As you can see by the table, our system had no violations above the allowed Maximum Contaminant Levels. We’re proud that your drinking water meets or exceeds all Federal and State requirements and although we have learned through our monitoring and testing that some constituents have been detected, the EPA has determined that your water IS SAFE at these levels.

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As required by Washington State Department of Health, a report on your water quality is included. The District routinely samples for microbial contaminants such as Coliform Bacteria, E.coli and Fecal Coliform, which may come from the environment, septic systems, agricultural livestock operations and wildlife. During 2020, 24 tests were taken and all tests were negative for presence of these contaminants.

Wellhead Protection
The District is a member of the Spokane Aquifer Joint Board (SAJB) which represents nineteen (19) water purveyors who utilize the Spokane/Rathdrum Prairie Aquifer for their water supply. The SAJB promotes aquifer awareness through various educational programs. Committees on proactive businesses, potential contaminant source inventory, household contaminant disposal, emergency planning and education and awareness strive to educate the public and protect our sole source of drinking water. Please visit the website at www.spokaneaquifer.org for further information and a virtual aquifer tour.

Water...Every Drop Counts
Did you know that an average American home can waste more than 10,000 gallons of water every year due to running toilets, dripping faucets and other household leaks? Nationwide, more than 1 trillion gallons of water leak from U.S. homes each year. That’s why North Spokane Irrigation District #8 reminds you to check your plumbing fixtures and irrigation systems every year to reduce the potential losses. For both Indoor and Outdoor Water Saver Kits for your home, please contact North Spokane Irrigation District #8 (509)467-6727.

Emergency Intermie
The District has an emergency intermie at Francis & Freya with the City of Spokane if an event were to occur that required a back-up water supply.

Attention Customers!
If you currently have an old meter in your basement contact us to have a new radio read meter installed free of charge.

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Water Use Efficiency Annual Performance Report

EPA Lead Statement
If present, elevated levels of lead can cause serious health problems, especially for pregnant women and young children. Lead in drinking water is primarily from materials and components associated with service lines and home plumbing. North Spokane Irrigation District #8 is responsible for providing high quality drinking water, but cannot control the variety of materials used in plumbing components. When your water has been sitting for several hours, you can minimize the potential for lead exposure by flushing your tap for 30 seconds to 2 minutes before using water for drinking or cooking. If you are concerned about lead in your water, you may wish to have your water tested. Information on lead in drinking water, testing methods, and steps you can take to minimize exposure is available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline or at http://epa.gov/safewater/lead