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STANWOOD – UNIDIRECTIONAL HYDRANT FLUSHING PROGRAM

Beginning in mid-November the City of Stanwood Water Department will be conducting Unidirectional Hydrant Flushing. The program may take up to approximately 2 months to complete.

Unidirectional flushing is a process where water is forced through the mains to dislodge small particles of iron and manganese. This sediment does not affect water quality but can cause water to become discolored. The water is safe to drink and discoloration often disappears within a short time.

Hydrant flushing will be conducted Monday through Friday between the hours of 9:30 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. Signs will be posted indicating water flushing is occurring in your area. Please avoid using water if possible while the signs are displayed, as well as avoiding use of your hot water until your water appears clear.