

**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
**IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR DRINKING WATER**  
**Monitoring Requirements Not Met for**  
**Richmond Water Dept, VT0005084**

Our water system recently violated a drinking water standard. Even though this was not an emergency, customers have a right to know what happened.

*We are required to monitor your drinking water for specific contaminants on a regular basis. Results of regular monitoring are an indicator of whether or not our drinking water meets health standards. During **Fourth Quarter 2022** we **did not monitor or test for Asbestos** and therefore cannot be sure of the quality of our drinking water during that time.*

**What should I do?**

There is nothing you need to do at this time.

The table below summarizes our monitoring violation(s):

Contaminant	Required sampling frequency	Number of samples taken during required monitoring period	Monitoring period when samples were required to be collected	When samples were or will be collected
Asbestos	1 per 9 years	0	Fourth Quarter 2022	

**What happened? What is being done?**

This test was completed in March 2023. The results showed no detectable amount of asbestos

For more information, contact Josh Arneson at 802-434-5170 or PO Box 285, Richmond, VT 05477.

*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.*

Method(s) of Distribution: Mail and posting online + physical locations Date Distributed: 6/6/23  
 (e.g. hand or direct delivery, posting<sup>1</sup>, television, radio)

I Josh Arneson (print name) Certify, as the Responsible Person (or authorized representative) of the water system indicated above, that the public notice has been provided to customers in accordance with the delivery, content, and format requirements and deadlines in the Vermont Water Supply Rule (Chapter 21, Subchapter 21-10).

Signature: Josh Arneson Date: 6/6/23

*Within 10 days of issuance of public notice, send a copy of the notice to:*

*VT-DEC, Drinking Water and Groundwater Protection Division, 1 National Life Drive – Davis 4, Montpelier, VT 05620-3521*

*1 - Community Water Systems may use posting as a second method, but must also use radio, television, or hand or direct delivery.*