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Akron Water Main Break; Boil Alert Issued Until Further Notice
Fairway Boulevard Residents Only Affected Township Customers

Twinsburg Township, Summit County, Ohio – February 6, 2015 – The City of Akron early Friday, February 6, 2015, during the emergency repair of a 24” force main, reported that an unexpected loss of water supply occurred in portions of the City of Hudson and Twinsburg Township. The water supply has since been corrected, and service has been restored. Customers, mostly residential, who reside in the City of Hudson and Twinsburg Township are affected. A precautionary boil water advisory has been issued, meaning that customers should boil their water for two minutes before drinking it. The boil alert will remain in effect for a minimum of 48 hours, and will only expire following further notice. Questions should be directed to Akron Water Distribution Dispatch at (330) 375-2420.

The majority of the affected customers are in the City of Hudson. The only Township customers served by Akron Water and affected by this water main break and this boil alert include 16 homes on the north side of Fairway Boulevard, with the remainder of Township served by City of Cleveland Water/Twin-Keystone Water District (TKWD) or individual wells. Please note that Cleveland Water/TKWD customers are NOT affected by this water main break or this boil alert.

About Twin-Keystone Water District

Twin-Keystone Water District (TKWD) was established in 1966 per Chapter 6119 of the Ohio Revised Code as a regional water and sewer district, per a petition submitted by the Twinsburg Township Board of Trustees. TKWD is governed by Summit County Common Pleas Court Orders issued in 1966, 1967, 1968, 1970, 1979, 2006, and 2012. Formerly known as the Twinsburg Township Water and Sewer District, TKWD is overseen by a seven-member elected Board of Trustees that beginning in 2014 will transition to an appointed Board comprised of five members and two alternates. The purpose of TKWD is to provide a public water supply to the District. TKWD owns water lines throughout the District and currently contracts with the City of Cleveland to supply the water that flows through those lines. TKWD offices are located at Twinsburg Township Hall. For more information, contact Robert S. Kagler, Township Manager, via telephone at (330) 425-4497 or via e-mail at rkagler@twinsburgtwp.com.

About Twinsburg Township

Twinsburg Township was founded in 1817, had a population of 2,828 in 2010, and will soon celebrate its bicentennial with great pride. The Township is home to an unparalleled combination of rich history, abundant natural resources, outstanding parks, well-planned neighborhoods, thriving businesses, and top-notch institutions. Whether you're looking for a great place to live or do business, or just a spot to spend a quiet afternoon, you'll find it all right here in Twinsburg Township. So stop by and see us sometime, and if you can't make it in person, please check out www.twinsburgtwp.com to get a glimpse of all that Twinsburg Township has to offer. For more information, contact Robert S. Kagler, Township Manager, via telephone at (330) 425-4497 or via e-mail at rkagler@twinsburgtwp.com.

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