

Date: March 30th, 2021

BOIL WATER NOTICE

BOIL YOUR WATER BEFORE USING

Failure to follow this advisory could result in stomach or intestinal illness.

Due to the recent [water main leak repair](#), the State Water Resources Control Board, Division of Drinking Water in conjunction with the [Lake County Health Department](#), and [Lower Lake County Waterworks District No. 1](#) are advising residents of **Rancho Sendero Wy, Spruce Grove Rd and Old Spruce Grove Rd** who have received this notice to use boiled tap water or bottled water for drinking and cooking purposes as a safety precaution.

DO NOT DRINK THE WATER WITHOUT BOILING IT FIRST. Bring all water to a boil, **let it boil for one (1) minute**, and let it cool before using, or use bottled water. Boiled or bottled water should be used for drinking and food preparation **until further notice**. [Boiling kills bacteria and other organisms in the water.](#) This is the preferred method to assure that the water is safe to drink.

Optional alternative:

- An alternative method of disinfection for residents that are not able to boil their water is to use fresh, unscented, liquid household bleach. To do so, add 8 drops (or 1/8 teaspoon) of bleach per gallon of clear water or 16 drops (or 1/4 teaspoon) per gallon of cloudy water, mix thoroughly, and allow it to stand for 30 minutes before using. A chlorine-like taste and odor will result from this disinfection procedure and is an indication that adequate disinfection has taken place.
- Water disinfection tablets may also be used by following the manufacturer's instructions.
- [Other event specific instructions:](#)

We will inform you when tests show that water is safe to drink and you no longer need to boil your water. We anticipate resolving the problem within 3 days.

For more information call:

Water Utility contact: [The District Office, 707-994-6009 16254 Main Street, Lower Lake, California.](#)

State Water Resources Control Board – Drinking Water Field Operations Branch- District Office at [\(707\) 576-2145](#).

Local Environmental Health Jurisdiction: [Lake County at \(707\) 263-1164](#).

Please share this information with all the other people who drink this water, especially those who may not have received this notice directly (for example, people in apartments, nursing homes, schools, and businesses). You can do this by posting this notice in a public place or distributing copies by hand or mail.