

LEAD & COPPER RULE MONITORING AND REPORTING VIOLATION  
MANDATORY LANGUAGE · TIER III

**IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR DRINKING WATER**

**The City of Van** has violated the monitoring and reporting requirements set by Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) in Chapter 30, Section 290, Subchapter F. Even though these were not emergencies, as our customers, you have the right to know what happened and what we are doing to correct these situations.

*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 June 30, 2018 period we did not complete all monitoring or testing for contaminants and therefore cannot be sure of the quality of your drinking water during that time.*

The table below lists the contaminant(s) we did not properly test for during the last year, how often we are supposed to sample for [these contaminants], how many samples we are supposed to take, how many samples we took, when samples should have been taken, and the date on which the follow-up samples were taken.

Contaminant	Required sampling frequency	Number of samples taken	When samples should have been taken	When samples were or will be taken
Water Quality Parameters	Jan 1 – June 30, 18	6	Jan 1 – June 30, 18	September 2018 November 2018
Lead and Copper	Jan 1 – June 30, 18	20	Jan 1 – June 30, 18	December 2018

**What is being done?**

We are working to correct the problem. For more information, please contact Kevin Johnson at 903-963-7216 or P.O. Box 487 Van, Tx. 75790

corrective actions:

TCEQ raised our population which required us to take a higher number of samples. The City of Van's sample sites weren't filed correctly with TCEQ in 2013. We now have all the paper work with TCEQ filed correctly.

*Please share this information with all other people who drink this water, especially those who may not have received this notice directly (i.e., 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.*

This notice is being sent to you by the **City of Van**. Public Water System Number: **TX 2340004**

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