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GUIDELINES FOR RESTORING SERVICE AFTER A BOIL ORDER

After the "boil water" order is lifted or water service resumes, these precautionary measures must be followed:

- 1) Run all water lines for one minute to flush contaminated water from system. This includes each fill point for post-mix soda and beverage machines.
- 2) Clean and sanitize all fixtures, sinks and equipment connected to water lines.
- 3) Run your dishwasher empty through three complete cycles to flush the water lines and assure that the dishwasher is cleaned internally before washing equipment and utensils in it.
- 4) Discard all ice in ice machines; clean and sanitize (1 tablespoon of bleach per gallon of potable water) the interior surfaces; run the ice through 3 cycles and discard ice with each cycle.
- 5) Replace all ice machine filters, beverage dispenser filters and flush water lines in dispensers for 10-15 minutes.