

PUBLIC NOTICE TO ALL CONSUMERS OF

PWS# 1592010
City of Newport, Water Division
70 Halsey Street
Newport, RI 02840

PRECAUTIONARY DRINKING WATER WARNING LIFTED

Bacteria absent in the Newport Water Division's Low Pressure Zone water

The Newport Water Division public water system has notified RI Department of Health Center for Drinking Water Quality that the most recent testing of our water has shown that no bacteria are currently present.

YOU NO LONGER NEED TO BOIL YOUR WATER BEFORE USING

What has been done?

The water main break that created the unsafe condition has been isolated and repaired. Water samples were obtained throughout the distribution system on February 10th after the water main break was isolated and the pressure in the system returned to normal. The chlorine residual in the distribution system was also increased as a precaution. The samples were all negative for the presence of bacteria.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the Newport Water Division at 845-5600 during the hours of 8:30 AM to 4:30 PM.

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.

This notice is being sent to you by Newport Water Division. State Water System ID#: 1592010.

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