

Boil Water Advisories

Precautions to take during a Boil Water Advisory

- Do not drink tap water.
 - Do not use ice made from recent tap water.
 - Do not use tap water to make drinks, juices, or fountain soft drinks
 - Do not allow water to contact open wounds. Otherwise, wash your hands and bathe as usual. Bathing is safe as long as no water is swallowed.
 - Wash dishes, fruits and vegetables in boiled water or water that has been disinfected with bleach.
 - Brush your teeth with boiled water or commercially bottled water.
 - Cook with tap water ONLY if the food will be boiled for at least one minute.
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Boil Water Procedure

Do not drink the water without boiling it first.

- Bring all water to a boil
- Let it boil for one minute
- Let the water cool before using or used commercially bottled water

Boiling kills bacteria and other organisms in the water.