

**18/12/2019**

**Lismore City Council and Nimbin Water Supply Rural  
Customers Boil Water Alert**

Poor raw water quality or treatment failure

The pipeline between Mulgum Creek and DE Williams Dam has become contaminated with sediment. Effective Chlorine disinfection cannot be assured for customers connected to the water supply between Weir and Dam.

This boil water notice is effective between December 18<sup>th</sup> 2019 until further notice.

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Water used for drinking or food preparation should be brought to a rolling boil to make it safe. Kettles with automatic shut off switches can do this. Water should then be allowed to cool and stored in a clean container with a lid and refrigerated.

Bottled water or cool boiled water should be used for drinking, washing uncooked food (e.g. salad vegetables and fruit), making ice, cleaning teeth, gargling and pet's drinking water.

Dishes should be washed in hot soapy water or in a dishwasher. Children should take bottled water or cool boiled water to school.

**Lismore City Council** is working to fix the problem.

This advice should be followed until further notice.