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**Pine Ridge Estates
2003 Annual Drinking Water Quality Report - PWS #3421018**

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Inorganic Contaminants

Nitrate (as Nitrogen) (ppm)	6/2003	No	1.48	N/A	10	10	Runoff from fertilizer use; leaching from septic tanks, sewage; erosion of natural deposits
Sodium (ppm)	6/2003	No	7.74	N/A	N/A	160	Salt water intrusion, leaching from soil.

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Lead and Copper (Tap Water)

Lead (tap water) (ppb)	2002	No	2.1	0	0	15	Corrosion of household plumbing systems, erosion of natural deposits
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Chromium (ppb)	7/2003	No	2.0	N/A	100	100	Discharge from steel and pulp mills; erosion of natural deposits
Nitrate (as Nitrogen) (ppm)	7/2003	No	2.8	N/A	10	10	Runoff from fertilizer use; leaching from septic tanks, sewage; erosion of natural deposits
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Lead and Copper (Tap Water)							
Lead (tap water) (ppb)	2002	No	4.3	0	0	AL=15	Corrosion of household plumbing systems, erosion of natural deposits
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Hydrocarbons (ppm)	5/2003-6/2003	No	0.5	ND-0.5	10	10	Discharge from petroleum factories; discharge from chemical factories.
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Nitrate (as Nitrogen)(ppm)	7/2003	No	1.21	N/A	10	10	Runoff from fertilizer use; leaching from septic tanks, sewage; erosion of natural deposits
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Lead and Copper Tap Water

Lead (tap water) (ppb)	2002	No	13.0	0	0	15	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits
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Lead and Copper Tap Water							
Copper (tap water) (ppm)	2002	No	0.735	0	1.3	1.3	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits; leaching from wood preservatives
Lead (tap water) (ppb)	2002	No	1.6	0	0	15	Corrosion of household plumbing systems, erosion of natural deposits

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Inorganic Contaminants

Nitrate (as Nitrogen) (ppm)	6/2003	No	2.77	N/A	10	10	Runoff from fertilizer use; leaching from septic tanks, sewage; erosion of natural deposits
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Lead and Copper Tap Water

Lead (tap water) (ppb)	2002	No	5.7	1	0	15	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits
Copper (tap water) (ppm)	2002	No	0.94	N/A	1.3	1.3	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits; leaching from wood preservatives

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Rainbow Lakes Estates - PWS#6424083 2003 Annual Drinking Water Quality Report

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TEST RESULTS TABLE

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Inorganic Contaminants							
Nitrate (as Nitrogen) (ppm)	5/2003	No	.61	N/A	10	10	Runoff from fertilizer use; leaching from septic tanks, sewage; erosion of natural deposits
Cyanide (ppb)	5/2003	No	.004	N/A	2ppb	.2	Discharge from steel/metal factories; discharge from plastic and fertilizer factories.

Lead and Copper (Tap Water)

Contaminant and Unit of Measurement	Dates of sampling (mo./yr.)	AL Violation Y/N	90 th Percentile Result	No of sampling sites exceeding the AL	MCLG	AL Action Level	Likely Source of Contamination
Lead (tap water) (ppb)	8/2002	No	3.1	1	0	AL=15	Corrosion of household plumbing systems, erosion of natural deposits
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TEST RESULTS TABLE

Microbiological Contaminants

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Total Coliform Bacteria	6/2003	No	1	0	Presence of coliform bacteria in 1 sample collected during a month		Naturally present in the environment
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Inorganic Contaminants

Lead (point of entry) (ppb)	9/2003	No	1.0	N/A	N/A	15	Residue from man-made pollution such as auto emissions and paint; lead pipe, casing, and solder.
Nitrate (as Nitrogen) (ppm)	9/2003	No	3.78	N/A	10	10	Runoff from fertilizer use; leaching from septic tanks, sewage; erosion of natural deposits
Sodium (ppm)	9/2003	No	16.2	N/A	N/A	160	Salt water intrusion, leaching from soil
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Lead and Copper (Tap Water)

Lead (tap water) (ppb)	2002	No	6.6	0	0	15	Corrosion of household plumbing systems, erosion of natural deposits
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Radionuclides

Radium Alpha (pCi/l)	11/2003	No	1.2	N/A	0	15	Erosion of natural deposits
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Inorganic Contaminants

Chloride (ppm)	11/2003	No	0.014	N/A	2	2	Discharge of drilling wastes; discharge from metal refineries; erosion of natural deposits
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Sodium (ppm)	11/2003	No	10.3	N/A	N/A	160	Salt water intrusion, leaching from soil.
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Lead (tap water) (ppb)	2002	No	2.0	0	0	15	Corrosion of household plumbing systems, erosion of natural deposits
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Secondary Contaminants							
Odor	**2004	Yes	17.0	4.0 - 17.0	N/A	3	Naturally occurring organics

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TEST RESULTS TABLE

Contaminant and Unit of Measurement	Dates of sampling (mo./yr.)	MCL Violation Y/N	Level Detected	Range of Results	MCLG	MCL	Likely Source of Contamination
Cyanide (ppb)	2/2004	No	3.0	N/A	200	200	Discharge from steel/metal factories; discharge from plastic and fertilizer factories
Sodium (ppm)	11/2003	No	16.5	N/A	N/A	160	Salt water intrusion, leaching from soil.
Contaminant and Unit of Measurement	Dates of Sampling	AL Violation Y/N	90 th Percentile Result	No. of sampling sites exceeding the AL	MCLG	AL (Action Level)	Likely Source of Contamination
Lead and Copper (Tap Water)							
Lead (tap water) (ppb)	2002	No	2.5	0	0	15	Corrosion of household plumbing systems, erosion of natural deposits
Copper (tap water)(ppm)	2002	No	0.026	0	1.3	1.3	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits; leaching from wood preservatives

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Libra Oaks-PWS#6424590 2003 Annual Drinking Water Quality Report

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Contaminant and Unit of Measurement	Date of sampling Analysis	MCL/AL Violation Y/N	Level Detected	Range of Results	MCLG	MCL	Likely Source of Contamination
Nitrate (As nitrogen) (ppm)	3/2003	N	1.84	N/A	10	10	Runoff from fertilizer use; leaching from septic tanks, sewage; erosion of natural deposits

Fluoride (ppm)	3/2003	N	.22	N/A	4	4	Erosion of natural deposits; water additive which promotes strong teeth; discharge from fertilizer and aluminum factories
Sodium (ppm)	3/2003	N	11.7	N/A	N/A	160	Salt water intrusion, leaching from soil

	Dates of Sampling (Mo./Yr.)	AL Violation Y/N	90 th Percentil Result	No. of sampling sites exceeding the AL	MCLG	AL Action Level	Likely Source of Contamination
	8/2002	N	2.5	0	1.3	1.3	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits;
Copper (tap water) (ppm)	8/2002	N	.37	0	0	15	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits;

Secondary Contaminants

Contaminant and Unit of Measurement	Dates of Sampling (Mo./Yr.)	MCL Violation Y/N	Highest Result	Range of Results	MCLG	MCL	Likely source of Contamination
Total Dissolved Solids (ppm)	3/2003, 5/2003, 8/2003, 11/20/03	Y	543	395-543	No	500**	Natural occurrence from soil leaching

Radiological

Gross Alpha (pCi/l)	3/2003	N	3.1	N/A	N/A	15	Erosion of natural deposit
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Bacteriological

Contaminant and Unit of Measurement	Dates of Sampling (Mo./Yr.)	MCL Violation Y/N	Highest Monthly Number of Positive Samples	MCL	MCLG	Likely source of Contamination
Fecal Coliform and E.coli	8/2003	N	1	A routine sample is fecal coliform positive or E.coli positive and the repeat samples are negative	0	Human and animal fecal waste

We have learned through our monitoring and testing that some contaminants have been detected. You may have noted that we exceeded the MCL for total dissolved solids. Total dissolved solids normally cause cloudy water and calcium deposits on dishes and silverware.

**Note: TDS may be greater than 500, if no other MCL is exceeded. Quarterly average is below MCL.

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International Villas-PWS#6424589 2003 Annual Drinking Water Quality Report

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Radiological Contaminants							
Gross Alpha (pCi/l)	3/2003	N	3.4	N/A	N/A	15	Erosion of natural Deposits

Inorganic Contaminants

Contaminant and Unit of Measurement	Date of Sampling Analysis	MCL/AL Violation Y/N	Level Detected	Range of Results	MCLG	MCL	Likely Source of Contamination
Barium (ppm)	3/2003	N	.022	N/A	2	2	Discharge of drilling wastes; discharge from metal refineries; erosion of natural deposits
Fluoride (ppm)	3/2003	N	.44	N/A	4	4	Erosion of natural deposits; water additive which promotes strong teeth; discharge from fertilizer and aluminum factories
Sodium (ppm)	3/2003	N	20.7	N/A	N/A	160	Salt water intrusion, leaching from soil

Lead and Copper (Tap Water)

Contaminant and Unit of Measurement	Dates of Sampling (Mo./Yr.)	AL Violation Y/N	90 th Percentile Result	No. of sampling sites exceeding the AL	MCLG	AL Action Level	Likely Source of Contamination
Copper (tap water) (ppm)	8/2002	N	1.04	0	1.3	1.3	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits; leaching from wood preservatives

Contaminant and Unit of Measurement	Dates of sampling (mo./yr.)	MCL Violation Y/N	Highest Result	Range of Results	MCLG	MCL	Likely Source of Contamination
Sulfate (ppm)	3/2003, 5/2003, 8/2003, 11/2003	Y	522	485-522	N/A	250	Natural occurrence from soil leaching
Total Dissolved Solids (ppm)	3/2003, 5/2003, 8/2003 11/2003	Y	1010	933-1010	N/A	500**	Natural occurrence from soil leaching

We have learned through our monitoring and testing that some contaminants have been detected. You may have noted that we exceeded the MCL for total dissolved solids and sulfates. Total dissolved solids normally cause cloudy water and calcium deposits on dishes and silverware. People that are not used to drinking water with sulfates present may experience stomach upset or diarrhea for a short period of time. The levels continue to exceed the MCL and quarterly monitoring is being done to see if there are any changes in the levels. The City of Ocala has been contacted as a possible source of drinking water. Meanwhile, we are flushing the distribution system on a more frequent basis to help alleviate the problem.

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Greenfields/Indian Pines 2003 Annual Drinking Water Quality Report - PWS #3425006

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We're pleased to report that our drinking water meets federal and state requirements.

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Contaminant and Unit of Measurement	Dates of sampling (mo./yr.)	MCL Violation Y/N	Level Detected	Range of Results	MCLG	MCL	Likely Source of Contamination
Combined Radium (pCi/l)	12/2003	No	0.8	N/A	0	5	Erosion of natural deposits
Inorganic Contaminants							
Nitrate (as Nitrogen) (ppm)	12/2003	No	1.98	N/A	10	10	Runoff from fertilizer use; leaching from septic tanks, sewage; erosion of natural deposits
Sodium (ppm)	12/2003	No	8.33	N/A	N/A	160	Salt water intrusion, leaching from soil.
Contaminant and Unit of Measurement	Dates of Sampling	AL Violation Y/N	90 th Percentile Result	No. of sampling sites exceeding the AL	MCLG	AL (Action Level)	Likely Source of Contamination
Lead and Copper (Tap Water)							
Lead (tap water) (ppb)	2002	No	4.7	0	0	15	Corrosion of household plumbing systems, erosion of natural deposits
Copper (tap water) (ppm)	2002	No	0.31	0	1.3	1.3	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits; leaching from wood preservatives

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Sherri Oaks 2003 Annual Drinking Water Quality Report - PWS #3424637

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mercury (inorganic) (ppb)	11/2003	No	0.3	N/A	2	2	Erosion of natural deposits; discharge from refineries and factories; runoff from landfills; runoff from cropland
sodium (ppm)	11/2003	No	12.0	N/A	N/A	160	Salt water intrusion, leaching from soil

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Gross Alpha (pCi/l)	12/2003	No	1.1	N/A	0	15	Erosion of natural deposits
Inorganic Contaminants							
Nitrate (as Nitrogen) (ppm)	12/2003	No	2.25	N/A	10	10	Runoff from fertilizer use; leaching from septic tanks, sewage; erosion of natural deposits
Sodium (ppm)	12/2003	No	12.2	N/A	N/A	160	Salt water intrusion, leaching from soil
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Lead and Copper (Tap Water)							
Lead (tap water) (ppb)	2002	No	4.5	0	0	15	Corrosion of household plumbing systems, erosion of natural deposits
Copper (tap water) (ppm)	2002	No	0.595	0	1.3	1.3	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits; leaching from wood preservatives

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McAteer Acres 2003 Annual Drinking Water Quality Report - PWS #3424643

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Combined Radium (pCi/l)	12/2003	No	1.8	N/A	0	5	Erosion of natural deposits

Inorganic Contaminants

Nitrate (as Nitrogen) (ppm)	12/2003	No	1.69	N/A	10	10	Runoff from fertilizer use; leaching from septic tanks, sewage; erosion of natural deposits
Sodium (ppm)	11/2000	No	8.16	N/A	N/A	160	Salt water intrusion, leaching from soil
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Lead and Copper (Tap Water)

Lead (tap water) (ppb)	2002	No	3.1	0	0	15	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits
Copper (tap water) (ppm)	2002	No	0.845	0	1.3	1.3	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits; leaching from wood preservatives

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Woods & Meadows-PWS#6424632 2003 Annual Drinking Water Quality Report

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Nitrate (as Nitrogen) (ppm)	4/2003	No	1.48	N/A	10	10	Runoff from fertilizer use; leaching from septic tanks, sewage; erosion of natural deposits
Fluoride (ppm)	4/2003	No	.11	N/A	N/A	4	Erosion of natural deposits; water additive which promotes strong teeth; discharge from fertilizer and aluminum factories.

Lead and Copper (Tap Water)

Contaminant and Unit of Measurement	Dates of sampling (mo./yr.)	AL Violation Y/N	90 th Percentile Result	No. of Sampling sites exceeding the AL	MCLG	AL Action Level	Likely Source of Contamination
Lead (tap water) (ppb)	8/2002	No	3.5	0	0	AL=15	Corrosion of household plumbing systems, erosion of natural deposits
Copper (tap water) (ppm)	8/2002	No	.62	0	1.3	AL=1.3	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits; leaching from wood preservatives

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Microbiological Contaminants

Fecal Coliform and E.coli	9/2003	No	1		0	A routine sample is fecal coliform positive or E.coli positive and the repeat samples are neg.	Human and animal fecal waste
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Inorganic Contaminants

Cyanide	5/2003	No	.0004	N/A	N/A	0.2	Discharge from steel/metal factories; discharge from plastic and fertilizer factories.
Nitrate (as Nitrogen) (ppm)	5/2003	No	1.97	N/A	10	10	Runoff from fertilizer use; leaching from septic tanks, sewage; erosion of natural deposits
Sodium (ppm)	5/2003	No	7.06	N/A	N/A	160	Salt water intrusion, leaching from soil.

Lead and Copper (Tap Water)

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Inorganic Contaminants

Nitrate (as Nitrogen) (ppm)	12/2003	No	1.08	N/A	10	10	Runoff from fertilizer use; leaching from septic tanks, sewage; erosion of natural deposits
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Windgate Estates 2003 Annual Drinking Water Quality Report - PWS #3421576

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We had minor reporting violations with our 2002 CCR. We were late in submission of our copies to the department of environmental regulation and it had inadequate dates and content. They have been corrected for 2003.

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Inorganic Contaminants

Fluoride (ppm)	11/2003	No	0.26	N/A	4	4	Erosion of natural deposits; water additive which promotes strong teeth; discharge from fertilizer and aluminum factories
Nitrate (as Nitrogen) (ppm)	11/2003	No	0.74	N/A	10	10	Runoff from fertilizer use; leaching from septic tanks, sewage; erosion of natural deposits
Sodium (ppm)	11/2003	No	8.79	N/A	N/A	160	Salt water intrusion, leaching from soil

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Lead and Copper (Tap Water)

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