



Texas Commission on Environmental Quality

CERTIFICATE OF DELIVERY OF PUBLIC NOTICE TO CUSTOMERS: Boil Water Notice

Public Water System (PWS) name: CITY OF WELLS

PWS ID: 0370004 Date of violation(s) or situation(s) October 7, 2024

Type of Total Coliform Rule Ground Water Rule violation(s) or situation:

- Boil Water Notice (BWN) due to: loss of pressure, line break, water outage, or any condition requiring a BWN (includes Rescind Notice)
- Treatment technique violation (Ground Water or Surface Water Treatment Rule)

30 TAC 290.46(q)(1) requires that your PWS make an adequate, good-faith effort to reach all consumers served by the system by appropriate methods (check all below that apply):

COMMUNITY WATER SYSTEM (perform one of the following):

- Provide a copy of the Boil Water Notice to the radio and television stations serving the area surrounding the public water system
- Publish BWN in local newspaper
- Deliver BWN directly to each customer via mass call system
- Post BWN in conspicuous places within the affected area

NONCOMMUNITY WATER SYSTEM (perform one of the following):

- Deliver BWN directly to customers, or
- Post BWN in public places within the area served by the system

“I certify under penalty of law that this document and all attachments were prepared under my direction or supervision in accordance with a system designed to assure that qualified personnel properly gather and evaluate the information submitted. Based on my inquiry of the person or persons who manage the system, or those persons directly responsible for gathering the information, the information submitted is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, accurate, and complete. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information, including the possibility of fines and imprisonment for knowing violations.”

Certified by: (print name): Carl Pennington/Roy Shanks Title: Superintendent

Date of Delivery to Customers: 10/07/2024 Phone: (936) 867-4615

Signature: *Carl Pennington* Date: 10/7/2024

Fax to (512) 239-3666 or mail a copy of this completed form, AND copies of the Public Notices given to your customers to: TCEQ – Public Drinking Water Section MC – 155, Attn: Public Notice. P. O. Box 13087 Austin, TX 78711-3087

Special Precautions Log

Date 10/17/2024

No

If no, record the PSI at the worst case location(s) affected by the event (such as highest elevation):

431 Rusk Ave 0 RS
Location PSI Initials

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Notes

Location of event(s):

431 Rusk Ave

Locations of flushing and disinfectant residual results:

See flush log

Locations of bacteriological samples:

See Lab Sheet

Attach BWN, Certificate of Public Delivery, bacteriological lab samples, BWN rescind notice, and other applicable documentation.

Note 1: If a line break area was contaminated (e.g. sewer main break near it), and system does not utilize slug chlorination, then a BWN should be issued.

Did the water main pressure drop below 20 PSI and was the line partially or fully dewatered?

Option A

Yes

Option B

Circle Yes or No and Initial Each Answer

A. Can the mains be disinfected according to AWWA Standards (C651-05) & flushed?

CP Yes No
Initials BWN

1. Was the trench treated with calcium hypochlorite?

CP Yes No
Initials BWN

2. Were couplings swabbed with sodium hypochlorite?

CP Yes No
Initials BWN

3. If slug chlorination is planned, where practical, then:

3.1 Can service connections be shut off?
Yes If No, then skip No. 3, but see Note 1.
Initials

3.2 Can the main(s) be isolated?
Yes If No, then skip No. 3, but see Note 1.
Initials

3.3 Before slugging, review 4.7 of C651-05. Then list:

C12 Concentration Contact Time Initials
3.4 If slugged, then see Appendix C of C651-05 regarding disposal of heavily chlorinated water.

4. Were the main(s) flushed until water was clear?

CP Yes No
Initials BWN

5. Were the disinfectant residuals restored to normal? (List locations and results in notes section.)

CP Yes No
Initials BWN

6. Were bacteriological samples taken?

CP Yes No
Initials BWN

B. Issue a Boil Water Notice (BWN) to the customers in the area where the loss of pressure occurred.

1. List BWN method of delivery?

Examples: Door Hanger, Radio, TV, Signs, Call System

Call System
Method(s)

2. Is BWN notice attached? Yes No

3. Was Certificate of Public Delivery & BWN faxed to TCEQ? Yes No

4. Though not required, were lines flushed (recommended)? Yes No

5. Were bacteriological samples taken? (List locations and results in notes section.) Yes No

6. Was lab asked to expedite results (fax)? Yes No

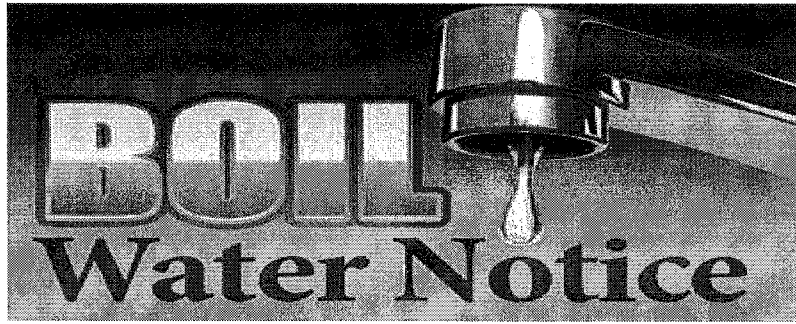
7. Were bacteriologicals negative?

Yes No
7.1 Was BWN left in effect and TCEQ contacted? Yes No
7.2 Was a BWN rescind notice issued? Yes No

7.2.1 Were lab results and rescind notice faxed to TCEQ? Yes No

For further instructions and forms, see: <http://www.tceq.texas.gov/drinkingwater/microbial/notices/boilwater.html>

[Signature]
Operator Signature



OCTOBER 7, 2024

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This boil water notice will affect the following streets in the city limits of Wells:

Only customers living on the following streets:

Forst Rd, Booker St, Warren Rd, West Side of Highway 69 from W First Street to 0.2 Miles past the city limits.

To ensure the destruction of all harmful bacteria and other microbes, water for drinking, cooking, and making ice should be boiled and cooled before use. The water should be brought to a vigorous, rolling boil and then boiled for two minutes. In lieu of boiling, you may purchase bottled water or obtain water from some other suitable source.

When it is no longer necessary to boil the water, the water system officials will notify you that the water is safe for consumption. Instructions to discontinue boiling will be issued in the same manner as this notice.

If you have questions concerning this matter, you may contact Operator: Roy Shanks (936) 212-3220 or City Hall at (936) 867-4615.

If a customer wishes to contact the TCEQ, they may call 512-239-4691.

From: Life is to short to complain all the time! <ometwilight2005@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, October 8, 2024 9:31 AM
To: City Wells
Subject: Fwd: Alert from City of Wells

Alert from City of Wells: Boil Water Notice

Date: Oct 07, 2024

Click the link for the full message....

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To unsubscribe: <https://cityofwells.us/unsubscribe.html?i=7541&e=ometwilight2005@gmail.com>.

From: City of Wells <no-reply@municipalimpact.com>
Sent: Wednesday, October 9, 2024 12:51 PM
To: cityofwells@consolidated.net
Subject: Alert from City of Wells

Importance: High

Alert from City of Wells: Boil Water Notice Canceled

Date: Oct 09, 2024

On **October 7, 2024**, the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) required our public water system, **CITY OF WELLS ID# 0370004**, to issue a Boil Water Notice (BWN) to inform our customers that due to a water main repair, water from our system must be boiled prior to consumption.

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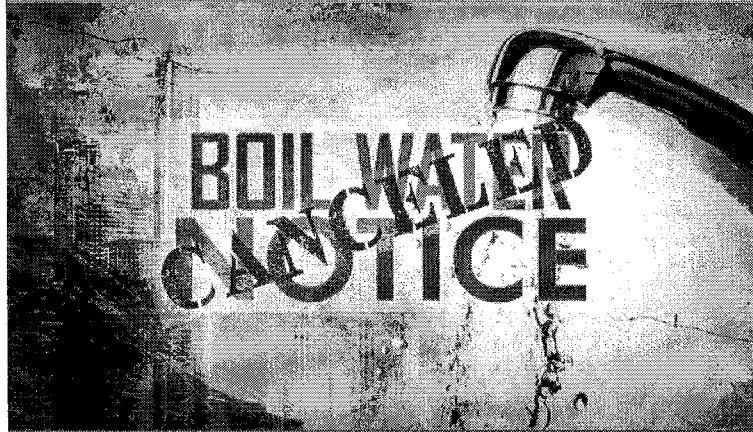
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