



PUBLIC NOTICE

Walgett Town Water Supply

Walgett Shire Council wishes to advise the residents of Walgett and Namoi Village the bore water supply system will be operational for the next 3 to 4 weeks following a break in a water main underneath the levee.

This main feeds water to the water treatment plant and raw water reservoir and temporary repairs were carried out to fix the leak. Due to the failing condition of the existing water main, Council will now need to carry out a major water main replacement to this section underneath the levee.

As the community is aware, the bore water supply was commissioned in December 2016 and is meant to be available as a backup system for emergencies. This will also provide an opportunity to conduct regular performance tests on the condition of the bore water supply system and for our operators to get refresher training operating the bore water supply.

Regular weekly testing of water for microbiology will continue and 1 full chemistry test will be carried out during this period whilst the bore water supply system is operational.

Surface water and groundwater has unique quality and taste therefore residents may notice a slight change in the taste and water softness.

For further information please contact Acting General Manager - Michael Urquhart on 0448 050 563 or admin@walgett.nsw.gov.au

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