

APPENDIX B: eCCR Certification Form (Suggested Format)


Consumer Confidence Report Certification Form

(To be submitted with a copy of the CCR)

Water System Name:	Vallecitos Water District
Water System Number:	3710002

The water system named above hereby certifies that its Consumer Confidence Report was distributed on _____ (date) to customers (and appropriate notices of availability have been given). Further, the system certifies that the information contained in the report is correct and consistent with the compliance monitoring data previously submitted to the State Water Resources Control Board, Division of Drinking Water (DDW).

Certified by:

Name: Shawn Askine	Title: Water Systems Supervisor
Signature: 	Date: 7/16/24
Phone number: 760-744-0460 x268	blank

To summarize report delivery used and good-faith efforts taken, please complete this page by checking all items that apply and fill-in where appropriate:

- ☐ CCR was distributed by mail or other direct delivery methods (attach description of other direct delivery methods used).
- ☒ CCR was distributed using electronic delivery methods described in the Guidance for Electronic Delivery of the Consumer Confidence Report (water systems utilizing electronic delivery methods must complete the second page).
- ☒ "Good faith" efforts were used to reach non-bill paying consumers. Those efforts included the following methods:
 - ☒ Posting the CCR at the following URL: www.vwd.org/waterquality
 - ☐ Mailing the CCR to postal patrons within the service area (attach zip codes used)
 - ☐ Advertising the availability of the CCR in news media (attach copy of press release)
 - ☐ Publication of the CCR in a local newspaper of general circulation (attach a copy of the published notice, including name of newspaper and date published)
 - ☒ Posted the CCR in public places (attach a list of locations) [Posted in Vallecitos Water District lobby where customers pay their bill, and in the City of San](#)

Marcos lobby. Most Vallecitos' customers live within the City of San Marcos boundaries.

- ☐ Delivery of multiple copies of CCR to single-billed addresses serving several persons, such as apartments, businesses, and schools
- ☐ Delivery to community organizations (attach a list of organizations)
- ☐ Publication of the CCR in the electronic city newsletter or electronic community newsletter or listserv (attach a copy of the article or notice)
- XX Electronic announcement of CCR availability via social media outlets (attach list of social media outlets utilized) (see attached list of social media outlets utilized).
- ☐ Other (attach a list of other methods used)
- XX For systems serving at least 100,000 persons: Posted CCR on a publicly-accessible internet site at the following URL: www.vwd.org/waterquality
- ☐ For privately-owned utilities: Delivered the CCR to the California Public Utilities Commission

Consumer Confidence Report Electronic Delivery Certification

Water systems utilizing electronic distribution methods for CCR delivery must complete this page by checking all items that apply and fill-in where appropriate.

- XX Water system mailed a notification that the CCR is available and provides a direct URL to the CCR on a publicly available website where it can be viewed (attach a copy of the mailed CCR notification). Vallecitos mailed its quarterly newsletter (winter edition) to all addresses within our service area the first week of February of 2024. The last page of the newsletter announces that the CCR will be available by June 30 and lists the website address to view the report at <http://www.vwd.org/waterquality> Link to newsletter (notification is on bottom of page 4): [638427420494630000 \(vwd.org\)](mailto:638427420494630000@vwd.org) The Spring/Summer newsletter will be mailed to all addresses within our service area the last week of June of 2024 and will include the same information on the back page.
- XX Water system emailed a notification that the CCR is available and provides a direct URL to the CCR on a publicly available site on the Internet where it can be viewed (attach a copy of the emailed CCR notification). The CCR was posted to the District's website on 06/10/24, which included sending an email to all website e-notification subscribers. The website news article that was announced on the email is at: [2023 Water Quality Report is now online | Current and Archived News | Vallecitos Water District \(vwd.org\)](#)

XX Water system emailed the CCR as an electronic file email attachment. [The CCR is emailed to customers upon request.](#)

☐ Water system emailed the CCR text and tables inserted or embedded into the body of an email, not as an attachment (attach a copy of the emailed CCR).

☐ *Requires prior DDW review and approval.* Water system utilized other electronic delivery method that meets the direct delivery requirement.

Provide a brief description of the water system's electronic delivery procedures and include how the water system ensures delivery to customers unable to receive electronic delivery.

The Vallecitos Water District ensures that all residents in our service area receive notification that our CCR is available by:

Posting the CCR on the District's website.

Posting the CCR on the District's social media.

Posting the CCR in the District's lobby and City of San Marcos lobby.

Emailing the CCR to all e-notification subscribers.

Emailing the CCR to customers upon request.

Mailing notification of the CCRs availability to all addresses within our service area ensures that our residents who do not have access to the internet are aware of the updated CCR document. This information was included in the District's Winter and Spring/Summer 2024 "Between the Pipes" newsletter but is also included in all quarterly newsletters for transparency. Newsletters can be viewed at <https://www.vwd.org/what-s-new/district-publications>.

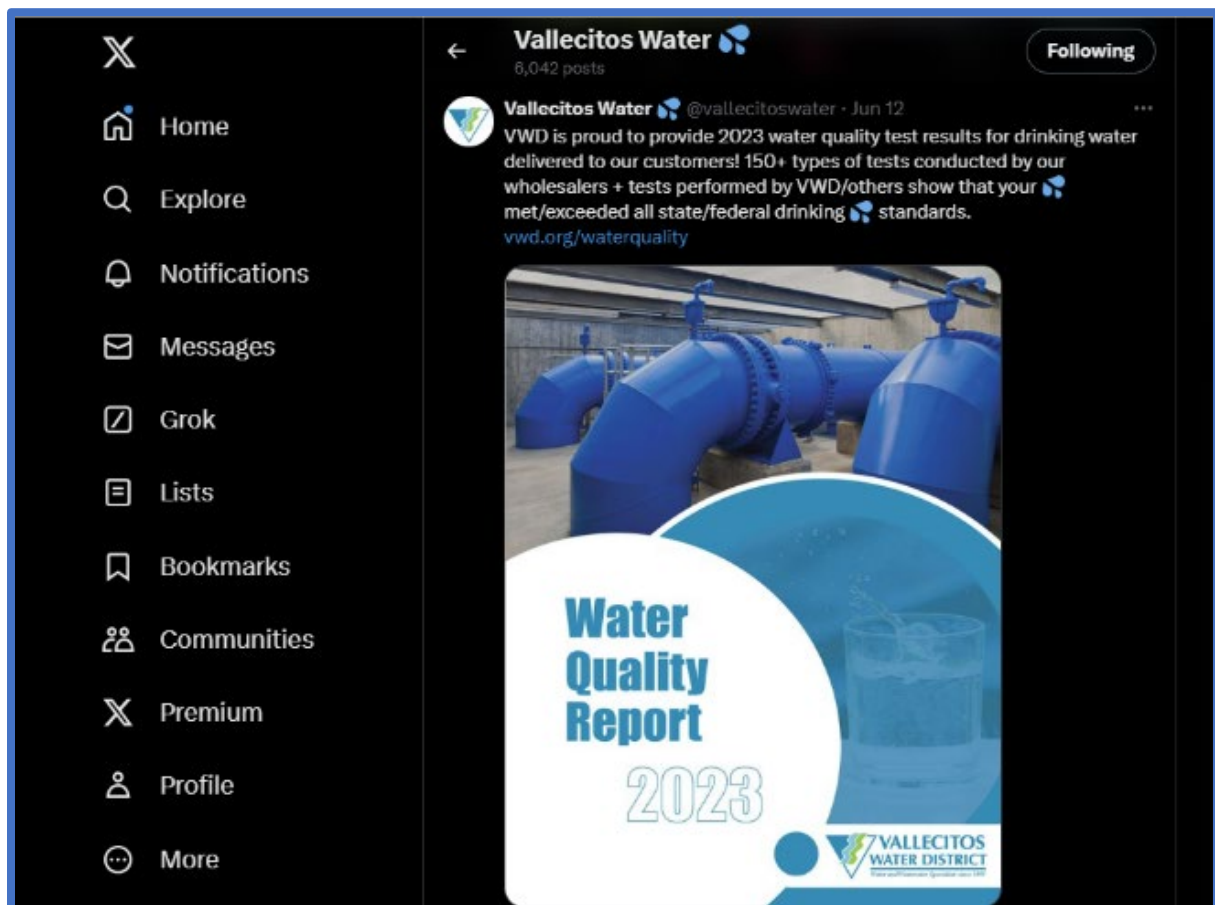
This form is provided as a convenience and may be used to meet the certification requirement of section 64483(c) of the California Code of Regulations.

Attachments

The Water Quality Report was posted to the District's social media accounts on 6/12/24, which includes Twitter, Facebook and LinkedIn.

Facebook – Posted 6/12/24





The screenshot shows a LinkedIn post from the Vallecitos Water District. The post features a large image of blue industrial pipes and a circular graphic with the text "Water Quality Report 2023" and the Vallecitos Water District logo. The text of the post discusses the district's commitment to water quality and provides a link to the full report.

Vallecitos Water District
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For more than 65 years, Vallecitos has taken pride in the water we deliver to our 105,000+ residents. As a result of our commitment to excellence, Vallecitos is proud to provide the 2023 water quality test results for drinking water delivered to our customers. After more than 150 types of tests conducted by our wholesalers and additional tests performed by Vallecitos and other agencies, it has been concluded that your water either met or exceeded all state and federal potable drinking water standards.

This 2023 report is a summary of last year's water quality. Included are details about where your water comes from, what it contains, and how it compares to state and federal standards. Read the full report at www.vwd.org/waterquality.

Water Quality Report
2023

VALLECITOS WATER DISTRICT
Water and Wastewater Specialists since 1955

Vallecitos Water District
Profile viewers: 3
Connections: 296
Grow your network
Saved items
Groups
Events
Notifications: 22
Page visitors: 39
Attract and convert more clients
Try Premium Page for \$0
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Website news section: The Water Quality Report was posted to the District's website and went out through e-notification on June 10, 2024.

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2023 Water Quality Report is now online

Post Date: 06/10/2024 12:07 PM

For more than 65 years, the Vallecitos Water District has taken pride in the water it delivers to its now more than 105,000 residents. As a result of our commitment to excellence, Vallecitos is proud to provide the 2023 water quality test results for drinking water delivered to its customers. After more than 150 types of tests conducted by its wholesalers – Metropolitan Water District of Southern California and San Diego County Water Authority – and additional tests performed by the City of Oceanside, Olivenhain Municipal Water District and Vallecitos, it has been concluded that your water either met or exceeded all state and federal potable drinking water standards.

For more information on your drinking water quality, read the full report by clicking on the link below:

Water Quality Report
2023
VALLECITOS WATER DISTRICT
Serving the San Diego Region Since 1958

Example of newsletter verbiage added on the back page of each quarterly newsletter.
Spring newsletter – mailed first week of February 2024 (Bottom of page 4)



Speakers Bureau


The wet and wonderful world of water can be slippery to understand, but it doesn't have to be. Get a firm grasp on water, wastewater, and issues related to their services through Vallecitos Water District's Speakers Bureau.

Let a member from the District's knowledgeable staff or Board of Directors enlighten your group, class, club or association on a wide variety of topics. Call (760) 744-0460 Ext. 314 to schedule an event.

Water Quality Reports can be found at www.vwd.org/waterquality. The 2023 water quality report will be available online by June 30, 2024. Tested water from the Vallecitos Water District consistently meets or exceeds drinking water standards.



Summer Between the Pipes newsletter was posted online on 6/28/24 and mailed to all residents in our service area shortly thereafter.



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The public is welcome to attend the Vallecitos Board Meetings the first and third Wednesday of each month at 5:00 p.m. in the Administration building—201 Vallecitos de Oro in San Marcos.


To provide public comments prior to the meeting, submit comments via e-mail at PublicComment@VWD.org up to 90 minutes in advance of the meeting. Comments received are handled by the Clerk of the Board of Directors as if submitted in person. All written comments that are received at least 90 minutes before the meeting will be provided to the Board, and a record of the receipt of comment will be noted during the meeting. To watch or listen to the live meeting, go to www.vwd.org/meetings.

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2023 Water Quality/Consumer Confidence Report

The 2023 Water Quality Report is now available online at www.vwd.org/waterquality. The report lists the more than 200 compounds tested for throughout the year and the results. Tested water from Vallecitos consistently meets or exceeds all drinking water standards. To request a hard copy of the report, call us at (760) 744-0460.





Between the Pipes is a publication of information and interest to Vallecitos water and sewer customers. If you receive water or sewer services from another district, please disregard any information that does not apply to you.

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