

Surf-in-Sider

Surfside Homeowners Association

November 06, 2025

Surfside Water Department Water System Update

Below you will see the corrective action required by the Department of Health regarding the positive E.Coli MCL violation.

We have completed the required steps as outlined below, and the Department of Health has **lifted the boil water advisory**.

When we have the results of the special purpose investigation, we will publish for review.

We would like to thank everyone for their patience and understanding during this time.



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Subject: Surfside Homeowners Water System, ID # 86470Y, COMM, Pacific County;
October 2025 *E. coli* Maximum Contaminant Level Violation and Boil Water Advisory

Dear Gilbert Gonzalez:

Your water system incurred an *E. coli* MCL violation in October because *E. coli* bacteria were detected. Customers may become ill if they drink this water so it is very important to address the contamination immediately. Continue to consult with me regarding the best way to permanently resolve the problem.

You must take the following steps:

1. **Notify all your customers within 24 hours.**
2. **Participate in a Special Purpose Investigation within two business days.** We or someone we assign will perform this investigation.
3. **Certify your notification within ten days.** Submit a copy of the "Drinking Water Warning" you distributed to your customers and the completed "Certification of Public Notice."
4. **Collect additional coliform samples.** At a minimum, collect two sets of five satisfactory samples (collected on different days) before the Health Advisory can be lifted. Consult with me about sampling and prior to lifting the Advisory.

Failure to complete the above items is a Treatment Technique Violation that requires public notice, and will result in further enforcement.

Additionally, a water system that must conduct more than two assessments within a rolling 12-month period of operations will be subject to further enforcement. Required actions may include employing a certified operator or installing continuous chlorination.

Please read the enclosed handouts and visit our website for more information (<http://www.doh.wa.gov/CommunityandEnvironment/DrinkingWater/Contaminants/Coliform/RevisedTotalColiformRuleRTCR>).