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**SPECIAL**  **DISTRICTS**

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*Lake County's Water and Wastewater Agency*

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**BOIL WATER ORDER**

NAME OF SYSTEM: CSA#\_20 Soda Bay Water System

DATE: 8/15/15

Affected Locations: all Soda Bay Customers

**FAILURE TO FOLLOW THIS ADVISORY COULD RESULT IN  
STOMACH/INTESTINAL ILLNESS.**

Because of poor water quality from the lake we are unable to meet turbidity standards for potable water. The State Water Resources Control Board Division of Drinking Water is advising residents to use boiled tap water or bottled water for drinking and cooking purposes as a safety precaution until further notice.

All tap water used for drinking or cooking should be boiled rapidly for at least one (1)-minute. This is the preferred method to assure that the water is safe to drink.

An alternative method of purification for residents that are unable to boil their water is to use fresh liquid household bleach (Clorox, Purex, etc.). To do so, add 8 drops (or 1/4 teaspoon) of bleach per gallon of clear water or 16 drops (1/2 teaspoon) per gallon of cloudy water, mix thoroughly, and allow to stand 30 minutes before using. A chlorine-like taste and odor will result from this purification procedure and is an indication that adequate disinfection has taken place.

Water purification tablets may also be used by following the manufacturers' instructions.

Emergency water treatment and testing is being conducted by Special Districts' staff and an independent laboratory to resolve this water quality emergency. The State requires two consecutive Bacti tests with absent results to indicate the water is safe to drink before the boil water order may be cancelled.

**Special Districts will notify residents when the water is safe to drink by placing a second notice at your home stating the boil water notice is cancelled.**

For more information call Special Districts at: 707-263-0119.

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