APPENDIX 2: NOTIFICATION TEMPLATE

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR DRINKING WATER
Este informe contiene información muy importante sobre su agua potable.
Por favor hable con alguien que lo pueda traducir.

Indianola School Has levels of 1,2,3-TCP Above Drinking Water Standards

Our water system recently failed a drinking water standard. Although this is not an emergency, as our customers, you have a right to know what you should do, what happened, and what we are doing to correct this situation.

We routinely monitor for the presence of drinking water contaminants. The standard for 1,2,3-TCP is 0.000005 mg/L (milligrams per liter) which is equivalent to 0.005 ug/L (micrograms per liter). Samples collected from Well 01 show that Indianola School exceeds maximum contaminant level (MCL), for 1,2,3-trichloropropane (1,2,3-TCP). The average level of 1,2,3-TCP during April 1- June 30, 2023, was 0.020 ug/L.

What should I do?
• You do not need to use an alternative (e.g., bottled water supply).
• This is not an immediate risk. If it had been, you would have been notified immediately. However, some people who drink water containing 1,2,3-trichloropropane in excess of the MCL over many years may have an increased risk of getting cancer.
• If you have other health issues concerning the consumption of this water, you may wish to consult your doctor.

What happened? What is being done?
It was detected at Indianola Elementary School to have TCP 1-2-3 levels in Well 01 that are over the allowable limit. The District is monitoring the water system and collecting quarterly samples to monitor 123 TCP levels. The District is working to connect to Cal Water for water service. The District is waiting on funding from the State in order to begin the connection to Cal Water. We anticipate resolving the problem by October 2025.

For more information, please contact:
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Please share this information with all the other people who drink this water, especially those who may not have received this notice directly (for example, people in apartments, nursing homes, schools, and businesses). You can do this by posting this public notice in a public place or distributing copies by hand or mail.

Secondary Notification Requirements
Upon receipt of notification from a person operating a public water system, the following notification must be given within 10 days [Health and Safety Code Section 116450(g)]:
• SCHOOLS: Must notify school employees, students, and parents (if the students are minors).
• RESIDENTIAL RENTAL PROPERTY OWNERS OR MANAGERS (including nursing homes and care facilities): Must notify tenants.
• BUSINESS PROPERTY OWNERS, MANAGERS, OR OPERATORS: Must notify employees of businesses located on the property.

This notice is being sent to you by Indianola School in compliance with the California Domestic Water Quality and Monitoring Regulations as a means of keeping the public informed.

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