Message from Shawna Syverson & Dr. Mark Anselmo

Calgary Zone Water Main Repairs

Dear Calgary Zone staff, physicians, and volunteers,

To facilitate urgent repairs to the Bearspaw South Feeder Main, the City of Calgary will shut down this water main between August 26 and the end of September.

During this period, the City of Calgary will return to <u>Stage 4 Outdoor Water Restrictions</u> which include no outdoor use of potable water, and limiting indoor water use to reduce the strain on the water treatment plant while work is underway.

These restrictions will be in place for Calgary, Airdrie, Chestermere and Strathmore.

Organizations that must use water to meet health code standards are permitted to continue doing so. Our top priority will continue to be the safety and well-being of patients, clients, residents, staff, and physicians. At this time, we do not plan to implement specific measures, however we do ask you to please be mindful of water consumption during this timeframe.

To do our part, AHS will comply with the outdoor water restrictions throughout this time, which includes utilizing rainwater collection tanks for outdoor watering of our trees and gardens and refraining from washing buildings/windows.

If further conservation measures are required throughout the repair process, your leadership team will let you know.

We continue to work with our partners in government and with the municipalities to ensure patient safety and the wellbeing of all Calgarians.

For more information, visit <u>Critical Watermain Update: Stage 4 Water Restrictions Begin August 26 (calgary.ca)</u>

In gratitude, **Shawna Syverson**Chief Zone Officer, Calgary Zone

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