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2019 Consumer Confidence Report

Water System Name: Gerber Las-Flores CSD

Report Date:

05-08-2020

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 to December 31, 2019 and may include earlier monitoring data.

Este informe contiene información muy importante sobre su agua para beber. Favor de comunicarse [<u>Gerber Las-Flores</u> <u>CSD</u>] a 331 San Benito Ave. 1-530-385-1904] para asistirlo en español.

这份报告含有关于您的饮用水的重要讯息。请用以下地址和电话联系 [Gerber Las-Flores CSD]以获得中文的帮助:[331 San Benito Ave.][1-530-385-1904]

Ang pag-uulat na ito ay naglalaman ng mahalagang impormasyon tungkol sa inyong inuming tubig. Mangyaring makipag-ugnayan sa [Gerber Las-Flores CSD 331 San Benito Ave.] o tumawag sa [1-530-385-1904] para matulungan sa wikang Tagalog.

Báo cáo này chứa thông tin quan trọng về nước uống của bạn. Xin vui lòng liên hệ [<u>Gerber Las-Flores CSD</u>] tại [<u>1-530-385-1904</u>] để được hỗ trợ giúp bằng tiếng Việt.

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Type of water source(s) in use:

Ground Water

Name & general location of source(s):

Well 3 (9310 San Benito Ave.) Well4 (409 Worthington Ave.) Well 5 (Santa

Maria Ave. cross from 518 Santa Maria

Drinking Water Source Assessment information:

Completed 2002, on file in office @ 331 San Benito Ave. Gerber, Ca.

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

331 San Benito Ave. Gerber, Ca. 96035

For more information, contact:

Mike Murphy Manager

Phone: 530-385-1904

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 (U.S. EPA).

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

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.

Variances and Exemptions: Permissions from the State Water Resources Control Board (State Board) to exceed an MCL or not comply with a treatment technique under certain conditions.

Level 1 Assessment: A Level 1 assessment is a study of the water system to identify potential problems and determine (if possible) why total coliform bacteria have been found in our water system.

Level 2 Assessment: A Level 2 assessment is a very detailed study of the water system to identify potential problems and determine (if possible) why an *E. coli* MCL violation has occurred and/or why total coliform bacteria have been found in our water system on multiple occasions.

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)

	TABLE	3 - SAMPLING	RESULTS FOR	SODIUM	AND HARD	NESS
Chemical or Constituent (and reporting units)	Sample Date	Level Detected	Range of Detections	MCL	PHG (MCLG)	Typical Source of Contaminan
Sodium (ppm)	2014	24	20-30	None	None	Salt present in the water and is generally naturally occurring
Hardness (ppm)	2014	205	131-330	None	None	Sum of polyvalent cations present the water, generally magnesium ar calcium, and are usually naturally
TABLE 4 – DE	TECTION	OF CONTAMI	NANTS 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
Gross Alpha (pCi/L)	2011	1.23	.046-2.87	15	0	Erosion of natural deposits
Radium (pCi/L) Arsenic (ppb) Barium (ppm) Chromium (ppb) Flouride (ppm)	2011 2017 2014 2014 2014	0.12 2 156 6 0.1	0-0.038 0-3 100-1000 5-14 0-0.3	5 10 1000 50 2	0.019 0.0004 100	" Runoff/erosion/Production waste Erosion/oil drilling/refinery waste Mill discharge/plating/erosion
Nitrate (ppm)	2017	1.6	1.1-2.3	10	10	Erosion/water additive/factory discharge Runoff/leaching from
TTHM (Total Trihalomethanes)	2015	.5	0-10	80	0	fertilizer/septic tanks Byproducts from chlorination
TABLE 5 – DETI	ECTION OF	CONTAMINA	NTS WITH A SI	CONDAR	Y DRINKIN	G WATER STANDARD
(and reporting units)	Sample Date	Level Detected	Range of Detections	SMCL	PHG (MCLG)	Typical Source of Contaminant
Color (units) Chloride (ppm) TDS (Total dissolved solids) Specific Conductance (uS/cm)	2014 2015 2014 2014	5 11 220 8.8	0-5 13-28 240-420 7.6-8.0	15 500 1000 500	0 0 0	Natural organic materials Runoff/leaching/seawater intrusion Runoff/leaching from natural deposits
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	TABLE	6 – DETECTIO	N OF UNRECU	ATED CO	NITE A BATTALA B	TENC
Chemical or Constituent (and reporting units)	Sample Date	Level Detected	Range of Detections	LATED CONTAMINAT		Health Effects Language
ggressive index .lkalinity (mg/l) alcium (ppm) hlorine (ppm) lagnesium (ppm) H/Local	2014 2014 2014 2018 2014 2018	12.2 200 26 0.37 10 7.3	11.8-12.2 210-380 23-55 0.03-0.71 4-18 6.9-7.7			

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 U.S. EPA's Safe Drinking Water Hotline (1-800-426-4791).

(CDC) guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by *Cryptosporidium* and other microbial contaminants are available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline (1-800-426-4791).

Lead-Specific Language: If present, elevated levels of lead can cause serious health problems, especially for pregnant women and young children. Lead in drinking water is primarily from materials and components associated with service lines and home plumbing. [ENTER WATER SYSTEM'S NAME HERE] is responsible for providing high quality drinking

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 byproducts 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 U.S. EPA and the State Board prescribe regulations that limit the amount of certain contaminants in water provided by public water systems. The U.S. Food and Drug Administration regulations and California law also establish limits for contaminants in bottled water that provide the same protection for public health.

Tables 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6 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. Any violation of an AL, MCL, MRDL, or TT is asterisked. Additional information regarding the violation is provided later in this report.

TABLE 1 – SAMPLING RESULTS SHOWING THE DETECTION OF COLIFORM BACTERIA							
Microbiological Contaminants (complete if bacteria detected) Highest No. of No. of Months in Violation		MCL	MCLG	Typical Source of Bacteria			
Total Coliform Bacteria (state Total Coliform Rule)	(In a month) 0	0	1 positive monthly sample	0	Naturally present in the environment		
Fecal Coliform or <i>E. coli</i> (state Total Coliform Rule)	(In the year)	0	A routine sample and a repeat sample are total coliform positive, and one of these is also fecal coliform or <i>E. coli</i> positive	0	Human and animal fecal waste		
E. coli (federal Revised Total Coliform Rule)	(In the year) 0	0	(a)	0	Human and animal fecal waste		

(a) Routine and repeat samples are total coliform-positive and either is *E. coli*-positive or system fails to take repeat samples following *E. coli*-positive routine sample or system fails to analyze total coliform-positive repeat sample for *E. coli*.

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	No. of Schools Requesting Lead Sampling	Typical Source of
Lead (ppb)	8-4-15	10	0.5	0	15	0.2	N/A	Internal corrosion of household water plumbing systems; discharges from industrial manufacturers; erosion of natural deposits
Copper (ppm)	8-4-15	10	0.5	0	1.3	0.3	Not applicable	erosion of natural deposits Internal corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits; leaching from wood preservatives