

BOIL WATER NOTICE

Loss of pressure in Firthcliffe Heights Water System

BOIL YOUR WATER BEFORE USING

BRING TAP WATER TO A ROLLING BOIL, BOIL FOR ONE MINUTE, AND COOL BEFORE USING.

OR USE BOTTLED WATER CERTIFIED FOR SALE BY THE NEW YORK STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH. BOILED OR BOTTLED WATER SHOULD BE USED FOR DRINKING, MAKING ICE, WASHING DISHES, BRUSHING TEETH, AND PREPARING FOOD UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.

THIS BOIL WATER NOTICE APPLIES TO:

Rt 32 from #2601 to Holloran Rd (odd numbers only – West side)

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Harmful microbes in drinking water can cause diarrhea, cramps, nausea, headaches, or other symptoms and may pose a special health risk for infants, some elderly, and people with severely compromised immune systems. But these symptoms are not just caused by microbes in drinking water. If you experience any of these symptoms and they persist, you should seek medical advice.

What is being done?

Crews will make needed repairs as quickly as possible.

It is likely that you will need to boil water for the next 2-3 days until lab results are back. You will be informed when tests show that you no longer need to boil your water.

For more information, please contact:

Cornwall Town Hall at 845-534-3760

Scott VanDyke of the Town of New Windsor Water Dept. at 845-561-2550.

Or the Orange County Department of Health at 845-291-2331

Please share this information with other people who drink this water, especially anyone who may not get 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.