



Town of Arlington  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

Public Water Supply  
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The Town of Arlington Department of Public Works (DPW) and the Massachusetts Water Resources Authority (MWRA) are pleased to provide you with the 2009 Drinking Water Quality Report. The MWRA treats and delivers water to many cities and towns in the area. The Town distributes the water through our pipe network into your home or business.

The Town continues to upgrade the water system by replacing aging pipes. These upgrades will increase the flow capacity and decrease the potential for main breaks and leaks. We also plan to continue the water Flushing Program, improving water quality by removing sediments and mineral deposits.

The DPW collects water quality samples at various locations throughout the Town on a weekly basis. In addition, lead and copper samples are collected at fifteen homes twice a year. The 90th percentile level for Arlington was 3.57 ppb, which is below the Action Level of 15 ppb. Please see page 5 for more information on lead in tap water.

The DPW and MWRA continue to work together to provide you the highest quality water available. We ask that you take the time to read this report. If you have any questions or comments please contact the DPW at 781-316-3100 or the Arlington Board of Health at 781-316-3170.

Thank you,

John F. Bean, P.E.  
Director  
Town of Arlington  
Department of Public Works

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