

Town of Jupiter

Water Treatment Facility

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Hot Water Tank Flushing Instructions

1. Turn power off to water heater
2. Turn off cold water supply to tank (inlet)
3. Attach a garden hose to the drain located at the bottom of the tank and run hose outside
4. Open the drain at bottom of tank
5. Open a hot water faucet in the home to vent the tank for draining
6. Drain tank until empty
7. Open the cold water supply (inlet) on tank to flush. Continue until water coming from hose is clear and free of debris
8. Close water supply (inlet) to tank
9. Close drain located at bottom of tank and remove hose
10. Open water supply (inlet) on tank to fill. When water flows from opened hot water faucet in the home, tank is full and you may turn off faucet.
11. Restore power to water tank. It will take some time to heat water to correct temperature.

It is recommended that the water heater be flushed annually

*Note: Jupiter Utilities is not responsible for any damages that may occur during flush. Consult a plumber if needed.