

PUBLIC NOTICE

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR DRINKING WATER ELSBERRY PWS Failed to Meet Chemical Treatment Monitoring Requirements

Este informe contiene información muy importante sobre su agua potable. Tradúzcalo o hable con alguien que lo entienda bien.

Our water system, which is subject to compliance monitoring requirements under the Ground Water Rule, failed to monitor the residual disinfectant concentration or failed to record or report the disinfectant concentration for each day during **April 2024** by the 10th of the following month to ensure effective and reliable treatment of the water provided. Although this incident was not an emergency, as our customers, you have a right to know what happened and what we are doing to correct the situation.

What happened? What is being done? (Describe corrective action.)

The monthly report was submitted on May 13th. The report was due on May 10th. Procedural changes have been made to avoid this violation in the future.

What should I do?

1. For this type of violation, actions such as boiling drinking water are not deemed necessary for the general population. However, if you have specific health concerns, consult your doctor.
2. People with severely compromised immune systems, infants, and some elderly may be at increased risk. These people should seek advice about drinking water from their health care providers. General guidelines on ways to lessen the risk of infection by microbes are available from U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's Safe Drinking Water Hotline at 1-800-426-4791.

What does this mean?

This is not an emergency. If it had been an emergency, you would have been notified within 24 hours. Inadequately treated or inadequately protected water may contain disease-causing organisms. These organisms can cause symptoms such as diarrhea, nausea, cramps, and associated headaches. While we have not detected any evidence of contamination in our source water, we have failed to meet Ground Water Rule monitoring requirements.

For more information, please contact water system staff indicated below:

Lucas Drullinger at 636-528-8919 or 109 S. 2nd St., Elsberry, Mo
(name of water system contact) (phone number) (mailing address)

Additionally, you may contact the Missouri Department of Natural Resources' St Louis Regional Office at 314-416-2960 or Public Drinking Water Branch at 573-526-6925.

Please share this information with all the other people who drink this water, especially those who may not have received this notice directly (for example, people in apartments, nursing homes, schools, and businesses). You can do this by posting this notice in a public place or distributing copies by hand or mail.

This public notice is for ELSBERRY PWS.
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