

“The City of Sandwich Public Works Department will begin flushing fire hydrants throughout the City on Monday April 8th through Friday, April 12th. Flushing times will be from the hours of 7 am to 4 pm.

Please be advised that flushing may cause some discoloration of water. This does not represent a health hazard. However, customers are cautioned to determine if the water is clear before washing clothes (or any other processing) as staining may occur. If you experience discolored water, avoid using hot water until the discoloration clears and run your cold water for approximately 5 minutes to clear your service line.

If you do have laundry damaged by discolored water, avoid drying the clothes. Rust remover can also be picked up at Sandwich City Hall at 144 E. Railroad Street between the hours of 8:00 am to 5:00 pm.

Lead Notice: The purpose of this lead notice is for information only. While it is not known for certain if your residence has a lead service line coming into your house, the following link will help you determine if you have a lead service coming into your house or if you have inside plumbing fixtures that may contain lead: <https://www.epa.gov/lead> .

The Sandwich Water Department regrets any temporary inconvenience you may experience; however, the flushing program is necessary to maintain a good water supply for both firefighting and domestic consumption.

We thank you in advance for your cooperation.
Sandwich Water Department”

Thanks,
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815 786 9321 ext. 103 or 104 city hall numbers for information or rust remover packets