NOTICE ABOUT YOUR DRINKING WATER

Disinfection Byproducts Maximum Contaminant Level (MCL) Exceedance

Public Water System Name: Sandown Central School PWS ID: 2085010

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 your drinking water meets health standards. The locational running annual average (LRAA) calculation represents the average of all sample results collected at a particular monitoring location during the previous four calendar quarters. The drinking water LRAA calculation is above the enforceable MCL at one or more sites for the following:

Contaminant and MCL	Detected Level	Date Sampled	Highest LRAA	Compliance Period
Haloacetic Acids (HAA5) 0.060 mg/L	0.082 mg/L	05/08/2023	0.065 mg/L	Quarter 2, 2023

This is not an emergency. If it had been, you would have been notified immediately.

For TTHM violations: *Some people who drink water containing trihalomethanes in excess of the MCL over many years may experience problems with their liver, kidney or central nervous system and may have an increased risk of getting cancer.*

For HAA5 violations: *Some people who drink water containing haloacetic acids in excess of the MCL over many years may have an increased risk of getting cancer.*

It is not necessary to use alternate water; however, if you have specific health concerns, please contact your health care professional. General health related questions may be directed to the EPA Safe Drinking Water Hotline at 1-800-426-4791.

Steps being taken to correct the situation: Per the water system and the NHDES, the chlorine feed will be turned off to determine whether the filter media alone is effective at filtering iron and manganese. Raw and filtered iron and manganese samples will be collected in September after disconnecting the chlorine feed and permanent action will be determined between the system and the NHDES.

Expected Resolution Date: September 30, 2023

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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 notice in a public place or distributing copies by hand or mail.