

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR DRINKING WATER

CHEMICAL OR RADIOLOGICAL MAXIMUM CONTAMINANT LEVEL (MCL) EXCEEDANCE

ESTE INFORME CONTIENE INFORMACIÓN IMPORTANTE ACERCA DE SU AGUA POTABLE. HAGA QUE ALGUIEN LO TRADUZCA PARA USTED, O HABLE CON ALGUIEN QUE LO ENTIENDA.

Duncannon Municipal Water Has Levels of Arsenic that are Above Drinking Water Standards

Our water system recently violated a drinking water standard. Although this incident was not an emergency, as our customers, you have a right to know what happened and what we did to correct this situation.

We routinely monitor for drinking water contaminants. Testing results we received on 10/17/2022 show that our system exceeds the standard, or maximum contaminant level (MCL), for Arsenic. The standard for Arsenic is 0.010 mg/L. Arsenic was found at a level of 0.011 mg/L in your drinking water.

What should I do?

- There is nothing you need to do. You do not need to boil your water or take other corrective actions. However, if you have specific health concerns, consult your doctor.
- If you have a severely compromised immune system, have an infant, are pregnant, or are elderly, you may be at increased risk and should seek advice from your health care providers about drinking this water.

You do not need to use an alternative (e.g., bottled) water supply. However, if you have specific health concerns, consult your doctor.

What does this mean?

This is not an immediate risk. If it had been, you would have been notified immediately. However, Duncannon Municipal Water continues to consult with the PaDEP to remedy the issue.

What happened? What was done? Arsenic sampling required by the PaDEP resulted in an exceedance of the Maximum Contaminant level (MCL) for Arsenic which is 0.010 mg/L.

We anticipate resolving the problem within a reasonable time frame with Treatment Equipment soon to be installed, in an effort to address this issue we continue to work closely with the PaDEP to reduce the Arsenic levels.

For more information, please contact Duncannon Municipal Water at 717-834-4311.

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 notice is being sent to you by Miller Environmental INC.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

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Monitoring Requirements Not Met for Duncannon Municipal 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 3rd Quarter of 2022 we failed to monitor for the following contaminants 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, the required sampling frequency, how many samples we took, when samples should have been taken, and the date on which corrective action samples were (or will be) taken.

Contaminant	Required sampling frequency	Number of samples taken	When all samples should have been taken	When samples were or will be taken
Lead & Copper	Every three years	11	3rd Quarter of 2022	3rd Quarter of 2023
Trihalomethanes	Annual	1	3rd Quarter of 2022	9/27/2022
Haloacetic Acids	Annual	1	3rd Quarter of 2022	9/27/2022

What happened? What was done? When will it be resolved?

All samples were collected and tested from incorrect locations and later then the date required by the sampling plan.

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For more information regarding this notice, please contact Duncannon Borough
at 717-834-4311

Certified by:

Signature: 

Date: 10/31/2022

Print Name and Title: John P. Farrier Duncannon water/wastewater Project Manager - Miller Environmental Inc

As a representative of the Public Water system indicated above, I certify that public notification addressing the above violation was distributed to all customers in accordance with the delivery requirements outlined in Chapter 25 PA Code 109 Subchapter D of the Department of Environmental Protection (DEP's) regulations. The following methods of distribution were used: Hand Delivered to each customer and posted at public locations - posted to the Duncannon Borough Web Site

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