

# UTILITY ISSUED BOIL WATER NOTICE

## BOIL YOUR WATER BEFORE USING

On August 3, 2011, a water problem occurred in South Wheeling  
(Date) (Location)  
causing contamination of your water. The areas that are affected are as follows:

Entire Water System or  Other between Jacob and Wood Streets from 38<sup>th</sup> to 44<sup>th</sup> Street.  
(Area of Water System)

CONDITIONS INDICATE THERE IS A HIGH PROBABILITY THAT YOUR WATER IS CONTAMINATED. TESTING HAS NOT OCCURRED TO CONFIRM OR DENY THE PRESENCE OF CONTAMINATION IN YOUR WATER.

### What should I do?

• **DO NOT DRINK THE WATER WITHOUT BOILING IT FIRST.** Bring all water to a boil, let it boil for one minute, and let it cool before using, or use bottled water. Boiled or bottled water should be used for drinking, making ice, brushing teeth, washing dishes, bathing, and food preparation **until further notice**. Boiling kills bacteria and other organisms in the water.

### What happened? What is being done?

A 20, 12 and 8 inch water mains broke causing loss of pressure and service to customers in the area.

0 (Describe the corrective action)

We will inform you when you no longer need to boil your water. We anticipate resolving the problem within 48 hours or by the afternoon of Saturday August 6<sup>th</sup> 2011.  
(Estimated time frame)

For more information, please contact Frank Blaskovich at 304-234-3835  
(Contact Name) (Telephone number)

or 1305 Richland Avenue, Wheeling, WV 26003. General guidelines on ways to lessen  
(Mailing Address)  
the health risk are available from the EPA Safe Drinking Water Hotline at 1 (800) 426-4791.

*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, people in apartments, nursing homes, schools, and businesses). You can do this by posting this notice in a public place or distributing copies by hand or mail.*

This notice is being sent to you by Wheeling Water Department  
(Water System Name)

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