

**RM of St. Francois Xavier  
Advisory Notification Plan  
Prepared for the Office of Drinking Water  
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The RM of St. Francois Xavier owns and maintains the water system within the municipality and is responsible for the delivery of safe, clean drinking water to its residents as delivered to us from the Cartier Regional Water Co-Op (CRWC).

Should the event arise that the water become contaminated or deemed unsafe, notice will be issued by the Office of Drinking Water, followed by immediate notification to the residents of the RM of St. Francois Xavier by the municipality.

**See notification plan below:**

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1. Cartier Regional Water Co-op becomes aware of water issue. Notice is sent to impacted RM's.
2. RM Of St. Francois Xavier receives notice – Public Works Supervisor, ACAO and CAO
3. CAO advises Council, Municipal Emergency Coordinator and RM staff of the situation.
4. Notices are distributed through our website, resident bulk email, notice posting, social media and phone calls.

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Notification Channels**

In order to reach as many residents affected in the municipality as possible, the RM will share the Notice along with any other necessary information through several outlets:

1. RM of St. Francois Xavier Website and resident bulk email feature.
2. Social Media – RM staff will post notices on the St. Francois Xavier Community Facebook page.
3. Posting Physical Notices - Notices would be posted in various areas through the municipality (local stores, post offices, notice boards, etc.)
4. Direct Phone Calls - For individuals and businesses needing immediate notification such as schools, daycares, commercial establishments, etc. – the RM would call those affected directly ASAP.

Updates regarding the water situation will be issued via the same outlets as deemed necessary. RM office staff will provide assistance regarding questions and concerns through social media and phone calls.

When the water advisory has been rescinded, the same outlets will be used to advise residents as soon as possible.

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Water Availability for Residents**

During an advisory, as the water would not be safe to use for drinking or preparing food, the RM will advise residents of where potable water is available for purchase (while supplies last):

- St. Francois Xavier General Store
  - Welcome Stop Esso
  - Or travel to areas outside the RM with no water advisories
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Contacts**

<b>MUNICIPAL CONTACTS</b>			
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Mike Santos	Public Works Operator	204-864-2092	<a href="mailto:pw@rm-stfrancois.mb.ca">pw@rm-stfrancois.mb.ca</a>
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<b>IMMEDIATE CONTACT LIST</b>			
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St. Francois Xavier School	Marc Tellier	Principal	204-864-2868
St. Francois Xavier Country Store	Melody Nelson	Owner	204-864-2428
Welcome Stop Esso and Campground	Amit Lad	Owner	204-864-2917 204-864-2201
St. Francois Xavier Community Centre	Joerg Zimmerman	President	204-864-2182
Belcourt Community Centre	Roz Stewart	President	204-353-2241
St. Francois Xavier Animal Hospital	Betty Hughes	Owner	204-864-2281

Those on the immediate contact list will be contacted by phone ASAP.