

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR DRINKING WATER

Este aviso contiene informacion muy importante sobre su agua potable. Para una copia en español, favor de llamar al sistema de agua 818 404-4470.

Markleeville Water Company

Insert DATE

BOIL WATER NOTICE

Boil Your Water Before Drinking or Food Preparation to Avoid Illness

Due to the recent power outage, which occurred on [date], the water distribution system was depressurized, the State Water Resources Control Board, Division of Drinking Water, and the Markleeville Water Company are advising its all customers to only use boiled tap water or bottled water for drinking and cooking purposes as a safety precaution to avoid stomach or intestinal illness. The affected area includes: a portion of [specify which areas] or all customers of Markleeville Water Company.

We will inform you when tests show that water is safe to drink and you no longer need to boil your water. We anticipate the power to return and the distribution system to be re-pressurized by [day and time]. Afterwards, we will be collecting special bacteriological samples to ensure the bacteriological water quality of the water.

If you have questions about other uses of tap water, such as bathing and dish washing, please call your water system or read this guidance: <https://www.cdc.gov/healthywater/emergency/dwa-comm-toolbox/before/tools/What-to-Do-During-a-Boil-Water-Advisory.docx>

NOTE: THIS IS A SAMPLE ONLY. IF IT IS NECESSARY TO ISSUE A BOIL WATER NOTICE THEN THE HIGHLIGHTED PORTIONS OF THIS DOCUMENT WILL BE UPDATED ACCORDINGLY.

Do not drink the water without boiling it first



- Boil all water for one (1) minute (rolling boil).
- Let water cool before drinking.
- Use boiled or bottled water for drinking, brushing teeth, and food preparation until further notice.
- Boiling water kills bacteria and other organisms in the water.

If you are unable to boil your water:

Household unscented liquid bleach



- For clear water, use 8 drops (1/8 tsp.) of bleach for 1 gallon of water. For cloudy water, filter through a clean cloth and use 16 drops (1/4 tsp.) of bleach for 1 gallon of water.
- Mix well. Allow to stand for 30 minutes before using.
- Water may taste or smell like chlorine. This means disinfection has occurred.

Water disinfection tablets



- Please follow the manufacturer's instructions.

If you are concerned about your health or the health of a family member, contact your health care provider.

For more information, call:

Markleeville Water Company contacts:

Kris Hartnett (Director): (530) 694-1879

Buck McClelland (T-4 Plant Operator): (530) 318-7411

State Water Resources Control Board District Office: (661) 335-7315