



WATER MAIN FLUSHING AND TEMPORARY CHLORINATION

SUN VALLEY WATER SYSTEM

Effective April 9 and 10, 2025

April 3, 2025

RDOS Public Works will be flushing and temporarily chlorinating the Sun Valley water distribution system on April 9 and 10, 2025, in an effort to improve water quality.

Water main flushing can result in the disruption of sediments in the water mains, resulting in discoloured water and elevated turbidity in localized areas. Crews will make all efforts to remove any discoloured water; however, if you experience dirty water, simply run your cold water taps only and/or garden hose until the water runs clear.

Minimizing the amount of hot water usage will limit the amount of sediments that could potentially settle out in your hot water tank. Residents may also wish to isolate in-home water treatment systems during this time. Residents should check the water quality before laundering clothing to minimize potential staining or discolouration. You may notice residual chlorine in the water system for a number of days.

Residents are advised to use a safe alternate source of water during this time when preparing baby formula for infants and young children due to the potential for elevated manganese levels.

For further information, please contact RDOS Public Works at 250-490-4135 during regular business hours, 8:30 am to 4:30 pm, Monday through Friday.

For after-hours water emergencies, please call RDOS Regional Dispatch at 250-490-4141.

Thank you for your cooperation.

RDOS Public Works