

Important Information About Your Drinking Water

Levels of Coliform in Kaukauna Utilities water exceed standard

The samples listed below indicate the presence of Coliform bacteria in excess of the Maximum Contaminant Level (MCL) in your drinking water and are a violation of State and Federal Safe Drinking Water Regulations.

Two water samples collected on August 11, 2011 indicated the presence of Coliform bacteria above the MCL. Further sampling on August 13, 2010 showed no Coliform bacteria.

What precautions should be taken at this time?

At this time there are no precautions that have to be taken. You do not 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. Coliforms are bacteria which are naturally present in the environment and are used as an indicator that other potentially-harmful, bacteria may be present. Coliform bacteria were found in more samples than allowed and this was a warning of potential problems.

What is being done to correct the problem?

Corrective action(s) taken:

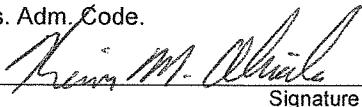
At the request of the Department of Natural Resources, the Utility began flushing the distribution system and closely monitoring disinfectant residuals immediately after the violation occurred. This testing showed adequate levels of chlorine in the distribution system. The Utility then performed follow up sampling throughout the distribution system in response to the positive Coliform samples. None of the follow up samples detected Coliform bacteria.

If you have questions regarding the safety of our drinking water, please contact:

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Signature

8-25-10
Date

Tier 2 Notice

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