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**SOUTH KONA AREA  
IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR DRINKING WATER  
FOR CONSUMERS ON SODIUM RESTRICTED DIETS  
KEEI WELL "D" UNDER REPAIR**

The Department's Keei Well D is currently under repair. As a result, our backup wells, Keei Wells A and C, are in use. These wells have sodium levels that are higher than Keei Well D.

For most individuals, drinking water supplies only a small percentage of their daily sodium intake and is therefore not a concern. For persons on sodium-restricted diets, however, drinking water could supply a significant percentage of their daily sodium intake. Those that are undergoing treatment for sodium-sensitive hypertension (high blood pressure) are encouraged to consult their health care provider regarding the sodium levels in the drinking water.

The latest information on sodium levels for the Keei Wells are as follows:

	<u>Sodium</u>	<u>Last Sample Date</u>
Keei Well D (normally in use)	13 ppm	06/29/05
Keei Well A	155 ppm	06/29/05
Keei Well C	27 ppm	06/29/05

The areas provided with water from the Keei Wells include:

1. Mamalahoa Highway from Napoopoo Road, south to Hookena,
2. Middle Keei Road from Mamalahoa Highway to the intersection with Napoopoo Road,
3. Painted Church Road, and
4. Keala O Keawe Road from Mamalahoa Highway to Puuhonua O Honaunau.

The water from Keei Wells A, C, and D meet all primary enforceable standards, and is therefore safe to drink. If you reside in the areas defined above and are concerned about the elevated levels of sodium, you should consult your personal physician. The Department anticipates Keei Well D repair work to last at least 6 to 8 weeks.

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