Iron MCL Template

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR DRINKING WATER

Rockdale Water Supply Has Levels of Iron Above State Drinking Water Standards

Our water system recently violated a drinking water standard. Although this is not an emergency, as our customers, you have a right to know what happened, what you should do, and what we are doing to correct this situation.

We routinely monitor for the presence of drinking water contaminants. Testing results we received on 7/18/2026 show that our system exceeds the State standard, or maximum contaminant level (MCL), for Iron. The standard for Iron is 1.0 milligram per liter (mg/L). The average level of Iron over the last year was 1.240UG/L.

What should I do?

- **You do not need to use an alternative (e.g., bottled) water supply.** However, if you have specific health concerns, consult your doctor.

What does this mean?

This is not an immediate risk. If it had been, you would have been notified immediately.

Excessive iron in water may cause staining of laundry & plumbing fixtures & may accumulate as deposits in the distribution system.

What happened? What is being done?

Our Introduction of the Joliet Water feed helps to reduce the Iron in our System. We anticipate resolving the problem within the next sample period (10/01/2026).
For more information, please contact Sean Smego at 815.725.8937 or Village of Rockdale, 79 Moen Ave, Rockdale, IL 60436.

Please share this information with all the other people who drink this water, especially those who may not have received this notice directly (for example, 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.

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