution, all customers in the affected area are advised to boil all water used for consumption until the notice is lifted.

Once the project is complete and normal system pressure has been restored, water samples will be collected and submitted for laboratory testing. The boil water notice will remain in effect until test results confirm the water is safe. Customers will be notified when the notice has been lifted.

If you have any questions, please contact the City of Long Beach Public Works Department at (228) 863-0440.

Water should be brought to a rolling boil for at least one (1) minute prior to use for the following purposes:

- Drinking
- Cooking or baking
- Making ice
- Brushing teeth
- Washing food
- Preparing baby formula
- Taking medication
- Washing dishes
- Feeding pets