

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR DRINKING WATER

Dale's Market Failed to Comply With a Testing Procedure

Our water system [Dale's Market] recently failed to comply with a required testing procedure. Even though this was not an emergency, as our customers, you have a right to know what happened and what we did to correct the situation.

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 10/14-02/15, we did not complete all monitoring or testing for contaminants (nitrates) and therefore cannot be sure of the quality of your drinking water during that time.

Any sample we collect must be sent to and analyzed by a certified laboratory within a specified amount of time. We collected and tested water samples quarterly, but we were required to collect, and test on a bi-monthly basis.

What should I do?

There is nothing you need to do at this time. You may continue to drink the water. If a situation arises where the water is no longer safe to drink, you will be notified within 24 hours.

What is being done?

On 3/11/16 we collected a new sample of our finished water in order to have it analyzed for contaminants. We sent the sample to the certified lab via courier to ensure that the sample arrived within the allowed holding time. The sample is being analyzed.

For more information, please contact
Dale's Market
396 Rt 206
Branchville, NJ 07826
973-948-3078
Attn: Michael Campbell

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.

State Water System ID#: 1905325
Date distributed: 3/11/2015



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Reviewed by:
Date:

Public Notification Certification Form – Tiers 1, 2 & 3

Requirements Pursuant to 40 CFR 141, Subpart Q and N.J.A.C. 7:10

This form and a copy of your Notice to the Public must be submitted to the State within 10 days of notifying your customers.

PWSID#: 1905325 Water System Name: Dole's Market

Violation #: 15-12-08-1230-1905 Violation or Situation Date: 12/8/15

Individual Contaminant or Contaminant Group: _____

Monitoring Period: _____

Violation or Situation Type: (Check appropriate box) MCL Treatment Technique Water Main Break
 MRDL E. coli Positive Source Water Sample Monitoring and Reporting Other: _____

Violation or Situation Public Notification Tier: (Check appropriate box) Tier 1 Tier 2 Tier 3

Please check all that apply and provide information as indicated below:

- 1. Consulted with DEP within 24 hours (Tier 1) or 48 hours (Tiers 2 & 3) Date: _____
- 2. Distributed the notice by the following method(s), and on the following date(s) in accordance with 40 CFR 141.201 et seq:

- Reverse 911 Date: _____
- Continuously Post Date: 3-11-16
- Separate Mailing to Customers Date: _____
- Hand Deliver Notice to Customers Date: _____
- Publish Notice in Newspaper Date: _____
- Release Notice to and Announced by Broadcast Media Date: _____
- Post Notice on System Website Date: 3-14-16
- Billing Date: _____
- Annual Report (Consumer Confidence Report) Date: _____
- Other: _____ Date: _____

Note: Non-community water systems that serve a school, preschool or daycare must also hand deliver the notice to a parent or legal guardian of each child for Tier 1, 2 and 3 violations and situations. For more information reference EPA's Public Notification Handbook at: <http://www.epa.gov/safewater/publicnotification/compliancehelp.html>

- 3. Content – 10 Required Elements Checklist: 40 CFR 141 Subpart Q (Ensure all items are included in the notice)

- Description of violation or situation including contaminant and contaminant levels as appropriate.
- Date violation or situation occurred.
- Potential adverse health risks, using mandatory language provided in the rule.
- Required language for Monitoring and Reporting Violations, provided in the rule.
- The population at risk, including sub-populations particularly vulnerable if exposed.
- Whether alternate water supply should be used.
- What action consumers should take, including when to seek medical help, if known.
- What the system is doing to correct the violation or situation.
- When the system expects to return to compliance or resolve the situation.
- Contact information: Owner name, business address, and phone number of the water system owner, operator or designee that can provide additional information concerning the notice.
- A statement encouraging recipients to distribute the notice to other persons served, using standard language from the rule.

- 4. Attach a copy of the posted Public Notice(s) to this certification form.

The public water system named above hereby certifies that public notification has been provided to its consumers in accordance with all delivery, content, and format requirements specified in 40 CFR Part 141 and N.J.A.C. 7:10.

Owner/Operator: Michael W Campbell Michael W Campbell 9739483078
(circle one) (Signature) (Print Name) (Phone Number)

Date of Certification: _____ Operator License # (if applicable) _____

Dale's Market
Public Notification Certification Form
Part 3, Content

Dale's Market failed to comply with required water testing from October 2014 through March 2016. Testing for contaminants has been done on a quarterly basis, testing is required on a bi-monthly basis.

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 10/14-02/15, we did not complete all monitoring or testing for contaminants (nitrates) and therefore cannot be sure of the quality of your drinking water during that time.

We regret that our customers may have put at risk due to the lack of required testing.

It is not necessary to use alternate water sources.

There is nothing you need to do at this time. You may continue to drink the water. If a situation arises we will notify our customers.

Our water was sampled on Friday 3/11. We will remain in compliance from this point forward.

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