



## Water Quality Advisory

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Locations: **RDCK**

Effective immediately, a **Water Quality Advisory** is being issued for users on the **Fauquier** Water System. The advisory is being issued due to elevated turbidity from spring freshet.

### Instructions

While health risks are considered low, the RDCK and Interior Health recommend that children, the elderly, people with weakened immune systems, and anyone seeking additional protection drink boiled water or a safe alternative until further notice. For these at-risk populations, water intended for drinking, washing fruits or vegetables, making beverages or ice, or brushing teeth should be boiled for one minute.

### Additional Information

Owners of all public facilities must post a WATER QUALITY ADVISORY at all sinks or drinking water fountains accessible to the public. As opportunities arise, they must also advise their clientele verbally of the WATER QUALITY ADVISORY. The public will be notified when conditions change or water quality has improved. Please spread the word to your neighbours - share this information with community members who drink this water, especially those who may not have received this notice directly such as people in long and short-term rental units, mobile home parks, and nursing homes. We apologize for any inconvenience this might cause, and appreciate your cooperation and patience during this time. For more information contact the RDCK (250) 352-8161 or 1-800-268-7325 ext. 8161, or visit our website at [www.rdck.ca/water](http://www.rdck.ca/water).