



# First Nations Health Authority

Health through wellness

## Monthly Drinking Water Advisories in First Nations Communities in BC - February 2026

Water systems with 5 or more connections (CWS), and smaller water systems that have public facilities (PWS). Systems on leased land are not included.

### Summary - February 2026

As of February 28, 2026, there were **11** Water Quality Advisories, **15** Boil Water Advisories and **12** Do Not Consume advisories for a total of **38** Drinking Water Advisories in effect in **38** Water Systems across **31** First Nation communities in British Columbia.

### Water Quality Advisory: 11 (0 revoked in Feb)

First Nation Name	Community Name	Water System Name	Date Set	Date Revoked	Population Category	ISC Funded	Duration	Term
Canim Lake - Tsq'ésceen	Canim Lake 1	Canim Lake Main CWS	2025-01-17		51-100	Yes	407 days	Long
Canim Lake - Tsq'ésceen	Canim Lake 1	Canim Lake West CWS	2025-01-17		26-50	Yes	407 days	Long
Dzawad'enuxw First Nation	Quaee 7 (Pronounced Gwa Yee - AKA Kingcome)	Kingcome CWS	2024-12-19		101-250	Yes	436 days	Long
Leq'á:mel First Nation	Skweahm 10	Skweahm CWS	2025-09-23		51-100	Yes	158 days	Short
Lhtako Dene Nation	Quesnel 1 - AKA Lhtako Dené	Lhtako CWS*	2022-12-09*		101-250	Yes	1177 days*	Long
Splats'in	Enderby 2	Elder's Lodge - 5611 Dunwoodie Rd	2024-11-04		1-25	Yes	481 days	Long
T'it'q'et	Towinock 2	Towinock CWS (AKA Texas Creek)	2022-10-27		1-25	Yes	1220 days	Long
Tsal'alh	Necait 6 (AKA N'kiat)	N'kiat CWS	2023-07-14		1-25	No	960 days	Long
Tsal'alh	Slosh 1 (AKA Tsal'alh)	Tsal'alh Main CWS	2023-10-03		51-100	Yes	879 days	Long
Williams Lake First Nation (T'exelc)	San Jose 6	City of Williams Lake	2019-05-01		Unknown	No	2495 days	Long
Yekooche First Nation	Ye Koo Che 3 - AKA Portage	Portage CWS	2024-03-08		51-100	Yes	722 days	Long

### Boil Water Advisory: 17 (2 revoked in Feb)

First Nation Name	Community Name	Water System Name	Date Set	Date Revoked	Population Category	ISC Funded	Duration	Term
Adams Lake Indian Band	Hustalen 1	Indian Point CWS	2021-04-20		26-50	No	1775 days	Long
Ahousaht - Saah'uus?ath	Ahousaht - Off Reserve	Tofino Wilderness Lodge PWS - Island Health	2022-12-05		Unknown	No	1181 days	Long
Coldwater	Coldwater 1	Journeys Into Tomorrow PWS	2025-11-04	2026-02-23	Unknown	No	111 days	Short
Cowichan Tribes	Cowichan 1	3904 Johnny Bear Road - CWS - Lyne William CP	2018-09-10		Unknown	No	2728 days	Long
Ka:'yu:'k't'h'/Che:k:tl'es7et'h' First Nation - Kyuquot/Cheklesahht FN	Houpsitas 6 - AKA Kyuquot	Kyuquot CWS	2025-02-13		101-250	No	380 days	Long
Leq'á:mel First Nation	Lakahahmen 11	Kelly/Evergreen CWS	2026-01-12		251-500	No	47 days	Brief
Lower Kootenay - Yaqaan Nu?kiy	Lower Kootenay 1C	Seven Nations Soaring Eagle Health Centre	2022-05-11		1-25	No	1389 days	Long
Lytton - Tl'Kemstin First Nation	Nickel Palm 4	18 Mile CWS - IR #4 Nickel Palm	2025-09-09		1-25	Yes	172 days	Short
N'Quatqua	Nequatque 1	1476, 1496, 1436 Lakeshore Drive and RV Park PWS	2024-09-10		1-25	No	536 days	Long
Shuswap Band - Kenpésq't	Shuswap	#10 Black Forest Trail - Chill Out Ice Cream	2018-04-19		1-25	No	2872 days	Long
Soowahlie First Nation	Soowahlie 14	Sweltzer Creek Campground New Washroom - PWS	2023-09-14		26-50	No	898 days	Long
Stswecem'c Xget'tem First Nation	Stswecem'c Xget'tem - Off Reserve	BC Cattle Co. Ranch - Off Reserve - Commercial	2023-05-04		Unknown	No	1031 days	Long
Stswecem'c Xget'tem First Nation	Stswecem'c Xget'tem - Off Reserve	Big Bar Guest Ranch- Cabin Water System (surface water)	2023-05-11		Unknown	No	1024 days	Long
Stswecem'c Xget'tem First Nation	Stswecem'c Xget'tem - Off Reserve	Meadow Lake Ranch Cabins PWS	2011-11-03		Unknown	No	5231 days	Long
Stswecem'c Xget'tem First Nation	Stswecem'c Xget'tem - Off Reserve	Soul Ranch ( Lac La Hache)	2025-03-07		Unknown	No	358 days	Short
Tl'etinqox Government	Anahim's Flat 1	Anaham CWS	2025-09-19	2026-02-24	501-1000	Yes	158 days	Short
Ucluelet First Nation - Yuu?if?ath Government	Ucluelet - Wya Point Developments	Wya Point Lodges PWS	2014-05-20		Unknown	No	4302 days	Long

### Do Not Consume: 12 (0 revoked in Feb)

First Nation Name	Community Name	Water System Name	Date Set	Date Revoked	Population Category	ISC Funded	Duration	Term
Heiltsuk	Bella Bella 1	Fish Plant Well - PWS Partially off Reserve (Fish Plant Closed -2023)	2023-03-17		1-25	No	1079 days	Long
Kwakiutl	Klickseewy 7 - AKA Cluxewe Resort	Cluxewe Resort PWS	2021-11-26		101-250	No	1555 days	Long
Leq'á:mel First Nation	Lakahahmen 11	Lakahahmen 2 CWS	2026-01-21		Unknown	Yes	38 days	Brief
Lil'wat Nation	Mount Currie 2 (AKA Kwetsa7)	Kwetsa7 CWS	2019-07-12		Unknown	No	2423 days	Long
Lower Similkameen	Lower Similkameen 2	LSIB Education Centre - 1363 Crowsnest Hwy 3	2022-10-07		Unknown	No	1240 days	Long
Lytton - Tl'Kemstin First Nation	Tuckozap 24	G'WSEP Gas PWS - Washroom Only/No Drinking - Commercial	2013-02-20		Unknown	No	4756 days	Long
Nak'azdli Whut'en	William's Prairie Meadow 1A	William's Prairie Meadow CWS	2025-11-06		1-25	Yes	114 days	Short
Tl'etinqox Government	Anahim's Meadow 2	Anahim's Meadow Road (East System)	2025-10-10		1-25	Yes	141 days	Short
Tl'etinqox Government	Tl'etinqox Government - Off Reserve	T7 Ranch	2025-08-25		Unknown	No	187 days	Short
Ucluelet First Nation - Yuu?if?ath Government	Ucluelet - Wya Point Developments	Wya Point Campground PWS	2020-09-30		Unknown	No	1977 days	Long
Ucluelet First Nation - Yuu?if?ath Government	Ucluelet - Wya Point Developments	Wya Point Yurts PWS	2014-05-20		Unknown	No	4302 days	Long
Ulkatcho First Nation	Fishtrap 19	Fishtrap CWS (Nimpo Lake Rd)	2022-11-03		Unknown	No	1213 days	Long

### \* Notes

Advisory on Lhtako CWS only applies to two connections. Remainder of system unaffected as of 2022-06-13. Amended from DNC to WQA 2022-12-09.

### Indigenous Services Canada (ISC) Financially Supported System Details

ISC Funded: **No** System is not financially supported by ISC.  
 ISC Funded: **Yes** System is financially supported by Indigenous Services Canada (ISC)  
 More Info <https://www.sac-isc.gc.ca/eng/1516134315897/1533663683531>

### Term

**Brief:** ≤ 60 days  
**Short:** 61 - 364 days  
**Long:** ≥ 365 days

### FNHA.ca : Drinking Water Advisories

<https://www.fnha.ca/what-we-do/environmental-health/drinking-water-advisories>