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DRINKING WATER WARNING

The McGill water system, (PWS ID# NV000163) has had a loss of pressure due to a service line break in North McGill, Circle Drive.

BOIL YOUR WATER THREE (3) MINUTES BEFORE USING

McGill's water system experienced an event that resulted in loss of pressure in the distribution system, which may cause backpressure, backsiphonage, or a net movement of water from outside the pipe to the inside through cracks, breaks, or joints in the distribution system that are common in all water systems. Such a system failure carries with it a high potential that fecal contamination or other disease-causing organisms could enter the distribution system. These conditions may pose an imminent and substantial health endangerment to persons served by the system.

What should I do? What does this mean?

- **DO NOT DRINK THE WATER WITHOUT BOILING IT FIRST.** Bring all water to a boil, let it boil for three minutes (one minute is sufficient below 5000 ft elevation), and let it cool before using, or use bottled water. Boiled or bottled water should be used for drinking, making ice, brushing teeth, washing dishes, and food preparation until further notice. Boiling kills bacteria and other organisms in the water.
- Inadequately treated water may contain disease-causing organisms. These organisms include bacteria, viruses, and parasites which can cause symptoms such as diarrhea, cramps, nausea, headaches, or other symptoms. They may pose a greater health risk for infants, young children, the elderly, and people with severely compromised immune systems.
- The symptoms above are not caused only by organisms in drinking water. If you experience any of these symptoms and they persist, you may want to seek medical advice. People at increased risk should seek advice from their health care providers about drinking this water.

What happened? What is being done? During County back flow testing, a service line ruptured. District maintenance personnel are actively monitoring and repairing the damaged line to get service restored to the area.

We will inform you when tests show no bacteria and you no longer need to boil your water. We anticipate having rescind notices out in a couple days; or by Thursday 4/30/26. For more information, please contact McGill Ruth Consolidated Sewer & Water GID at 775-235-7701.

*** Please note: not all residents may have been affected. This notice applies to the area of the project and those homes and businesses.** You may contact the office for further information on those homes and businesses affected at 775-235-7701.



This notice is being sent to you McGill Ruth Sewer & Water District. State Water System ID#: NV000163.