

UPDATE:

INTERRUPTION TO DRINKING WATER SUPPLY in Balranald

Dear Residents

As part of a program to improve our service to customers and the quality of the water supply, Balranald Shire Council has engaged contractors to install and repair valves on the **Drinking** water mains in your area.

On Thursday 08th August 2019, some parts of Balranald as mentioned below will have their water supply interrupted for the two hours between 9:00am and 11:00am

The Affected area are as below:

- Church St: from No 161 to 207
- Sydney St: No 59
- Lily St: all properties
- Moa St: from No 56 to 96
- Dowling St: from No166 to 208
- Piper St: from No 93 to 95
- O'Connor St: all properties
- Watts lane: all properties
- Yuranigah St: from No 64 to 95

THE RAW WATER SYSTEM TO YOUR PROPERTY WILL NOT BE AFFECTED.

What if I am elderly, have health concerns or other special requirements?

For special needs customers or for customers whose circumstances require continuous supply of drinking water, please contact:

Balranald Shire Council 03 5020 1300

How will I get water for my house during that day?

Prior to the interruption, you should store sufficient drinking water for the duration of the outage which is not expected to last more than indicated above. If for any reason you find yourself in urgent need, please call Balranald Shire Council at the number above.



What do I need to do before the interruption to water supply?

To prevent any risk to your hot water system and any other water-using appliance, **PLEASE TURN OFF YOUR DRINKING WATER STOP TAP AT THE WATER METER(S)** prior to the time indicated and leave it off until the water supply is restored. This will prevent any discoloured water from entering your internal service.

DURING INTERRUPTION

DO NOT operate any taps or water-using appliances between the hours stated on this notice. If a tap is inadvertently opened, please turn if off promptly.

What do I do when the water is restored?

Turn on the tap controlling the supply at the meter and run a household tap until the water is clear. Then run a small quantity of water from all drinking water taps on your property until there is a continuous clear flow from each one.

Do not use a washing machine or water using appliance until the water is running clear and free from air. Failing to wait for clear water may result in stained and dirty washing, or damaged appliances and plumbing fixtures.

How can I get more information on what is happening or what to do?

If you require more information, please contact

Balranald Shire Council 03 5020 1300

Balranald Shire Council thanks customers for their cooperation during this work and apologises for any inconvenience.

Kind regards

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