# Annual Drinking Water Quality Report

| IRVING   | Source of Drinking Water   | Drinking water, including bottled water, may<br>reasonably be expected to contain at least small  |
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| IL1350350  | The sources of drinking water (both tap water and<br>bottled water) include rivers, lakes, streams,<br>ponds, reservoirs, springs, and wells. As water   | amounts of some contaminants. The presence of<br>contaminants does not necessarily indicate that<br>water poses a health risk. More information about   |
| Annual Water Quality Report for the period of January 1 to December 31, 2024   | travels over the surface of the land or through the ground, it dissolves naturally-occurring minerals and, in some cases, radioactive material, and can  | contaminants and potential health effects can be<br>obtained by calling the EPAs Safe Drinking Water<br>Hotline at (800) 426-4791.  |
| This report is intended to provide you with important<br>information about your drinking water and the efforts made<br>by the water system to provide safe drinking water. | pick up substances resulting from the presence of<br>animals or from human activity.<br>Contaminants that may be present in source water   | In order to ensure that tap water is safe to drink, EPA prescribes regulations which limit the  |
| The source of drinking water used by<br>IRVING is Purchased Ground Water   | include:<br>- Microbial contaminants, such as viruses and<br>bacteria, which may come from sewage treatment<br>plants, septic systems, agricultural livestock<br>operations, and wildlife.   | amount of certain contaminants in water provided<br>by public water systems. FDA regulations establish<br>limits for contaminants in bottled water which<br>must provide the same protection for public<br>health.  |
| For more information regarding this report contact:  | - Inorganic contaminants, such as salts and<br>metals, which can be naturally-occurring or result<br>from urban storm water runoff, industrial or  | Some people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water than the general population.   |
| Name Jacob Durbin<br>Phone 217-925-5566  | domestic wastewater discharges, oil and gas<br>production, mining, or farming.<br>- Pesticides and herbicides, which may come from a   | Immuno-compromised persons such as persons with<br>cancer undergoing chemotherapy, persons who have<br>undergone organ transplants, people with HIV/AIDS<br>or other immune system disorders, some elderly and  |
| Este informe contiene información muy importante sobre<br>el agua que usted bebe. Tradúzcalo ó hable con alguien<br>que lo entienda bien.                                  | <ul> <li>variety of sources such as agriculture, urban storm water runoff, and residential uses.</li> <li>Organic chemical contaminants, including synthetic and volatile organic chemicals, which are by-products of industrial processes and petroleum production, and can also come from gas stations, urban storm water runoff, and septic systems.</li> </ul> | infants can be particularly at risk from<br>infections. These people should seek advice about<br>drinking water from their health care providers.<br>EPA/CDC guidelines on appropriate means to lessen<br>the risk of infection by Cryptosporidium and other<br>microbial contaminants are available from the Safe<br>Drinking Water Hotline (800-426-4791).  |
|  | - Radioactive contaminants, which can be<br>naturally-occurring or be the result of oil and gas<br>production and mining activities.   | Lead can cause serious health problems, especially<br>for pregnant women and young children. Lead in<br>drinking water is primarily from materials and<br>components associated with service lines and home<br>plumbing. The drinking water supplier is<br>responsible for providing high quality drinking<br>water and removing lead pipes, but cannot control<br>the variety of materials used in plumbing<br>components in your home. You share the<br>responsibility for protecting yourself and your<br>family from the lead in your home plumbing. You<br>can take responsibility by identifying and<br>removing lead materials within your home plumbing<br>and taking steps to reduce your family's risk.<br>Before drinking tap water, flush your pipes for<br>several minutes by running your tap, taking a<br>shower, doing laundry or a load of dishes. You can<br>also use a filter certified by an American<br>National Standard Institute accredited certifier |

to reduce lead in drinking water. If you are concerned about lead in your water, you may wish to have your water tested, contact <u>Jacob Durbin</u> at <u>217-925-5566</u>. Information on lead in drinking water, testing methods, and steps you can take to minimize exposure is available at http ://www.epa.gov/safewater/lead.

## Source Water Information

| Source Water Name                                   | Type of Water | Report Status | Location |
|---|---------------|---------------|----------|
| CC 01-SW EDGE OF WITT ALONG RT 16 FF IL1350850 TP01 | GW            |               |          |

#### Source Water Assessment

We want our valued customers to be informed about their water quality. If you would like to learn more, please feel welcome to attend any of our regularly scheduled meetings. The source water assessment for our supply has been completed by the Illinois EPA. If you would like a copy of this information, please stop by City Hall or call our water operator at <u>217-925-5566</u>. To view a summary version of the completed Source Water Assessments, including: Importance of Source Water; Susceptibility to Contamination Determination; and documentation/recommendation of Source Water Protection Efforts, you may access the Illinois EPA website at http://www.epa.state.il.us/cgi-bin/wp/swap-fact-sheets.pl.

Source of Water: WITTTo determine Witt's susceptibility to contamination, a Well Site Survey, published in 1989, by the Illinois was reviewed. Based on the information contained in these documents, it was determined that there were no sources of groundwater contamination within the minimum setback zones, the 1,000 foot Phase I Wellhead Protection Area (WHPA), or the Phase II WHPA that could pose a hazard to groundwater pumped by the Witt community water supply wells. However, information provided by the Leaking Underground Storage Tank and Remedial Project Management Sections of the Illinois EPA indicated sites with on-going remediation that might be of concern. The Illinois EPA considers the source water of this facility to be susceptible to IOC, SOC, or VOC contamination. This determination is based on a number of criteria including: the land-use activities in the recharge area of the wells, the available hydrogeologic data, monitoring conducted at the wells, and monitoring conducted at the entry point to the distribution system. All public water supplies using groundwater are required to sample their wells monthly for bacterial contaminants. In 2008, Witt received a Non-Compliance Advisory (NCA) for bacteriological detections in Well #2. These samples were taken at a point prior to the water treatment process and distribution. Maintenance at the well and sample location served to remedy this NCA issue. While the NCA has been resolved at this time, monthly monitoring data is continually being tracked in regards to all active potable wells at the facility; further deficiencies would result in additional enforcement.

### Lead and Copper

Definitions:

Action Level: The concentration of a contaminant which, if exceeded, triggers treatment or other requirements which a water system must follow. Action Level Goal (ALG): The level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. ALGs allow for a margin of safety.

 Copper Range:
 19 ug/l
 to
 400 ug/l

 Lead Range:
 <1.0 ug/l</td>
 to
 1.3 ug/l

To obtain a copy of the system's lead tap sampling data: 217-925-5566

CIRCLE ONE: Our Community Water Supply has has not developed a service line material inventory. To obtain a copy of the system's service line inventory: <u>217-925-5566</u>

| Lead and Copper | Date Sampled | MCLG | Action Level<br>(AL) | 90th<br>Percentile | # Sites Over<br>AL | Units | Violation | Likely Source of Contamination  |
|-----------------|--------------|------|----------------------|--------------------|--------------------|-------|-----------|---|
| Copper          | 2024         | 1.3  | 1.3                  | 0.32               | 0                  | ppm   |           | Corrosion of household plumbing systems;<br>Errosion of natural deposits. |
| Lead            | 2024         | 0    | 15                   | 1.2                | 0                  | dqq   |           | Corrosion of household plumbing systems;<br>Errosion of natural deposits. |

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| Avg:   | Regulatory compliance with some MCLs are based on running annual average of monthly samples.   |
| Level 1 Assessment:                          | A Level 1 assessment is a study of the water system to identify potential problems and determine (if possible) why<br>total coliform bacteria have been found in our water system.   |
| Level 2 Assessment:                          | A Level 2 assessment is a very detailed study of the water system to identify potential problems and determine (if possible) why an E. coli MCL violation has occurred and/or why total coliform bacteria have been found in our water system on multiple occasions. |
| Maximum Contaminant Level or MCL:            | The highest level of a contaminant that is allowed in drinking water. MCLs are set as close to the MCLGs as feasible using the best available treatment technology.  |
| Maximum Contaminant Level Goal or MCLG:      | The level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MCLGs allow for a margin of safety.   |
| Maximum residual disinfectant level or MRDL: | The highest level of a disinfectant allowed in drinking water. There is convincing evidence that addition of a<br>disinfectant is necessary for control of microbial contaminants.   |

| Maximum residual disinfectant level<br>goal or MRDLG: | The level of a drinking water disinfectant below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MRDLGs do not<br>reflect the benefits of the use of disinfectants to control microbial contaminants. |
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| na:   | not applicable.   |
| mrem:   | millirems per year (a measure of radiation absorbed by the body)  |
| ppb:  | micrograms per liter or parts per billion - or one ounce in 7,350,000 gallons of water.   |
| ppm:  | milligrams per liter or parts per million - or one ounce in 7,350 gallons of water.   |
| Treatment Technique or TT:                            | A required process intended to reduce the level of a contaminant in drinking water.   |

# Regulated Contaminants

| Disinfectants and<br>Disinfection By-<br>Products | Collection<br>Date | Highest Level<br>Detected | Range of Levels<br>Detected | MCLG                     | MCL      | Units | Violation | Likely Source of Contamination             |
|---|--------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------|----------|-------|-----------|--|
| Chlorine  | 2024               | 1.3                       | 1 - 1.6                     | MRDLG = 4                | MRDL = 4 | mqq   | N         | Water additive used to control microbes.   |
| Haloacetic Acids<br>(HAA5)                        | 2024               | 9                         | 9.15 - 9.15                 | No goal for<br>the total | 60       | dqq   | Ν         | By-product of drinking water disinfection. |
| Total Trihalomethanes (TTHM)                      | 2024               | 53                        | 53 - 53                     | No goal for<br>the total | 80       | ddđ   | Ν         | By-product of drinking water disinfection. |

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| Chlorine  | 2024               | 1.7                       | 1.3 - 1.87                  | MRDLG = 4                | MRDL = 4 | ppm   | N         | Water additive used to control microbes.   |
| Haloacetic Acids<br>(HAA5)                        | 2024               | 7                         | 7 - 7                       | No goal for<br>the total | 60       | dqq   | N         | By-product of drinking water disinfection.   |
| Total Trihalomethanes<br>(TTHM)                   | 2024               | 25                        | 24.5 - 24.5                 | No goal for<br>the total | 80       | dqq   | N         | By-product of drinking water disinfection.   |
| Inorganic<br>Contaminants                         | Collection<br>Date | Highest Level<br>Detected | Range of Levels<br>Detected | MCLG                     | MCL      | Units | Violation | Likely Source of Contamination   |
| Barium  | 2024               | 0.077                     | 0.077 - 0.077               | 2                        | 2        | ppm   | N         | Discharge of drilling wastes; Discharge from<br>metal refineries; Erosion of natural deposits.                                   |
| Fluoride  | 2024               | 0.437                     | 0.437 - 0.437               | 4                        | 4.0      | ppm   | N         | Erosion of natural deposits; Water additive<br>which promotes strong teeth; Discharge from<br>fertilizer and aluminum factories. |
| Nitrate [measured as<br>Nitrogen]                 | 2024               | 1                         | 0.81 - 0.81                 | 10                       | 10       | ppm   | N         | Runoff from fertilizer use; Leaching from<br>septic tanks, sewage; Erosion of natural<br>deposits.                               |
| Selenium  | 2024               | 5.4                       | 5.4 - 5.4                   | 50                       | 50       | dqq   | N         | Discharge from petroleum and metal refineries;<br>Erosion of natural deposits; Discharge from<br>mines.                          |
| Sodium  | 2024               | 63                        | 63 - 63                     |                          |          | dqq   | N         | Erosion from naturally occuring deposits.<br>Used in water softener regeneration.  |