

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR DRINKING WATER

Kelvin Simmons CO-OP (AZ0411035) Has Levels of Uranium Above Drinking Water Standards

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 did (are doing) to correct this situation.

We routinely monitor for the presence of drinking water contaminants. On December 27th, 2022 our system exceeded the standard, or maximum contaminant level (MCL), for Uranium. The standard for Uranium is 30 µg/L. The average level of Uranium for 2022 was 65 µg/L.

What should I do?

- There is nothing you need to do. **You do not need to boil your water** or take other corrective actions. However, if you have specific health concerns, consult your doctor.
- If you have a severely compromised immune system, have an infant, are pregnant, or are elderly, you may be at increased risk and should seek advice from your health care providers about drinking this water.

What does this mean?

This is not an emergency. If it had been, you would have been notified within 24 hours. However, some people who drink water containing uranium in excess of the MCL over many years may have an increased risk of getting cancer and kidney toxicity.

What is being done?

Through a grant from WIFA and ADEQ we are obtaining land for a new well site that meets safe drinking water standards. We anticipate resolving the problem within 2023.

For more information please contact Elijah Gray at 480-250-1200 or elijah@santacruzsolutions.org

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.

This notice is being sent to you by Kelvin Simmons co-op.

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