

A Community Water Utility Partnership Of The Livingston County, Michigan Communities of  
Brighton Charter Township, Green Oak Charter Township, and Hamburg Township

## PRECAUTIONARY BOIL WATER ADVISORY NOTICE

Loss of pressure in Livingston Community Water Authority System

### BOIL YOUR WATER BEFORE USING

**Bring tap water to a rolling boil, boil for one minute, and cool before using** or use bottled water. Boiled or bottled water should be used for drinking, making ice, washing dishes, brushing teeth, and preparing food until further notice.

**This Boil Water Notice applies to all customers of the Livingston Community Water Authority (LCWA) within Hamburg Township, Charter Township of Brighton, and Green Oak Charter Township.**

If you receive your water from any other source than LCWA or have a well, this does not apply to you.

During the early afternoon on July 21, 2023, it was discovered that there was a loss of communication which caused the water level in the tower to lower and the pressure to drop to less than 20 psi causing this Precautionary Boil Water Advisory. This was directly due to lightning strikes from the storms on July 20, 2023.

Crews were dispatched, repairs made, communication restored, and the system is back to normal water pressure and tower water levels.

When water mains lose pressure, it increases the chance that untreated water and harmful microbes can enter your water.

*Harmful microbes in drinking water can cause diarrhea, cramps, nausea, headaches, or other symptoms and may pose a special health risk for infants, some elderly, and people with severely compromised immune systems. But these symptoms are not just caused by microbes in drinking water. If you experience any of these symptoms and they persist, you should seek medical advice. For more information about Boil Water Advisories, go to:*

[https://www.health.ny.gov/environmental/water/drinking/boilwater/faq\\_residents\\_and\\_homeowners.htm](https://www.health.ny.gov/environmental/water/drinking/boilwater/faq_residents_and_homeowners.htm)

It is likely that you will need to boil water for the next 72 hours until the problem is fixed. You will be informed when tests show that you no longer need to boil your water. For more information, please contact:

Mark St. Charles of the Livingston Community Water Authority at 810-231-1333 ext. 102

Please share this information with other people who drink this water, especially anyone who

may not get 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.

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