Monitoring Violations Annual Notice Template

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR DRINKING WATER

Monitoring Requirements Not Met for Whispering Lakes Water System

Our water system violated several drinking water standards over the past year. Even though these were not emergencies, as our customers, you have a 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 the compliance period of 1/1/2024 - 12/31/2024 we did not monitor or test for Combined Radium (-226 & -228) and Gross Alpha Particle Activity and therefore cannot be sure of the quality of our drinking water during that time.

What should I do?

There is nothing you need to do at this 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 Combined Radium (-226 & -228), and Gross Alpha Particle Activity how many samples we are supposed to take, how many samples we took, when samples should have been taken, and the date on which follow-up samples were (or will he) taken.

Contaminant	Required sampling frequency	Number of samples taken	When all samples should have been taken	When samples were or will be taken
Combined Radium (- 226 & -228)	1 per Calendar Year	0	1/1/2024 - 12/31/2024	1/1/2025 - 6/30/2025
Gross Alpha Particle Activity	1 per Calendar Year	0	1/1/24 – 12/31/24	1/1/2025-6/30/2025

What happened? What is being done?

The previous operator Swanson Water, failed to collect Combined Radium (-226 & -228), and Gross Alpha Particle Activity samples during the compliance period of 1/1/2024 - 12/31/2024. Gewalt Hamilton Associates has scheduled the collection of the required samples during the current compliance period of 1/1/2025 - 6/30/2025 pending the reception of the sample bottles from the state lab.

For more information, please contact Murner Swanson at 847-478-9700 or 625 Forest Edge Dr. Vernon Hills, IL 60061

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