



QUONONCHONTAUG CENTRAL BEACH FIRE DISTRICT

September 14, 2019

Dear Greetings!

Important update

Results of yesterday's well inspection revealed significant defects, including roots and biomass, within the wells. I believe that RIDOH will determine that this is a correctable defect which has caused the multiple TC+ and E Coli+ sampling this past month staying any immediate mandate of 4-log disinfection.

Thus:

- 1. Well inspection revealed major structural defects within both wells which may require essentially a rebuild of the Wells.**
- 2. We are proceeding with aggressive vegetation clearing as planned.**
- 3. Pending an official corrective action from RIDOH, we do not expect a mandate of immediate 4-log disinfection. Nonetheless the PW Committee will continue to explore 4-log disinfection systems, both chemical and UV, appropriately designed for our water system.**
- 4. Cross Connection Control program will proceed as outlined in yesterday's eblast.**
- 5. Boil Water Advisory may still persist for some time but it seems we have a path forward**

Unfortunately a professional conference prevents my attendance at today's annual meeting but George Prior and Tom Frost will provide proper stewardship

I am thankful that we now have a more concrete direction and potential path towards lifting our Boil Water Alert.

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