

## OFFICIAL PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT

**Date: January 21, 2025** 

Like many other public water systems affected by the Eaton Fire, we issued a Do Not Drink/Do Not Boil notice as a precaution, due to potential contamination from the fire. In collaboration with the California State Water Resources Control Board's Division of Drinking Water, we developed a plan to sample and analyze for harmful contaminants. After completing the necessary testing, I am pleased to report that, with one exception, the order has been lifted. The testing confirmed that our water system was not impacted, and you may now resume using your tap water as usual.

The **Dove Creek Townhome Complex**, which was over two-thirds destroyed, faces specific challenges in fully restoring safe drinking water. We are actively working to resolve this situation and will keep those residents directly informed on our progress.

We greatly appreciate your patience during this challenging time. The testing requirement following a major wildfire was only mandated by state law in January 2024, and this process was new for both water agencies and state regulators.

I also want to extend our gratitude to the City of Pasadena, Foothill Municipal Water District (FMWD), Metropolitan Water District (MWD), and our mutual aid partners in the Public Water Agencies Group (PWAG) for their support throughout this disaster response. A special thanks to the Los Angeles County Department of Public Works for their quick action in providing additional signage to ensure the safety of our employees as they worked to complete this mission.

Please share the good news with your friends and neighbors that KID's water is safe to drink and was not contaminated by the fire. Should you have any questions or comments, feel free to reach out to me or your Board of Directors representatives, who have been in constant communication with us throughout this event. Their support has been instrumental in reaching this point today.

Thank you once again for your cooperation.

Tom Majich, KID General Manager