

*****IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR DRINKING WATER*****

**RANCHEROS BONITOS (AZ0414073) Yuma, County
Has Levels of Uranium Above Drinking Water Standards**

Our water system has recently violated a drinking water standard. Although this is not an emergency, as our customers, you have a right to know what happened, what you should do, and what we did (are doing) to correct this situation.

We routinely monitor for the presence of drinking water contaminants. We received notice that the sample collected on 09/17/2024 showed that our system exceeds the standard, or maximum contaminant level (MCL), for Uranium. The standard for Uranium is 30µg/L. The average level of Uranium over the last year has been 31 µg/L.

What should I do?

- There is nothing you need to do. **You do not need to boil your water** or take other corrective actions. However, if you have specific health concerns, consult your doctor.
- If you have a severely compromised immune system, have an infant, are pregnant, or are elderly, you may be at increased risk and should seek advice from your health care providers about drinking this water.

What does this mean?

- **This is not an emergency. If it had been, you would have been notified within 24 hours.** However, some people who drink water containing Uranium in excess of the MCL over many years may have an increased risk of getting cancer.

What is being done?

Cactus State is completing the design for a treatment system to effectively treat and remove the uranium so that it is below the MCL, which we slightly exceed. In the meantime, we have provided access, at no cost for you, to a water station kiosk unit in your area so that you have access to drinking water that meets the standard for uranium. Please contact our customer service team at 1 800 670 4869 with any questions or to get more information reading the water station kiosk.

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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