

Bolivar Peninsula Special Utility District
Update on Water System for October 21, 2008

**DISTRICT BOARD OF DIRECTORS TO MEET TODAY AT 4:00 P.M. AT THE
HIGH ISLAND SCHOOL CAFETERIA. THE PUBLIC IS INVITED TO ATTEND.**

BOIL WATER NOTIFICATION

The water system is operational in High Island. As per State rules, residents of High Island and the entire Peninsula will remain under a boil water notification until the entire distribution system is brought back online. Residents will be notified on the website, by postings in town, and through the media once the boil water is lifted.

STATUS OF WATER LINE CROSSING AT ROLLOVER PASS

District contractors will soon begin preparations for the water line crossing at Rollover Pass. A representative of TXDOT's contractor working on the bridge informed us today that they will allow us to install the pipes on October 30, 2008 (barring weather delays). After the pipes are installed, it will take 2-3 days for the line to pressurize.

SERVICE RESTORATION SCHEDULE

Please check the website each Tuesday as more locations will be added weekly. We will only accept service applications at this time from the areas noted in the schedule below:

Estimated Service Restoration Date	Location	Currently Accepting Applications
September 22, 2008	High Island	YES
November 3, 2008	Port Bolivar (excluding Jetty area and Ferry Landing area)	YES
November 3, 2008	Johnson Road	YES
November 6, 2008	Kona Kai, Siever's Cove, Melody Lane (bay side only)	NO
November 13, 2008	Blue Water (bay side only)	NO
Not yet determined	Waterways	NO
Not yet determined	Crystal Beach (Monkhouse to Lakewood) Bay side only	NO

**Service schedule is estimated and subject to change due to weather and other unforeseen issues.*

If the above schedule indicates we are accepting applications from your area and you would like service restored as soon as available, please complete a new service application and submit it to the District office (see location and hours below). The application can be mailed, faxed, or dropped off in person. We will mail you a letter that includes a new service application and utility easement form once they are being accepted from your area. The application is also available on the Forms page of the District website.

REPORTING WATER LEAKS

As we work to restore water service, valves are cracked open in areas and leaks are repaired. Should you see a water leak, please call the District office at (409) 296-3475. Signs with the District telephone number are located near the check point at Rollover Pass and near the District office in Crystal Beach. The District has a 24 hour answering service that will take a message and dispatch the information to District personnel. Your help in reporting leaks is appreciated!

FILL STATIONS

By November 10, 2008 the District plans to open fill stations for residents that have not yet had water service restored to their homes. Information regarding the locations and times for filling will be posted soon.

METER LOCATIONS

WE NEED YOUR HELP! If you know where your water meter was located, please mark the location with a flag or sign. Flags are available in a bucket near the front door at the District office in Winnie and in a bucket near the front door at the District's damaged office in Crystal Beach. Marking your meter location will greatly assist us in ensuring water service is turned off to your home prior to restoration of the water system in your area.

OFFICE LOCATION

A temporary office has been set up in Winnie at 524 FM 1406, next to the Winnie Feed and Supply Store. Telephone service has been installed and contact information is as follows:

Physical Address: 524 FM 1406, Winnie, TX 77665
Mailing Address: PO Box 1398, Crystal Beach, TX 77650
Telephone: (409) 296-3475
Fax: (409) 296-2165

The District has extended office hours during the month of October as follows:

Monday	7:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Tuesday	7:30 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday	7:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Thursday	7:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Friday	7:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Customers that plan on rebuilding do not need to disconnect water service. Customers that do not disconnect service will not be charged for reinstallation when service is requested in the future. However, customers that do request service disconnection at this time will be required to pay all applicable fees when future service is requested. **Customers will not receive a bill until water service is restored to their home.**