

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

**IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR DRINKING WATER**

City of George West 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 01/01/2020 to 12/31/2024 we did not monitor or test for Lead & Copper 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>6 months/20 RT</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>01/01/2020 to 12/31/2024</i>	<i>01/01/2026</i>

**What is being done?**

We are working to correct the problem. For more information, please contact Mike Villarreal, Public Works Director at (361) 449-1556 or 406 Nueces Street, George West, Texas 78022.

The City has taken all samples for the required compliance period and shall send out this notification along with its Annual 2024 TCEQ Consumer Confidence Reports.

*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.*

This notice is being sent to you by the City of George West. Public Water System Number:

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