



Public Health Advisory

Boil Water Advisory – Whale Cove

July 22, 2020

Whale Cove, NU

The Department of Health is issuing a boil water advisory for the residents of Whale Cove.

This is a precautionary measure due to unsatisfactory bacterial sample results.

During a boil water advisory, all water for consumption must be brought to a rolling boil for a minimum of one full minute.

It is essential that all water be boiled for the following uses:

- drinking.
- preparing infant formulas.
- preparing juices and ice cubes.
- washing fruits and vegetables.
- cooking.
- brushing of teeth.

Water can be boiled either in a pot or kettle on a stove or an electric kettle without an automatic shut-off.

It is not necessary to boil water used for anything other than the above list.

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