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### **Environment Department Lifts “Precautionary Boil Water Advisory” For the Village of Magdalena**

(Santa Fe, N.M.) –The New Mexico Environment Department’s (NMED) Drinking Water Bureau has lifted the “precautionary boil water advisory” for the Village of Magdalena.

NMED issued a precautionary water advisory to Magdalena on June 5, 2013 following a major water outage and low water pressure in other parts of their distribution system. The Magdalena water system is located approximately 20 miles west of Socorro, NM in Socorro County and serves a population of approximately 1,000 people. The drinking water system has since maintained sufficient water and pressure allowing the advisory to be lifted. Chlorine residuals are stable throughout the distribution system and a routine microbiological sample showed no signs of contamination.

The NMED Drinking Water Bureau will continue to provide technical assistance to the water system. For more information, call NMED Communications Director Jim Winchester at (505) 231-8800 or Joseph Savage, Technical Services Manager, at (575) 437-7115.

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