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## 2023 Consumer Confidence Report for Public Water System SHERIDAN WSC

This is your water quality report for January 1 to December 31, 2023

SHERIDAN WSC provides ground water from **Gulf-Coast** located in **Colorado County**, Sheridan, Tx. Mike Beyette (979)-758-4447

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Este reporte incluye información importante sobre el agua para tomar. Para asistencia en español, f avor de llamar al telefono (979) 234-7422.

#### **Definitions and Abbreviations**

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The following tables contain scientific terms and measures, some of which may require explanation.

Action Level: The concentration of a contaminant which, if exceeded, triggers treatment or other requirements which a water system must follow.

Avg: Regulatory compliance with some MCLs are based on running annual average of monthly samples.

Level 1 Assessment: A Level 1 assessment is a study of the water system to identify potential problems and determine (if possible) why total coliform bacteria have been fou

nd in our water system.

Level 2 Assessment: A Level 2 assessment is a very detailed study of the water system to identify potential problems and determine (if possible) why an E. coli MCL violation

has occurred and/or why total coliform bacteria have been found in our water system on multiple occasions.

Maximum Contaminant Level or MCL: The highest level of a contaminant that is allowed in drinking water. MCLs are set as close to the MCLGs as feasible using the best available treatment t

echnology.

Maximum Contaminant Level Goal or MCLG: The level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MCLGs allow for a margin of safety.

Maximum residual disinfectant level or MRDL: The highest level of a disinfectant allowed in drinking water. There is convincing evidence that addition of a disinfectant is necessary for control of micro

bial contaminants.

Maximum residual disinfectant level goal or MRDL The level of a drinking water disinfectant below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MRDLGs do not reflect the benefits of the use of disi

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nfectants to control microbial contaminants.
million fibers per liter (a measure of asbestos)

mrem: millirems per year (a measure of radiation absorbed by the body)

na: not applicable.

NTU nephelometric turbidity units (a measure of turbidity)

pCi/L picocuries per liter (a measure of radioactivity)

MFL

### **Definitions and Abbreviations**

ppb: micrograms per liter or parts per billion

ppm: milligrams per liter or parts per million

ppq parts per quadrillion, or picograms per liter (pg/L)
ppt parts per trillion, or nanograms per liter (ng/L)

Treatment Technique or TT: A required process intended to reduce the level of a contaminant in drinking water.

## Information about your Drinking Water

The sources of drinking water (both tap water and bottled water) include rivers, lakes, streams, ponds, reservoirs, springs, and wells. As water travels over the surface of the land or through the ground, it dissolves naturally-occurring minerals and, in some cases, radioactive material, and can pick up substances resulting from the presence of animals or from human activity.

Drinking water, including bottled water, may reasonably be expected to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants. The presence of contaminants does not necessarily indicate that water poses a health risk. More information about contaminants and potential health effects can be obtained by calling the EPAs Safe Drinking Water Hotline at (800) 426-4791.

Contaminants that may be present in source water include:

- Microbial contaminants, such as viruses and bacteria, which may come from sewage treatment plants, septic systems, agricultural livestock operations, and wildlife.
- Inorganic contaminants, such as salts and metals, which can be naturally-occurring or result from urban storm water runoff, industrial or domestic wastewater discharges, oil and gas production, mining, or farming.
- Pesticides and herbicides, which may come from a variety of sources such as agriculture, urban storm water runoff, and residential uses.
- Organic chemical contaminants, including synthetic and volatile organic chemicals, which are by-products of industrial processes and petroleum production, and can also come from gas stations, urban storm water runoff, and septic systems.
- Radioactive contaminants, which can be naturally-occurring or be the result of oil and gas production and mining activities.

In order to ensure that tap water is safe to drink, EPA prescribes regulations which limit the amount of certain contaminants in water provided by public water systems. FDA regulations establish limits for contaminants in bottled water which must provide the same protection for public health.

Contaminants may be found in drinking water that may cause taste, color, or odor problems. These types of problems are not necessarily causes for health concer ns. For more information on taste, odor, or color of drinking water, please contact the system's business office.

You may be more vulnerable than the general population to certain microbial contaminants, such as Cryptosporidium, in drinking water. Infants, some elderly, or i mmunocompromised persons such as those undergoing chemotherapy for cancer; persons who have undergone organ transplants; those who are undergoing trea tment with steroids; and people with HIV/AIDS or other immune system disorders, can be particularly at risk from infections. You should seek advice about drinking water from your physician or health care providers. Additional guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by Cryptosporidium are available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800-426-4791).

If present, elevated levels of lead can cause serious health problems, especially for pregnant women and young children. Lead in drinking water is primarily from m aterials and components associated with service lines and home plumbing. We are responsible for providing high quality drinking water, but we cannot control the v ariety of materials used in plumbing components. When your water has been sitting for several hours, you can minimize the potential for lead exposure by flushing your tap for 30 seconds to 2 minutes before using water for drinking or cooking. If you are concerned about lead in your water, you may wish to have your water tes ted. Information on lead in drinking water, testing methods, and steps you can take to minimize exposure is available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline or at http://www.epa.gov/safewater/lead.

## Information about Source Water

TCEQ completed an assessment of your source water, and results indicate that some of our sources are susceptible to certain contaminants. The sampling requirements for your water system is based on this susceptibility and previous sample data. Any detections of these contaminants will be found in this Consumer Confidence Report. For more information on source water assessments and protection efforts at our system contact Sheridan Water Supply Corporation, Mike Beyette (979)-758-4447

### Coliform Bacteria

Maximum Contaminant Level Goal	Total Coliform Maxi mum Contaminant Level	Highest No. of Positive	Fecal Coliform or E. Coli Maximum Contaminant Level	Total No. of Positive E. Coli or Fecal Coliform Samples	Violation	Likely Source of Contamination
0	1 positive monthly sample.	1		0	N	Naturally present in the environment.

Lead and Copper	Date Sampled	MCLG	Action Level (AL)	90th Percentile	# Sites Over AL	Units	Violation	Likely Source of Contamination
Copper	2023	1.3	1.3	0.24	0	ppm		Erosion of natural deposits; Leaching from wo od preservatives; Corrosion of household plu mbing systems.
Lead	2023	0	15	0.531	0	ppb		Corrosion of household plumbing systems; Er osion of natural deposits.

# **2023 Water Quality Test Results**

Disinfection By-Products	Collection Date	Highest Level Dete cted	Range of Individua I Samples	MCLG	MCL	Units	Violation	Likely Source of Contamination
Haloacetic Acids (HAA5)	09/07/2022	1	1 - 1	No goal for the to	60	ppb	N	By-product of drinking water disinfection.
Total Trihalomethanes (TT HM)	09/07/2022	7.8	7.8 - 7.8	No goal for the to tal	80	ppb	N	By-product of drinking water disinfection.

Inorganic Contaminants	Collection Date	Highest Level Dete cted	Range of Individua I Samples	MCLG	MCL	Units	Violation	Likely Source of Contamination
Arsenic	08/09/2021	2.1	2.1 - 2.1	0	10	ppb	N	Erosion of natural deposits; Runoff from orchards; Runoff from glass and electronics production wastes.
Barium	08/09/2021	0.331	0.331 - 0.331	2	2	ppm	N	Discharge of drilling wastes; Discharge from met al refineries; Erosion of natural deposits.
Fluoride	08/09/2021	0.48	0.48 - 0.48	4	4.0	ppm	N	Erosion of natural deposits; Water additive which promotes strong teeth; Discharge from fertilizer and aluminum factories.
Selenium	08/09/2021	5.9	5.9 - 5.9	50	50	ppb	N	Discharge from petroleum and metal refineries; E rosion of natural deposits; Discharge from mines.

Radioactive Contaminants	Collection Date	Highest Level Dete cted	Range of Individua I Samples	MCLG	MCL	Units	Violation	Likely Source of Contamination
Beta/photon emitters	09/07/2022	5.6	5.6 - 5.6	0	50	pCi/L*	N	Decay of natural and man-made deposits.

<sup>\*</sup>EPA considers 50 pCi/L to be the level of concern for beta particles.

## **Disinfectant Residual**

A blank disinfectant residual table has been added to the CCR template, you will need to add data to the fields. Your data can be taken off the Disinfectant Level Quarterly Operating Reports (D LQOR).

Disinfectant Residual	Year	Average Level	Range of Levels Detected	MRDL	MRDLG	Unit of Measu re	Violation (Y/N)	Source in Drinking Water
CL2 / Free	2023	1.31	.54 – 2.04	4	4	Mg/l	N	Water additive used to control microbes.

# **Violations**

Lead and Copper Rule							
The Lead and Copper Rule protects public health by minimizing lead and copper levels in drinking water, primarily by reducing water corrosivity. Lead and copper enter drinking water mainly from corrosion of lead and copper containing plumbing materials.							
Violation Type	Violation Begin	Violation End	Violation Explanation				
LEAD CONSUMER NOTICE (LCR)	01/30/2016	06/29/2023	We failed to provide the results of lead tap water monitoring to the consumers at the location water was tested. The se were supposed to be provided no later than 30 days after learning the results.				