

ORDER OF AN EXECUTIVE OFFICER Boil Water Order

To: Outback 646 Ranch House Limited and Aarbo Jens, Aarbo Elaine, Aarbo Harvey, Aarbo-botting Roxanne, Reynolds Loreen.
"the Owners"

RE: The Drinking Water Supply located in Elk Point, Alberta and municipally described as:
Outrider Truck Stop
NW-31-56-6-W4M, Elk Point, Alberta.

WHEREAS I, an **Executive Officer** of **Alberta Health Services**, have inspected and received a report about the above noted drinking water supply pursuant to the provisions of the Public Health Act, RSA 2000, c. P-37, as amended;

AND WHEREAS such inspection and report disclosed that the following conditions exist in and about the above noted drinking water supply which are or may become injurious or dangerous to the public health or which might hinder in any manner the prevention or suppression of disease, namely:

- a. A routine water sample collected on July 6, 2026 from a drinking water well at the above noted facility has a result of E. coli and Total Coliforms being present.

AND WHEREAS such inspection and report disclosed that the following breaches of the Public Health Act Nuisance and General Sanitation Regulation, Alberta Regulation 243/2003 exist in and about the above noted Drinking Water Supply, namely:

- a. A routine water sample collected on July 6, 2026 from a drinking water well at the above noted facility has a result of E. coli and Total Coliforms being present, which is in contravention of the Nuisance and General Sanitation Regulation Section 11, which states "Where a person provided a source of water that the person intends to be used or realizes or ought to realize will be used by the public for human consumption, the person shall ensure that the water is potable".

AND WHEREAS by virtue of the foregoing, the above noted Drinking Water Supply is hereby declared **unfit for human consumption**;

NOW THEREFORE, I hereby **ORDER** and **DIRECT**:

1. That the Owner immediately issues a Boil Water Advisory to all users of the above noted Drinking Water Supply.
2. That the Owner immediately undertake and diligently pursue the completion of the following work in and about the above noted drinking water supply, namely:
 - a. Post appropriate signs at all water outlet taps
 - b. Provide bottled water or water that has been boiled for one minute to all users of the above noted drinking water supply for drinking, preparation of raw foods, and to follow the procedures as described in the "How to use water safely in your food"

establishment during a boil water advisory” document that was provided to the manager at the time of inspection.

- c. Complete any necessary maintenance work on the existing drinking water system so as to render the water safe for human consumption, and
- d. Submit two sets of water samples to the Provincial Laboratory for Public Health for microbiological analysis. The samples must be collected at least 24 hours apart and collected at various locations within the distribution system. The results are required to be negative for the presence of Total Coliforms and E coli.

3. That, until such time as the work referred to in paragraph 2 is completed to the satisfaction of the undersigned, or an executive officer of Alberta Health Services, that this order shall remain in effect.

The above conditions were noted at the time of the inspection and receipt of the report and may not necessarily reflect all deficiencies. You are advised that further work may be required to ensure full compliance with the Public Health Act and regulations, or to prevent a public health nuisance.

DATED at St. Paul, Alberta, July 8, 2026.

Executive Officer
Alberta Health Services

If you have any questions regarding the order, contact Environmental Public Health at 1-833-476-4743 or <https://www.albertahealthservices.ca/eph/eph.aspx>

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A person who is directly affected by a decision may appeal the decision by submitting a Notice of Appeal form within ten (10) days after receiving the order to:

Public Health Appeal Board
c/o Central Reception
Main Floor, ATB Place North Tower
10025 Jasper Avenue NW
Edmonton, Alberta, T5J 1S6

Phone: 780-222-5186

Fax: 780-422-0914

Email: HealthAppealBoard@gov.ab.ca

Website: <https://www.alberta.ca/public-health-appeal-board.aspx>

A Notice of Appeal form may be obtained by contacting the Public Health Appeal Board or visiting their website.

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