### Annual Drinking Water Quality Report

KINCAID

IL0210250

Annual Water Quality Report for the period of January 1 to December  $31,\ 2020$ 

This report is intended to provide you with important information about your drinking water and the efforts made by the water system to provide safe drinking water.

The source of drinking water used by KINCAID is Purchased Surface Water

For more information regarding this report contact:

Name	
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### Source Water Information

Source Water Name Type of Water Report Status Location

CC 02-MASTER METER FF IL0210600 TP02 SW \_\_\_\_ AT BOOSTER PUMP STATION

#### Source Water Assessment

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#### 2020 Regulated Contaminants Detected

### Water Quality Test Results

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na:

mrem: ppb:

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ppm:

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Treatment Technique or TT:

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# Regulated Contaminants

Disinfectants and Disinfection By- Products	Collection Date	Highest Level Detected	Range of Levels Detected	MCLG	MCL	Units	Violation	Likely Source of Contamination
Chlorine	12/31/2020	1.6	1.2 - 1.5	MRDLG = 4	MRDL = 4	ppm	N	Water additive used to control microbes.
Haloacetic Acids (HAA5)	2020	9	3.7 - 11.5	No goal for the total	60	ppb	N	By-product of drinking water disinfection.
Total Trihalomethanes (TTHM)	2020	34	24 - 52	No goal for the total	80	ppb	N	By-product of drinking water disinfection.

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11 (52086)	0.5MI E 1MI N 0.5MI E OF	GW		
12 (52087)	1120 FT N WELL 11	GW		
13 (52088)	1440 FT N 1040 FT E OF	GW		

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and Copper	Date Sampled	MCLG	Action Level (AL)	90th Percentile	# Sites Over AL		Likely Source of Contamination
	2020	0	15	0	1	ppb	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; Erosion of natural deposits.

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ride	2020	0.6	0.61 - 0.61	4	4.0	ppm	N	Erosion of natural deposits; Water additive which promotes strong teeth; Discharge from fertilizer and aluminum factories.
te [measured as gen]	2020	12	0.12 - 11.5	10	10	ppm	N	Runoff from fertilizer use; Leaching from septic tanks, sewage; Erosion of natural deposits.
ım	2020	24	24.3 - 24.3			ppm	N	Erosion from naturally occuring deposits. Used in water softener regeneration.
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.ned Radium :28	07/02/2018	1.49	1.49 - 1.49	0	5	pCi/L	N	Erosion of natural deposits.

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	Limit (Treatment Technique)	Level Detected	Violation	Likely Source of Contamination
st single measurement	1 NTU	0.118 NTU	N	Soil runoff.
t monthly % meeting limit	0.15 NTU	100%	N	Soil runoff.

nation Statement: Turbidity is a measurement of the cloudiness of the water caused by suspended particles. We monitor it because it is a good indicator cer quality and the effectiveness of our filtration system and disinfectants.

# l Organic Carbon

ercentage of Total Organic Carbon (TOC) removal was measured each month and the system met all TOC removal requirements set, unless a TOC violation is in the violations section.