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NEWS RELEASE

Results of first water quality test for northwest Farmington Hills

Oct. 29, 2017, Pontiac, Mich. – The first round of water quality testing by the Oakland County Water Resources Commissioner (WRC) for northwest Farmington Hills is clear. No bacteria were found in the water. Northwest Farmington Hills remains under an extended boil water advisory until at least sometime on Monday.

The Michigan Department of Environmental Quality requires two water quality tests taken 24 hours apart that are clear before lifting a boil water advisory. The WRC expects the results of its second set of water quality tests for northwest Farmington Hills to return sometime Monday afternoon. If that test is clear, the WRC will lift the boil water advisory for northwest Farmington Hills at that time.

Farmington Hills residents and businesses who are unsure whether they are in the area that is part of the WRC's extended boil water alert may click on the banner at the top of OakGov.com to view a map which highlights in yellow and lists the street names of the section of the city affected by the extended boil water advisory.

Earlier today, the Great Lakes Water Authority lifted its boil water advisory from the remaining communities which included the other sections of Farmington Hills. Oakland County Health Division reminds residents, schools, businesses, restaurants, and health care facilities to review the "Before you drink the water" check lists prior to resuming normal water usage.

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