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City of Olney, PWS 2520003 Press Release & Legal Notice Boil Water Notice Rescinded July 27, 2021

For Immediate Release:

OLNEY, TEXAS (7/27/2021) – Public Notice to Boil Water Rescinded

On July 25, 2021, the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) required our public water system City of Olney, PWS ID 2520003, to issue a Boil Water Notice to inform customers, individuals, and employees that due to conditions which occurred recently in the public water system, the water from this public water system was required to be boiled prior to use for drinking water or human consumption purposes.

The City of Olney public water system has taken the necessary corrective actions to restore the quality of the water distributed by the City of Olney public water system used for drinking water and has provided TCEQ with laboratory testing results that indicate water from our system no longer requires boiling prior to use as drinking water or for human consumption purposes as of 9:15 A.M. on July 27, 2021.

The original Boil Water Notice was given due to a loss of pressure and interruption in water service as a result of a break in an 8-inch water mainline. The City of Olney repaired the break and damage, restored adequate pressure and disinfectant levels, and performed bacteriological testing of the water from multiple points. Testing indicated that no pathogens were present and that water from the City of Olney no longer needs to be boiled.

If you have questions, contact the City of Olney or K.C. Blassingame at (940) 564-2102.

If a customer wishes to reach the TCEQ they may reach out to them by phone.