PUBLIC NOTICE IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR DRINKING WATER

Bethany Has Levels of Disinfection Byproducts Above Drinking Water Standards

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

Our water system recently violated a drinking water standard. Although this is not an emergency, as our customers, you have a right to know what happened, what you should do, and what we are doing to correct this situation.

We routinely monitor for the presence of drinking water contaminants. Testing results collected during the twelve month period ending September 30, 2013 show that our system exceeds the standard or maximum contaminant level (MCL), see table below.

Analyte	Running Annual Avg (RAA) for period	Required Treatment Technique
	ending September 30, 2013	Level
Total Organic Carbon	.97	Minimum 1

You do not need to use an alternative (e.g., bottled) water supply.

What happened? What is being done?

Total organic carbons reduction has not been as effective as required by DNR. The City of Bethany and consultants are researching ways to improve TOC removal.

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

Kenneth Groves at 660-425-7053 or P.O. Box 344, Bethany, MO 64424

Additionally you may contact the Missouri Department of Natural Resources' Kansas City Regional Office at 816-251-0700 or Public Drinking Water Branch at 573-751-5331.

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.

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