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## **Boil-water advisory ends for Heights system on Vashon Island**

**OLYMPIA** — Customers of the Heights Water Association on Vashon Island no longer have to boil their water. Lab tests show the water meets safe drinking water standards.

The water system issued the advisory as a precaution on June 24 after a 16-inch water main broke, causing part of the system to lose pressure. The pressure loss could have allowed contaminants to enter the water lines. The advisory affected about 400 homes.

Utility crews repaired the broken water main, flushed the lines, and took water samples to test for bacterial contamination. The test results were satisfactory.

Customers with questions can call the water system at 206-463-0014.

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