

Mandatory Language for Public Notice
Triggered Source Monitoring and Reporting Violation
Ground Water Rule

TOWN OF BAYSIDE PWS 1960007 failed to collect the required number of triggered source bacteriological samples for fecal indicator monitoring of the ground water system during JULY 2021 monitoring is required by the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality's "Drinking Water Standards" and the federal "Safe Drinking Water Act," Public Law 95-523.

Triggered source samples (raw water samples) are used to monitor water quality and indicate if the water is free of fecal indicator bacteria. Following a positive routine total coliform result in our distribution system, our water system is required to submit one triggered source sample for every active ground water well. Failure to collect all required triggered source samples is a violation of the monitoring requirements and we are required to notify you of this violation.

What is being done? In order to return to compliance our system has to collect one raw sample from every active well that we have and those samples will be collected on (date) 1-29-2025 and then we will return to compliance.

Please share this information with all people who drink this water, especially those who may not have received this notice directly (i.e., 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.

If you have any questions regarding this violation, you may contact:

Name of System Official: Mike Brown **Area code + phone number:** 361-543-7020

Date Posted/Delivered: January 31, 2025

Instructions for preparing the required Public Notice: Copy the mandatory language above and insert the underlined information in the spaces indicated. Please refer to the Certificate of Delivery or 30 TAC 290.122 for additional information on public notification.

After filling in the necessary information, fax to (512) 239-3666, or email to PWSPN@tceq.texas.gov, or mail a copy of this completed form AND a copy of the signed Certificate of Delivery to: TCEQ - Public Drinking Water Section MC - 155 Attn: Public Notice Coordinator; P. O. Box 13087 Austin, TX 78711-3087