## IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR DRINKING WATER SYSTEM NAME PWS # AZ0413082

Has Levels of Arsenic Above Drinking Water Standards

Our water system Beaver Creek School 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 of the presence of drinking water contaminants. Testing results we received on 5/30/2023 show that our system exceeds the standard, or maximum contaminant level (MCL), for arsenic. The standard for arsenic is 10 parts per billion (ppb). The average level of arsenic over the last year has been 20ppb.

## What should I do?

You do need to use an alternative (e.g. bottled) water supply. However, if you have specific health concerns, consult your doctor.

## What does this mean?

This is not an immediate risk. If it had been you would have been notified immediately. Some people who drink water containing arsenic in excess of the MCL over many years could experience skin damage or problems with circulatory system, and many have an increased risk of getting cancer.

## What is being done?

The school district is working with our water operator, ADEQ and the Az School Facilities Division to create a long term plan to correct the deficiency.

For more information, please contact Karen DuFresne or Ori Womack at 928-567-4631 or at Beaver Creek School 4810 E. Beaver Creek Rd. Rimrock Az 86335.

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.

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