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IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR DRINKING WATER

This notice contains important information regarding your drinking water. If a Spanish notice is needed, please contact the water system and ask for a copy.

Este informe contiene información muy importante sobre su agua potable.
Tradúzcalo o hable con alguien que lo entienda bien.

What happened? What is being done?

During the compliance period of 2021, the district received a violation for not monitoring for nitrates at the Second Garrote water tank site. Although this was a result of construction delays, and customers were not being delivered water from this site, the state still recognizes the lack of monitor tests as a violation, and require that district customers receive notice of the violation.

The Second Garrote water treatment plant was nonoperational and did not serve water to our customers between June 2021 and March 2022 due to the renovation of the treatment plant Clearwell (water tank). The tank reconstruction was scheduled to be completed by September 2021, at which time the nitrate water sample was planned to be taken. Due to construction delays out of the control of the District, there was no water in the tank to test until March 2022. Water samples for Nitrate were last taken from the Second Garrote site in July 2020, and no nitrate was detected. Water from this location was sampled after filling the tank in March 2022, and no nitrate was detected in those samples.

Monitoring Requirements

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.

What should I do?

- There is nothing you need to do at this time.

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

| Contaminant | Required Sampling Frequency | Number of Samples Taken | When All Samples Should Have Been Taken | When Samples Were or Will Be Taken |
|--------------------|------------------------------------|--------------------------------|--|---|
| Nitrate | Annually | None | Once, July 2021 | Samples were taken on March 23, 2022 |

Secondary Notification Requirements (For Schools, Rental and Business Properties)

Upon receipt of this notification from Groveland CSD, the following notification must be given within 10 days [Health and Safety Code Section 116450(g)]:

- Schools: Must notify school employees, students, and parents (if the students are minors).
- Residential Rental Property Owners or Managers (including nursing homes and care facilities): Must notify tenants.
- Business Property Owners, Managers, or Operators: Must notify employees of businesses located on the property.

For more information, please contact Greg Dunn at 209-962-7161 ext.1016.

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