



# Media Release

December 15, 2023

For immediate release

## Water Quality Advisory rescinded for the Erickson Water System

Nelson, BC: The Regional District of Central Kootenay (RDCK) is pleased to announce effective immediately the **Water Quality Advisory** issued for users on the Erickson Water System in Electoral Areas B and C has been rescinded.

On December 7, 2023 a **Water Quality Advisory** was issued as a result of below-target chlorine residual levels due to high chlorine demand from heavy rains increasing dissolved organics (colour) in the water. This advisory was issued as a precautionary measure.

Chlorine residual levels have been restored and water quality tests indicate that the water quality is good.

The RDCK appreciates Erickson water users' cooperation and patience during this time and apologizes for the inconvenience experienced.

*Incorporated in 1965, the Regional District of Central Kootenay (RDCK) is a local government that serves 60,000 residents in 11 electoral areas and nine member municipalities. The RDCK provides more than 160 services, including community facilities, fire protection and emergency services, grants, planning and land use, regional parks, resource recovery and handling, transit, water services and much more. For more information about the RDCK, visit [www.rdck.ca](http://www.rdck.ca).*

-30-

### For further information, please contact:

**Alex Divlakovski**  
Water Operations Manager  
Regional District of Central Kootenay  
Tel: 250.352.1502  
Email: [adivlakovski@rdck.bc.ca](mailto:adivlakovski@rdck.bc.ca)

### For media enquiries:

**Dan Elliott**  
Communications Coordinator  
Regional District of Central Kootenay  
Tel: 250.354.3476  
Email: [delliott@rdck.bc.ca](mailto:delliott@rdck.bc.ca)