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CITY OF FULLERTON NOTICE OF DRINKING WATER EXCEEDING THE SELENIUM MAXIMUM CONTAMINANT LEVEL

In accordance with the Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) Regulations Governing Public Water Supply Systems, the consumers of the City of Fullerton public water system are hereby notified that the system is in violation of the established drinking water standard of 50 $\mu\text{g}/\text{l}$ (micrograms per liter) for Selenium.

The running annual average is 50 $\mu\text{g}/\text{l}$ (micrograms per liter).

What Should I Do?

You are not required to obtain an alternate source of drinking water. Households with children under 12 years of age, pregnant women and individuals with kidney disease may want to use bottled water for drinking. People with health conditions should consult your physician.

What Does This Mean?

Prolonged exposure to drinking water containing selenium in excess of the standard may pose an increased risk of kidney problems and/or cancer.

What Happened? What Is Being Done?

Selenium is a naturally occurring substance. Selenium is a naturally occurring substance that is widely but unevenly distributed in the earth's crust. None of the Selenium found in drinking water in Nebraska comes from human activities.

Corrective Action: The high levels of Selenium are currently located in one municipal well used by the residents of Fullerton. The City has switched operations to the second municipal well which is below the 50 $\mu\text{g}/\text{l}$ (micrograms per liter) maximum containment level for Selenium.

The City of Fullerton anticipates returning to compliance immediately.

For more information contact: James Kramer, City Administrator at 308-536-2428
or cityadmin@eaglecom.net

Please share this information with all people who drink this water, especially those who may not have received this notice. You can do this by posting it in a public place or distributing copies of the notice.

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