

Important Information about Your Drinking Water

Availability of Monitoring Data for Unregulated Contaminants for Fitchburg DPW – Division of Water Supply Fitchburg, Massachusetts MA DEP PWS ID# - 2097000

As required by the US Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), our water system has sampled for a series of unregulated contaminants. Unregulated contaminants are those that do not yet have a drinking water standard set by EPA. The purpose of monitoring for these contaminants is to assist EPA in deciding whether the contaminants should have a public health protection standard.

The results of Fitchburg's testing for Unregulated Contaminant in 2015 are as follows:

Unregulated Contaminant	Date(s) Sample(s) was Collected	Result or Range Detected	Average Detected
Chromium	3/9/15, 6/2/15 9/2/15, 12/2/15	0.20 - 0.23 ug/l (ppb)	0.22 ug/l (ppb)
Hexavalent Chromium (dissolved)	3/9/15, 6/2/15 9/2/15, 12/2/15	0.031 – 0.062 ug/l (ppb)	0.045 ug/l (ppb)
Strontium	3/9/15, 6/2/15 9/2/15, 12/2/15	18.0 – 38.0 ug/l (ppb)	27.4 ug/l (ppb)

ug/l – micrograms per liter, ppb – parts per billion, 1 microgram per liter = 1 part per billion

What should I do?

You do not have to do anything but as our customers you have a right to know that this data is available.

You may share this information with other people who drink this water, especially those who may not have received this notice directly (for example, people in apartments, nursing homes, schools, food establishments, medical facilities and businesses).

For more information

For additional information on your water see your water department's Consumer Confidence Report (CCR), delivered by your water department by July 1 of each year. If you have any questions about your CCR, see the contact information below for your water department.

For information on the Unregulated Contaminant Monitoring Program, visit the MassDEP website (<http://www.mass.gov/eea/agencies/massdep/water/drinking/water-systems-ops.html>) and navigate to Unregulated Contaminant Monitoring Program.

If you want to speak with someone at the Fitchburg DPW – Division of Water Supply about the results, please contact: John M. Deline, Jr., Deputy Commissioner of Water Supply, at 978-345-9616 ext. 109 or the Water Division's offices at 1200 Rindge Road, Fitchburg, MA 01420.

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