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## PENNSYLVANIA AMERICAN WATER RELEASES WATER QUALITY REPORTS FOR NAZARETH SERVICE AREA

**HERSHEY, Pa. (May 19, 2017)** – Pennsylvania American Water announced today that results published in the company’s 2016 Consumer Confidence Report indicated water quality surpassed regulatory standards in the Nazareth service area. The company has posted the reports online at <http://www.amwater.com/ccr/bluemountain.pdf>.

“The reports show that we continue to supply water to our customers that is of higher quality than required by state and federal standards,” said Christopher Abuzzo, director of water quality and environmental compliance for Pennsylvania American Water. “Our team of water quality and plant operations professionals works hard every day to ensure the highest quality product for our customers. These results are a testament to their dedication.”

The annual report is a performance measure of the quality of water supplied by Pennsylvania American Water against the compliance standards established by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency and Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection. The report describes drinking water sources, testing conducted on the water, substances detected, and the levels of those substances. Commonly asked questions and the answers concerning drinking water are also included.

Pennsylvania American Water’s Consumer Confidence Reports, which are updated and posted annually, provide information to local customers. The reports for the Nazareth area water system includes: Bushkill Township, Easton, Forks, Lower Nazareth, Nazareth, Palmer, Pen Argyl Borough, Plainfield, Stockertown, Tatamy, Upper Nazareth, Washington Township and Wind Gap.

Pennsylvania American Water, a subsidiary of American Water (NYSE: AWK), is the largest investor-owned water utility in the state, providing high-quality and reliable water and/or wastewater services to approximately 2.3 million people. With a history dating back to 1886, American Water is the largest and most geographically diverse U.S. publicly-traded water and wastewater utility company. The company employs more than 6,800 dedicated professionals who provide regulated and market-based drinking water, wastewater and other related services to an estimated 15 million people in 47 states and Ontario, Canada. More information can be found by visiting [www.amwater.com](http://www.amwater.com)

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