

**IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR DRINKING WATER**  
**Public Notice**  
**Monitoring Requirements Not Met**  
**Pine Creek Canyon Domestic Water Improvement District**  
**PWS ID#04-044**

Our water system, Pine Creek Canyon Domestic Water Improvement District, failed to comply with a required monitoring and reporting contaminant in 2006 and 2007, such failure requiring this public notice. 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 2006 and 2007, our ADEQ certified operator who passed away in May 2008, did not complete all monitoring or testing for nitrates; therefore, we cannot be sure of the quality of our drinking water during that time.*

**What should I do?**

We are pleased to report that with our new operators in place (and additional monitoring of the operators activities), the problem has been corrected; therefore, there is nothing you need to do and you may continue to drink the water. You do not need to boil the water or take other corrective actions.

The table below lists the contaminants we did not properly test for, how often we are supposed to sample for this contaminant and how many samples we are supposed to take, how many samples we took, when samples should have been taken, and the date on which samples or follow-up samples were taken:

<b>Contaminant</b>	<b>Required sampling frequency</b>	<b>Number of samples taken</b>	<b>When samples should have been taken</b>	<b>When samples were taken</b>
Nitrate	One sample annually	0 in 2006 0 in 2007	January 1–December 31, 2006 and 2007	None

**What is being done?**

A Quality Water Co, our operators who started with the District in May 2008 after the sudden death of Wayne Bench, have since taken the required sample for the year 2008. The sample, taken on 9-29-08, showed "non-detectable" meaning we were less than .1 part per million and we are meeting drinking water standards and have returned to compliance (see below test results, part of about 25+ other contaminate results done that day by Test America Labs). The Consumer Confidence Report for 2005 indicated testing during 2005 resulted in .1 part per million detected, with a maximum contaminant level allowed of 10 parts per million, the same maximum level still allowed for 2008. Typical sources of nitrate contaminants would be (a) run off from fertilizer use, (b) leaching from septic tanks, (c) sewage, and (d) erosion of natural deposits, none of which tend to exist in the northern end of Pine.

For more information, please contact Harry Jones

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

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Project 10;

Report Number: PF11554

Sampled: 09/29/08  
Received: 09/29/08

**General Chemistry Parameters**

Analyte	Method	Batch	Reporting Limit	Sample Result	Dilution Factor	Date Extracted	Data Analyte*	Data
<b>Qualifiers</b>								
<b>Sample ID: PRW.554-01 (Drinking Water - Water)</b>								
Reporting Unit: mg/L								
Nitrate^hriteasN	EPA 35.32	8094950	0.100	ND	1	9/30/2008		
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