

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

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**Hydrant Flushing Program Begins This Week**

**July 2, 2018** - The City of Beloit Water Resources Division will perform its annual fire hydrant flushing program from July 2, 2018, through November 30, 2018, during the hours of 7:30 a.m. to 6 p.m., Mondays through Fridays.

This flushing program ensures that the fire hydrants are in good working condition in case of emergencies and helps flush sediment out of the distribution system.

Residents may experience discolored water, low water pressure or a disruption of service during this time period. Residents are urged to reduce water use and consumption during this time period and wait to do laundry until **AFTER** 6 p.m. when crews are in the area during the flushing program.

Following the hydrant flushing, residents should open their cold water faucets during evening hours until the water runs clear before using it.

**THE WATER IS SAFE TO DRINK DURING THIS TIME PERIOD.**

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