

**DRINKING WATER WARNING
BOIL YOUR WATER BEFORE USING**

HIERVAN EL AGUA ANTES DE USARLA.

**ESTE INFORME CONTIENE INFORMACION MUY IMPORTANTE SOBRE SU AGUA
DE BEBER. TRADUZCALO O HABLE CON ALGUIEN QUE LO ENTIENDA BIEN.**

Due to a Positive Total Coliform sample return the water quality at the Tunkhannock Area School District Primary Center has been adversely affected. Potential disease-causing organisms are present in the Tunkhannock Area Primary Center water supply.

When present, these organisms may cause illness in people served by the water system at the Tunkhannock Area Primary Center

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, and food preparation **until further notice**. Boiling kills bacteria and other organisms in the water.

If you experience any adverse symptoms and they persist, contact your doctor. People with severely compromised immune systems, infants, and some elderly may be at increased risk. These people should seek advice about drinking water from their health care providers.

What happened? What is being done?

A post system maintenance water sample return was positive for total Coliform. As a result, although not required by DEP, the Tunkhannock Area School District will be on a self-imposed water boil advisory until further notice. additional point sampling will be done on 8/24/26. Once the additional point samples are returned the district will take immediate action which may include system disinfection and/or additional sampling.

We will inform you when you no longer need to boil your water.

For more information, please contact _____ Tunkhannock Area School District
at _____ 570- 836-3111 _____.

**General guidelines on ways to lessen the risk of infection by microbes 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 Tunkhannock Area School District

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