

GCWA Annual Free Chlorine Disinfection will take place from

April 12, 2021 to April 26, 2021

Annual Disinfection Change

Gulf Coast Water Authority's Thomas S Mackey Water Plant completes an annual disinfection of the Treated Water Transmission and Distribution System by subjecting the system to a cleaning process which assures it remains free of biofilm growth. During this process, a switch is made from using chloramines to free chlorine only to disinfect treated water. TCEQ approval is required to complete the two (2) week process.

TCEQ has approved the GCWA Annual Disinfection Change

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The only disinfectant in the treated water during the two (2) week period will be

Free Chlorine.

- The chlorine residual will be between 2.5 and 3.2 parts per million.
- The water will have a chlorine odor.
- This is a temporary measure which is necessary to continually provide high quality consumable water.
- The potable water is safe for consumption and meets state standards during the annual disinfection change.

Special Precautions

Home Health Kidney Dialysis Patients using potable water to perform dialysis need to consult with their physician pertaining to the water disinfectant changes.

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