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Utilities Department has Lifted Boil Water Notice for City of Laredo

Laredo, Texas – The City of Laredo has taken the necessary corrective actions to ensure the quality of the water distributed by the public water system used for drinking and human consumption. It has provided TCEQ with laboratory test results that indicate the water no longer requires boiling prior to consumption effective immediately. The Health Department laboratory reported all samples were negative for total coliform organisms. These steps met compliance and allow the boil water notice to be lifted, which was issued on February 18th and 19th, 2022.

For any questions concerning this matter, the community can contact Juan Rios, Water Pollution Control, at (956) 721-2007 or the Utilities Department Main Office at (956) 721-2000, located at 5816 Daugherty Avenue.

Figure: 30 TAC §290.47(c)(3)

Boil Water Notice Rescinded
3/3/2022

On 2/18/2022 and 2/19/2022, the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality required the City of Laredo public water system, #2400001, to issue a Boil Water Notice to inform customers, individuals, or employees that due to conditions which occurred recently in the public water system, the water from this public water system was required to be boiled prior to use for drinking water or human consumption purposes.

The public water system has taken the necessary corrective actions to restore the quality of the water distributed by this public water system used for drinking water or human consumption purposes and has provided TCEQ with laboratory test results that indicate that the water no longer requires boiling prior to use as of 3/3/2022.

If you have questions concerning this matter, you may contact Juan Rios, Water Pollution Control, at (956) 721-2007 or the Utilities Main Office at (956) 721-2000, located at 5816 Daugherty Avenue, Laredo, Texas 78044.

The City of Laredo Utilities Distribution crews assisted by several contractors made transmission line and valve repairs which have restored water flows, tanks storage levels and system pressures to the affected areas. Additionally, flushing of lines and collections of representative water samples have been completed with all Microbiological sample results found negative for total coliform organisms.