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Precautionary Drinking Water Advisory

600 Block of 28th Street West

The City Of Prince Albert wishes to advise residents of the 600 Block of 28th Street West that a precautionary drinking water advisory will be implemented today, Friday, March 5th, 2010 following the watermain repair at 28th Street West, west of 6th Avenue. The water was shut off to facilitate repair of the watermain and water service is expected to be restored by late afternoon today.

The precautionary drinking water advisory will be in effect until laboratory testing confirms the safety of the water supply. When water is available, due to regulatory requirements, residents in the affected area are being asked to boil water for activities where it may be swallowed or ingested, including the brushing of teeth, soaking of false teeth, dishwashing, washing fruits and vegetables and food or drink which will not be heated or frozen.

The advisory does not mean that the City water is unsafe during this period, but rather that caution must be exercised until sampling confirms the water quality. Under most circumstances there is no need to boil water used for other household purposes. Adults, adolescents and older children may shower, bathe or wash using tap water but should avoid swallowing the water. Laundry may be washed in tap water, either by hand or by machine. Caregivers should ensure young children and infants are sponge bathed or use an alternative water source known to be safe.

The City thanks residents for their patience and understanding during this period.

Please contact the Public Works Department for further information.

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