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The monthly Bacteriological Monitoring and Operations Reports are required to be submitted to the State by the 10th day of the following month. This requirement was not met for April 2018, June 2018, and January 2019.

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency sets standards for drinking water. Public water systems are required to regularly have their water bacteriologically tested in a certified laboratory. These samples are analyzed for Total Coliform and E. Coli bacteria. Coliform bacteria is used as an indicator for more serious pathogenic organisms.

Failure to meet this requirement does not necessarily mean that the water is unsafe or that alternate sources of water should be used, **our samples were good**. This violation was just due to a paper work infraction and reports were not turned in on time.

This water system has corrected this paper work problem and has been turning their reports in on time.

Should you have any questions concerning this notice, contact the water system at 479-997-1338 or the Engineering Section of the Department of Health at 501-661-2623.

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The water system is required to develop and follow an approved site plan and schedule for total coliform sampling. The site plan and/or schedule was not developed or followed for during February 2019.

The water system did not conduct monitoring according to an approved plan, schedule or locations to ensure the water quality of the samples were representative of the entire system.

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This water system has corrected the sample site location schedule.

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