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SPENCER MUNICIPAL UTILITIES

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Water Quality Report Available

The latest edition of Spencer Municipal Utilities' annual Consumer Confidence Report on water quality has been prepared and is being distributed electronically to customers through SMU's website at www.smunet.net/2024CCR.

The report provides details of drinking water testing conducted during the calendar year 2023. SMU regularly tests over 80 drinking water contaminants, and the 2023 data again shows no violations of EPA rules for water quality.

"Our wells are based in an aquifer that is a high quality source, which we improve for our customers with disinfection and lime softening," says Amanda Gloyd, SMU marketing & community relations manager. In addition to showing the results of water testing from last year, the Consumer Confidence Report also gives customers details on SMU's water source, treatment methods, and other important health information.

The link was also included on the statements that went out at the end of May. For customers without internet access, contact SMU for a paper copy. Copies of the report are also available at the SMU Customer Service Center at 520 2nd Avenue East, Suite 1 in Spencer.



Amanda Gloyd

Marketing & Community Relations Manager

Summer is here and Spencer kicked off summer with Flagfest. We hope everyone enjoyed all the Flagfest activities! We are busy with several projects this summer.

One you may notice is the work being done in the parking lot across the street from our office.

Work will also be done this summer to tie a couple substations together, which will continue to improve our reliability.

We are also busy with annual maintenance this time of year, like hydrant flushing and turning valves on our water distribution system. Watch our website to see which areas we are working in.

Have a great summer!



Spencer Municipal Utilities annual water quality report is available online at www.smunet.net/2024CCR

If you would like to receive a paper copy, contact our office at 712.580.5800.

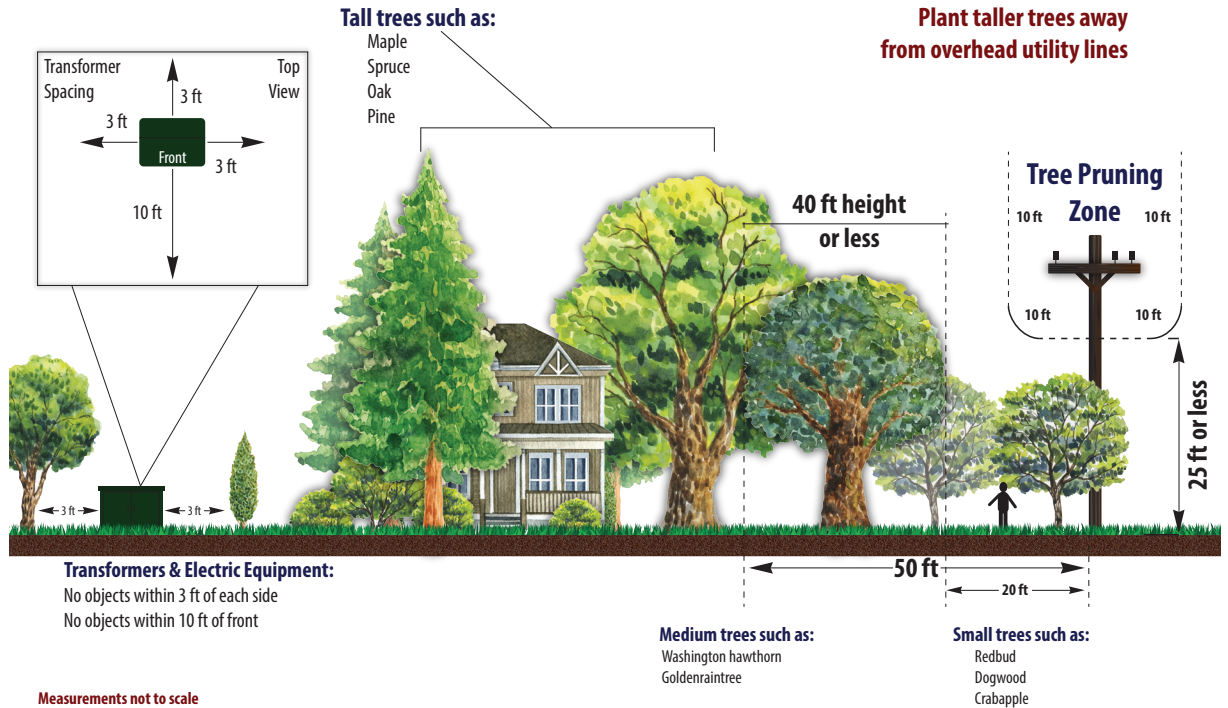
Flagfest

We hope everyone was able to enjoy Flagfest! Thanks to our crew for providing live coverage of the parade. If you missed the parade you can still view it on the Spencer Channel 3 Webcast: <https://smunet.net/spencer-channel-3-webcast/>.



Tree and Shrub Planting Distances

If you are planning to plant some trees and/or shrubs this summer near SMU electric equipment, here are the clearances needed. If you have any questions, feel free to contact SMU at 712-580-5800. Be sure to contact Iowa One Call before digging by dialing 8-1-1 or 1-800-292-8989 or filing a ticket online at iowaonecall.com.



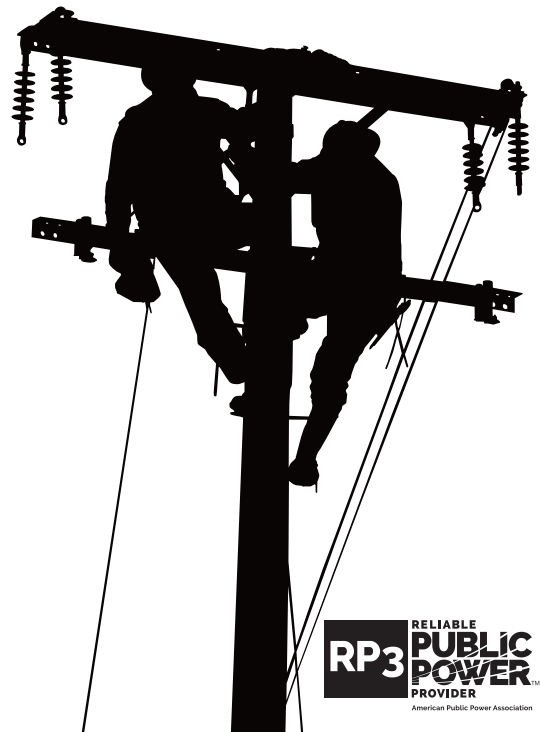
What does it mean when we say you can count on us?

It means we are amongst the best in the nation when it comes to:

- Reliability,
- Safety,
- Work Force Development, and
- System Improvement.

As a result, we have received a *Reliable Public Power Provider*—or RP₃—designation from the American Public Power Association.

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