

PUBLIC NOTICE

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR DRINKING WATER

Monitoring Requirements Not Met For Otis MDWCA

Este informe contiene información importante acerca de su agua potable. Haga que alguien lo traduzca para usted, o hable con alguien que lo entienda

Our water system violated drinking water requirements over the past year. Even though this was not an emergency, as our customers, you have a right to know what happened and what we did to correct these situations.

We are required to monitor your drinking water specific contaminants on a regular basis. Results of regular monitoring are an indicator of whether or not our drinking water meets health standards. During December 2025 we failed to conduct required source water monitoring within the designated timeframe, following a Total Coliform-positive sample and, therefore, cannot be sure of the quality of our drinking water during that time.

What should you do?

There is nothing you need to do at this time.

What does this mean?

One requirement of public water systems is the periodic monitoring of tap water for the presence of bacterial contaminants. Whenever our water system has a routine Total Coliform-positive sample, we are required by law to conduct source water monitoring within 24 hours of notification. Following a Total Coliform-positive sample on December 17, 2025, we did not collect the required source water sample within the time frame designated by the state. Therefore, we cannot be sure of the quality of your drinking water during that time.

What happened? What is being done?

We got a total coliform-positive sample back on Dec. 17th 2025. We are sending out public notices, as well as, retraining employees.

For more information, please contact Robert L Pacheco at 575-361-5501 or PO Box 599, Carlsbad, NM 88221.

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