

ATTENTION:

Residents Serviced by the McGarry Municipal Drinking Water Distribution System Virginiatown

A **BOIL WATER ADVISORY** will be issued effective

August 22nd, 2018

This advisory is due to loss of pressure.

This precautionary <u>BOIL WATER ADVISORY</u> will remain in effect until further notice.

BOIL your water to a rolling boil for at least ONE MINUTE or you may also use bottled water to:

- drink:
- gargle, brush your teeth or rinse dentures;
- wash fruits, vegetables and other food;
- make ice, juices, puddings, or other mixes;
- make baby food or formula (bottled water or alternate potable supply only).

BATHING and WASHING:

- adults, teens and older children can use unboiled water for baths and showers;
- small children can be given sponge-baths instead of tub baths or showers;
- Do not swallow any unboiled water used for showers and baths.

DISHWSHING:

<u>Dishwashers:</u> Use a dishwasher with a high heat setting or sanitize cycle.

Manual dishwashing: Wash in hot soapy water, rinse, sanitize and allow dishes to air dry as

usual. (To sanitize, mix 1 tsp. of bleach to 1 litre of water, let dishes soak

in the solution for one minute).

For a complete list of recommendations, please refer to the information sheet titled <u>Boil Water</u> Advisory: How to Use Your Water Safely located on our website www.timiskaminghu.com.

If you have any questions regarding this advisory, please contact the Municipal Office at 705-634-2145 or the Timiskaming Health Unit at 705-567-9355.