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Boil water notices lifted for Hororata and Arthur's Pass water supplies

Residents connected to the Hororata and Arthur's Pass water supplies no longer need to boil their water before drinking it.

Boil water notices were issued for Arthur's Pass recently for turbidity due to high rainfall affecting the water intake, and for Hororata (formerly known as the Selwyn Rural Water Supply) water supply for e.coli.

Selwyn District Council's Team Leader Water Services Andy Olivier, says that the water supply turbidity levels have now lowered for Arthur's Pass and that the water is safe to drink without boiling.

The Council has also received water sampling results showing that the Hororata water supply is clear of E.coli and is now safe to drink.

The Council wishes to thank residents for their patience while the notice was in place.

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