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## **News Release**

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## **Boil Water Notice Affecting Approximately 25 Trout Creek Area Residents**

The District of Summerland wishes to notify residents on Johnson Street, from Highway 97 to Nixon Road, Cordy Avenue, and Harding Street that due to a water main break possible contamination has entered the water system. **Only residents receiving a hand delivered letter from the District are affected.** 

Interior Health and the District of Summerland recommend that you use water that has been boiled for one minute or use a safe alternative. This includes food preparation, teeth brushing and any water that is consumed.

Residents will be notified when the Boil Water Notice has been lifted.

This Boil Water Notice does not apply to the rest of the Summerland Water System or the Garnet Valley Water System. Only approximately 25 residents are affected and they have received a hand delivered notice.

At approximately 8:00am a water main break caused the emergency check valve to close in the Pressure Reducing Station in Trout Creek and caused an unplanned water disruption.

Water has been restored to most of the Trout Creek area, with the exception of residents on Johnson Street from Highway 97 to Nixon Road including Cordy Avenue and Harding Street (approximately 25 homes). These residents will be out of water for most of the day to repair the water main.

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