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2008 Annual Drinking Water Quality Report

We're very pleased to provide you with this year's Annual Water Quality Report. We want to keep you informed about the excellent water and services we have delivered to you over the past year. Our goal is and always has been, to provide to you a dependable supply of drinking water. Our water source is groundwater and our well(s) draw from the Floridan Aquifer. Our water is chlorinated for disinfection purposes.

In 2006 the Department of Environmental Protection performed a Source Water Assessment on our system and a search of the data sources indicated no potential sources of contamination near our wells. The assessment results are available on the FDEP Source Water Assessment and Protection Program website at www.dep.state.fl.us/swapp or they can be obtained from Tim Thompson at (352)622-1171. Our sampling program shows no contamination to our well.

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

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.

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Marion Utilities Inc. routinely monitors for contaminants in your drinking water according to Federal and State laws. This table shows the results of our monitoring for the period of January 1st to December 31st, 2008. The state allows us to monitor for some contaminants less than once per year because the concentration of these contaminants do not change frequently. Some of our data, though representative, are more than one year old. All water analysis is the most recent sampling in accordance with the Safe Drinking Water Act.

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MCLs are set at very stringent levels. To understand the possible health effects described for many regulated contaminants, a person would have to drink 2 liters of water every day at the MCL level for a lifetime to have a one-in-a-million chance of having the described health effect.

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TEST RESULTS TABLE

Contaminant and Unit of Measurement	Date of sample analysis	MCL/AL Violation Y/N	Level Detected	Range of Results	MCLG	MCL	Likely Source of Contamination
Inorganic Contaminants							
Cad (point of entry) (ppb)	4/2006	No	0.1	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)	4/2008	No	1.19	N/A	10	10	Runoff from fertilizer use; leaching from septic tanks, sewage; erosion of natural deposits
Sodium (ppm)	4/2006	No	1.4	N/A	N/A	160	Salt water intrusion, leaching from soil

Synthetic Organic Contaminants including Pesticides and Herbicides

Di(2-ethylhexyl) sebacate (ppb)	5/2003	No	1	N/A	0	6	Discharge from rubber and chemical factories
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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)	9/2008	No	15	0	0	AL=15	Corrosion of household plumbing systems, erosion of natural deposits
Copper (tap water) (ppm)	9/2008	No	.063	0	1.3	AL=1.3	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits; leaching from wood preservatives

Stage 1 Disinfectants and Disinfection By-Products

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Disinfectant or Contaminant and Unit of Measurement	Dates of sampling (mo./yr.)	MCL or MRDL Violation Y/N	Level Detected	Range of Results	MCLG or MRDLG	MCL or MRDL	Likely Source of Contamination
Chlorine (ppm)	1 - 12, 2008	N	1.2	0.5 1.2	MRDLG = 4	MRDL = 4.0	Water additive used to control microbes
TTHM (Total halomethanes) (ppb)	9/2006	N	0.58	N/A	N/A	MCL = 80	By-product of drinking water disinfection

As you can see by the table, our system had no violations. We're proud that your drinking water meets or exceeds all Federal and State requirements. We have learned through our monitoring and testing that some contaminants have been detected.

Thank you for allowing us to continue providing your family with clean, quality water this year. In order to maintain a safe and dependable water supply we sometimes need to make improvements that will benefit all of our customers. These improvements are sometimes reflected as rate structure adjustments. Thank you for understanding.

Some people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water than the general population. Immuno-compromised persons such as persons with cancer undergoing chemotherapy, persons who have undergone organ transplants, people with HIV/AIDS or other immune system disorders, some elderly, and infants can be particularly at risk from infections. These people should seek advice about drinking water from their health care providers. EPA/CDC guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by cryptosporidium and other microbiological contaminants are available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800 426-4791)

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2008 Annual Drinking Water Quality Report

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In 2006 the Department of Environmental Protection performed a Source Water Assessment on our system. The assessment was conducted to provide information about any potential sources of contamination in the vicinity of our well. The assessment results are available on the FDEP Source Water Assessment and Protection Program website at www.dep.state.fl.us/swapp or they can be obtained from Tim Thompson at (352)622-1171. Our sampling program shows no contamination to our well.

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Marion Utilities routinely monitors for contaminants in your drinking water according to Federal and State laws, rules, and regulations. Except where indicated otherwise, this report is based on the results of our monitoring for the period of January 1st to December 31st 2008. As authorized and approved by EPA, the State has reduced monitoring requirements for certain contaminants to less often than once per year because the concentrations of these contaminants are not expected to vary significantly from year to year. Some of our data [e.g., for organic contaminants], though representative, is more than one year old. All water analysis is the most recent sampling in accordance with the Safe Drinking Water Act.

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TEST RESULTS TABLE

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Inorganic Contaminants							
Arsenic (ppb)	3/2006	N	0.2	N/A	N/A	.01	Erosion of natural deposits; runoff from orchards; runoff from glass and electronics production wastes
Barium (ppm)	3/2006	N	.010	N/A	2	2	Discharge of drilling wastes; discharge from metal refineries; erosion of natural deposits
Chromium (ppb)	3/2006	N	1.6	N/A	100	100	Discharge from steel and pulp mills; erosion of natural deposits.
Lead (point of entry) (ppb)	3/2006	N	0.1	N/A	N/A	15	Residue from man-made pollution such as auto emission and paint; lead pipe, casing, and solder.
Nitrate (As Nitrogen) (ppm)	4/2008	N	3.21	N/A	10	10	Runoff from fertilizer use; leaching from septic tanks, sewage; erosion of natural deposits
Selenium (ppb)	3/2006	N	0.2	N/A	50	50	Discharge from petroleum and metal refineries; erosion of natural deposits; discharge from mines.
Sodium (ppm)	3/2006	N	17	N/A	N/A	160	Salt water intrusion, leaching from soil

Volatile Organic Contaminants

Xylenes (ppm)	3/2006	N	0.36	N/A	10	10	Discharge from petroleum factories; discharge from chemical factories
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LEAD AND COPPER (TAP WATER)

Contaminant and Unit of Measurement	Dates of Sampling (Mo./Yr.)	AL Violation Y/N	Range of results	90 ^b Percentil Result	No. of sampling sites exceeding the AL	MCLG	AL Action Level	Likely Source of Contamination
Lead (tap water) (ppb)	5/2006 7/2006	N N	0.2 1.3	1.3 .00015	0 0	1.3	1.3	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits;
Copper (tap water) (ppm)	5/2006 7/2006	N N	.0012 .083	.083 .0012	0 0	0	15	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits;

SECONDARY CONTAMINANTS

Contaminant and Unit of Measurement	Dates of Sampling	MCL Violation Y/N	Highest	Range of Results	MCLG	MCL	Likely source of Contamination
Total Dissolved Solids (ppm)	2/2008, 5/2008, 8/2008, 11/2008	Y	628	461-628	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
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Chlorine (ppm)	1 - 12 2008	N	1.3	0.5 1.3	MRDLG	MRDL = 4.0	Water additive used to control microbes
Haloacetic Acids (five) (HAA5) (ppb)	9/2006	N	1.75	N/A	N/A	MCL = 60	By-product of drinking water disinfection
TTHM (Total trihalomethanes) (ppb)	9/2006	N	6.50	N/A	N/A	MCL = 80	By-product of drinking water disinfection

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Barium (ppm)	3/2006	No	.018	N/A	2	2	Discharge of drilling wastes; discharge from metal refineries; erosion of natural deposits
Fluoride (ppm)	3/2006	No	.039	N/A	4	4	Erosion of natural deposits; discharge from fertilizer and aluminum factories. Water additive which promotes strong teeth when at optimum levels between 0.7 and 1.3 ppm
Lead (point of entry) (ppb)	3/2006	No	0.3	N/A	N/A	15	Residue from man-made pollution such as auto emissions and paint; lead pipe, casing, and solder
Sodium (ppm)	3/2006	No	22	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	No. of sampling sites exceeding the AL	MCLG	AL (Action Level)	Likely Source of Contamination
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Lead and Copper (Tap Water)

Lead (tap water) (ppb)	8/2008	No	0.5	0	0	AL=15	Corrosion of household plumbing systems, erosion of natural deposits
Copper (tap water) (ppm)	8/2008	No	0.58	0	1.3	AL=1.3	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits; leaching from wood preservatives

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Chlorine (ppm)	1 - 12, 2008	N	1.8	0.6 1.8	MRDLG = 4	MRDL = 4.0	Water additive used to control microbes

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)	2/2008, 5/2008, 8/2008, 11/2008	Y	539	465-539	N/A	250	Natural occurrence from soil leaching
Total Dissolved Solids (ppm)	2/2008, 5/2008, 8/2008, 11/2008	Y	1051	990 - 1051	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 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.

TDS may be greater than 500, if no other MCL is exceeded.

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Woods & Meadows-PWS#6424632 2008 Annual Drinking Water Quality Report

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Nitrate (as Nitrogen) (m)	4/2008	No	1.76	N/A	10	10	Runoff from fertilizer use; leaching from septic tanks, sewage; erosion of natural deposits
Mercury (ppb)	4/2006	No	0.4	N/A	10	10	Discharge from petroleum and metal refineries; erosion of natural deposits; discharge from mines.
Sulfate (ppm)	4/2006	No	1.4	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
Lead (tap water) (ppb)	9/2008	No	2.7	0	0	AL=15	Corrosion of household plumbing systems, erosion of natural deposits
Copper (tap water) (ppm)	9/2008	No	.57	0	1.3	AL=1.3	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits; leaching from wood preservatives

Stage 1 Disinfectants and Disinfection By-Products

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Spruce Creek North-PWS #6424652

2008 Annual Drinking Water Quality Report

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Barium (ppm)	2/2008	No	.0051	N/A	2	2	Discharge of drilling wastes; discharge from metal refineries; erosion of natural deposits
Nitrate (as Nitrogen) (ppm)	2/2008	No	1.71	N/A	10	10	Runoff from fertilizer use; leaching from septic tanks, sewage; erosion of natural deposits
Sodium (ppm)	2/2008	No	5.7	N/A	N/A	160	Salt water intrusion, leaching from soil.
Lead and Copper (Tap Water)							
HContaminant 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)	9/2008 11/2008	No	1.5	0	0	AL=15	Corrosion of household plumbing systems, erosion of natural deposits
Copper (tap water) (ppm)	9/2008 11/2008	No	.84	0	1.3	AL=1.3	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits; leaching from wood preservatives

Stage 1 disinfectants and Disinfection By-Products

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Disinfectant or Contaminant and Unit of Measurement	Dates of sampling (Mo./Yr.)	MCL or MRDL Violation Y/N	Level Detected	Range of Results	MCLG or MRDLG	MCL or MRDL	Likely Source of Contamination
Chlorine (ppb)	1 - 12 2008	No	1.4	0.4 1.4	MRDLG = 4	MRDL = 4.0	Water additive used to control microbes
TTHM (Total trihalomethanes)	8/2008	No	1.54	N/A	N/A	MCL= 80	By-product of drinking water disinfection
Haloacetic Acids (five (HAA5) (ppb)	8/2008	No	0.354	N/A	N/A	MCL=60	By-product of drinking water disinfection.

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Deer Creek -PWS#6424653
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Lead and Copper (Tap Water)

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Turning Point 2008 Annual Drinking Water Quality Report - PWS #3424841

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Inorganic Contaminants							
Arsenic (ppb)	10/2006	No	0.54	N/A	N/A	10	Erosion of natural deposits; runoff from orchards; runoff from glass and electronics production wastes
Barium (ppm)	10/2006	No	0.0021	N/A	2	2	Discharge of drilling wastes; discharge from metal refineries; erosion of natural deposits
Chromium (ppb)	10/2006	No	3.8	N/A	100	100	Discharge from steel and pulp mills; erosion of natural deposits
Cyanide (ppb)	10/2006	No	3.0	N/A	200	200	Discharge from steel/metal factories; discharge from plastic and fertilizer factories
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Nitrate (as Nitrogen) (ppm)	4/2008	No	1.91	N/A	10	10	Runoff from fertilizer use; leaching from septic tanks, sewage; erosion of natural deposits
Selenium (ppb)	10/2006	No	0.44	N/A	50	50	Discharge from petroleum and metal refineries; erosion of natural deposits; discharge from mines
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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

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Lead (tap water) (ppb)	8/2008	No	2.5	0	0	15	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits
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McAteer Acres

2008 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
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Oak Creek Caverns

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Barium (ppm)	10/2006	No	0.0062	N/A	2	2	Discharge of drilling wastes; discharge from metal refineries; erosion of natural deposits
Chromium (ppb)	10/2006	No	2.1	N/A	100	100	Discharge from steel and pulp mills; erosion of natural deposit
Lead (point of entry) (ppb)	10/2006	No	0.41	N/A	N/A	15	Residue from man-made pollution such as auto emissions and paint; lead pipe, casing, and solder
Mercury (Inorganic) (ppb)	10/2006	No	0.94	N/A	2	2	Erosion of natural deposits; discharge from refineries and factories; runoff from landfills; runoff from cropland
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TEST RESULTS TABLE

Contaminant and Unit of Measurement	Date of sample analysis	MCL/AL Violation Y/N	Level Detected	Range	MCLG	MCL	Likely Source of Contamination
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Inorganic Contaminants

Arsenic (ppb)	9/2006	No	1.4	N/A	N/A	10	Erosion of natural deposits; runoff from orchards; runoff from glass and electronics production wastes
Barium (ppm)	9/2006	No	0.0031	N/A	2	2	Discharge of drilling wastes; discharge from metal refineries; erosion of natural deposits
Lead (point of entry) (ppb)	9/2006	No	0.10	N/A	N/A	15	Residue from man-made pollution such as auto emissions and paint; lead pipe, casing, and solder
Mercury (inorganic)(ppb)	9/2006	No	.063	N/A	2	2	Erosion of natural deposits; discharge from refineries and factories; runoff from landfills; runoff from cropland.
Sodium (ppm)	9/2006	No	8.3	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)	8/2007	No	N/D	0	0	15	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits
Copper (tap water) (ppm)	8/2007	No	0.30	0	1.3	1.3	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits; leaching from wood preservatives

Stage 1 Disinfectants and Disinfection By-Products

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Contaminant and Unit of Measurement	Dates of sampling (mo./yr.)	MCL Violation Y/N	Level Detected	Range of Results	MCLG or MRDLG	MCL or MRDL	Likely Source of Contamination
Chlorine (ppm)	1 - 12, 2008	N	1	0.5 2.0	MRDLG = 4	MRDL = 4.0	Water additive used to control microbes
Haloacetic Acids (five) (HAA5) (ppb)	8/ 2006	N	14.48	N/A	N/A	MRDL = 60	By-product of drinking water disinfection
TTHM (Total trihalomethanes) (ppb)	8/2006	N	31.42	N/A	N/A	MCL = 80	By-product of drinking water disinfection

As you can see by the table, our system had no MCL violations. We're proud that your drinking water meets or exceeds all Federal and State requirements. We have learned through our monitoring and testing that some contaminants have been detected.

Thank you for allowing us to continue providing your family with clean, quality water this year. In order to maintain a safe and dependable water supply we sometimes need to make improvements that will benefit all of our customers. These improvements are sometimes reflected as rate structure adjustments. Thank you for understanding.

In May of 2007 our monthly operating report failed to reach the DEP on time. This violation had no impact on the quality of water our customers received and posed no health risk to the public

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Buckskin Estates

2008 Annual Drinking Water Quality Report - PWS #3420124

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

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.

In 2006 the Department of Environmental Protection performed a Source Water Assessment on our system and search of the data sources indicated no potential sources of contamination near our well. The assessment results are available on the DEP Source Water Assessment and Protection Program website at www.dep.state.fl.us/swapp or you can contact Tim Thompson at (352)622-1171. Our sampling program shows no contamination to our well.

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Arsenic (ppb)	9/2006	No	1.1	N/A	N/A	10	Erosion of natural deposits; runoff from orchards; runoff from orchards; runoff from glass and electronics production wastes
Barium (ppm)	9/2006	No	0.0054	N/A	2	2	Discharge of drilling wastes; discharge from metal refineries; erosion of natural deposits.
Mercury (inorganic) (ppb)	9/2006	No	.062	N/A	2	2	Erosion of natural deposits; discharge from refineries and factories; runoff from landfills; runoff from cropland
Sodium (ppm)	9/2006	No	20	N/A	N/A	160	Salt water intrusion, leaching from soil.
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Lead and Copper (Tap Water)							
Lead (tap water) (ppb)	8/2008	No	1.9	0	0	15	Corrosion of household plumbing systems, erosion of natural deposits
Copper (tap water)(ppm)	8/2008	No	0.030	0	1.3	1.3	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits; leaching from wood preservatives

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Chlorine (ppm)	1 - 12, 2008	N	0.7	0.2 2.8	MRDLG = 4	MRDL = 4.0	Water additive used to control microbes
Haloacetic Acids (five) (HAA5) (ppb)	8/2006	N	2.78	N/A	N/A	MCL = 60	By-product of drinking water disinfection
TTHM (Total trihalomethanes) (ppb)	8/2006	N	20.00	N/A	N/A	MCL = 80	By-product of drinking water disinfection

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Ponderosa

2008 Annual Drinking Water Quality Report - PWS #3424808

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Radiological Contaminants

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

Arsenic (ppb)	9/2006	No	0.34	N/A	N/A	10	Erosion of natural deposits; runoff from orchards; runoff from glass and electronics production wastes
Barium (ppm)	9/2006	No	0.014	N/A	2	2	Discharge of drilling wastes; discharge from metal refineries; erosion of natural deposits
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Lead and Copper (Tap Water)

Lead (tap water) (ppb)	5/2006 8/2006	No No	2.8 2.9	0 0	0	15	Corrosion of household plumbing systems, erosion of natural deposits
Copper (tap water) (ppm)	6/2006 8/2006	No No	0.14 0.08	0	1.3	1.3	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits; leaching from wood preservatives

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Stone Oaks Estates 2008 Annual Drinking Water Quality Report - PWS #3421283

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MCLs are set at very stringent levels. To understand the possible health effects described for many regulated contaminants, a person would have to drink 2 liters of water every day at the MCL level for a lifetime to have a one-in-a-million chance of having the described health effect.

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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
Inorganic Contaminants							
Arsenic (ppb)	9/2006	No	0.87	N/A	N/A	10	Erosion of natural deposits; runoff from orchards; runoff from glass and electronics production wastes
Barium (ppm)	9/2006	No	0.0028	N/A	2	2	Discharge of drilling wastes; discharge from metal refineries; erosion of natural deposits
Chromium (ppb)	9/2006	No	1.7	N/A	100	100	Discharge from steel and pulp mills; erosion of natural deposits
Lead (point of entry) (ppb)	9/2006	No	0.49	N/A	N/A	15	Residue from man-made pollution such as auto emissions and paint; lead pipe, casing, and solder.
Mercury (Inorganic) (ppb)	9/2006	No	0.42	N/A	2	2	Erosion of natural deposits; discharge from refineries and factories; runoff from landfills; runoff from cropland
Nitrate (as Nitrogen) (ppm)	4/2008	No	4.65	N/A	10	10	Runoff from fertilizer use; leaching from septic tanks, sewage; erosion of natural deposits
Selenium (ppb)	9/2006	No	0.34	N/A	50	50	Discharge from petroleum and metal refineries; erosion of natural deposits; discharge from mines
Sodium (ppm)	9/2006	No	17	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)	8/2008	No	4.6	0	0	15	Corrosion of household plumbing systems, erosion of natural deposits
Copper (tap water) (ppm)	8/2008	No	0.36	0	1.3	1.3	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits; leaching from wood preservatives

Stage 1 Disinfectants and Disinfection By-Products

For bromate, chloramines, or chlorine, the level detected is the highest running annual average (RAA) computed quarterly or monthly averages of all samples collected. For haloacetic acids or TTHM the level detected is the highest RAA computed quarterly or quarterly averages of all samples collected if the system is monitoring quarterly or is the average of all samples taken during the year if the system monitors less frequently than quarterly. Range of Results if the range of individual sample results (lowest to highest) for all monitoring locations, including Initial Distribution system Evaluation (IDSE) results as well as Stage 1 compliance results.

Contaminant and Unit of Measurement	Dates of sampling (Mo./yr.)	MCL Violation Y/N	Level Detected	Range of Results	MCLG or MRDLG	MCL or MRDL	Likely Source of Contamination
Chlorine (ppm)	1 - 12, 2008	N	1.2	0.8 1.2	MRDLG = 4	MRDL = 4.0	Water additive used to control microbes
TTHM (Total trihalomethanes) (ppb)	7/2006	N	1.05	N/A	N/A	MCL = 80	By-product of drinking water disinfection

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Ft King Forest

2008 Annual Drinking Water Quality Report - PWS #3420419

We're very pleased to provide you with this year's Annual Water Quality Report. We want to keep you informed about the excellent water and services we have delivered to you over the past year. Our goal is and always has been, to provide to you a dependable supply of drinking water. Our water source is groundwater and our well(s) draw from the Floridan Aquifer. Our water is chlorinated for disinfection purposes.

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

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.

In 2006 the Department of Environmental Protection performed a Source Water Assessment on our system. The assessment was conducted to provide information about any potential sources of contamination in the vicinity of our well. There is one potential source of contamination identified for this system with a low susceptibility level. The assessment results are available on the FDEP Source Water Assessment and Protection Program website at www.dep.state.fl.us/swapp or you can contact Tim Thompson at (352)622-1171. Our sampling program shows no contamination to our well.

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Arsenic (ppb)	9/2006	No	0.62	N/A	N/A	10	Erosion of natural deposits; runoff from orchards; runoff from glass and electronics production wastes
Barium (ppm)	9/2006	No	3.6	N/A	2	2	Discharge of drilling wastes; discharge from metal refineries; erosion of natural deposits
Cadmium (ppb)	9/2006	No	0.35	N/A	5	5	Corrosion of galvanized pipes; erosion of natural deposits; discharge from metal refineries; runoff from waste batteries and paints
Chromium (ppb)	9/2006	No	2.1	N/A	100	100	Discharge from steel and pulp mills; erosion of natural deposits
Lead (point of entry) (ppb)	9/2006	No	0.22	N/A	N/A	15	Residue from man-made pollution such as auto emissions and paint; lead pipe, casing and solder
Mercury (inorganic) (ppb)	9/2006	No	0.69	N/A	2	2	Erosion of natural deposits; discharge from refineries and factories; runoff from landfills; runoff from cropland
Nitrate (as Nitrogen) (ppm)	4/2008	No	2.54	N/A	10	10	Runoff from fertilizer use; leaching from septic tanks, sewage; erosion of natural deposits
Selenium (ppb)	9/2006	No	0.33	N/A	50	50	Discharge from petroleum and metal refineries; erosion of natural deposits; discharge from mines
Sodium (ppm)	9/2006	No	12	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)	8/2008	No	9	1	0	15	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits
Copper (tap water) (ppm)	8/2008	No	.76	0	1.3	1.3	Corrosion of household plumbing systems, erosion of natural deposits; leaching from wood preservatives

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Chlorine (ppm)	1 - 12, 2008	N	1	0.4 1.3	MRDLG = 4	MRDL = 4.0	Water additive used to control microbes

TTHM (Total trihalomethanes) (ppb)	8/2006	N	1.34	N/A	N/A	MCL = 80	By-product of drinking water disinfection
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pine ridge Estates
2008 Annual Drinking Water Quality Report - PWS #3421018

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Barium (ppm)	5/2006	No	.0056	N/A	2	2	Discharge of drilling wastes; discharge from metal refineries; erosion of natural deposits
Chromium (ppb)	5/2006	No	2.2	N/A	100	100	Discharge from steel and pulp mills; erosion of natural deposits
Lead (point of entry) (ppb)	5/2006	No	0.054	N/A	N/A	15	Residue from man-made pollution such as auto emissions and paint; lead pipe, casing and solder
Mercury (Inorganic) (ppb)	5/2006	No	0.050	N/A	2	2	Erosion of natural deposits; discharge from refineries and factories; runoff from landfills; runoff from cropland
Nitrate (as Nitrogen) (ppm)	4/2008	No	1.55	N/A	10	10	Runoff from fertilizer use; leaching from septic tanks, sewage; erosion of natural deposits
Sodium (ppm)	5/2006	No	13	N/A	N/A	160	Salt water intrusion, leaching from soil.
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Lead and Copper (Tap Water)

Lead (tap water) (ppb)	9/2008	No	9.3	0	0	15	Corrosion of household plumbing systems, erosion of natural deposits
Copper (tap water) (ppm)	9/2008	No	0.20	0	1.3	1.3	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits; leaching from wood preservatives

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Chlorine (ppm)	1 - 12, 2008	N	1.9	1.2 2.8	MRDLG = 4	MRDL = 4.0	Water additive used to control microbes
TTHM (Total trihalomethanes) (ppb)	8/2006	N	2.11	N/A	N/A	MCL = 80	By Product of drinking water disinfection

As you can see by the table, our system had no MCL violations. We're proud that your drinking water meets or exceeds all Federal and State requirements. We have learned through our monitoring and testing that some contaminants have been detected.

In January of 2008 our master meter at the water plant failed so the gallons produced were estimated. The meter was replaced. This failure created no health effect.

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Cedar Hills 2008 Annual Drinking Water Quality Report - PWS #3420162

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Lead (tap water) (ppb)	9/2008	No	3.1	0	0	AL=15	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits
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As you can see by the table, our system had no MCL violations. We're proud that your drinking water meets or exceeds all Federal and State requirements. We have learned through our monitoring and testing that some contaminants have been detected.

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Inorganic Contaminants							
Arsenic (ppb)	8/2006	No	1.1	0.00070 - 0.0011	N/A	10	Erosion of natural deposits; runoff from orchards; runoff from glass and electronics production wastes
Barium (ppm)	8/2006	No	0.0052	0.0034 - 0.0052	2	2	Discharge of drilling wastes; discharge from metal refineries; erosion of natural deposits
Chromium (ppb)	8/2006	No	1.9	0.0013 - 0.0019	100	100	Discharge from steel and pulp mills; erosion of natural deposits
Lead (point of entry) (ppb)	8/2006	No	1.8	0.00026 - 0.0018	N/A	15	Residue from man-made pollution such as auto emissions and paint; lead pipe, casing and solder
Nitrate (as Nitrogen) (ppm)	4/2008	No	2.71	1.03 - 2.71	10	10	Runoff from fertilizer use; leaching from septic tanks, sewage; erosion of natural deposits
Selenium (ppb)	8/2006	No	0.46	0.00044 - 0.00046	50	50	Discharge from petroleum and metal refineries; erosion of natural deposits; discharge from mines
Sodium (ppm)	8/2006	No	10	9.0 - 10.0	N/A	160	Salt water intrusion, leaching from soil
Contaminant and Unit of Measurement	Date 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)	8/2008	No	5.3	1	0	15	Corrosion of household plumbing systems, erosion of natural deposits
Copper (tap water) (ppm)	8/2008	No	0.47	0	1.3	1.3	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits; leaching from wood preservatives

Stage 1 Disinfectants and Disinfection By-Products

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Contaminant and Unit of Measurement	Dates of sampling (mo./yr.)	MCL Violation Y/N	Level Detected	Range of Results	MCLG or MRDLG	MCL or MRDL	Likely Source of Contamination
Chlorine (ppm)	1 - 12, 2008 1 2	N	0.6 0.8	0.3 - 1.4 0.5 - 1.2	MRDLG = 4	MRDL = 4.0	Water additive used to control microbes
TTHM (Total trihalomethanes) (ppb)	8/2006 1 2	N	4.35 4.78	N/A	N/A	MCL = 80	By-product of drinking water disinfection

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In May of 2008, the Department of Environmental Regulation did not receive our monthly operating report for our water plants. We sent them a copy but were still charged with a violation. This violation would not have created any health effects. It was a matter of paperwork.

HI-UM Estates
2008 Annual Drinking Water Quality Report - PWS #3420533

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In 2006 the Department of Environmental Protection performed a Source Water Assessment on our system. The assessment was conducted to provide information about any potential sources of contamination in the vicinity of our wells (or surface water intakes). There is one potential source of contamination identified for this system with a low susceptibility level. The assessment results are available on the FDEP Source Water Assessment and Protection Program website at www.dep.state.fl.us/swapp or you can contact Tim Thompson at (352)622-1171. Our sampling program shows no contamination to our wells.

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Barium (ppm)	5/2006	No	0.0059	N/A	2	2	Discharge of drilling wastes; discharge from metal refineries; erosion of natural deposits
Chromium (ppb)	5/2006	No	2.0	N/A	100	100	Discharge from steel and pulp mills; erosion of natural deposits
Nickel (ppb)	5/2006	No	2.2	N/A	N/A	100	Pollution from mining and refining operations. Natural occurrence in soil
Nitrate (as Nitrogen) (ppm)	4/2008	No	2.88	N/A	10	10	Runoff from fertilizer use; leaching from septic tanks, sewage; erosion of natural deposits
Selenium (ppb)	5/2006	No	0.44	N/A	50	50	Discharge from petroleum and metal refineries; erosion of natural deposits; discharge from mines
Sodium (ppm)	5/2006	No	18	N/A	N/A	160	Salt water intrusion, leaching from soil.
Thallium (ppb)	5/2006	No	0.20	N/A	0.5	2	Leaching from ore-processing sites; discharge from electronics, glass, and drug factories
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Lead and Copper Tap Water

Lead (tap water) (ppb)	9/2008	No	3.1	1	0	15	Corrosion of household plumbing systems, erosion of natural deposits
Copper (tap water) (ppm)	9/2008	No	0.82	0	1.3	1.3	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits; leaching from wood preservatives

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Chlorine (ppm)	1 - 12, 2008	N	1.0	0.3 1.8	MRDLG = 4	MRDL = 4.0	Water additive used to control microbes
TTHM (Total trihalomethanes) (ppb)	8/2006	N	2.17	N/A	N/A	MCL = 80	By-product of drinking water disinfection

Secondary Contaminants

Odor	5/2006	Y	4.0	N/A	N/A	3	Naturally occurring organics
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Greenfields/Indian Pines
2008 Annual Drinking Water Quality Report - PWS #3425006

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Combined Radium (pCi/l)	12/2003	No	0.8	N/A	0	5	Erosion of natural deposits
Inorganic Contaminants							
Arsenic (ppb)	10/2006	No	5.9	N/A	N/A	10	Erosion of natural deposits; runoff from orchards; runoff from glass and electronics production wastes
Barium (ppm)	10/2006	No	0.0042	N/A	2	2	Discharge of drilling wastes; discharge from metal refineries; erosion of natural deposits
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Lead and Copper (Tap Water)							
Lead (tap water) (ppb)	9/2008	No	3.5	0	0	15	Corrosion of household plumbing systems, erosion of natural deposits
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winogate Estates
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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. Marion Utilities, Inc is responsible for providing high quality drinking water, but cannot control the variety of materials used in plumbing components. When your water has been sitting for several hours, you can minimize the potential for lead exposure by flushing your tap for 30 seconds to 2 minutes before using water for drinking or cooking. If you are concerned about lead in your water, testing methods, and steps you can take to minimize exposure is available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline or at <http://www.epa.gov/safewater/lead>.

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
Inorganic Contaminants							
Antimony (ppb)	9/2006	No	0.15	N/A	6	6	Discharge from petroleum refineries; fire retardants; ceramics; electronics; solder
Arsenic (ppb)	9/2006	No	1.6	N/A	N/A	10	Erosion of natural deposits; runoff from orchards; runoff from glass and electronics production wastes
Barium (ppm)	9/2006	No	0.0038	N/A	2	2	Discharge of drilling wastes; discharge from metal refineries; erosion of natural deposits
Chromium (ppb)	9/2006	No	0.83	N/A	100	100	Discharge from steel and pulp mills erosion of natural deposits
Lead (point of entry) (ppb)	9/2006	No	0.19	N/A	N/A	15	Residue from man-made pollution such as auto emissions and paint; lead pipe, casing, and solder
Mercury (inorganic) (ppb)	9/2006	No	0.54	N/A	2	2	Erosion of natural deposits; discharge from refineries and factories; runoff from landfills; runoff from cropland
Nitrate (as Nitrogen) (ppm)	4/2008	No	0.96	N/A	10	10	Runoff from fertilizer use; leaching from septic tanks, sewage; erosion of natural deposits
Selenium (ppb)	9/2006	No	1.3	N/A	50	50	Discharge from petroleum and metal refineries; erosion of natural deposits; discharge from mines
Sodium (ppm)	9/2006	No	8.0	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)	9/2008	No	4.7	1	0	15	Corrosion of household plumbing systems, erosion of natural deposits
Copper (tap water) (ppm)	9/2008	No	0.19	0	1.3	1.3	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits; leaching from wood preservatives

Stage 1 Disinfectants and Disinfection By-Products

For bromate, chloramines, or chlorine, the level detected is the highest running annual average (RAA) computed quarterly of monthly averages of all samples collected. For haloacetic acids or TTHM the level detected is the highest RAA computed quarterly of quarterly averages of all samples collected if the system is monitoring quarterly or is the average of all samples taken during the year if the system monitors less frequently than quarterly. Range of Results if the range of individual sample results (lowest to highest) for all monitoring locations, including Initial Distribution System Evaluation (IDSE) results as well as Stage 1 compliance results.

Contaminant and Unit of Measurement	Dates of sampling (mo./yr.)	MCL Violation Y/N	Level Detected	Range of Results	MCLG or MRDLG	MCL or MRDL	Likely Source of Contamination
Chlorine (ppm)	1 - 12, 2008	N	0.6	0.3 1.6	MRDLG = 4	MRDL = 4.0	Water additive used to control microbes

As you can see by the table, our system had no MCL violations. We're proud that your drinking water meets or exceeds all Federal and State requirements. We have learned through our monitoring and testing that some contaminants have been detected.

Thank you for allowing us to continue providing your family with clean, quality water this year. In order to maintain a safe and dependable water supply we sometimes need to make improvements that will benefit all of our customers. These improvements are sometimes reflected as rate structure adjustments. Thank you for understanding.

Some people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water than the general population. Immuno-compromised persons such as persons with cancer undergoing chemotherapy, persons who have undergone organ transplants, people with HIV/AIDS or other immune system disorders, some elderly, and infants can be particularly at risk from infections. These people should seek advice about drinking water from their health care providers. EPA/CDC guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by cryptosporidium and other microbiological contaminants are available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800 426-4791)

If you have any questions about this report or concerning your water utility, please contact Tim Thompson at (352) 622-1171. We want our valued customers to be informed about their water utility.