Workers for the city of Hugo worked well into the evening Thursday to repair a leak on N. A St. According to city manager, Jeff Rabon, the leak was costing the city quite a bit of money, and needed to be repaired as soon as possible.

Water was shut off throughout the town at 1:30 p.m., causing the schools and many businesses and restaurants to close. It was restored to area residents at approximately 6:30 p.m.

"We regret the inconvenience this dilemma caused so many businesses, but are very fortunate to have gotten the job done. Thanks to the city of Hugo employees, Grant Rural Water District and JB&L Utility, we were able to repair the leak, and hopefully, prevent further issues at this location," Rabon said.