

**LEAD & COPPER RULE MONITORING AND REPORTING VIOLATION
MANDATORY LANGUAGE - TIER III**

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR DRINKING WATER

Siesta Shores WCID has violated the monitoring and reporting requirements set by Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) in Chapter 30, Section 290, Subchapter F. Even though these were not emergencies, as our customers, you have the right to know what happened and what we are doing (or did) to correct these situations.

We are required to monitor your drinking water for specific contaminants on a regular basis. Results of regular monitoring are an indicator of whether or not our drinking water meets health standards. During June 1st-September 30th, 2022. We did not monitor or test – or – did not complete all monitoring or testing for contaminant(s) and therefore cannot be sure of the quality of your drinking water during that time.

The table below lists the contaminant(s) we did not properly test for during the last year, how often we are supposed to sample for these contaminants, how many samples we are supposed to take, how many samples we took, when samples should have been taken, and the date on which the follow-up samples were or will be taken.

| Contaminant | Required sampling frequency | Number of samples taken | When samples should have been taken | When samples were or will be taken |
|---|-----------------------------|-------------------------|--|---|
| <i>Lead and copper tap water sampling</i> | <i>Every 3 years</i> | <i>20</i> | <i>June 1st-Sept 30th 2022</i> | <i>January 1st-June 30th 2023</i> |

What is being done?

We are working to correct the problem. For more information, please contact Marelda Garcia or Javier Santiago at 956-765-4988 or 5235 S. Siesta Lane Zapata, Tx 78076.

Samples will be taken between January 1st and June 30th, 2023.

Please share this information with all other people who drink this water, especially those who may not have received this notice directly (i.e., people in apartments, nursing homes, schools, and businesses). You can do this by posting this notice in a public place or distributing copies by hand or mail.

We apologize for the inconvenience.

This notice is being sent to you by Siesta Shores WCID. Public Water System Number:

TX 2520004

Date Distributed: March 13, 2023