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Boil-water advisory ends for City of Raymond in Pacific County

OLYMPIA — Residents of Raymond in Pacific County no longer have to boil their drinking water. Tests on water samples show the water again meets safe drinking water standards.

The city issued a boil-water advisory on Feb. 8 after heavy rains and flooding overwhelmed the water treatment plant's ability to effectively filter and treat its water supply.

The water system serves about 3,000 people. The city's staff routinely monitors water for turbidity, or cloudiness, which can show whether the water is being filtered properly. Cloudy water can limit the effectiveness of chlorine disinfection in killing disease-causing organisms.

The water staff, with help from the Department of Health, drained the water system's reservoir, flushed clean water through the distribution system, and collected water quality samples.

Residents with questions about their drinking water can call the City of Raymond at 360-942-4107 and check the [city's website](#).

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