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Water Quality

We are pleased to present to you this year's Annual Drinking Water Quality Report. This report is designed to inform you about the quality of the water and services we deliver to you every day. Our constant goal is to provide you with a safe and dependable supply of drinking water.



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Braper City 2022 ANNUAL WATER QUALITY REPORT

YOUR DRINKING WATER

Our water source has been determined to be from groundwater and surface water sources. We purchase water from Jordan Valley Water Conservancy District (#18027).

I'm pleased to report that our drinking water meets federal and state requirements. We at Draper City Water System work around the clock to provide top quality water to every tap. We ask that all our customers help us protect our water sources, which are the heart of our community, our way of life and our children's future.

SOURCE PROTECTION

The Drinking Water Source Protection Plan for Draper City Water System is available for your review. It contains information about source protection zones, potential contamination sources and management strategies to protect our drinking water. Our sources have been determined to have a low level of susceptibility from potential contamination. Please contact Jordan Valley Water Conservancy District if you have questions or concerns about their source protection plan.

CROSS CONNECTION

There are many connections to our water distribution system. When connections are properly installed and maintained, the concerns are very minimal. However, unapproved and improper piping changes or connections can adversely affect not only the availability, but also the quality of the water. A cross connection may let polluted water or even chemicals mingle into the water supply system when not properly protected. This not only compromises the water quality but can also affect your health. So, what can you do? Do not make or allow improper connections at your homes. Even that unprotected garden hose lying in the puddle next to the driveway is a cross connection. The unprotected lawn sprinkler system after you have fertilized or sprayed is also a cross connection. When the cross connection is allowed to exist at your home, it will affect you and your family first. If you'd like to learn more about helping to protect the quality of our water, call us for further information about ways you can help.

POTENTIAL HEALTH RISKS RELATED TO DRINKING WATER

All sources of drinking water are subject to potential contamination by constituents that are naturally occurring or manmade. Those constituents can be microbes, organic or inorganic chemicals, or radioactive materials. All drinking water, including bottled water, may reasonably be expected to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants. The presence of contaminants does not necessarily indicate that the water poses a health risk. More information about contaminants and potential health effects can be obtained by calling the Environmental Protection Agency's Safe Drinking Water Hotline at 1-800-426-4791.

Some people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water than the general population. Immunocompromised persons, such as persons with cancer undergoing chemotherapy, persons who have undergone organ transplants, people with HIV/ AIDS or other immune system disorders, some elderly and infants can be particularly at risk from infections. These people should seek advice from their health care providers about drinking water. EPA/CDC guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by cryptosporidium and other microbiological contaminants are available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800-426-4791).

This report shows our water quality and what it means to you, our customer.

We are pleased to present to you this year's Annual Drinking Water Quality Report. This report is designed to inform you about the quality of water and services we deliver to you understand the efforts we make to continually improve the water treatment process and protect our water resources. We are committed to ensuring the quality of your water.

We want our valued customers to be informed about their water utility. If you want to learn more, please attend any of



SAMPLE TABLE

Draper City Water System routinely monitors for constituents in our drinking water in accordance with the Federal and Utah State laws. The following table shows the results of our monitoring for the period of January 1st to December 31st, 2022 All drinking water, including bottled drinking water, may be reasonably expected to contain at least small amounts of some constituents. It's important to remember that the presence of these constituents does not necessarily pose a health risk.

Contaminant	Violation Y/N	Level Detected ND/High- Low	Unit Measurement	MCLG	MCL	Date Sampled	Likely Source of Contamination			
Microbiological Contaminants										
Total Coliform Bacteria	N	1	N/A	0	Presence of coliform bacteria in 5% of monthly samples	2022	Naturally present in the environment			
Fecal Coliform and E. Coli	N	ND	N/A	0	5	2022	Human and animal fecal waste			
Turbidity for Ground Water	N	0.15-0.26	NTU	N/A	5	2019, 2021	Soil runoff			
Turbidity for Surface Water	N	0.15-0.26	NTU	N/A	0.5 in at least 95% of the samples and must never exceed 5.0.	2019, 2021	Soil runoff (highest single measurement & the lowest monthly percentage of samples meeting the turbidity limits)			
Inorganic Contaminants										
Antimony	N	ND-0.7	ppb	6	6	2021	Discharge from petroleum refineries; fire retardants; ceramics; electronics; solder			
Arsenic	N	ND-3.3	ppb	0	10	2021, 2022	Erosion of natural deposits; runoff from orchards; runoff from glass and electronics production wastes			
Barium	N	0.025-0.15	ppb	2000	2000	2021, 2022	Discharge of drilling wastes; discharge from metal refineries; erosion of natural deposits			
Cadmium	N	ND-0.5	ppb	4	4	2021	Corrosion of galvanized pipes; erosion of natural deposits; discharge from metal refineries; runoff from waste batteries and paints			
Chromium	N	ND-12.6	ppb	100	100	2021	Discharge from stell and pulp mills; erosion of natural deposits			
Copper a. 90% results b. # of sites that exceed the AL	N	a. 0.043 b. 0	ppm	1.3	AL= 1.3	2020	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits			
Cyanide	N	ND-3	ppb	200	200	2021	Discharge from steel/metal factories; discharge from plastic and fertilizer factories			
Fluoride	N	ND-0.9	ppm	4	4	2020, 2021	Erosion of natural deposits; water additive which promotes strong teeth; discharge from fertilizer and aluminum factories			
Lead a. 90% results b. # of sites that exceed the AL	N	a. 0 b. 0	ppb	0	AL=15	2020	Corrosion of household plumbing stystems, erosion of natural deposits.			
Nickel	N	ND-6	ppb	100	100	2020, 2021	Erosion of naturally occurring deposits			
Nitrate (as Nitrogen)	N	0.09-2.74	ppm	10	10	2020, 2021	Runoff from fertilizer use; leaching from septic tanks; sewage; erosion of natural deposits.			
Selenium	N	ND-8.1	ppb	50	50	2020, 2021	Discharge from petrolieum and metal refineries; erosion of natural deposits; discharge from mines			
Sodium	N	8-103	ppm	None set by EPA	None set by EPA	2020, 2021	Erosion of natural deposits; discharge from refineries and factories; runoff from landfills.			
Sulfate	N	ND-120	ppm	1000	1000	2020, 2021	Erosion of natural deposits; discharge from refineries and factories; runoff from landfills, runoff from cropland			
TDS (Total Dissolved Solids)	N	ND-652	ppm	2000	2000	2020, 2021	Erosion of natural deposits			
Thallium	N	ND-1.1	ppb	0.5	2	2020, 2021	Leaching from ore-processing sites; discharge from electronics, glass, and drug factories			
Inorganic Contaminants	-				•					
TTHM [Total Trihalomethanes]	N	2.26-61.2	ppb	0	80	2021	By-product of drinking water disinfection			
Haloacetic Acids	N	ND-32	ppb	0	60	2021	By-product of drinking water disinfection			
Alpha Emitters	5 N N	ND C 1	*Ci/I	0	15	2020 2021	Fracian of natural domasite			
Combined	N	ND-8.1	pCi/L	0	15	2020, 2021	Erosion of natural deposits			
Radium 226	N	ND-1.3	pCi/L	0	5	2019, 2021	Erosion of natural deposits			
Radium 228	N	-0.3-1.3	pCi/L	0	5	2020, 2021	Erosion of natural deposits			
Gross-Alpha	N	-0.7-3.1	pCi/L	0	15	2021	Decay of natural and man-made deposits.			
Gross-Beta	N	1.2-11	pCi/L	0	50	2021	Decay of natural and manmade deposits			
Uranium	N	1.5-10.7	ppb	0	30	2017, 2019	Discharge from petroleum factories; discharge from chemical facto- ries			
Volatile Organic Contamir	nants (VOCs)									
Chloroform	N	ND-28	ppb	UR	NE	2021	By-product of drinking water disinfection			
Dibromochloromethane	N	ND-2.9	ppb	UR	NE	2021	By-product of drinking water disinfection			
Bromodichloromethane	N	ND-7.9	ppb	UR	NE	2021	By-product of drinking water disinfection			
Organic Material										
Total Organic Carbon	N	0.52-2.6	ppm	0	4	2021	Naturally occurring			
Dissolved Organic Carbon	N	1.7-2.2	ppm	NE	тт	2021	Naturally occurring			
UV-254	N	0.041-0.044	1/cm	NE	UR	2021	This is a measure of the concentration of UV-absorbing organic com-			

Lead

MCLs

If present, elevated levels of lead can cause serious health problems, especially for pregnant women and young children. Lead in drinking water is primarily from materials and components associated with service lines and home plumbing. Draper City Water System is responsible for providing high quality drinking water, but cannot control the variety of materials used in plumbing components. When your water has been sitting for several hours, you can minimize the potential for lead exposure by flushing your tap for 30 seconds to 2 minutes before using water for drinking or cooking. If you are concerned about lead in your water, you may wish to have your water tested. Information on lead in drinking water, testing methods, and steps you can take to minimize exposure is available from the safe Drinking Water Hotline or at http://www.epa.gov/ safewater/lead.

MCLs are set at very stringent levels. To understand the possible health effects described for many regulated constituents, a person would have to drink 2 liters of water every day at the MCL level for a lifetime to have a one-in-a-million chance of having the described health effect.

TABLE CONTINUED											
Contaminant	Violation Y/N	Level Detected ND/High- Low	Unit Measurement	MCLG	MCL	Date Sampled	Likely Source of Contamination				
Secondary Inorganics											
Aluminum	N	ND-17.7	ppb	NE	SS=50-200	2021	Erosion of naturally occurring deposits and treatment residuals				
Chloride	N	19.5-161	mg/L	NE	SS=250	2021	Erosion of natural deposits				
Color	N	0.26-10	CU	NE	SS=15	2021	Decaying naturally occurring organic material and suspended solids				
Iron	N	ND-188	ppb	NE	SS=300	2021	Erosion of natural deposits				
Manganese	N	ND-34.0	ppb	NE	SS=50	2021	Erosion of natural deposits				
pН	N	7.0-8.3	ĺ	NE	SS=6.5-8.4	2021	Naturally occurring and affected by chemical treatment.				
Zinc	N	ND-1.2	ppb	NE	SS=5000	2021	Erosion of natural deposits				
Unregulated Contaminants											
Alkalinity, Bicarbonate	N	37-225	mg/L	NE	UR	2021	Naturally occurring				
Alkalinity, CO2	N	28-132	mg/L	NE	UR	2021	Naturally occurring				
Alkalinity, Total (CaCO ₃)	N	22-225	mg/L	NE	UR	2021	Naturally occurring				
Ammonia	N	0.3	mg/L	NE	UR	2021	Runoff from fertilizer and naturally occurring				
Bromide	N	ND-9.6	ug/L	NE	UR	2021	Naturally occurring				
Boron	N	39	ug/L	NE	UR	2021	Erosion of naturally occurring deposits				
Calcium	N	33-137	mg/L	NE	UR	2021	Erosion of naturally occurring deposits				
Conductance	N	47-1100	Umhos/cm	NE	UR	2021	Naturally Occurring				
Cyanide, Total	N	ND-4	ug/L	NE	UR	2021	Discharge from steel/metal factories; discharge from plastic fertilizer factories				
Geosmin	N	ND-7.9	ng/L	NE	UR	2021	Naturally occurring organic compound associated with musty odor				
Hardness, Calcium	N	14-178	mg/L	NE	UR	2021	Erosion of naturally occurring deposits				
Hardness, Total	N	16-357	mg/L	NE	UR	2021	Erosion of naturally occurring deposits				
Magnesium	N	ND-41.3	mg/L	NE	UR	2021	Erosion of naturally occurring deposits				
Molybdenum	N	ND-3	ug/L	NE	UR	2021	By-product of copper and tungsten mining				
Potassium	N	ND-2.4	mg/L	NE	UR	2021	Erosion of naturally occurring deposits				
Turbidity (Distribution System)	N	0.05-7	NTU	NE	UR	2021	Suspended material from soil runoff				
Vanadium	N	ND-3.6	ug/L	NE	UR	2021	Naturally occurring				
Protozoa (sampled at source water)											
Giardia	N	ND-7	cysts/1L	0	TT	2021	Parasite that enters lakes and rivers through sewage and animal waste.				
Microbiological											
HPC	N	0.2-27.6	MPN/mL	0	500	2021	Used to measure the overall bacteriological quality of drinking water				

TABLE DEFINITIONS

In the following table you will find many terms and abbreviations you might not be familiar with. To help you better understand these terms we've provided the following definitions:

Action Level (AL) - the concentration of a contaminant which, if exceeded, triggers treatment or other requirements which a water system must follow. CU - Color unit

Cysts/1L - Cysts per 1 liter

Date - Because of required sampling time frames i.e. yearly, 3 years, 4 years and 6 years, sampling dates may seem outdated.

Maximum Contaminant Level (MCL) - The "Maximum Allowed" (MCL) is the highest level of a contaminant that is allowed in drinking water. MCLs are set as close to the MCLGs as feasible using the best available treatment technology.

Maximum Contaminant Level Goal (MCLG) - The "Goal" (MCLG) is the level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MCLGs allow for a margin of safety.

MPN/mL - most probable number per milileter

ND/Low - High - For water systems that have multiple sources of water, the Utah Division of Drinking Water has given water systems the option of listing the test results of the constituents in one table, instead of multiple tables. To accomplish this, the lowest and highest values detected in the multiple sources are recorded in the same space in the report table.

NE - Not Established

Nephelometric Turbidity Unit (NTU) - nephelometric turbidity unit is a measure of the clarity of water. Turbidity in excess of 5 NTU is just noticeable to the average person.

Non-Detects (ND) - laboratory analysis indicates that the constituent is not present.

Parts per million (ppm) or Milligrams per liter (mg/L) - one part per million corresponds to one minute in two years or a single penny in \$10,000.

Parts per billion (ppb) or Micrograms per liter (ug/L) - one part per billion corresponds to one minute in 2,000 years, or a single penny in \$10,000,000.

Picocuries per liter (pCi/L) - picocuries per liter is a measure of the radioactivity in water.

Treatment Technique (TT) - A treatment technique is a required process intended to reduce the level of a contaminant in drinking water.

SS - Secondary Standard

Umhos/cm - micro ohms per centimeter

UR - Unregulated

1/cm - 1 per centimeter

As you can see by the table, our system had no violations. We're proud that your drinking water meets or exceeds all Federal and State requirements. We have learned through our monitoring and testing that some constituents have been detected. The EPA has determined that your water IS SAFE at these levels.

Water samples taken in July and August 2022 confirmed the presence of total coliform bacteria. Total coliforms are common in the environment and are generally not harmful themselves. The presence of these bacteria is usually a result of a problem with water treatment or the pipes which distribute the water and indicates that the water may have been contaminated with organisms that can cause disease. Symptoms may include diarrhea, cramps, nausea, and possible jaundice, and any associated headaches and fatigue. When the monthly samples confirmed the presence of total coliform bacteria, we took steps to identify and correct the problem. Subsequent monthly sampling has confirmed the absence of total coliforms in the water system.

Total Coliform: The Total Coliform Rule requires water systems to meet a stricter limit for coliform bacteria. Coliform bacteria are usually harmless, but their presence in water can be an indication of disease-causing bacteria. When coliform bacteria are found, special follow-up tests are done to determine if harmful bacteria are present in the water supply. If this limit is exceeded, the water supplier must notify the public by newspaper, television or radio. To comply with the stricter regulation, we have increased the average amount of chlorine in the distribution system.