

NOTICE

PLEASE EXCUSE THIS INCONVENIENCE

TEMPORARY WATER SHUT-OFF

The water main that serves your property must be shut-off to allow for connection of a new water main. Please draw enough water to supply your needs during this period.

This shut down will start on MONDAY AUGUST 23rd at 4:00PM. Announcements will be made on City of Maquoketa Web Site, KMAQ and Maquoketa Public Access. Once the water is off work will continue until the installation is complete and then water will be restored.

A **boil advisory** will be effective immediately once the water is restored on the 18th. The advisory will remain in place until at least one set of bacteria samples have been completed confirming that the water meets all regulatory standards.

This water shutdown and boil advisory will ONLY affect the following areas:

- 400 to 600 Block of West Platt Street.**
- 100 and 200 block of North Fifth Street.**
- 100 block of South Prospect Street.**
- 100 to 300 block of South Vermont Street.**

Because of the potential for bacterial or other contamination, it is recommended by the IDNR that residents either boil water or use bottled water for drinking or cooking until further notice.

Residents are advised to bring water to a boil for one minute and let it cool before using, or use bottled water. Boiling kills bacteria and other organisms in the water. Tap water may be used for bathing and other similar purposes.

Residents will be notified when the boil advisory is lifted on **KMAQ radio and the City of Maquoketa Web Site**. It is anticipated the advisory will be lifted by Mid-day on **WED AUG 25th, 2021**.

Occasionally, some problems occur after the water supply is reinstated. If water shows discoloration, run the water until it clears. If water is available from most faucets, but won't flow from a particular one, remove the screen from that faucet and run water. Clean the faucet screen and reinstall it.

If you have any concerns regarding the water service interruption, please contact Jeff Bodenhofer at 563-652-4881.

Find more information at the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's Safe Drinking Water Hotline, 800-427-4791.