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DRINKING WATER ADVISORIES LIFTED IN AFFECTED AREAS

Plaquemines Parish, LA- The Drinking Water Advisories for the Empire Bridge to Venice area on the westbank and the Phoenix to Bohemia area on the eastbank have been officially lifted, effective immediately.

This decision comes after thorough consultations with the Louisiana Department of Health and extensive testing of the chlorides within the drinking water advisory areas. We are pleased to announce that all test results have confirmed chloride levels are now consistently below the 250mg/l threshold.

As of September 27th, chloride levels in the Empire Bridge to Venice area remained below 250 mg/l, and as of October 3rd, chloride levels in the Phoenix to Bohemia areas have consistently measured below 250mg/l. This is a testament to the concerted efforts made to ensure the safety and well-being of the community.

Residents of Plaquemines Parish can now confidently resume the use of their tap water for all purposes, including drinking, cooking, and bathing. It is indeed a moment of relief, and we want to assure everyone that it is currently safe to consume water in all areas of Plaquemines Parish.

We appreciate the patience and understanding shown by the community during this period, and we want to extend our gratitude to the dedicated professionals who worked tirelessly to address this situation. The health and safety of our residents remain a top priority.

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