### BEAVER FALLS WATERWORKS DISTRICT

# WATER QUALITY ADVISORY

# [Total Coliform Presence]

Laboratory tests indicate the presence of total coliform bacteria in the drinking water. The "total coliforms" may be due to inadequate disinfection treatment or distribution pipes that need maintenance. Total coliform bacteria are naturally present in the environment, and they are generally not harmful themselves but they indicate an increased chance that organisms causing intestinal illness may be present in the drinking water. People with undeveloped immune or severely weakened immune systems, infants and elderly may be at increased risk.

Due to the above concerns and as a precautionary measure, water users are advised to bring all water to a rolling boil for at least one minute and let it cool before using it or, use bottled water. Boiled or bottled water should be used for drinking, making ice, brushing teeth and food preparation until further notice. We will inform you when the Water Quality Advisory is removed.

THIS WATER QUALITY NOTICE IS EFFECTIVE

\_ UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.

#### **ENQUIRIES?**

Please call Beaver Falls Waterworks District at 250-367-0255 or Cell 250-304-9446

## PLEASE SPREAD THE WORD TO YOUR NEIGHBOURS

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: Beaver Falls Waterworks website, Facebook Community page, halls, mobile home parks, rental units, preschools, businesses, and emails)

Signature

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