



**CITY OF WEST MIAMI
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2013 WATER QUALITY REPORT**

DEAR CITY OF WEST MIAMI WATER CONSUMER:

The City of West Miami is committed to provide its customers with high quality drinking water. The drinking water in the City of West Miami is purchased directly from the Miami-Dade Water and Sewer Department (WASD).

We are pleased to report that our drinking water, supplied by WASD, is safe and has met all Federal, State and local standards for drinking water during 2013. The attached brochure prepared by WASD illustrates our 2013 water quality and what it means to you.

The City of West Miami routinely monitors through independent testing for lead, copper and coli form bacteria in your drinking water, in accordance with Federal Regulations. The data presented in the following table shows the results for the most recent monitoring period, in accordance with the regulations.

Lead in Drinking Water: “if present, elevated levels of lead can cause serious health problems, especially for pregnant women and young children. Lead in drinking water is primarily from materials and components associated with service lines and home plumbing. The City of West Miami is responsible for providing high quality drinking water, but cannot control the variety of materials used in plumbing components. When your water has been sitting for several hours, you can minimize the potential for lead exposure by flushing your tap for 30 seconds to 2 minutes before using the water for drinking or cooking. If you are concerned about lead in drinking water, testing methods and steps you can take to minimize exposure is available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline or at <http://www.epa.gov/safewater/lead>.”

Contaminant and Unit of Measurement	Federal MCL	MCLG Federal Level Goal	State MCL	Violation	Year	Level Detected	Likely Source of Contamination
Fecal Coli form Bacteria	1 per month	0	1*	No	2013	Presence of Coli form bacteria detected in 0 sample	Naturally present in the environment
Lead (ppb)	AL=15	0	AL=15	No	2013	No home exceeded AL	Corrosion of household plumbing system and or erosion of natural deposits
Copper (ppm)	AL=1.3	1.3	AL=1.3	No	2013	No home exceeded AL	Corrosion of household plumbing system and or erosion of natural deposits

*Highest monthly number of positive Total Coli form Bacteria

Please see WASD brochure for Abbreviations and Notes on the above table.

If you have any questions feel free to call any of the numbers provided on the WASD brochure, or the City of West Miami Public Works Department at 305-266-4214.