



City of Moundridge
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IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR DRINKING WATER
Monitoring requirements not met for the City of Moundridge

The City of Moundridge failed one monitoring requirement. Even though this was not an emergency, as our customers you have the right to know what happened and what we did to correct the situation.

The City is required to monitor the drinking water for specific contaminants on a regular basis. Results of the regular monitoring are an indication of whether or not our drinking water meets health standards.

During year 2017 the city was required by federal regulations to sample the water for disinfection byproducts of Haloacetic acids (HAA) and total trihalomethanes (TTHM) in the month of July. The city inadvertently sampled in August instead of July.

The maximum contaminant level for Haloacetic acids is **60 ug/l**.
The August sample had **2.5 ug/l**.

The maximum contaminant level for trihalomethanes is **80 ug/l**.
The August sample had **7.7 ug/l**.

These are very low levels of these contaminants. The city samples from the prior years also had very low levels.

Year	HAA	TTHM
2014	3.2ug/l	12 ug/l
2015	none detected	7.8 ug/l
2016	2.6 ug/l	7.7 ug/l

The City of Moundridge drinking water is very high water quality.

Based on the past sample results and other groundwater supplies in Kansas, it is the city's opinion and the Kansas Rural Water Association's opinion that the HAA and TTHM is the city's August sample would have been just as low and excellent if the water sample had been taken in July.

What should I do?

You do not need to use an alternative (e.g., bottled water) water supply. However, if you have a 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. *However, some people who drink water containing trihalomethanes and /or Haloacetic acids in excess of the MCL over many years may experience problems with there liver, kidneys, or central nervous systems, and may have a increased risk of getting cancer.* the results of the test taken in August of 2017 were well below the MCL.

What happened? What is being done?

The City of Moundridge took the test in August 2017 not in July of 2017 as required by KDHE. This test will be taken in July of 2018.

We anticipate resolving the problem with the next test to be taken in July of 2018

For more information, please contact the following
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