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Important Information about Your Drinking Water

Availability of Monitoring Data for Unregulated Contaminants for AMESBURY

As required by US Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), our water system has sampled for a series of unregulated contaminants. Unregulated contaminants are those that don't yet have a drinking water standard set by EPA. The purpose of monitoring for these contaminants is to help EPA decide whether the contaminants should have a public health protection standard.

2015 Unregulated Contaminant Test Results:

Unregulated Contaminant	Dates Collected	Result or Range of Detected	Average Detected
Chlorate (ppb)	01/15/2015 to 10/15/2015	150 – 190	182
Chromium (ppb)	01/15/2015 to 10/15/2015	ND – 0.34	0.14
Chromium-6 (ppb)	01/15/2015 to 10/15/2015	0.04 – 0.15	0.09
Strontium (ppb)	01/15/2015 to 10/15/2015	33.2 – 58.7	48.8
Vanadium (ppb)	01/15/2015 to 10/15/2015	ND – 0.85	0.44
1,1-dichloroethane (ppb)	01/15/2015 to 10/15/2015	ND	ND
1,2,3-trichloropropane (ppb)	01/15/2015 to 10/15/2015	ND	ND
1,3-butadiene (ppb)	01/15/2015 to 10/15/2015	ND	ND
1,4-dioxane (ppb)	01/15/2015 to 10/15/2015	ND	ND
Bromomethane (ppb)	01/15/2015 to 10/15/2015	ND	ND
Chloromethane (ppb)	01/15/2015 to 10/15/2015	ND	ND
Cobalt (ppb)	01/15/2015 to 10/15/2015	ND	ND
Halon 1011 (ppb)	01/15/2015 to 10/15/2015	ND	ND
HCFC-22 (ppb)	01/15/2015 to 10/15/2015	ND	ND
Molybdenum (ppb)	01/15/2015 to 10/15/2015	ND	ND
PFBS (ppb)	01/15/2015 to 10/15/2015	ND	ND
PFHpA (ppb)	01/15/2015 to 10/15/2015	ND	ND
PFHxS (ppb)	01/15/2015 to 10/15/2015	ND	ND
PFNA (ppb)	01/15/2015 to 10/15/2015	ND	ND
PFOA (ppb)	01/15/2015 to 10/15/2015	ND	ND
PFOS (ppb)	01/15/2015 to 10/15/2015	ND	ND

Notes: ppb = parts per billion ND = Not detected

For descriptions of the contaminants please see: <https://www.epa.gov/sites/production/files/2016-05/documents/ucmr3-factsheet-list1.pdf>

What should I do?

You do not have to do anything, but as our customers you have a right to know that these data are available.

You may share this information with other people who drink this water, especially those who may not have received this notice directly (for example, people in apartments, nursing homes, schools, food establishments, medical facilities and businesses).

For more information

For additional information on your water see your water department's Consumer Confidence Report (CCR), delivered by your water department by July 1 of each year. If you have any questions about your CCR, see the contact information below for your water department.

For information on the Unregulated Contaminant Monitoring Program, visit the MassDEP website (<http://www.mass.gov/eea/agencies/massdep/water/drinking/water-systems-ops.html>) and navigate to Unregulated Contaminant Monitoring Program.

If you want to speak with someone at the water department about the results, please contact Tom Rogers at (978) 388-0853 or tom@amesburyma.gov

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