

CITY OF IRON CITY

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Ms. Norma Jean Smith-Burkhart
Pure Water Now
12 Lincoln Boulevard
Iron City, Iowa 52295

Dear Ms. Smith-Burkhart:

Per your request, I am enclosing the summary results you requested for the Iron City Water Department, for your information and use. I have not included the reports for bacterial pollution (fecal matter) or turbidity, because there are literally thousands of samples and the Water Department has never found a violation in more than ten years of testing.

It might be useful for you to understand the origins of the various numbers in these reports. The Nitrate Results are a computer compilation of all sampling numbers collected by the Water Department; as I understand it, all samples represented by the Nitrate Results were collected and analyzed on site by Water Department employees. The other reports (Organics Results, Inorganics Results, and Radioactivity Results) are computer compilations of all sampling results reported to us by the University of Iowa Hygienic Laboratory, which was hired by the Water Department to conduct the more sophisticated analyses for those parameters on samples collected by Department employees.

If I can be of any further assistance, please contact me.

Sincerely,

Tracy Jamison

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Assistant Clerk

