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# CERTIFICATION

Consumer Confidence Report (CCR)

City of Baldwin, Ingram Water Ass

Public Water Supply Name

590001, 590008

List PWS ID #s for all Community Water Systems included in this CCR

The Federal Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA) 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 or delivered to the customers, published in a newspaper of local circulation, or provided to the customers upon request. Make sure you follow the proper procedures when distributing the CCR. **You must mail, fax or email a copy of the CCR and Certification to MSDH. Please check all boxes that apply.**

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

- Advertisement in local paper (attach copy of advertisement)
- On water bills (attach copy of bill)
- Email message (MUST Email the message to the address below)
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

Date(s) customers were informed: 4/13/17, / / , / /

CCR was distributed by U.S. Postal Service or other direct delivery. Must specify other direct delivery methods used \_\_\_\_\_

Date Mailed/Distributed: \_\_\_\_\_ / /

CCR was distributed by Email (MUST Email MSDH a copy)

Date Emailed: \_\_\_\_\_ / /

- As a URL (Provide URL \_\_\_\_\_)
- As an attachment
- As text within the body of the email message

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

Name of Newspaper: Baldwin News

Date Published: 4/13/17

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

Date Posted: \_\_\_\_\_ / /

CCR was posted on a publicly accessible internet site at the following address **(DIRECT URL REQUIRED)**:  
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### CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the Consumer Confidence Report (CCR) has been distributed to the customers of this public water system in the form and manner identified above and that I used distribution methods allowed by the SDWA. 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

Adam Lindsey (Operator)  
Name/Title (President, Mayor, Owner, etc.)

4-13-17  
Date

Submission options *(Select one method ONLY)*

**Mail:** (U.S. Postal Service)  
MSDH, Bureau of Public Water Supply  
P.O. Box 1700  
Jackson, MS 39215

**Fax:** (601) 576 - 7800

**Email:** [water.reports@msdh.ms.gov](mailto:water.reports@msdh.ms.gov)

**CCR Deadline to MSDH & Customers by July 1, 2017!**

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2016 Baldwyn Municipal Gas & Water System & Ingram Water System  
Annual Drinking Water Quality Report  
PWS ID # 0590001 & 0590008  
April 11, 2017

We're pleased to present to you this year's Annual Water Quality 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 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. Our water source is four wells. Our wells draw from the Eutaw Formation.

The source water assessment has been completed for our public water system to determine the overall susceptibility of its drinking water supply to identified potential sources of contamination. A report containing detailed information on how the susceptibility determinations were made has been furnished to our public water system and is available for viewing upon request. The wells for the Baldwyn and Ingram water systems have received a **moderate susceptibility** ranking to contamination.

If you have any questions about this report or concerning your water utility, please contact Adam Lindsey at 662-365-8171. 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 first Tuesday of each month at 6:00 P.M. at the Baldwyn City Hall.

Baldwyn Municipal Gas & Water System & Ingram Water System routinely monitors for constituents in your drinking water according to Federal and State laws. This table shows the results of our monitoring for the period of January 1<sup>st</sup> to December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2016. As water travels over the land or underground, it can pick up substances or contaminants such as microbes, inorganic and organic chemicals, and radioactive substances. 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.

In this 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:

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*Maximum Contaminant Level Goal* - 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.

### Baldwyn PWS ID # 0590001 TEST RESULTS

Contaminant	Violation Y/N	Date Collected	Level Detected	Range of Detects or # of Samples Exceeding MCL/ACL	Unit Measurement	MCLG	MCL	Likely Source of Contamination
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#### Disinfectants & Disinfection By-Products

(There is convincing evidence that addition of a disinfectant is necessary for control of microbial contaminants.)

Chlorine (as Cl <sub>2</sub> ) (ppm)	N	2016	0.90	0.50—1.30	Ppm	2	2	Water additive used to control microbes
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#### Radioactive Contaminants

Barium	N	2016	0.1055	0.0971—0.1055	Ppm	2	2	Discharge of drilling wastes; discharge from metal refineries; erosion of natural deposits
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Chromium	N	2016	1.0	.9—1.0	Ppb	100	100	Discharge from steel and pulp mills; erosion of natural deposits
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Copper	N	2016	.3	.056—.424	ppm	1.3	AL=1.3	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits; leaching from wood preservatives
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### Ingram PWS ID # 0590008 TEST RESULTS

#### Disinfectants & Disinfection By-Products

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Chlorine (as Cl <sub>2</sub> ) (ppm)	N	2016	.90	.70—1.2	Ppm	2	2	Water additive used to control microbes
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#### Inorganic Contaminants

Barium	N	2016	.1192	.1044—.1192	Ppm	2	2	Discharge of drilling wastes; discharge from metal refineries; erosion of natural deposits
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Chromium	N	2016	1.5	.9—1.5	Ppb	100	100	Discharge from steel and pulp mills; erosion of natural deposits
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Copper	N	*2014	.3	0	ppm	1.3	AL=1.3	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits; leaching from wood preservatives
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Xylenes	N	2016	4.38	No-range	Ppb	0	10,000	Discharge from petroleum factories; discharge from chemical factories
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Lead	N	*2014	1.0	0 to 1.0	ppb	0	AL=15	Corrosion of household plumbing systems, erosion of natural deposits
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\*No sample required in 2016

**\*\*\*Additional Information for Lead\*\*\***

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