



## ***Special E-GRAM from Public Works – Environmental Division***

### ***\*\*Drinking Water System Flushing\*\****

- WHAT:** The Public Works Department will be flushing water mains by opening fire hydrants throughout Ikego and Yokosuka Main Base in August and September 2016.
- WHY:** Flushing water mains is done to remove natural sediment that gradually deposit in the drinking water pipes. This helps maintain the water quality in our system.
- WHEN:** Flushing will take place between 0800 to 1600 hrs (See next slide for dates & locations)
- NOTE:** Flushing may cause a temporary reduction in water pressure and/or discoloration of the water. This discoloration is harmless and is caused by natural minerals and sediments that are being flushed out. If you experience discolored water, turn on the cold water tap and let the water run for a few minutes until the water runs clear.



If you experience any persistent water quality problems, please call the Public Works Trouble Desk at 243-5555.



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WHEN	WHERE
03 – 05 AUG	Ikego Housing & Facilities
08 – 12 AUG	Food Court / High School / Bowling Alley / NEX / DeCA / FSC / Gym & MWR / Chapel / UH / Credit Union
15 – 17 AUG	C1 / C2 / HRO / MWR Gate Way Inn / Command Cave
17 – 19 AUG	Halsey Boulevard residential area & connecting streets
22 – 26 AUG	Berth 12 area & South Side of DD6 / PSNS & FLC-DLA / PWD - Utilities Bldgs / MWR - Fleet Rec / Gridley Lane Housing Area
29 AUG – 02 SEP	N of DD6 / J-39 (DLA Warehouse) / Brig-Prison / HAZMIN Center / Transportation Yard / HWSA / Incinerator / Taxi Lot / Fire Training/Safety / Auto Port / Chili's Restaurant / MWR Hobby Shop / Navy Lodge Bldg. / PWD Main Office and Shops / ACOE / JMSDF building / NEX warehouse / Port Ops boat repair and yard / Degaussing Station
06 – 09 SEP	SRF / Port Ops HQ / ships in port
12 – 16 SEP	CPO Club / ATG / NCTMS / DLA Printing / Club Alliance Bldg / MWR Gateway Inn / USNH / O Club / PSD
19 – 30 SEP	All Yokosuka Main Base Housing EXCEPT Gridley Lane & Halsey Blvd residential area