

BOIL WATER NOTICE WATER MAIN TIE-IN OKANAGAN FALLS WATER SYSTEM LOWER ZONE ONLY

March 13, 2025

The Regional District of Okanagan-Similkameen (RDOS) is issuing a **Boil Water Notice** that will go into effect **March 18, 2025, at 8:00 am** for the **entire Lower Zone** of the Okanagan Falls Water System (see links below and/or page 2 for Lower Zone description). This notice is required to facilitate the completion of the watermain upgrade project that is underway in the laneway between the north end of Ash St. and Cedar St.

The contractor completing this work will require the RDOS to conduct two partial shutdowns in the Lower Zone to connect the new watermain to the existing distribution system. A Boil Water Notice is typically required when the distribution system loses full or partial pressure. This **Boil Water Notice** will remain in effect until further notice.

Residents are advised to use a safe alternate water source or to boil water for all drinking, toothbrushing, food preparation/cooking purposes, and ice-making. Water should be brought to a full boil and allowed to boil for at least one (1) minute.

Residents are reminded to use a safe alternate source of water for preparing baby formula for infants and young children during this time due to the potential for elevated manganese levels resulting from the disruption of sediments in the water mains.

Please be advised that RDOS Public Works crews will be flushing the watermains in the localized area of the shutdown after completion of the tie-in works.

Residents may observe some discolouration or sediment in the water. If you experience dirty water, run your cold water taps only and/or garden hose until the water runs clear. Residents may also wish to isolate their in-home treatment systems until turbidity has decreased to normal levels. In addition, residents should check the water quality before laundering clothing during this time to minimize potential staining or discolouration.

The RDOS would also like to remind all business owners/operators (bed and breakfasts) and public facilities operators that it is the responsibility of these establishments to notify your customers of the **Boil Water Notice**.

For further information, please contact RDOS Public Works at 250-490-4106 or 250-490-4135 during regular business hours, Monday through Friday.

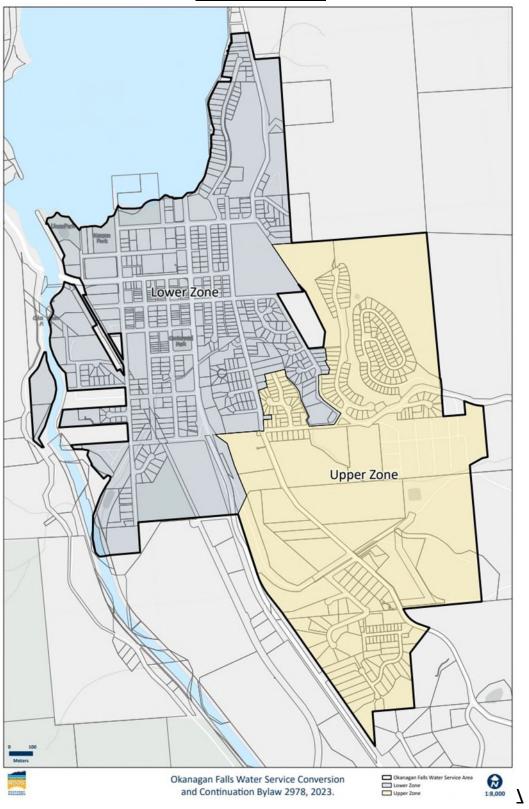
For after-hours water emergencies, please call RDOS Regional Dispatch at 250-490-4141.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Links:

<u>Map-Water Zones</u> <u>Addresses-Upper and Lower Zones</u>

Map - Water Zones



Addresses - Upper and Lower Zones

All addresses below, with the noted exceptions, are in the Upper Zone.

Street	Addresses
14th Ave	All, except for 5012, 5036,
	5101 that are in the Lower
	Zone (see map)
Brockie Pl	All
Commercial Rd	All
Commercial Way	All
Iris Rd	All
Leslie Dr	All
Mallory Cres	All
Maple St.	1225, 1305, 1369, and all
**	addresses 1406 and up
McLean Creek Rd	All addresses from 1376 up
Mimac Ct	All
Oliver Ranch Rd	All
Peachcliff Dr	All
Peachcliff Pl	All
Wallis Rd	All

All other addresses are in the **Lower Zone**.