

PUBLIC NOTICE

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR DRINKING WATER

Monitoring Requirements Not Met for Village Of Taos Ski Valley Water

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.

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 our drinking water meets health standards. During the months of June and July 2016, we did not complete all monitoring requirements for Total Coliform and therefore cannot be sure of the quality of our drinking water during that time.

What should you do?

There is nothing you need to do at this time.

What does this mean?

Our water system is required by law to collect a monthly total coliform sample. During this reporting period, we did not collect the required sample.

What happened? What is being done?

The Village did collect samples in both June and July as required by NMED, and the results were negative. The violation occurred because VTSV's sampling plan had not been reviewed at the time the samples were taken, which triggered the violation. Samples have been collected routinely and all samples have passed.

Date that system collected next valid routine sample: August 2016

(Note: A system will not return to compliance until a lab has analyzed a routine sample).

For more information, please contact:

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Or

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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.