Outlook

FW: Notification - Switch to Bay Water - February 18th 2026

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Good Morning Everyone,

Please be advised that the City has switched back to the Yellowknife River. Thank you for your understanding and assistance over the past week.

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Good Morning,

Please be advised that the City will continue withdrawing water from Yellowknife Bay through the weekend.

Feel free to reach out if you have any questions.

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Thanks Tim,
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Good Morning Everyone,

The City is currently responding to a significant number of water breaks across the City. To ensure the City can continue to maintain levels within the reservoirs, the City has temporarily transitioned its raw water intake from the Yellowknife River to Yellowknife Bay.

This switch is necessary to meet current demand while repairs are underway. Based on current assessments, the City anticipates returning to the Yellowknife River within approximately 48 hours. This timeline is subject to change depending on system conditions and repair progress.

We appreciate your understanding and will provide further updates as needed. Please contact us if you have any questions or concerns.

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