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## **Oshkosh residents may detect chlorine scent in water**

Oshkosh, Wis. – Beginning Thursday evening April 15, Oshkosh Water Filtration Plant employees noticed chlorine levels began dropping below normal operating ranges. The problem was traced to blockage in the chlorine feed of the treatment process and has since been cleared. Employees monitored the problem and at no point did chlorine concentration levels drop to an unsafe level.

To increase the chlorine levels and stabilize the water system Water Filtration Plant employees have added chlorine to compensate for the temporary drop. Oshkosh residents may notice an increased chlorine odor and/or taste in their water over the weekend. If residents notice an odor they may wish to run their cold water to minimize any chlorine odor or taste. This process will not have a negative health impact on residents.

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