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Precautionary Boil Water Notice lifted - West Melton

A Precautionary Boil Water notice issued last week has now been lifted for the Council's West Melton water supply after water sampling results indicated the water supply reticulation is free from e.coli.

A precautionary boil water notice was issued when e.coli levels were found to be above recommended levels at one of the scheme's water treatment plants. The treatment plant was promptly isolated from the water supply reticulation. All water supply reticulation samples have been clear of e.coli indicating the water supply was not contaminated.

Drinking water no longer needs to be boiled. The Council would like to thank West Melton residents for their cooperation while the notice was in place.

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