



# Water Treatment Plant Shutdown

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**Affected Area:** Entire community of Moose Factory, On, excluding Weeneebayko Hospital.

**Date of Notice:** Thursday, March 9, 2017

A shutdown of the Water Treatment Plant is tentatively scheduled for **Monday, March 13, 2017** at **11:00 PM** to **Tuesday, March 14, 2017** at **12:00 PM** for maintenance on the fire pump System.

There will be no water available during the time of the shutdown, though; members are encouraged to fill up their bathtubs and water containers before the temporary shutdown occurs.

Once water is restored, a Boil Water Advisory will be in effect and will remain in effect until sampling indicates that the water is safe to drink. ***Please note, because of the transportation of samples to the laboratories, the length of time to do the tests, and the number of consecutive samples required, the B.W.A is expected to last approximately four days.***

A Boil Water Advisory means that people who take their water from the communal system should follow the advice in the fact sheet from the Porcupine Health Unit, called “How to use water safely during a boil water advisory”. Please refer to their website for more details.

If you prefer not to boil your water, an alternate source of drinking water is still being made available to you at the Water Plant. Hours of operation are from 7:30 AM to 4:00 PM. Please, bring your own container.

**For more information contact:**

Environmental Health Officer: Colin Poirier  
Porcupine Health Unit at 800-461-1818  
Moose Factory Water Plant at 705-658-6520

We apologize for the inconvenience this may have caused.

Kind regards,  
Ontario Clean Water Agency