## **Important Information About Your Drinking Water**

# Town of Lake Placid Drinking Water Plants

#### **SITUATION**

The Town of Lake Placid public drinking water system failed to perform compliance monitoring for the Disinfection Byproducts of Total Trihalomethanes (TTHMs) and Haloacetic Acids (HAA5s), during the third calendar quarter (July/August/September) of 2023, in accordance with Rule 62-550.514, Florida Administrative Code.

#### **HEALTH EFFECTS**

We are required to monitor your drinking water for specific contaminants on a regular basis. Results of regular monitoring are an indicator of whether or not your drinking water meets health standards. During the third calendar quarter of 2023, we did not perform monitoring for Total Trihalomethanes or Haloacetic Acids, and therefore cannot be sure of the quality of your drinking water (with respect to these contaminants) during that time.

#### WHAT SHOULD CUSTOMERS DO?

Although this water system did not perform monitoring for TTHMs or HAA5s during the third calendar quarter of 2023, the water system did collect samples for TTHMs and HAA5s at the 2 appropriate locations on August 10, 2023. Since the laboratory results of the samples collected on August 10, 2023, indicated the TTHM and HAA5 concentrations were both in compliance with their Maximum Contaminant Levels, at this time,

customers need not take any action or seek an alternate water supply.

### WHAT IS BEING DONE?

As soon as the water system realized monitoring for TTHMs and HAA5s had not been performed during the third calendar quarter of 2023 they collected samples for these contaminants on August 10, 2023.

#### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

For more information please contact Leigh Anne Bemis at 863-699-3747

Or you may contact Dessy Owiti of the Department of Environmental Protection at dessy.owiti@FloridaDEP.gov, or call (239) 344-5615.

Please share this information with all the other people who drink this water, especially those who may not have received this notice directly. You can do this by posting this notice in a public place or distributing copies by hand or mail.