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Consumer Confidence Report (CCR)

ARLINGTON WATER ASSOCIATION

Public Water Supply Name

0560006 & 0560014

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: 06/06/2019

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: THE RICHTON DISPATCH

Date Published: 06/06/2019

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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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

Allen M. Lott
Allen Lott, (Board President)

6-16-2019
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

CCR Deadline to MSDH & Customers by July 1, 2019!

2018 Annual Drinking Water Quality Report
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PWS ID#:0560006					TEST RESULTS			
Contaminant	Violation Y/N	Date Collected	Level Detected	Range of Detects or # of Samples Exceeding MCL/ACL/MRDL	Unit Measure -ment	MCLG	MCL	Likely Source of Contamination
Inorganic Contaminants								
10. 1040 NITRATE	N	2018	0.08	No Range	ppm	10	10	
11. 1041 NITRATE	N	2018	0.02	No Range	ppm	1	1	
12. 1041 NITRATE	N	2018	0.1	No Range	ppm	10	10	
13. Total Coliform Bacteria	N	2018	4	Negative	N/A	N/A	0	
Disinfection By-Products								
Chlorine (0999)	N	2018	1.90 MG/L	1.00 MG/L to 2.40 MG/L	mg/l	0	MRDL=4	Water additive used to control microbes

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PWS ID#:0560014				TEST RESULTS				
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Microbiological Contaminants								
1. Total Coliform Bacteria	N	July	Negative	4	NA	0		Presence of coliform bacterial in 5% of monthly samples Naturally present in the environment
Inorganic Contaminants								
10. Barium	N	2018	0.0024	No Range	ppm	2	2	Discharge of drilling wastes; discharge from metal refineries; Erosion of natural deposits
13. Chromium	N	2018	0.0005	No Range	ppb	0.1	0.1	Discharge from steel and pulp mills; erosion of natural deposits
14.Thallium	N	2018	0.0005	No Range	ppm	0.2	0.002	By-product of drinking water chlorination
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PERSONALLY appeared before me, the undersigned Notary Public in and for Perry County, Mississippi, Larry A. Wilson, an authorized representative of *The Richton Dispatch*, a weekly newspaper as defined and prescribed in Sections 13-3-31 and 13-3-32 of the Mississippi Code of 1972, as amended, who being duly sworn, stated that the notice, a true copy of which hereto attached, appeared in the issues of said newspaper as follows:

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Signed: Larry A. Wilson

Authorized Representative of
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Jana Farve
Notary Public