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BOIL WATER NOTICE ISSUED FOR DURHAM IRRIGATION DISTRICT CUSTOMERS

DURHAM, CA – (Sept. 30, 2023) – A thunderstorm on Friday, Sept. 29th knocked out power to Durham Irrigation District's generator. The safety of our customers is our top priority, and as a result, the district is exercising a boil water notice for all customers until Tuesday, Oct. 3rd.

"There is extremely low risk that our system has been contaminated," said Matt Doyle, chairman of the board for Durham Irrigation District. "Safety is our top concern and we are exercising extreme caution in this instance to ensure the water supply to Durham Irrigation District is safe to drink. At this time there are no reports of any customers affected."

The district received notice from our water operator that the outage affected our generator and has been following protocol and working as quickly as possible since becoming aware of the outage.

Durham Irrigation District is working with public health officials from the State of California and Butte County and will have all water testing results by Tuesday, Oct. 3rd, at which time, the boil water notice will be lifted.

The Durham Irrigation District was founded in 1948. There are 475 residential and business accounts in the Durham Irrigation District. Butte County Environmental Health will notify all restaurants.

Customers seeking more information can https://www.didwater.org/september-30-2023-boil-water-notice-for-all-customers

The full boil water notice is posted at:

 $\underline{\text{https://www.didwater.org/files/c62cf4127/DID+Boil+Water+Notice+\%2809.30.2023\%29+FINAL.}}\\ \underline{\text{pdf}}$