

## Temporary Modification of Disinfection Treatment Procedures

### NOTICE

#### CCSUD WATER CUSTOMERS

#### TEMPORARY MODIFICATION OF DISINFECTION TREATMENT PROCEDURES

In order to maintain the reliability of the water distribution system serving our customers, the Combined Consumers SUD will temporarily change the disinfection process for the districts potable (drinking water) water supply. From July 14-August 14, 2010 we will disinfect the water with free chlorine rather than combined chlorine/ammonia (chloramines). **This change will also affect residents and customers of Hunt, Van Zandt, & Kaufman County Utilities.** This conversion to free chlorine (which is a stronger disinfectant) from chloramines (which is a longer-lasting disinfectant) allows us to perform a water distribution system purge as recommended by the Department of Environmental Protection for water utilities using chloramines as their primary disinfectant. After this process is completed, we will revert to disinfection by the chloramines method.

During this period, customers may experience a slight increase in the taste and odor of chlorine.

**Customers on dialysis who use a proportioning machine to prepare dialysate are advised to contact their physician to obtain the appropriate steps to accommodate the change in water disinfection. Customers who have fish tanks or aquatic species are advised to contact a professional aquarist to avoid any problems associated with chlorine.**