

2015 Consumer Confidence Report

Water System Name: GUARDIAN INDUSTRIES CORP. Report Date: 06/30/2016

We test the drinking water quality for many constituents as required by state and federal regulations. This report shows the results of our monitoring for the period of January 1 - December 31, 2015 and may include earlier monitoring data.

Este informe contiene información muy importante sobre su agua potable. Tradúzcalo ó hable con alguien que lo entienda bien.

Type of water source(s) in use: WELL

Name & general location of source(s): _____

EAST DEEP WELL (SOURCE NO.1000383-001), 11535 E MOUNTAIN VIEW AVE., KINGSBURG, CA93631

WEST DEEP WELL (SOURCE NO.1000383-002), 11535 E MOUNTAIN VIEW AVE., KINGSBURG, CA93631

Drinking Water Source Assessment information: NON TRANSIENT, NON COMMUNITY, NON VULNERABLE FOR ORGANIC CHEMICALS, VULNERABLE FOR AGRICULTURAL PESTICIDES

ASSESSMENT DATE WAS ON MAY 2002 FOR BOTH EAST AND WEST WELL

Time and place of regularly scheduled board meetings for public participation: N/A

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TERMS USED IN THIS REPORT

Maximum Contaminant Level (MCL): The highest level of a contaminant that is allowed in drinking water. Primary MCLs are set as close to the PHGs (or MCLGs) as is economically and technologically feasible. Secondary MCLs are set to protect the odor, taste, and appearance of drinking water.

Maximum Contaminant Level Goal (MCLG): The level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MCLGs are set by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA).

Public Health Goal (PHG): The level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. PHGs are set by the California Environmental Protection Agency.

Maximum Residual Disinfectant Level (MRDL): The highest level of a disinfectant allowed in drinking water. There is convincing evidence that addition of a disinfectant is necessary for control of microbial contaminants.

Maximum Residual Disinfectant Level Goal (MRDLG): The level of a drinking water disinfectant below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MRDLGs do not reflect the benefits of the use of disinfectants to control microbial contaminants.

Primary Drinking Water Standards (PDWS): MCLs and MRDLs for contaminants that affect health along with their monitoring and reporting requirements, and water treatment requirements.

Secondary Drinking Water Standards (SDWS): MCLs for contaminants that affect taste, odor, or appearance of the drinking water. Contaminants with SDWSs do not affect the health at the MCL levels.

Treatment Technique (TT): A required process intended to reduce the level of a contaminant in drinking water.

Regulatory Action Level (AL): The concentration of a contaminant which, if exceeded, triggers treatment or other requirements that a water system must follow.

Variations and Exemptions: State Board permission to exceed an MCL or not comply with a treatment technique under certain conditions.

ND: not detectable at testing limit

ppm: parts per million or milligrams per liter (mg/L)

ppb: parts per billion or micrograms per liter (µg/L)

ppt: parts per trillion or nanograms per liter (ng/L)

ppq: parts per quadrillion or picogram per liter (pg/L)

pCi/L: picocuries per liter (a measure of radiation)

The sources of drinking water (both tap water and bottled water) include rivers, lakes, streams, ponds, reservoirs, springs, and wells. As water travels over the surface of the land or through the ground, it dissolves naturally-occurring

minerals and, in some cases, radioactive material, and can pick up substances resulting from the presence of animals or from human activity.

Contaminants that may be present in source water include:

- *Microbial contaminants*, such as viruses and bacteria, that may come from sewage treatment plants, septic systems, agricultural livestock operations, and wildlife.
- *Inorganic contaminants*, such as salts and metals, that can be naturally-occurring or result from urban stormwater runoff, industrial or domestic wastewater discharges, oil and gas production, mining, or farming.
- *Pesticides and herbicides*, that may come from a variety of sources such as agriculture, urban stormwater runoff, and residential uses.
- *Organic chemical contaminants*, including synthetic and volatile organic chemicals, that are by-products of industrial processes and petroleum production, and can also come from gas stations, urban stormwater runoff, agricultural application, and septic systems.
- *Radioactive contaminants*, that can be naturally-occurring or be the result of oil and gas production and mining activities.

In order to ensure that tap water is safe to drink, the USEPA and the State Water Resources Control Board (State Board) prescribe regulations that limit the amount of certain contaminants in water provided by public water systems. State Board regulations also establish limits for contaminants in bottled water that provide the same protection for public health.

Tables 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, and 8 list all of the drinking water contaminants that were detected during the most recent sampling for the constituent. The presence of these contaminants in the water does not necessarily indicate that the water poses a health risk. The State Board allows us to monitor for certain contaminants less than once per year because the concentrations of these contaminants do not change frequently. Some of the data, though representative of the water quality, are more than one year old.

TABLE 1 – SAMPLING RESULTS SHOWING THE DETECTION OF COLIFORM BACTERIA

Microbiological Contaminants (complete if bacteria detected)	Highest No. of Detections	No. of months in violation	MCL	MCLG	Typical Source of Bacteria
Total Coliform Bacteria	(In a mo.)	0	More than 1 sample in a month with a detection	0	Naturally present in the environment
Fecal Coliform or <i>E. coli</i>	(In the year)	0	A routine sample and a repeat sample detect total coliform and either sample also detects fecal coliform or <i>E. coli</i>	0	Human and animal fecal waste

TABLE 2 – SAMPLING RESULTS SHOWING THE DETECTION OF LEAD AND COPPER

Lead and Copper (complete if lead or copper detected in the last sample set)	Sample Date	No. of samples collected	90 th percentile level detected	No. sites exceeding AL	AL	PHG	Typical Source of Contaminant
Lead (ppb)	08/5/2015	5	3.5	0	15	0.2	Internal corrosion of household water plumbing systems; discharges from industrial manufacturers; erosion of natural deposits
Copper (ppm)	08/5/2015	5	0	0	1.3	0.3	Internal corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits; leaching from wood preservatives

TABLE 3 – SAMPLING RESULTS FOR SODIUM AND HARDNESS

Chemical or Constituent (and reporting units)	Sample Date	Level Detected	Range of Detections	MCL	PHG (MCLG)	Typical Source of Contaminant
Sodium (ppm) West Well	06/30/09	35	25-35	none	none	Salt present in the water and is generally naturally occurring
East Well	06/30/09	25	110-170			
Hardness (ppm) West Well	06/30/09	170	110-170	none	none	Sum of polyvalent cations present in the water, generally magnesium
East Well	06/30/09	110				

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*Any violation of an MCL or AL is asterisked. Additional information regarding the violation is provided later in this report.

TABLE 4 – DETECTION OF CONTAMINANTS WITH A PRIMARY DRINKING WATER STANDARD

Chemical or Constituent (and reporting units)	Sample Date	Level Detected	Range of Detections	MCL [MRDL]	PHG (MCLG) [MRDLG]	Typical Source of Contaminant
EAST WELL						
Fluoride (mg/L)	2/19/2015	ND	ND	2.0 ppm	1 ppm	EROSION OF NATURAL DEPOSITS
Nitrate AS NO3 (mg/L)		15	15	45 ppm	45 ppm	EROSION OF NATURAL DEPOSITS
Nitrite as N (mg/L)		ND	ND	1 ppm	1 ppm	EROSION OF NATURAL DEPOSITS
Perchlorate (ug/L)		ND	ND	6 ppb	1 ppb	EROSION OF NATURAL DEPOSITS
Aluminum (mg/L)		ND	ND	1 ppm	0.6 ppm	EROSION OF NATURAL DEPOSITS
Antimony (ug/L)		ND	ND	6 ppb	20 ppb	EROSION OF NATURAL DEPOSITS
Arsenic (ug/L)		ND	ND	10 ppb	0.004 ppb	EROSION OF NATURAL DEPOSITS
Barium (mg/L)		0.048	0.048	1 ppm	2 ppm	EROSION OF NATURAL DEPOSITS
Cadmium (ug/L)		ND	ND	5 ppb	0.04 ppb	EROSION OF NATURAL DEPOSITS
Chromium (ug/L)		ND	ND	50 ppb	(100) ppb	EROSION OF NATURAL DEPOSITS
Mercury (ug/L)		ND	ND	2 ppb	1.2 ppb	EROSION OF NATURAL DEPOSITS
Nickel (ug/L)		ND	ND	100 ppb	12 ppb	EROSION OF NATURAL DEPOSITS
Selenium (ug/L)		ND	ND	50 ppb	30 ppb	EROSION OF NATURAL DEPOSITS
Thallium (ug/L)		ND	ND	2 ppb	0.1 ppb	EROSION OF NATURAL DEPOSITS
Dibromochloropropane (ug/L)		0.034	0.034	200 pbt	1.7 ppt	EROSION OF NATURAL DEPOSITS
Ethylene Dibromide (ug/L)		ND	ND	50 pbt	10 ppt	EROSION OF NATURAL DEPOSITS
Alachlor (ug/L)		ND	ND	2 ppb	4 ppb	EROSION OF NATURAL DEPOSITS EROSION OF NATURAL DEPOSITS EROSION OF NATURAL DEPOSITS
Atrazine (ug/L)		ND	ND	1 ppb	0.15ppb	
Simazine (ug/L)		ND	ND	4 ppb	4 ppb	
WEST WELL						
Fluoride (mg/L)	2/19/2015	ND	ND	2.0 ppm	1 ppm	EROSION OF NATURAL DEPOSITS
Nitrate AS NO3 (mg/L)		32	32	45 ppm	45ppm	EROSION OF NATURAL DEPOSITS
Nitrite as N (mg/L)		ND	ND	1 ppm	1 ppm	EROSION OF NATURAL DEPOSITS
Perchlorate (ug/L)		ND	ND	6 ppb	1 ppb	EROSION OF NATURAL DEPOSITS
Aluminum (mg/L)		ND	ND	1 ppm	0.6 ppm	EROSION OF NATURAL DEPOSITS
Antimony (ug/L)		ND	ND	6 ppb	20 ppb	EROSION OF NATURAL DEPOSITS
Arsenic (ug/L)		ND	ND	10 ppb	0.004 ppb	EROSION OF NATURAL DEPOSITS
Barium (mg/L)		0.070	0.070	1 ppm	2 ppm	EROSION OF NATURAL DEPOSITS
Cadmium (ug/L)		ND	ND	5 ppb	0.04 ppb	EROSION OF NATURAL DEPOSITS
Chromium (ug/L)		ND	ND	50 ppb	(100) ppb	EROSION OF NATURAL DEPOSITS
Mercury (ug/L)		ND	ND	2 ppb	1.2 ppb	EROSION OF NATURAL DEPOSITS
Nickel (ug/L)		ND	ND	100 ppb	12 ppb	EROSION OF NATURAL DEPOSITS
Selenium (ug/L)		ND	ND	50 ppb	30 ppb	EROSION OF NATURAL DEPOSITS
Thallium (ug/L)		ND	ND	2 ppb	0.1ppb	EROSION OF NATURAL DEPOSITS
Dibromochloropropane (ug/L)		0.055	0.055	200 pbt	1.7 ppt	EROSION OF NATURAL DEPOSITS
Ethylene Dibromide (ug/L)		ND	ND	50 pbt	10 ppt	EROSION OF NATURAL DEPOSITS
Alachlor (ug/L)		ND	ND	2 ppb	4 ppb	EROSION OF NATURAL DEPOSITS EROSION OF NATURAL DEPOSITS EROSION OF NATURAL DEPOSITS
Atrazine (ug/L)		ND	ND	1 ppb	0.15 ppb	
Simazine (ug/L)		ND	ND	4 ppb	4 ppb	

TABLE 5 – DETECTION OF CONTAMINANTS WITH A SECONDARY DRINKING WATER STANDARD

Chemical or Constituent (and reporting units)	Sample Date	Level Detected	Range of Detections	MCL	PHG (MCLG)	Typical Source of Contaminant
NONE	NONE					

NONE	NONE				
TABLE 6 – DETECTION OF UNREGULATED CONTAMINANTS					
Chemical or Constituent (and reporting units)	Sample Date	Level Detected	Range of Detections	Notification Level	Health Effects Language
NONE	NONE				

*Any violation of an MCL, MRDL, or TT is asterisked. Additional information regarding the violation is provided later in this report.

Additional General Information on Drinking Water

Drinking water, including bottled water, may reasonably be expected to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants. The presence of contaminants does not necessarily indicate that the water poses a health risk. More information about contaminants and potential health effects can be obtained by calling the USEPA’s Safe Drinking Water Hotline (1-800-426-4791).

Summary Information for Violation of a MCL, MRDL, AL, TT, or Monitoring and Reporting Requirement

VIOLATION OF A MCL, MRDL, AL, TT, OR MONITORING AND REPORTING REQUIREMENT				
Violation	Explanation	Duration	Actions Taken to Correct the Violation	Health Effects Language
NONE				

For Water Systems Providing Ground Water as a Source of Drinking Water

TABLE 7 – SAMPLING RESULTS SHOWING FECAL INDICATOR-POSITIVE GROUND WATER SOURCE SAMPLES					
Microbiological Contaminants (complete if fecal-indicator detected)	Total No. of Detections	Sample Dates	MCL [MRDL]	PHG (MCLG) [MRDLG]	Typical Source of Contaminant
<i>E. coli</i>	(In the year)	MONTHLY	0	(0)	Human and animal fecal waste
Enterococci	(In the year)	NONE	TT	n/a	Human and animal fecal waste
Coliphage	(In the year)	NONE	TT	n/a	Human and animal fecal waste