

## REGIONAL DISTRICT OF CENTRAL KOOTENAY **MEDIA RELEASE**

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## **Boil Water Notice Rescinded**

The Regional District of Central Kootenay is pleased to announce that effective immediately, the Boil Water Notice issued for users on the Riondel Water System has been removed.

As part of the final steps to complete the new water treatment plant, the Hendryx Creek raw water connection had to be separated from the system. This work was undertaken between February 29<sup>th</sup> – March 4<sup>th</sup> and during this time; the reservoir was bypassed resulting in a reduction in chlorine contact time.

The new Ultra Filtration Membrane treatment system is now producing consistently clean, safe drinking water for the residents of Riondel. The infrastructure upgrades to the Riondel Water System have brought the system into compliance with Interior Health Authority (IHA) 4-3-2-1-0 objectives for providing safe drinking water.

We thank you for your cooperation and patience during this time.

## For further information, please contact:

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