



WEEK OF
Oct. 26, 2023

Municipal Matters

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COCHRANE DECLARES STATE OF LOCAL EMERGENCY

At 6 p.m. on Saturday, October 21, 2023, the Town of Cochrane was advised that a contractor completing work on behalf of the Town had impacted our wastewater and water pipelines as they were setting up for drilling operations.

As a result, both the water and wastewater lines were impacted, causing wastewater to discharge into the Bow River, as well as the water pipeline which has resulted in a significant loss of water to our water storage facilities.

The Town of Cochrane has declared a State of Local Emergency (SOLE) to create a legal state of affairs of a temporary nature so that the local authority may take extraordinary actions to deal with the emergency.

Cochrane's drinking water remains safe.
We want to reassure you that our water is, and continues to be, safe to drink.

We need your urgent cooperation to help restore the significant water depletion in Cochrane's reservoir supply.

All Cochrane residents and businesses must adhere to emergency mandatory water conservation.

Prioritize your water usage to drinking water and basic hygiene.

- Do not shower
- Do not wash dishes
- Do not run your laundry machines

This is a complex and quickly evolving situation and we appreciate your cooperation as we continue to respond.

More information and updates at: [Cochrane.ca](https://cochrane.ca)

Supplementary property tax notices mailed October 20, 2023.

Supplementary property tax payments due December 31, 2023.

[Cochrane.ca/taxes](https://cochrane.ca/taxes)

