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**ANTHEM MERRILL RANCH
LEAD AND COPPER TESTING PROGRAM**

Free Water Quality Testing for Anthem – Merrill Ranch Water Customers

Dear Anthem - Merrill Ranch Water Utility Customer:

Johnson Utilities is offering complimentary water quality testing for lead and copper to a cross-section of residential customers in Anthem - Merrill Ranch in 2020. This testing is conducted to assess the percentage of homes, although unlikely, that may be at risk for elevated levels of lead and copper due to the leaching (or slow extraction) of these metals from internal plumbing and fixtures, into drinking water. This testing is a requirement of the United States Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) and the Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA). Lead and copper program testing will take place in Anthem Merrill Ranch during August and September, 2020.

Johnson Utilities is offering to provide lead and copper testing of water in your home free of charge and will provide you with the results of these tests as well as an assessment of the results. The health and safety of Johnson Utilities' customers is our primary concern. To participate in this free water quality testing, contact Julie Hoskin at (480) 987-9870 to have a test kit and instructions delivered to your home.

Johnson Utilities lead and copper testing program is one of many testing programs the utility participates in to ensure customers are provided with a safe and reliable drinking water supply. If you have questions regarding testing procedures, please call Johnson Utilities Customer Service at (480) 987-9870.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Julie Hoskin".

Julie Hoskin
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