

**Precautionary Boil Water Advisory for
City of Crisfield
Until 12:00 Midnight on Sunday 4/5/15**

The City of Crisfield announces a precautionary drinking water advisory to residents of Crisfield, specifically areas served by the City of Crisfield and the Somerset County Sanitary District. We experienced a water outage overnight into early Thursday morning; water service to all customers was restored by 9:00 AM. A boil-water advisory is issued to consumers in the affected area because loss of water pressure increases the risk of contamination in a water distribution system. Consumers are advised not to drink the water without boiling first. The water may be used for bathing and washing. Residents should bring water that will be used for drinking, food preparation, mixing baby formula, making ice or brushing teeth to a rolling boil for at least one (1) minute. After boiling, remember to allow water to cool before use. This advisory is a precautionary measure and will be lifted after testing confirms the absence of bacterial contamination. This may take 3-4 days. Thank you for your patience. If water is discolored, run water from a tap in the lowest part of the house until water looks clear.

For more information, call City Hall at 410-968-1333, the Maryland Department of the Environment at (410) 537-3706, or the Somerset County Health Department at 443-523-1730.