

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR DRINKING WATER
Live Oak Hills Subdivision (TX1540012), McCulloch County, TX
Combined Radium Maximum Contaminant Level Violation

The Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) has notified the **Live Oak Hills Subdivision** public water system that the drinking water being supplied to customers had exceeded the Maximum Contaminant Level (MCL) for combined radium (226 & 228). The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (U.S. EPA) has established the MCL for combined radium (226 & 228) to be 5 pico curies per liter (pCi/L) based on the 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 combined radium (226 & 228) indicates a compliance value in **Q1 (Jan – Mar) 2025** of **12 pCi/L** for EP001. Analysis of drinking water in your community for combined radium (226 & 228) indicates a compliance value in **Q2 (Apr – Jun) 2025** of **12 pCi/L** for EP001.

This is not an emergency. However, some people who drink water containing radium 226 and/or 228 in excess of the MCL over many years may have an increased risk of getting cancer.

You do not need to use an alternative water supply. However, if you have health concerns, you may want to talk to your doctor to get more information about how this may affect you.

We are taking the following actions to address this issue:

CSWR-Texas is exploring the best available technology to mitigate the combined radium in the drinking water of this water system to improve the quality of the drinking water.

Please share this information with all the other 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.

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IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR DRINKING WATER
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Gross Alpha Maximum Contaminant Level Violation

The Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) has notified the **Live Oak Hills Subdivision** public water system that the drinking water being supplied to customers had exceeded the Maximum Contaminant Level (MCL) for gross alpha excluding radon and uranium. The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (U.S. EPA) has established the MCL for gross alpha excluding radon and uranium to be 15 pico curies per liter (pCi/L) based on the 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 gross alpha excluding radon and uranium indicates a compliance value in **Q1 (Jan – Mar) 2025** of **21 pCi/L for EP001**. Analysis of drinking water in your community for gross alpha excluding radon and uranium indicates a compliance value in **Q2 (Apr – Jun) 2025** of **21 pCi/L for EP001**.

This is not an emergency. Certain minerals are radioactive and may emit a form of radiation known as alpha radiation. Some people who drink water containing alpha emitters in excess of the MCL over many years may have an increased risk of getting cancer.

You do not need to use an alternative water supply. However, if you have health concerns, you may want to talk to your doctor to get more information about how this may affect you.

We are taking the following actions to address this issue:

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IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR DRINKING WATER **Live Oak Hills Subdivision (TX1540012), McCulloch County, TX** **Chemical Monitoring, Routine Major**

The LIVE OAK HILLS SUBDIVISION water system PWS ID TX1540012 has violated the monitoring and reporting requirements set by Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) in Chapter 30, Section 290, Subchapter F. Public water systems are required to collect and submit chemical samples of water provided to their customers, and report the results of those samples to the TCEQ on a regular basis.

We failed to monitor and/or report the following constituents: **Radionuclides**

This/These violation(s) occurred in the monitoring period: **Q2 April – June 2025**

Results of regular monitoring are an indicator of whether or not your drinking water is safe from chemical contamination. We did not complete all monitoring and/or reporting for chemical constituents, and therefore TCEQ cannot be sure of the safety of your drinking water during that time.

We are taking the following actions to address this issue:

We have reviewed our sampling records and confirmed samples were collected during the required monitoring period and that analytical results are on file with TCEQ for every quarter. We are currently reviewing the violation with TCEQ to determine whether the samples were submitted late or whether the violation was issued in error. We will continue to closely monitor sampling schedules, reporting deadlines, and recordkeeping procedures to ensure ongoing compliance.

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