## MENSAJE DEL CLIENTE DE CRRUA

## **CRRUA Customer Message**

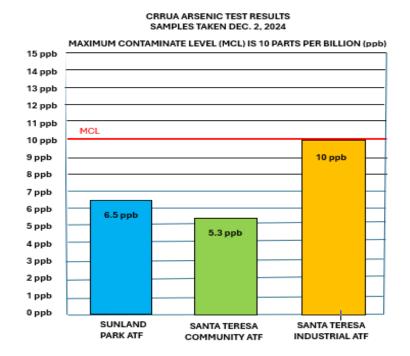
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## **CRRUA Passes December 2024 Arsenic Tests**

The Camino Real Regional Utility Authority (CRRUA) passed its voluntary monthly arsenic tests for December 2024, as verified by an independent laboratory. CRRUA provides water and wastewater services to Sunland Park and Santa Teresa, NM.

Test results released by Eurofins Environment Testing, a water testing lab certified by the New Mexico Environment Department (NMED,) show that arsenic levels at three arsenic treatment facilities (ATF) operated by CRRUA are below the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Maximum Contaminate Level (MCL) of 10 parts per billion (ppb.)

CRRUA excluded Border Entry ATF from its monthly voluntary testing due to its continued meeting of all NMED requirements.



<u>CRRUA has passed 18 arsenic tests</u> since January 24, 2024, including three consecutive quarterly NMED tests and 15 voluntary tests verified by an independent, NMED-certified laboratory.

CRRUA Executive Director Juan Crosby said three of four Arsenic Treatment Facilities (ATFs) recently <u>achieved NMED compliance</u> based on the department's Running Annual Average (RAA).

The RAA is determined by averaging the previous four (4) quarterly samples. At the end of each quarter, compliance is based on the RAA of quarterly samples. If the RAA is at or below the Maximum Contaminate Level (MCL) of 10 parts per billion (ppb,) the system is in compliance.