

City of Bristol Tennessee

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City Receives Extraordinary Score on Sanitary Survey

The City of Bristol received a rating of 99 out of 100 from the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation, Division of Water Supply, for this year's sanitary survey of the city water system. This rating is one of the highest in the state.

The city met all the standards and requirements of the Division of Water Supply in the areas of system management and operation, operator, compliance, source of supply, treatment, monitoring and compliance, water storage, pumping and controls, and distribution system and cross connection controls. By doing so, the utility retained its status as elite provider of water services in the state. City Manager Jeff Broughton said, "This score reflects a commitment to professionalism in delivering a quality product to the community."

A review of over 10,000 pages of daily reports at the water plant for the last 2 years was undertaken by the survey team. There is a great deal of unseen activities that go into providing water at this high level. David St. John, Bristol Tennessee Water Plant Superintendent said, "The state is recognizing that we are doing an excellent job in maintaining the quality of our drinking water and that is very important to us."

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