

QUONOCHONTAUG CENTRAL BEACH FIRE DISTRICTDecember 1, 2019

DearGreetings!

A post Thanksgiving weekend update.

As you know Well #1, our principal water source, has consistently returned total Coliform bacteria but not E Coli since mid October.

Under RIDOH's direction we will be re-chlorinating well #1 tomorrow, Monday December 2nd. Well #1 will be taken off line sometime tomorrow, chlorinated, and the chlorine will be allowed to sit in the well overnight.

Well #1 will be flushed and reconnected to the system by Wednesday, December 4th.

This has been performed previously to Well #1.

Therefore, starting tomorrow and most likely through midday Wednesday, the water will be solely from Well #2, which as you recall, has elevated iron levels. The water color may be off so please plan accordingly. Even though Well #2 has not demonstrated coliform bacteria in November we still remain on a Boil Water Advisory.

Thank you again for your continued understanding.

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