

**Township of Adjala-Tosorontio  
2009 Watermain Flushing Schedule**

<p align="center"><b>Loretto Heights</b> (West of Cty Rd 50)</p> <p align="center">February 4 March 11 April 29 June 3 July 15 August 19 September 30 November 11 December 16</p>	<p align="center"><b>Lisle</b></p> <p align="center">January 21 February 18 March 5 April 15 May 20 June 25 July 2 (Thursday) August 5 September 16 October 28 December 2</p>	<p align="center"><b>Colgan</b></p> <p align="center">Fri. February 13 (1:00pm) Wed. March 18 (1:00pm) Fri May 1 (1:00pm) Friday June 26 (1:00 pm) Wed. August 26 (1:00pm) Fri. October 23 (3:30pm) Fri. November 27 (3:30pm)</p>
<p align="center"><b>Weca</b> (East of Cty Rd 50)</p> <p align="center">January 28 March 4 April 22 May 27 July 8 August 12 September 23 November 4 December 9</p>	<p align="center"><b>Everett</b></p> <p align="center">January 7 January 14 January 21 February 11 February 18 April 1 April 8 April 15 May 6 May 13 May 20 June 10 June 17 July 2 (Thursday) July 22 July 29 August 5 September 2 September 9 September 16 October 7 October 21 October 28 November 18 November 25 December 2</p>	<p align="center"><b>Hockley</b></p> <p align="center">February 4 March 11 April 29 June 3 July 15 August 19 September 30 November 11 December 16</p>
<p align="center"><b>Rosemont</b></p> <p align="center">March 25 October 14</p>		

**Notes to Schedule:**

- Watermains are flushed on a regular basis to clean the mains and ensure a fresh supply of water. Additional, unscheduled Watermain flushing may be required occasionally.
- Work is performed on the afternoon of the assigned day.
- Some red discoloration of your water may become apparent immediately after the Watermains in your area are flushed. This is iron, which is picked up naturally by the water in the aquifer underground, which settles out of the water in the Watermains. Let your water run from your taps for a few minutes until the water clears up.
- We have set the schedule to minimize any inconvenience to you. If you have any questions or concerns about our Watermain flushing program, do not hesitate to give us a call at (705) 434-5055.

**After Hours Emergency Pager Number: 1-888-305-1354**

## **New Water Regulations**

The Province announced its latest of regulations in the Spring of 2003 for the operation of municipal water systems. These rules include more stringent water testing and disinfection requirements to protect public safety. Copies of the new regulations can be viewed at the municipal office.

## **Reports**

Annual reports for each water system are available for public review upon request at the municipal office or on our website. Copies are also available free of charge. These reports summarize water testing results, measures taken to comply with the new Ontario Drinking Water Regulations, and other information related to the water system.

## **Sodium Restricted Diets**

Some of our municipal water systems have elevated amounts of sodium which may be of concern to people with sodium restricted diets. Sodium occurs naturally into our water supply in varying amounts at different well locations. Further information can be obtained from the municipal office or the Simcoe County District Health Unit.

## **Fire Hydrants**

Most of our water systems utilize fire hydrants to facilitate maintenance of our water mains. Although these hydrants can be a limited source of water for our fire departments in the event of a fire, these hydrants have not been certified for fire fighting purposes with the exception of the Everett water system.

## **Cross Connections**

A cross connection is a potentially dangerous arrangement where your home water system is connected to a second and potentially unsafe water supply. This connection can cause contamination of the entire municipal water system under certain circumstances. Never allow your home plumbing to be connected to any other source of water such as a sandpoint well.

## **Questions, Concerns, & Comments**

Questions, concerns, and comments can be directed to our Public Works staff at the municipal office at (705) 434-5055. Inquiries that cannot be answered immediately over the telephone will be referred to one of our certified Water Operators.