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Elizabeth Mendoza
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Dear Elizabeth;

It was good to meet with you concerning the operation of the water system.

Daily chlorine residual: Every public water supply in Kansas must test chlorine residuals and record the results daily. Your daily chlorine residuals have been averaging .5-.6 mg/l free chlorine. The minimum is .2 and the maximum is 4.0-mg/l free chlorine. These records must be kept on file and available for inspection for at least ten years.

Routine bacteriological sampling: Every public water supply system in Kansas is required to perform routine bacteriological sampling. Your system is required to take two samples each month and they must be free of any bacteria to maintain compliance with the Safe Drinking water standards. These records must also be maintained on file for at least ten years.

Sampling site plan: Every public water supply system in Kansas is required to prepare a bacteriological sampling site plan for collecting the samples. We reviewed your plan and discussed good sampling techniques. It is important to collect samples from locations that do not have water softeners or conditioning equipment.

NSF approved chlorine: There are basically two types of sodium hypochlorite the 10-15% rated form and the store varieties rated at 5 to 6%. It is important to use one with a NSF food grade rating. Most of the concentrated forms are this way but of the store brands only Clorox brand has this rating and is acceptable for use in a public water supply system the other brands are not.

Sincerely,

Jon Steele
Circuit Rider

C: Vickie Wessel, KDHE