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2017 CERTIFICATION

Consumer Confidence Report (CCR)

L + F Water Association

Public Water System Name

0620007

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 (PWS) to develop and distribute a Consumer Confidence Report (CCR) to its customers each year. Depending on the population served by the PWS, 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 email, fax** (but not preferred) **or mail, a copy of the CCR and Certification to the 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 ***(Email the message to the address below)***
- ☐ Other _____

Date(s) customers were informed: 6 /20/2018 / /2018 / /2018

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 (***Email MSDH a copy***) Date Emailed: / / 2018

- ☐ As a URL _____ ***(Provide Direct 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: Spirit of Morton

Date Published: 6 /20/ 18

CCR was posted in public places. ***(Attach list of locations)*** Date Posted: / / 2018

CCR was posted on a publicly accessible internet site at the following address:

_____ ***(Provide Direct URL)***

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the 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 PWS officials by the Mississippi State Department of Health, Bureau of Public Water Supply

Sue May, System Secretary
Name/Title (*President, Mayor, Owner, etc.*)

6-21-2018
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

Email: water.reports@msdh.ms.gov

Fax: (601) 576 - 7800
Not a preferred method due to poor clarity

CCR Deadline to MSDH & Customers by July 1, 2018!

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2017 Annual Drinking Water Quality Report
L&F Water Association
PWS#: 0620007
June 2018

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

TEST RESULTS

Contaminant	Violation Y/N	Date Collected	Level Detected	Range of Detects or # of Samples Exceeding MCL/ACL	Unit Measure-ment	MCLG	MCL	Likely Source of Contamination
Inorganic Contaminants								
10. Barium	N	2016*	.0065	.0037 - .0065	ppm	2	2	Discharge of drilling wastes; discharge from metal refineries; erosion of natural deposits
14. Copper	N	2015/17	.4	0	ppm	1.3	AL=1.3	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits; leaching from wood preservatives
16. Fluoride	N	2016*	.924	.244- .924	ppm	4	4	Erosion of natural deposits; water additive which promotes strong teeth; discharge from fertilizer and aluminum factories

17. Lead	N	2015/17	1	0	ppb	0	AL=15	Corrosion of household plumbing systems, erosion of natural deposits

Disinfection By-Products

81. HAA5	N	2017	53	30 - 70	ppb	0	60	By-Product of drinking water disinfection.
82. TTHM [Total trihalomethanes]	N	2017	61	39.3 – 70.5	ppb	0	80	By-product of drinking water chlorination.
Chlorine	N	2017	1.8	.3- 2.5	mg/l	0	MDRL = 4	Water additive used to control microbes

** Most recent sample. No sample required for 2017.*

We are required to monitor your drinking water for specific contaminants on a monthly basis. Results of regular monitoring are an indicator of whether or not our drinking water meets health standards. In an effort to ensure systems complete all monitoring requirements, MSDH now notifies systems of any missing samples prior to the end of the compliance period.

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 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. The Mississippi State Department of Health Public Health Laboratory offers lead testing. Please contact 601.576.7582 if you wish to have your water tested.

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Spirit of Morton

PO Box 80
Morton, MS 39117

Invoice

Date	Invoice #
6/19/2018	1372

Bill To
L & F Water Association P.O. Box 27 Ludlow, MS 39098

Ship To
L & F Water Association P.O. Box 27 Ludlow, MS 39098

P.O. Number	Terms	Rep	Ship	Via	F.O.B.	Project
			6/19/2018			

Quantity	Item Code	Description	Price Each	Amount
1	legal	Drinking Water Quality report ran on 6/20 1,419 words @ $.12 each	170.28	170.28

Total	$170.28

Illusions

By Pastor Luis Cartagena

Who has not had an illusion in his or her life? I think everybody has had this experience and at the same time a disillusion. As a matter of fact, many things show up differently than they initially appeared to be. In relation to human interaction it is very easy when somebody promises something to have an illusion. It is one of the reasons of disillusion that leads to divorce in couples, or family disputes because many people don't accomplish their promises.

The world always has lived with creating appearances and illusions, as the Pharisees did in Jesus' time giving the impression of being saints when in fact they weren't. When we watch TV or navigate the Internet, read Magazines etc., the media tries to sell illusions. The problems come if you trust in them and live according to a false reality. The world of illusion isn't real but, not imaginary either because you can live within it.

As Christians we need to be vigilant in the face of mundane illusions and human nature. Our Lord Jesus Christ was

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It is easy for us to believe when we go to great temples, we listen to praises and beautiful voices, and everybody shares the same creed and the pastor gives a good sermon but you need to imagine the opposite. Imagine how it must be to live in Iran, China or any location that has different creeds and where Christianity is forbidden. It is the moment the world of illusion brakes down and only the truth will survive. Real faith doesn't need an illusion because we feel His presence in our lives. We know that the Holy Spirit leads us with wisdom and holds us when we are falling and we recognize the reality that everything we had was false.

We certainly know that purity, sanctity and other virtues are real if we obey the Word. But because of disobedience we have warfare and conflicts. Reality is different. Our lives are difficult but to be away from warfare is to believe in God's promises and be obedient. Our communion with our Lord is based in faith and how faithful we are.

Our Lord has no illusions because He created us and since the beginning we failed but, He gives us Jesus, and through Him we can be saved. He knows that all the unfaithfulness in men will finish in tragedy. It is our decision to follow

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