



Invermere
on the Lake

Water System Flushing

September 3rd to October 25th 2024.

Monday to Friday between the hours of 8.30 am & 4.30 pm

**Our crew will be carrying out the
water system flushing, street by street.**

**You may only be impacted for a small period during this time
frame!**

How does this maintenance affect me?

- During this period, disinfection by chlorination will be continued.
- Crews will be flushing water mains using fire hydrants, which may result in water on the street.
- There may be a slight drop in water pressure.
- You may notice discoloration due to flushing out of minerals and sediments.

If your water appears discolored or cloudy

- Run the cold water tap closest to your meter for up to 15 minutes or until the water runs clear, you may need to repeat this process.

Experiencing ongoing issues?

Have questions about water main flushing?

Please call 250 342 3215

What is water main flushing?

Water main flushing is a process used to clean drinking water distribution systems. It involves moving water through the pipes at a high flow rate to remove debris and sediment that naturally build up in the system.

Why are you flushing the system?

Regular flushing programs are necessary maintenance of the water system

- Removes sediment, improving taste, odour, and colour of the water.
- Maintains proper distribution system operation and identifies issues.
- Assesses the flow rate for firefighting purposes.

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