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CALIFORNIA AND LWD RESPOND TO COVID-19

On March 4, 2020, Governor Newsome proclaimed a State of Emergency due to the COVID-19 pandemic. The State Public Health Officer issued an order to all "Individuals living in the State of California to stay home or at their place of residence, except as needed, to maintain continuity of operations of the federal critical infrastructure sectors...."

The order created many difficult decisions for our customers, community, and the District itself: should one of our staff become infected, our entire operations staff would have to isolate and quarantine themselves. The District's response has been to stagger start times for operations and administrative staffing. To date no employees or family members have become infected with the virus.

During the emergency order we also have had two pipeline replacement projects under construction. Both will be completed while the Order is in effect. The District does not have another project planned until the fall of this year.

We know our community is enduring economic uncertainty and worse. In response, the Board has implemented policy suspensions allowing services to remain on and waiving penalty payments. In addition, on April 2, 2020, Governor Newsome issued Executive Order N42-20:

- The authority of urban and community water systems, as defined in Health and Safety Code section 116902, subdivision (d), to discontinue residential service, as defined in Health and Safety Code section 116902, subdivision (c), for non-payment under Health and Safety Code sections 116908 and 116910, is suspended.
- 2. Water systems not subject to the requirements of Health and Safety Code sections 116908 and 116910 shall not discontinue residential service,

as defined in Health and Safety Code section 116902, subdivision (c), for non-payment.

Nothing in the Order eliminates the obligation of water customers to pay for water service, prevents a water system from charging a customer for such service, nor reduces the amount a customer already may owe to a water system.

It was decided to suspend District Administrative Code policies section 2.3-3(A) and section 2.6 to allow the recommended actions to remain in effect until the reversal of the Executive Order. The Order leaves it up to the agency to develop repayment methods. Generally, it is proposed that overdue charges be paid before a next billing is sent. But if this order stays in effect longer than one billing period, a longer repayment period may be necessary and we will work with our customers regarding payment.

WATER SERVICE REACTIVATION PROCEDURE

RESIDENTIAL CUSTOMERS

When water service is renistated after being disrupted for an extended period (e.g., weeks or months), an adult should be present in the home to ensure that the meter is in working condition, leaks are minimized, wastewater piping is intact, and the building's plumbing is thoroughly flushed. Flushing instructions provided to occupants will vary depending on the structure. However, key protocols include:

- 1. Remove or bypass devices like point-ofentry treatment units prior to flushing.
- 2. Take steps to prevent the backflow or siphoning of contaminants into plumbing by closing valves separating irrigation systems from home plumbing, disconnect hoses attached to faucets, etc.
- 3. Organize flushing to maximize the flow of water by opening all outlets simultaneously to flush the service line

and then flushing outlets individually starting near where the water enters the structure.

- 4. Run enough water through all outlets (e.g., hose bibs, faucets, showerheads, toilets, etc.), removing aerators when possible. Typical durations in existing protocols range from 10 to 30 minutes for each outlet (duration varies based on outlet velocity).
- 5. Flush the cold water lines first, and then the hot water lines. *Note*: the hot water tank can be drained directly. The process requires roughly 45 minutes to fully flush a typical 40-gallon hot water tank.
- 6. Replace all point-of-use filters, including those used in refrigerators.
- If there is excessive dislodging of pipe scale or concerns about biofilm development, additional precautions may be warranted, including continued use of bottled water, installation of

a point-of-use filtering device, or engaging a contractor to thoroughly clean the plumbing system.

Residents should be reminded that if point-of-use devices are installed, POU devices should be properly installed and adequately maintained, because prolonged building water stagnation can lead to elevated lead, copper, and Legionella levels at the tap.

COMMERCIAL CUSTOMERS

Similar steps as suggested for residential properties. Generally fresh water should be drawn into building water systems to flush stagnant water before they are reopened. It's important to note, however, that each building's water system is unique. Building owners and operators should be aware of specific information provided in their building plans.

JUNE 2020

LAKESIDE WATER DISTRICT CONSUMER CONFIDENCE REPORT

Test Results from Calendar Year 2019

(Este informe contiene informacion muy importante sobre su agua potable. Traduzcalo o hable con alguien que lo entienda bien.)

		STATE	PHG	CTATE	DANCE			CKINNED	
PARAMETER	UNITS	[MRDL]	[MRDLG]	DLR	AVERAGE	WELLS	PLANT	PLANT	MAJOR SOURCES IN DRINKING WATER
Percent State					RANGE	NA	NR	6-100%	
Project Water	%	NA	NA	NA	AVERAGE	NA	NR	54%	Lakeside Water District's major water source is
PRIMARY STANDARDS: MANDATO	RY HEALTH	H-RELATED STAP	NDARDS						SDCWA-treated surface water via Helix Water District
Combined Filter	NTU	0.3			HIGHEST	0.19	0.16	0.07	
Effluent Turbidity	%	95 (a)	NA	NA	% < 0.35	100%	100%	100%	Soil runoff
MICROBIOLOGICAL					-				
Total Coliform Bacteria (b)		5.0	(0)		RANGE	0	NR	NA	Naturally present in the environment
E coli	%	5.0	(0)	NA	AVERAGE	0%	NR	NA	Human and animal fecal waste
Distribution System-wide	(c)	(c)	(0)	NA	AVERAGE	ND	NR	NA	
INORGANIC CHEMICALS	.,	()	(7)						
					RANGE	ND	ND-210	ND-94	Residue from water treatment process; erosion of natural deposits
Aluminum (Al) (d)	ppb	1000	600	50	HIGHEST RAA	ND	104 ND	51	Function of a structure data with a structure of a structure struc
Arsenic (As)	nnh	10	0.004	2	AVERGE	ND	NR	ND	Erosion of natural deposits, glass and electronics production wastes
	ppp	10	0.001	2	RANGE	140-213	NR	ND	Oil and metal refineries discharge; erosion of natural deposits
Barium (Ba)	ppb	1000	2000	100	AVERAGE	179	NR	ND	
Flouride (e)	ppm	2.0	1	0.1	CONTROL RANGE			NR	Water additive; Lakeside Water District has naturally occuring fluoride from erosion
Ireatment-related					OPTIMAL LEVEL	0.01.0.40	0(07	NR	of natural deposits
					AVERAGE	0.21-0.48	0.6-0.7	0.3-0.8	
					RANGE	0.92-2.3	NR	ND	Runoff and leaching from fertilizer usage: sentic tanks and sewage:
Nitrate (as N)	ppm	10 (as N)	10 (as N)	0.4	AVERAGE	1.57	NR	ND	natural deposits erosion
RADIOLOGICALS (k)									
Gross Alpha Darticle Activity		15	(0)		RANGE	2.4-5.3	5.3-8.0	ND-4	Erosion of natural deposits
Gross Beta	pu/L	15	(0)	3	AVERAGE	3.7 ND	6.5 NR	ND-5	Decay of natural and man-made denosits
Particle Activity (f)	pCi/L	50	(0)	4	AVERAGE	ND	NR	ND	
	P		(-/		RANGE	2.3-4.2	1.4-5.4	ND-3	Erosion of natural deposits
Uranium	pCi/L	20	0.43	1	AVERAGE	3.6	3.3	ND	
DISINFECTION BY-PRODUCTS, DISINFECTA	NT RESIDU	UALS, AND DISI	NFECTION BY-PI	RODUCTS F	PRECURSORS (g)	40.57	42.0.44	44.20	
Iotal Irihalomethanes (IIHM) (g) (l) Distribution System wide	nnh	90	NA	1	RANGE	13-57	13.9-46	14-30	By-product of drinking water chlorination
Haloacetic Acids (five) (HAA5) (g) (l)	hhn	00	INA	1	RANGE	2-17	3 5-23 9	23	By-product of drinking water chlorination
Distribution System-wide	ppb	60	NA	1	HIGHEST LRAA	9.3	9.8	7.4	by product of dimining value circlination
Total Chlorine Residual					RANGE	1.6-1.99	0.0-3.7	NA	Drinking water disinfectant treatment
(Chloramine)	ppm	[4.0]	[4.0]	NA	RAA	1.8	2.1	NA	
DBP Precursors Control		тт	NA	0.20	RANGE	NA	NR	2.0-2.7	Various natural and manmade sources
SECONDARY STANDARDS: AESTH	IETIC STAN	IDARDS (Conta	minants with an a	asterisk exc	eeded the second	arv standard)	INN	Z.4	
					RANGE	243-315	62-77	68-78	Runoff/leaching from natural deposits; seawater influence
Chloride	ppm	500	NA	NA	AVERAGE	237	68	73	
Color.	11.21.	15			RANGE	ND-5	ND	ND-2	Naturally occuring organic materials
Color	Units	15	NA	NA	AVERAGE	2.0 ND	ND	1	Naturally occuring organic materials
Odor Threshold (h)	TON	3	NA	1	AVERAGE	ND	ND	1	naturally occurring organic matchings
					RANGE	1360-1620*	516-769	576-644	Substances that form ions in water; seawater influence
Specific Conductance	μS/cm	1600	NA	NA	Average	1497	620	610	
C (C + (CO)		500			RANGE	166-220	71-140	90-108	Runoff/leaching from natural deposits; industrial waste
Sulfate (SU ₄) Total Dissolved Solids	ppm	500	NA	0.5	AVERAGE	200	96 310-466	99 330_370	Runoff/leaching from natural denosits: seawater influence
(TDS)	maa	1000	NA	NA	AVERAGE	908	385	354	nunon/reaching non natural deposits, seawater innuence
					RANGE	ND-1.7	NR	ND	Soil runoff
Turbidity (a)	NTU	5	NA	NA	AVERAGE	0.56	NR	ND	
OTHER PARAMETERS									
CHEMICAL					PANCE	215-272	86-118	84-87	Runoff/leaching from natural denosits: substances that form ions in water
Alkalinity (CaCO_)	maa	NA	NA	NA	AVERAGE	213 272	103	86	nation/reaching non natural deposits, substances that form for sin water
	PP				RANGE	40-49	NR	120	Runoff/leaching from natural deposits; industrial wastes
Boron (B)	ppb	NA	NL = 1000	100	AVERAGE	46	NR	120	
					RANGE	108-123	29-48	33-39	Runoff/leaching from natural deposits
	ppm	NA	NA	NA	AVERAGE	114 ND	3/ ND 26	30	Buproduct of drinking water chlorination: industrial processes
Perchlorate	daa	NA	NL = 800	20	AVERAGE	ND-9.9	ND-20	35	by found of a finking water chiofination, industrial processes
	644			20	RANGE	4.9	ND	ND	Industrial waste discharge; could be naturally present as well
Chromium VI (i)	ppb	NA	NA	1	AVERAGE	ND	ND	ND	
Corrosivity (j)					RANGE	NR	NR	12	Elemental balance in water; affected by temperature, other factors
(Aggressiveness Index)	AI	NA	NA	NA	AVERAGE	NR 412.500	NR 02.257	12	
Hardness, Total	nnm	NA	NA	N۵	AVERAGE	412-500	92-257	139-164	nunon/reaching from natural deposits; municipal and industrial waste discharges
	ЧЧЧ	iπ		n/A	RANGE	46-53	12-20	14-16	Runoff/leaching from natural deposits
Magnesium (Mg)	ppm	NA	NA	NA	AVERAGE	50	16	15	
	рН				RANGE	6.43-7.18	7.9-8.3	8.1-8.2	Runoff/leaching from natural deposits; substances that form ions in water
рН	Units	NA	NA	NA	AVERAGE	6.89	8.2	8.2	
Potassium	nnm	NA	NA	NA		5./-/.Z	3.U-4.5 3 7	5.5-5.0 3 /	Kunoff/leaching from natural deposits
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					Range	119-175	52-71	62-69	Runoff/leaching from natural deposits
Sodium (Na)	ppm	NA	NA	NA	Average	148	60	66	
					Range	4.1-10.2	ND-2.9	ND	Naturally occurring; industrial waste discharge
Vanadium (V)	ppb	NA	NL = 50	3	Average	6.5	ND	ND	
N-Nitrosodimethylamine (NDMA)					Range	NA	NR	3.9	Byproduct of drinking water chlorination; industrial processes
Distribution System-wide	ppt	NA	3	2	Average	NA	NR	3.9	

Levels testing for lead and copper is required every three years. | Latest test: June 2019 | Number of Sample Sites: 30 | 90th Percentile Levels: COPPER = 0.086 ppm; LEAD = 0.0017 ppm Number of sites above action level of 15 ppb Lead, 1.3 ppm Copper = 0 | Number of schools served by Lakeside Water District that requested Lead sampling during the calendar year = 10

ABBREVIATIONS AND FOOTNOTES

ABBREVIATIONS

AI Aggressiveness Index	
AL Action Level	
CFU Colony-Forming Units	
DBP Disinfection By-Products	
DLR Detection Limits for Reporting	
MCL Maximum Contaminant Level	
MCLG Maximum Contaminant Level Goal	
MRDL Maximum Residual Disinfectant Level	
MRDLG Maximum Residual Disinfectant Level Go	al
N Nitrogen	
NANot Applicable	
NDNot Detected	
NL Notification Level	
NR Not Reported	

- NTU Nephelometric Turbidity Units P or ND Positive or Not Detected
- pCi/L picoCuries per Liter
- PHG Public Health Goal
- ppb parts per billion or micrograms liter ($\mu g/L)$
- ppm parts per million or milligrams per lieter (mg/L)
- ppq parts per quadrillion or picograms per liter (pg/L)
- ppt parts per trillion or nanograms per liter (ng/L)
- RAA Running Annual Average
- SI.....Saturation Index (Langelier)
- TOC..... Total Organic Carbon
- TON Threshold Odor Number
- TT..... Treatment Technique

μS/cm microSiemen per centimeter or micromho per centimeter (μmho/cm)

FOOTNOTES

- (a) The turbidity level of the filtered water shall be less than or equal to 0.3 NTU in 95% of the measurements taken each month and shall not exceed 1 NTU at any time. Turbidity is a measure of the cloudiness of the water and is an indicator of treatment performance. The averages and ranges of turbidity shown in the Secondary Standards were based on the treatment plant effluent.
- (b) Total coliform MCLs: No more than 5.0% of the monthly samples may be total coliform-positive.
- (c) E. coli MCL: The occurrence of two consecutive total coliform-positive samples, one of which contains E. coli, constitutes an acute MCL violation. The MCL was not violated.
- (d) Aluminum has both primary and secondary standards.
- (e) MWD, Helix and Lakeside were in compliance with all provisions of the State's Fluoridation System Requirements.
- (f) The gross beta particle activity MCL is 4 millirem/year annual dose equivalent to the total body or any internal organ. The screening level is 50 pCI/L.
- (g) MWD, Helix, and Lakeside were in compliance with all provisions of the Stage 1 Disinfectants/Disinfection By-Products (D/DBP) Rule. Compliance was based on the RAA.
- (h) Metropolitan utilizes a flavor-profile analysis method that can detect odor occurrences more accurately.
- (i) Chromium VI reporting level is 0.03 ppb.
- (j) Al <10.0) = highly aggressive and very corrosive water; Al >12.0 = non-aggressive water; Al 10.0 11.9 = moderately aggressive water.
- (k) Radiological sampling is required only every third year.
- (I) Helix THM and HAA5 available upon request from Helix Water District.

DEFINITIONS

Treatment Technique (TT): A required process intended to reduce the level of a contaminant in drinking water.

Maximum Contaminate 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 set to protect the odor, taste, and appearance of drinking water.-

Maximum Contaminate Level Goal (MCLG): The level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MCLs are set by California Environmental Protection Agency (CalEPA).

Public Health Goal (PHG): The level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there are no known or expected health risks. PHGs are set by the CaIEPA.

Primary Drinking Water Standard (PDWS): MCLs and MRDLs for contaminants that affect health, along with their monitoring, reporting, and water treatment requirements.

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.

Regulatory Action Level: The concentration of a contminant which, if exceeded, triggers treatment or other recourse that a water system must follow.

BILL PAYMENT OPTIONS You will need your account number as it appears on your bill.

<u>Online</u>: www.lakesidewater.org Credit cards or

e-checks. Automatic draft payments are free of charge.

By Phone: (619) 443-3805, option 3

IN Person: Monday–Friday, 8am to 5pm or placed in the **black drop box** in front of the office.

LAKESIDE WATER DISTRICT BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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Board meetings are held at the District office the first Tuesday of each month at 5:30 p.m.

CONSUMER CONFIDENCE REPORT: Educational Information

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.

Lakeside Water District's groundwater source is the Santee-El Monte Basin, a groundwater source for many in our community. The basin provides good water quality that has small amounts of iron and manganese which we remove with a specially designed treatment plant located at our Administration and Operations facility at 10375 Vine Street, Lakeside. A source water assessment detailing potential sources of contamination completed in January 2010 is available for review upon request at the District office. The remainder of Lakeside Water District's water is imported from the Metropolitan Water District of Southern California and the San Diego County Water Authority. This water is treated at Metropolitan's Skinner Treatment Plant near Temecula and Helix Water District's Levy Treatment Plant. This water is a blend of water from the Colorado River System and the California State Water Project.

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 naturallyoccurring or result from urban storm water runoff, industrial or domestic wastewater discharges, oil and gas production, mining, or farming.
- **Note:** 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. Lakeside Water District 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, you may wish to have your water tested. Information on lead in drinking water, testing methods, and steps you can take to minimize exposure is available from the Safe Drinking Water Drinking Hotline or at http://www.epa.gov/safe water/lead.
- Pesticides and herbicides, which may come from a variety of sources such as agriculture, urban storm water 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 storm water runoff, and septic systems.
- Radioactive contaminants, which can be naturally occurring or be the result of oil and gas production and mining activates.

In order to ensure that tap water is safe to drink, the USEPA and the California State Water Resources Control Board (SWRCB) prescribe regulations that limit the amount of certain contaminants in water provided by public water systems. SWRCB regulations also establish limits for contaminants in bottled water that must provide the same protection for public health.

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 water posses a health risk. More information about contaminants and potential health effects can be obtained by calling the EPA's Safe Drinking Water Hotline (1-800-426-4791).

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. USEPA/ Centers for Disease Control (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).

If you have any questions about the CCR or water quality in general, please call Lakeside Water District at 619-443-3805.



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