

## **Wakaw-Humboldt Potable Water Supply System Water Supply Bulletin**

**March 10, 2026**

**Attention: Wakaw-Humboldt Potable Water Supply System Customers**

SaskWater has been advised that late on the night of March 8, 2026, a small fire underneath the University Bridge in Saskatoon caused the sewer main, that runs under the bridge, to melt and rupture. This resulted in an estimated 190,000 US gallons of sewage spilling into the South Saskatchewan River.

We want to advise you that there are no significant impacts anticipated to the water supply for your system.

The amount of sewage spilled into the river is about 0.02 per cent of the total flow. The flow is expected to arrive at the water treatment plant intake in Wakaw tonight, Tuesday, March 10, 2026, and will be further diluted at that time. SaskWater is taking extra precautions in addition to our regular protocols for potable water compliance, per the regulations.

- SaskWater will monitor chlorine demand and turbidity and will optimize the water treatment process, as required.
- If necessary, the intake will be shut off until the water in question passes the intake.
- SaskWater does weekly bacteriological testing to monitor and ensure the water is safe to drink.

Customers should note that the Water Security Agency will NOT be issuing a Precautionary Drinking Water Advisory (PDWA).

Any questions regarding this service bulletin should be directed to:

SaskWater Customer Service at 1-888-230-1111

(Monday to Friday 8am – 5pm)