

## IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR DRINKING WATER

Este informe contiene información muy importante sobre su agua potable.

Tradúzcalo o hable con alguien que lo entienda bien.

### Di Giorgio School Water System Has Levels of 1,2,3-Trichloropropane (1,2,3-TCP) Above the Drinking Water Standard

Our water system recently violated 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. The following table summarizes the results of the samples collected from 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter of 2018 to 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter of 2021 and shows the running annual average (RAA) values for 1,2,3-TCP for these quarters. As shown in the table below, Well 02 produces water that is above the 1,2,3-TCP maximum contaminant level (MCL) of 0.005 µg/L (0.000005 mg/L). **Well 02 violated the 1,2,3-TCP MCL from 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter of 2020 to 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter of 2021.** This standard, set by the State Water Resources Control Board, Division of Drinking Water (DDW), is based upon the RAA value of the most recent quarterly 1,2,3-TCP sampling results.

#### Summary of 1,2,3-TCP Sampling Results from Well 02

Sampling Quarter	1,2,3-TCP Result (ug/L)	Running Annual Average Value (ug/L)
3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter of 2021	No Sample Collected	0.011*
2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter of 2021	0.019	0.011*
1 <sup>st</sup> Quarter of 2021	0.014	0.013*
4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter of 2020	0.000	0.017*
3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter of 2020	No Sample Collected	0.020
2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter of 2020	0.025	0.020*
1 <sup>st</sup> Quarter of 2020	0.026	0.018*
4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter of 2019	0.010	0.005
3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter of 2019	No Sample Collected	0.000
2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter of 2019	No Sample Collected	0.004
1 <sup>st</sup> Quarter of 2019	0.000	0.003
4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter of 2018	0.000	0.003
3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter of 2018	0.012	--
2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter of 2018	0.000	--
1 <sup>st</sup> Quarter of 2018	0.000	--

\*: These RAA Values are over the 1,2,3-TCP MCL of 0.005 ug/L.

### What should I do?

- **You do not need to use an alternative water supply (e.g., bottled water).**
- This is not an emergency. If it had been, you would have been notified immediately. However, *some people who drink water containing 1,2,3-Trichloropropane in excess of the MCL over many years may experience skin damage or circulatory system problems and may have an increased risk to 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?

Di Giorgio School Water System is going to work with the State Water Resources Control Board, DDW and Division of Financial Assistance (DFA) towards a long-term solution. At this time, we don't know the anticipated time to resolve the problem. We are providing bottled water for drinking and cooking.

For more information, please contact Jennifer Allen, Superintendent at (661) 854-2604 or the State Water Resources Control Board Office at (661) 335-7315.

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 Di Giorgio School Water System.

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