IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR DRINKING WATER

Bethel Ash WSC Murphy Plant TX 1070242, has violated the monitoring and reporting requirements set by Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) in Chapter 30, Section 290, Subchapter F. Even though these were not emergencies, as our customers, you have the right to know what happened and what we did to correct these situations.

We are required to monitor your drinking water for specific contaminants on a regular basis. Results of regular monitoring are an indicator of whether or not our drinking water meets health standards. During **June 1 to September 30, 2023**, Lead and Copper Monitoring Schedule, we did not complete all monitoring or testing for Lead and Copper for the Murphy Plant PWS TX1070242 and therefore cannot be sure of the quality of your drinking water during that time.

The table below lists the contaminant(s) we did not properly test for during the last year, how often we are supposed to sample for Lead and Copper, how many samples we are supposed to take, how many samples we took, when samples should have been taken, and the date on which the follow-up samples will or have been taken.

Contaminant	Required sampling frequency	Number of samples taken	When samples should have been taken	When samples were taken
Lead and copper tap water sampling	10 samples Annual 2023	No Samples Submitted	June 01 to September 30, 2023	January 01 to June 30, 2024
Lead and Copper entry point sampling	Every 6 months	20	January 01 – June 30, 2023	January 01- June 30, 2024
Water quality parameters	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

What should I do?

There is nothing you need to do at this time.

What is being done?

Bethel Ash WSC has corrected the <u>internal document error which resulted in the absence of testing for Lead and Copper</u> for the Murphy Plant during the required sample period of <u>June 1 – September 30, 2023</u>. Bethel Ash WSC will increase water sampling to 20/every 6 months until we have met TCEQ requirements.

For more information, please contact Cody Rayburn at (903) 675-8466 or 6435 State Highway 19 N Athens, TX 75752

Please share this information with all other people who drink this water, especially those who may not have received this notice directly (i.e., 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 notice is being sent to you by Bethel Ash WSC. Public Water System Number: TX 1070242

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