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CRRUA Releases 2024 Consumer Confidence Report

In compliance with a U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) mandate, the Camino Real Regional Utility Authority (CRRUA) has issued its 2024 Consumer Confidence Report (CCR,) also known as the annual drinking water quality report.

According to the Source Water Assessment and Protection Program (SWAPP) section of the report, “The Camino Real Regional Utility Authority is well maintained and operated, and sources of drinking water are generally protected from potential sources of contamination based on well construction, hydro geologic settings, and system operations and management.”

“The results presented in the CCR provide CRRUA with the confidence to affirm that the water produced by its treatment facilities and wells meets the federal standards for safe drinking water as set forth by the EPA Safe Drinking Water Act,” said CRRUA Executive Director Juan Crosby.

According to the CCR: “All sources of drinking water are subject to potential contamination by substances that are naturally occurring, or manmade. These substances can be microbes, inorganic or organic chemicals and radioactive substances. All drinking water, including bottled water, may reasonably be expected to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants. The presence of contaminants does not necessarily indicate that the water poses a health risk. “

The tables in the report present a summary of results from water tests conducted by CRRUA during the 2024 calendar year and verified by an independent laboratory certified by the New Mexico Environment Department (NMED). Detected contaminants from 2016-2024 are also listed, if not sampled in 2024.

The table below provides results for lead and copper.

Lead and Copper							
Lead and Copper	Violation Y/N	Action Level (AL)	90th Percentile	Date Sampled	MCLG	#Sites Over AL	Likely Source of contamination
Copper- action level at consumer taps. (ppm)	NO	1.3	0.3	2024	1.3	0	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits; leaching from wood preservatives
Lead - action level at consumer taps. (ppb)	NO	15	3	2024	0	0	Corrosion of household plumbing system; Erosion of natural deposit

“I highly encourage everyone to read the entire CCR for more information. In the meantime, CRRUA remains committed to meeting all regulatory requirements through the hard work and dedication of its team and will continue to uphold the highest standards in service to the community and the consumers it serves.”

CRRUA will provide customers with a printed copy of the CCR by mail in the coming weeks. The report is also available online at [CRRUA.org](https://www.crrua.org).