IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR DRINKING WATER

Este informe contiene información muy importante sobre su agua potable.
Por favor hable con alguien que lo pueda tradúcir.

Belmont Water Corporation has levels of 1,2,3-TCP above Drinking Water Standards

Our water system recently failed a drinking water standard. Although this is not an emergency, as our customers, you have a right to know what you should do, what happened, and what we are doing to correct this situation.

We routinely monitor for the presence of drinking water contaminants. Testing results we received on February 5, 2024 show that our system exceeds the standard, or maximum contaminant level (MCL), for 1,2,3-trichloropropane (1,2,3-TCP). The standard for 1,2,3-TCP is 0.000005 mg/L (milligrams per liter) which is equivalent to 0.005 *ug/L* (micrograms per liter). The average level of 1,2,3-TCP over the last year was 0.000041 mg/L or 0.041 *ug/L*.

What should I do?

- **You do not need to use an alternative (e.g., bottled) water supply.**
- This is not an immediate risk. If it had been, you would have been notified immediately. However, s*ome people who drink water containing 1,2,3-trichloropropane in excess of the MCL over many years may have an increased risk of getting cancer*.
- If you have other health issues concerning the consumption of this water, you may wish to consult your doctor.

What happened? What is being done?

What happened? Usage of a nematicide on agricultural crops in the area contained this chemical which slowly leached into the ground water over many years.
What is being done? Belmont Water Corporation installed point of entry (POE) filtration units on all homes.

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

Secondary Notification Requirements

Upon receipt of notification from a person operating a public water system, 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.

This notice is being sent to you by Belmont Water Corporation in compliance with the California Domestic Water Quality and Monitoring Regulations as a means of keeping the public informed.

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