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MISSISSIPPI STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

## BUREAU OF PUBLIC WATER SUPPLY

CALENDAR YEAR 2009 CONSUMER CONFIDENCE REPORT  
CERTIFICATION FORM

Whistler Water Association  
Public Water Supply Name

0770004

List PWS ID #s for all Water Systems Covered by this CCR

The Federal Safe Drinking Water Act requires each *community* public water system to develop and distribute a consumer confidence report (CCR) to its customers each year. Depending on the population served by the public water system, this CCR must be mailed to the customers, published in a newspaper of local circulation, or provided to the customers upon request.

## Please Answer the Following Questions Regarding the Consumer Confidence Report

Customers were informed of availability of CCR by: *(Attach copy of publication, water bill or other)*

- Advertisement in local paper  
 On water bills  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

Date customers were informed: 6/10/10

CCR was distributed by mail or other direct delivery. Specify other direct delivery methods:

Date Mailed/Distributed: 6/10/10

CCR was published in local newspaper. *(Attach copy of published CCR or proof of publication)*

Name of Newspaper: IMPACT of LAUREL

Date Published: 6/10/10

CCR was posted in public places. *(Attach list of locations)* WHISTLER WATER OFFICE

Date Posted: 6/10/10

CCR was posted on a publicly accessible internet site at www. \_\_\_\_\_

**CERTIFICATION**

I hereby certify that a consumer confidence report (CCR) has been distributed to the customers of this public water system in the form and manner identified above. I further certify that the information included in this CCR is true and correct and is consistent with the water quality monitoring data provided to the public water system officials by the Mississippi State Department of Health, Bureau of Public Water Supply.

Beckie G. Williams - Secretary  
Name/Title (President, Mayor, Owner, etc.)

June 10, 2010  
Date

Mail Completed Form to: Bureau of Public Water Supply/F.O. Box 1700/Jackson, MS 39215

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2009 Annual Drinking Water Quality Report  
Whisper Water Association  
PWS ID: 077004  
May 2010

We're pleased to present to you this year's Annual Quality Water Report. This report is designed to inform you about the quality 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. We want you to be confident in the quality of your water. Our water comes from four wells drawing from the Cambrian Formation Aquifer.

The water quality monitoring has been completed for our public water system to determine the overall susceptibility of our drinking water supply to identify potential sources of contamination. The general susceptibility testing designed to each well of this system per provided information below. A report regarding detailed information on how the susceptibility determination were made has been furnished to our public water system and is available for viewing upon request. The wells for the Whisper Water Association have received their of better susceptibility ratings to contamination.

If you have any questions about this report or concerning your water utility, please contact Bobbie G. Williams at 601-735-5531. We want our valued customers to be informed about their water utility. If you want to learn more, please attend any of our regularly scheduled meetings. They are held on the third Tuesday of each month at 4:00 PM at the Whisper Water Office.

We routinely monitor for contaminants in your drinking water according to Federal and State laws. This table lists all the drinking water contaminants that were detected during the period of January 1st to December 31st, 2009. In cases where monitoring wasn't completed in 2009, the table reflects the most recent results. As water travels over the surface of land or underground, it dissolves naturally occurring minerals and, in some cases, radioactive materials and pesticides, or contaminants from the seepage of materials from agricultural, livestock operations, and wildlife. Inorganic contaminants, such as salts and metals, which can be naturally occurring or result from urban storm water runoff, industrial, or domestic wastewater discharge, oil and gas production, mining or farming, pesticides and herbicides, which may come from a variety of sources such as agricultural, urban storm water runoff, and industrial processes and chemical manufacturing, including synthetic and volatile organic chemicals, which are by-products of industrial processes and petroleum production, and can also come from gas stations and auto production and other activities. In order to ensure that tap water is safe to drink, EPA prescribes regulations that limit the amount of certain contaminants in water provided by public water systems. All drinking water, including bottled drinking water, may be reasonably expected to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants. It's important to remember that the presence of these contaminants does not necessarily indicate that the water poses a health risk. To help you better understand these terms, we've provided the following definitions:

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**Action Level** - the concentration of a contaminant which, if exceeded, triggers treatment or other requirements which a water system must follow.

**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 enforceable 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.

**Maximum Residual Disinfectant Level (MRDL)** - The highest level of disinfectant allowed in drinking water. There are health concerns about the addition of a disinfectant is necessary for control microbial contamination.

**Maximum Residual Disinfectant Level Goal (MRDLG)** - The level of a drinking water disinfectant below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MRDLGs do not reflect the benefits of the use of disinfectants to control microbial contamination.

**Pounds per million (ppm) or Milligrams per liter (mg/L)** - one part per million corresponds to one millionth of a pound or a single penny in \$10,000.

**Parts per billion (ppb) or Micrograms per liter** - one part per billion corresponds to one minute in 3,000 years, or a single penny in \$10,000,000.

TEST RESULTS

Contaminant	Violation Y/N	Date Collected	Level Detected	Range of Detects or Fed Samples Exceeding MCL/MCLG	Test Measurement	MCLG	MCL	Likely Source of Contamination
<b>Inorganic Contaminants</b>								
10. Barium	N	2009	0.0	0.0 - 0.0	ppm	1	1	Discharge of drilling wastes, leachate from acid mine drainage, natural from natural deposits
11. Boron	N	2009	1.9	No Detect	ppm	4	4	Discharge from metal refineries and metal-bearing fertilizers, natural from natural deposits, agricultural, urban storm water runoff, industrial
14. Copper	N	2009/01	1	0	ppm	1.3	1.3	Corrosion of household plumbing systems, erosion of natural deposits, leachate from metal refineries
17. Lead	N	2009/01	1	0	ppb	0	15	Corrosion of household plumbing systems, erosion of natural deposits
19. Nitrate (as Nitrogen)	N	2009	1.28	34 - 1.28	ppm	10	10	Natural from fertilizer use, leachate from agricultural fields, erosion of natural deposits
<b>Disinfection By-Products</b>								
Chloroform	N	2009	1.33	33-1.33	ppm	0	MRL ± 1	Water Admix used to control microbes

\* Most recent sample. No sample required for 2009.

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 contaminants have been detected, however, the EPA has determined that your water is safe to drink. We did complete the monitoring requirements for bacteriological indicator of whether or not our drinking water meets health standards. We did complete the monitoring requirements for bacteriological indicator of whether or not our drinking water meets health standards. We did complete the monitoring requirements for bacteriological indicator of whether or not our drinking water meets health standards.

We are required to monitor your drinking water for specific contaminants on a monthly basis. Results of regular monitoring are posted on our website. We are required to monitor your drinking water for specific contaminants on a monthly basis. Results of regular monitoring are posted on our website. We are required to monitor your drinking water for specific contaminants on a monthly basis. Results of regular monitoring are posted on our website.

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. Our Water Association is responsible for providing high quality drinking water, but cannot control the variety of materials used in plumbing components. We recommend that you flush your tap water for 30 seconds 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 EPA's Drinking Water Hotline or at <http://www.epa.gov/leadwater/>. The Mississippi State Department of Health, Public Health Laboratory, offers lead testing for \$10 per sample. Please contact 601-576-7852. If you wish to have your water tested.

All sources of drinking water are subject to potential contamination by substances that are naturally occurring or man-made. Some of these substances are inorganic or organic chemical and radioactive substances. All drinking water, including bottled water, is subject to potential contamination by substances that are naturally occurring or man-made. Some of these substances are inorganic or organic chemical and radioactive substances. All drinking water, including bottled water, is subject to potential contamination by substances that are naturally occurring or man-made. Some of these substances are inorganic or organic chemical and radioactive substances.

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The Whisper Water Association works around the clock to provide the 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.

6/09/10

\*\* INVOICE \*\*

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Invoice Date 6/09/10  
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Bill To: Whistler Water Assoc. 19  
Attn: Bobbie Williams  
5198 Hwy 84  
Waynesboro, MS 39367

Deliver To: Whistler Water Assoc. 19  
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Customer #: 1091

Your PO:

Terms: due by the 10th

Item-#	Description	Qty	Unit	Price	Ext-price
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Bookkeeper *[Signature]*

TOTAL 312.00  
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6-8-10