



Certificate of Delivery of Public Notice to Customers

Texas Commission on Environmental Quality

PWS Name: City of Tatum PWS ID: 2010034

Date Distributed to Customers: 6-1-2026

Provide the violation information below. This information is available in the subject of the violation letter(s). If the notice covers multiple violations, include information for each violation.

Violation Type Code: 4G & 2E Analyte Type Code: 5200

Compliance Period: 10/17/2024

Select Delivery Methods

Use the following information to assist with selecting the appropriate methods:

- Community Water System:
 - 24-hour notices – Select Direct Delivery **and/or** Mass Media
 - Other Notices – **Select Direct Delivery and at least one other option**
- Noncommunity Water System:
 - 24-hour notices – Select at least one underlined method.
 - Other Notices – Select two methods with at least one underlined method.

- Direct Delivery (Physical or Electronic)
- Mass Media (Newspaper, Radio or Television)
- Continuous Posting in Conspicuous Locations
- Delivery of multiple copies for distribution by customers that provide water to others
- Posting on the Internet: _____
- Other: _____

I certify the above referenced water system has distributed the notice identified above to customers and/or consecutive systems, and that the information in the notice is correct and consistent, in accordance with applicable regulations under Title 30 of the Texas Administrative Code, Chapter 290 and/or Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Chapter 141.

Certified by (print name): Michael Morton Title: Public Works Sup

Signature: Michael Morton Date: 6-1-2026

Deliver this form completed and signed along with representative copies of the notice(s) identified to PWSNOTICE@tceq.texas.gov.

Instructions for completing public notices is available online at www.tceq.texas.gov/drinkingwater/notices/pws.

For additional assistance, please contact the TCEQ Right-to-Know Program at 512-239-1069.

Public Water System

NAME: City of Tatum

ID: 2010034

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR DRINKING WATER

Lead Treatment Technique Requirements Not Met

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

Failure to meet minimum treatment requirements for lead has the potential to increase your exposure to lead. We did not complete the following requirement(s):

Requirement(s) not met: Lead Service Line Inventory

Period(s) of Non-Compliance: 10/17/2024

There is no safe level of lead in drinking water. Exposure to lead in drinking water can cause serious health effects in all age groups, especially pregnant people, infants (both formula-fed and breastfed), and young children. Some of the health effects to infants and children include decreases in IQ and attention span. Lead exposure can also result in new or worsened learning and behavior problems. The children of persons who are exposed to lead before or during pregnancy may be at increased risk of these harmful health effects. Adults have increased risks of heart disease, high blood pressure, kidney or nervous system problems. Contact your health care provider for more information about your risks.

What should I do?

There is nothing you need to do at this time. You may continue to drink the water. We will notify you within 24 hours if a situation arises where the water is no longer safe to drink.

What is being done?

The Results have already been sent to TCEQ.

No lead or Copper in Service Lines.

Expected completion date for the corrective action: Completion date has been met.

For more information, please contact:

PWS Contact Name: Michael Morton

Phone: 903-646-0593 **Email:** waterdept@tatum.texas.gov

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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