

## **Failure to Report Initial Inventory to the State- Violation 4G**

### **Important Information about your Drinking Water**

#### **Reporting Requirement not met for Talatha Rural Water (SC0220005)**

We were required to develop and submit to the state an initial service line inventory that includes all service lines connected to the public water distribution system and characterize the materials of those services lines as either lead, galvanized requiring replacement, non-lead, or lead status unknown. Our system failed to submit an initial inventory of service lines to the South Carolina Bureau of Water by October 16, 2024.

Although the failure to report the initial inventory to the state does not create a risk to the public health, we are required to inform you of this violation and provide additional information including what we did to correct the situation.

There is nothing you need to do this time. You do not need to boil your water or take other actions. Remember, boiling water does not remove lead from water.

For more information on reducing lead exposure around your home/building and the health effects of lead, visit the EPA'S websites at <https://www.epa.gov/ground-water-and-drinking-water/basic-information-about-lead-drinking-water> and <http://www.epa.gov/lead>.

We completed the initial service line inventory and recently submitted it to South Carolina Bureau of Water on November 18, 2024.

For more information, please contact Talatha Rural Community Water at 803-652-1381 or 4 Aspen Ct. Aiken SC 29803

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