

Steps to Permit Reinstatement After Boil Water Notice

After either the municipality or regulatory authority has provided notice that the water supply is safe to use, operators must verify the following have been completed in order to obtain reinstatement of a permit:

1 Discard any ice, food, or beverages prepared during the time when the water supply was unapproved

2 Clean and sanitize any areas that may have been in contact with contaminated water

- Examples include post-mix beverage machines, spray misters, coffee or tea urns, ice machines, glass washers, dishwashers.
- All equipment with water connections must be flushed, cleaned, and sanitized in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.

3 Flush pipes/faucets: follow the directions of your water utility (in the newspaper, radio, or television) or, as general guidance, run cold water faucets for at least 5 minutes

4 Flush hot water heater per manufacturer's instructions

5 Replace water filter cartridges per manufacturer's instructions

For questions, contact Alamance
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