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LONG LAKE Water District #2 LONG LAKE T., HAMILTON COUNTY

PARTIAL BOIL WATER ORDER Hamlet of Long Lake

YOU ARE HEREBY ORDERED TO BOIL ALL WATER FOR DRINKING AND CULINARY PURPOSES. THIS ORDER IS BEING ISSUED AS A PRECAUTIONARY MEASURE PURSUANT TO SECTION 1107 OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH LAW. THIS ORDER IS BEING ISSUED TO THE FOLLOWING AREA: ALL USERS ON THE LAKE LINE ON THE WEST OF ROUTE 30, NORTH OF THE BRIDGE

The **BOIL WATER ORDER** is being issued due to water main break in lake water line that could potentially allow untreated water/contaminants into the distribution system.

DO NOT DRINK THE WATER WITHOUT BOILING IT FIRST. Bring all water to a boil in a clean container, let it boil for one minute, and let it cool before using, use bottled water certified by NYSDOH, or use water from a public water system approved by NYSDOH. Boiled or bottled water certified by NYSDOH should be used for drinking, making ice, washing dishes, brushing teeth and food preparation until further notice.

The New York State Department of Health sets drinking water standards and has determined that the presence of microbiological contaminants is a health concern at certain levels of exposure. If water is inadequately treated, microbiological contaminants in the water may cause disease. Disease symptoms may include diarrhea, cramps, nausea and possibly jaundice, and any associated headaches and fatigue. These symptoms, however, are not just associated with disease-causing organisms in drinking water but may be caused by a number of factors other than your drinking water. The New York State Department of Health has set enforceable requirements of treating drinking water to reduce the risk of these adverse health effects. Treatment such as filtering and disinfecting the water removes or destroys microbiological contaminants.

Consumers will be notified as soon as the Boil Water Order is rescinded. The Boil Water Order shall only be lifted when the distribution system is thoroughly flushed with chlorinated water and two consecutive daily samples show no bacteriological contamination.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSIONER OF HEALTH

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BY KRISTEN M. SAYERS, DISTRICT DIRECTOR

This must be posted in a prominent location until the Boil Water Order is lifted