

**Notice of Maximum Contaminant Level Violation
MCL. Average/1,1-DICHLOROETHYLENE**

Mandatory Public Notification Language

The Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) has notified the **City of Idalou** water system that the drinking water being supplied to customers had exceeded the Maximum Contaminant Level (MCL) for 1,1-DICHLOROETHYLENE. The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (U.S. EPA) has established the MCL for 1,1-DICHLOROETHYLENE at 0.009 milligrams per liter (mg/L) based on a running annual average (RAA), and has determined that it is a health concern at levels above the MCL. Analysis of drinking water in your community for 1,1-DICHLOROETHYLENE indicates a compliance value in **quarter one 2019 of 0.011 mg/L for EP001.**

We are taking the following actions to address this issue:

The City of Idalou has increased aeration at the well to lower the levels. The city is also increasing the time that the water remains in the storage tank to allow for additional aeration.

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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