

DRINKING WATER WARNING

Rolling Oak's Groundwater Well Tested Positive for Fecal Indicator

Our water system recently detected a fecal indicator, *E. coli*, in one of the groundwater wells. As our customers, you have a right to know what happened and what we are doing to correct this situation. On November 5, 2025 we collected monthly routine a samples from our groundwater wells. The sample tested positive for *E. coli* in well #7.

What should I do? What does this mean?

- **Fecal indicators are microbes whose presence indicates that the water may be contaminated with human or animal wastes. Microbes in these wastes can cause short-term health effects, such as diarrhea, cramps, nausea, headaches, or other symptoms. They may pose a special health risk for infants, young children, some of the elderly, and people with severely compromised immune systems.**
- The symptoms above are not caused only by organisms in drinking water. If you experience any of these symptoms and they persist, you may want to seek medical advice. People at increased risk should seek advice from their health care providers about drinking this water.

What is being done?

During routine monthly samplings, we learned that well #7 had tested positive for fecal indicator, *E. coli*. Immediately upon learning these results, **this well was removed from service and did not supply drinking water to our customers**. The well has been sanitized twice, and we are completing additional sampling to ensure there is no longer bacteriological contaminants present before we return this well to service. We will inform you when tests show no *E. coli*, we anticipate correcting this issue within the next few days.

General guidelines on ways to lessen the risk of infection by microbes are available from the EPA Safe Drinking Water Hotline at 1-800-426-4791.

Please share this information with all the other people who drink this water, especially those who may not have received this notice directly (for example, people in apartments, nursing homes, schools, and businesses). You can do this by posting this notice in a public place or distributing copies by hand or mail.

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