

Public Notice Certification

Public Water System Name: Town of Blanchard

PWSID#: OK3004710
NOV#: P-3004710-17-1
PN June 2017

For the following Disinfection Byproducts Rule violation(s):

- Chlorine MRDL
- Chloramines MRDL
- Chlorine Monitoring

Check all that apply:

Primary

- Hand or direct delivery on _____ date(s)
- Mail, as a separate notice or included with the bill on November 1st, 2017 date(s)

Secondary

- Posted in public locations on _____ date(s)
- Notice distributed by _____ radio, _____ television station and/or _____ newspaper on _____ date(s)
- Notice distributed by other means Weekly Newsletter 10/06/17

The public water system indicated above hereby affirms that public notice has been provided to consumers in accordance with the delivery, content, and format requirements and deadlines in 40 C.F.R. §141.203

Robert L. Floyd
Signature of owner or operator

November 2, 2017
Date

Complete form and return to:

Mail to:	Fax to:	Email to:
Emily Hoskin DEQ WQD P.O. Box 1677 OKC, OK 73101-1677	405-702-8101 Attn: Emily Hoskin	Drinkingwater@deq.ok.gov Subject Line: PWS Name and Public Notice

*** Be sure to include a copy of the actual public notice along with this certification form ***

PUBLIC NOTICE

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 happened, what you should do, and what we are doing to correct this situation.

The City of Blanchard Has Levels of Chloramines Above Drinking Water Standards.

Testing results we received for July 2016 through June 2017 show that our system exceeded the standard, or maximum residual disinfectant level (MRDL), for chloramines. The standard or MRDL for chloramines is 4.0 mg/l. It is determined by averaging all the samples collected at each sampling location for the past twelve (12) months. The level of chloramines averaged at our system's locations was 5 mg/L.

What Should I Do?

There is nothing you need to do unless you have a severely compromised immune system, have an infant or are elderly. These people may be at increased risk and should seek advice about drinking water from their health care providers.

What Does This Mean?

Some people who use water containing chloramines well in excess of the MRDL could experience irritating effects to their eyes and nose. Some people who drink water containing chloramines well in excess of the MRDL could experience stomach discomfort.

What Happened? What is Being Done?

The City of Blanchard does not produce NOR treat water but purchases 100% of our water from the cities of Newcastle, Oklahoma City and Tuttle. Both Newcastle and Oklahoma City uses Chloramine which is a water additive (disinfectant) used to control microbes.

The City Engineer's investigation of the violation indicates his findings are as follows:

Newcastle:

1. Their records from their treatment plant that show chloramines at or below 2.5 for the last couple of years.
2. They have an online analyzer for the OKC line and that source has not been over 3.1.

Oklahoma City:

1. They have an online analyzer at the meter.
2. Their data from the OKC water quality monitoring panel located at 104th and County Line shows a maximum value of 5 mg/l on one day since January of 2016 with almost all days at 3 or less.

ODEQ indicated that the MORs that are sent in are fine. There were no violations, but the field residual levels that were sent in with the total coliform show it being high. They suggested we review how these two different samples are taken and tested to find out why they are different.

For further information contact: Allen Chalender (Utilities Supervisor) or Kenny Sullivan (City Engineer) at 405/485-9392.



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Inserting monthly statements w/ #9	3,393	1	3,393	3,393	
TIME SHIPPED	SHIPPER		RECEIVER		TIME DELIVERED
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