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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Water Main Break/Pressure Loss around Jimmy Deloach Parkway and Highway 21 causes City of Port Wentworth to issue a boil water advisory.

Due to a [water main break/pressure loss](#), [City of Port Wentworth](#) advises customers to boil their drinking water. This advisory is for [customers north of Jimmy Deloach Parkway within city limits](#). Customers in other areas of [City of Port Wentworth](#) are not affected and do not need to boil their water.

Customers should:

- Fill a pot with water.
- Heat the water until bubbles come quickly from the bottom of the pot to the top.
- Keep heating the water for one more minute.
- Turn off the heat source and let the water cool.
- Pour water into a clean, sanitized container with a cover for storage.

Customers should use boiled water that has cooled or bottled water for:

- Drinking
- Brushing teeth
- Washing fruits and vegetables
- Preparing food and baby formula
- Making ice
- Giving to pets

The [City of Port Wentworth](#) is [working diligently](#) to fix the problem. We estimate the boil water advisory will end by [Tuesday July 13, 2021](#). We will provide the next update at [5p.m. Monday July 12, 2021](#).

This boil water advisory is a precaution. To limit risk, customers should follow the instructions contained in this release.

This boil water advisory is in effect until [City of Port Wentworth](#) and [Clearwater Solutions](#) determine the situation is corrected. Customers will be notified immediately when the advisory is lifted.

For more information, contact [Chris Lee](#) at [Clearwater Solutions](#), 877-230-6228 or clee@cityofportwentworth.com, or City Hall by calling 912-964-4379.

[Optional—General guidelines on ways to lessen the risk of infection by microbes are available from the EPA Safe Drinking Water Hotline at 1-800-426-4791.]